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Form **990-PF**

Return of Private Foundation or Section 4947(a)(1) Nonexempt Charitable Trust Treated as a Private Foundation

OMB No 1545-0052

2007Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Note: The foundation may be able to use a copy of this return to satisfy state reporting requirements

For calendar year 2007, or tax year beginning

, 2007, and ending

G Check all that apply: ☐ Initial return ☐ Final return ☒ Amended return ☐ Address change ☐ Name change

Use the
IRS label
Otherwise,
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or type.
See Specific
Instructions.

THE KNOX FOUNDATION
3133 WASHINGTON ROAD, N.W.
THOMSON, GA 30824

A Employer identification number

58-6163728

B Telephone number (see the instructions)

706-595-1907

C If exemption application is pending, check here ☐**D 1** Foreign organizations, check here ☐**2** Foreign organizations meeting the 85% test, check here and attach computation ☐**E** If private foundation status was terminated under section 507(b)(1)(A), check here ☐**F** If the foundation is in a 60-month termination under section 507(b)(1)(B), check here ☐

H Check type of organization. ☒ Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation
☐ Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust ☐ Other taxable private foundation

I Fair market value of all assets at end of year
(from Part II, column (c), line 16)

► \$ 68,225,611.

J Accounting method ☐ Cash ☒ Accrual
☐ Other (specify) _____

(Part I, column (d) must be on cash basis)

Part I Analysis of Revenue and Expenses

(The total of amounts in columns (b), (c), and (d) may not necessarily equal the amounts in column (a) (see the instructions).)

(a) Revenue and expenses per books

(b) Net investment income

(c) Adjusted net income
(Disbursements for charitable purposes (cash basis only))

1 Contributions, gifts, grants, etc., received (att sch)	732,291.		
2 ☐ If the foundn is not req to att Sch B			
3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments			
4 Dividends and interest from securities	2,715,068.	2,715,068.	2,715,068.
5a Gross rents	258,954.	258,954.	258,954.
b Net rental income or (loss) 184,746.			
6a Net gain/(loss) from sale of assets not on line 10	2,233,676.		
b Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a 21,925,729.			
7 Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2)		2,233,676.	
8 Net short-term capital gain			391,111.
9 Income modifications			
10a Gross sales less returns and allowances			
b Less: Cost of goods sold			
c Gross profit/(loss) (att sch)			
11 Other income (attach schedule) See Statement 1	7,168.	7,168.	7,168.
12 Total. Add lines 1 through 11	5,947,157.	5,214,866.	3,372,301.
13 Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc	120,000.	60,000.	60,000.
14 Other employee salaries and wages	80,000.	40,000.	40,000.
15 Pension plans, employee benefits	50,000.	25,000.	25,000.
16a Legal fees (attach schedule) See St 2	1,654.	827.	827.
b Accounting fees (attach sch) See St 3	7,600.	3,800.	3,800.
c Other prof fees (attach sch) See St 4	179,474.	179,474.	
17 Interest			
18 Taxes (attach schedule) See Stmt 5	61,494.	7,452.	6,952.
19 Depreciation (attach sch) and depletion	82,945.	82,945.	
20 Occupancy			
21 Travel, conferences, and meetings	920.	460.	460.
22 Printing and publications			
23 Other expenses (attach schedule) See Statement 6	151,992.	130,706.	19,657.
24 Total operating and administrative expenses. Add lines 13 through 23	736,079.	530,664.	156,696.
25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid Part XV	3,354,163.		3,354,163.
26 Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 24 and 25	4,090,242.	530,664.	0.
27 Subtract line 26 from line 12:			
a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements	1,856,915.		
b Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)		4,684,202.	
c Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -0-)			3,372,301.

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Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities Continued

11 a At any time during the year, did the foundation, directly or indirectly, own a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If 'Yes', attach schedule (see instructions).	11 a		X
b If 'Yes', did the foundation have a binding written contract in effect on August 17, 2006, covering the interest, rents, royalties, an annuities described in the attachment for line 11a?	11 b	N/A	
12 Did the foundation acquire a direct or indirect interest in any applicable insurance contract?	12		X
13 Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements for its annual returns and exemption application? Website address ► N/A	13	X	
14 The books are in care of ► BOONE A. KNOX Telephone no. ► (706) 595-1907 Located at ► 3133 Washington Rd N W THOMSON GA ZIP + 4 ► 30824			
15 Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-PF in lieu of Form 1041 - Check here and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year ► 15		N/A	N/A

Part VII-B Statements Regarding Activities for Which Form 4720 May Be Required

File Form 4720 if any item is checked in the 'Yes' column, unless an exception applies.

	Yes	No
1 a During the year did the foundation (either directly or indirectly):		
(1) Engage in the sale or exchange, or leasing of property with a disqualified person? ☐ Yes ☒ No		
(2) Borrow money from, lend money to, or otherwise extend credit to (or accept it from) a disqualified person? ☐ Yes ☒ No		
(3) Furnish goods, services, or facilities to (or accept them from) a disqualified person? ☐ Yes ☒ No		
(4) Pay compensation to, or pay or reimburse the expenses of, a disqualified person? ☒ Yes ☐ No		
(5) Transfer any income or assets to a disqualified person (or make any of either available for the benefit or use of a disqualified person)? ☐ Yes ☒ No		
(6) Agree to pay money or property to a government official? (Exception. Check 'No' if the foundation agreed to make a grant to or to employ the official for a period after termination of government service, if terminating within 90 days) ☐ Yes ☒ No		
b If any answer is 'Yes' to 1a(1)-(6), did any of the acts fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4941(d)-3 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance (see the instructions)? Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here ► ☐	1 b	X
c Did the foundation engage in a prior year in any of the acts described in 1a, other than excepted acts, that were not corrected before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2007?	1 c	X
2 Taxes on failure to distribute income (section 4942) (does not apply for years the foundation was a private operating foundation defined in section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5))		
a At the end of tax year 2007, did the foundation have any undistributed income (lines 6d and 6e, Part XIII) for tax year(s) beginning before 2007? ☐ Yes ☒ No If 'Yes,' list the years ► 20__ , 20__ , 20__ , 20__		
b Are there any years listed in 2a for which the foundation is not applying the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) (relating to incorrect valuation of assets) to the year's undistributed income? (If applying section 4942(a)(2) to all years listed, answer 'No' and attach statement - see the instructions)	2 b	N/A
c If the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) are being applied to any of the years listed in 2a, list the years here ► 20__ , 20__ , 20__ , 20__		
3 a Did the foundation hold more than a 2% direct or indirect interest in any business enterprise at any time during the year? ☐ Yes ☒ No		
b If 'Yes,' did it have excess business holdings in 2007 as a result of (1) any purchase by the foundation or disqualified persons after May 26, 1969, (2) the lapse of the 5-year period (or longer period approved by the Commissioner under section 4943(c)(7)) to dispose of holdings acquired by gift or bequest; or (3) the lapse of the 10-, 15-, or 20-year first phase holding period? (Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine if the foundation had excess business holdings in 2007)	3 b	N/A
4 a Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes?	4 a	X
b Did the foundation make any investment in a prior year (but after December 31, 1969) that could jeopardize its charitable purpose that had not been removed from jeopardy before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2007?	4 b	X

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Part VII-B Statements Regarding Activities for Which Form 4720 May Be Required (continued)**5a** During the year did the foundation pay or incur any amount to

(1) Carry on propaganda, or otherwise attempt to influence legislation (section 4945(e))?

☐ Yes ☒ No

(2) Influence the outcome of any specific public election (see section 4955), or to carry on, directly or indirectly, any voter registration drive?

☐ Yes ☒ No

(3) Provide a grant to an individual for travel, study, or other similar purposes?

☐ Yes ☒ No

(4) Provide a grant to an organization other than a charitable, etc., organization described in section 509(a)(1), (2), or (3), or section 4940(d)(2)? (see instructions)

☐ Yes ☒ No

(5) Provide for any purpose other than religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals?

☐ Yes ☒ No**b** If any answer is 'Yes' to 5a(1)-(5), did any of the transactions fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4945 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance (see instructions)?

5b N/A

Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here

☐**c** If the answer is 'Yes' to question 5a(4), does the foundation claim exemption from the tax because it maintained expenditure responsibility for the grant?N/A ☐ Yes ☐ No

If 'Yes,' attach the statement required by Regulations section 53.4945-5(d)

6a Did the foundation, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?☐ Yes ☒ No**b** Did the foundation, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?

6b X

If you answered 'Yes' to 6b, also file Form 8870

7a At any time during the tax year, was the foundation a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?☐ Yes ☒ No**b** If yes, did the foundation receive any proceeds or have any net income attributable to the transaction?

7b N/A

Part VIII Information About Officers, Directors, Trustees, Foundation Managers, Highly Paid Employees, and Contractors**1** List all officers, directors, trustees, foundation managers and their compensation (see instructions).

(a) Name and address	(b) Title and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation (If not paid, enter -0-)	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account, other allowances
BOONE A. KNOX P.O. BOX 26 THOMSON, GA 30824	Trustee 0	0.	0.	0.
JEFFERSON B. A. KNOX P. O. BOX 26 THOMSON, GA 30824	DIRECTOR 40.00	120,000.	30,000.	0.

2 Compensation of five highest-paid employees (other than those included on line 1— see instructions). If none, enter 'NONE.'

(a) Name and address of each employee paid more than \$50,000	(b) Title and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account, other allowances
JUDY WHIDDON P.O. BOX 26 THOMSON, GA 30824	ADMINISTRATIVE 40	80,000.	20,000.	0.

Total number of other employees paid over \$50,000

0

THE KNOX FOUNDATION

58-6163728

AMENDED RETURN
FORM 990-PF
2007

THIS RETURN IS BEING AMENDED TO CORRECT THE FOLLOWING MISTAKEN ITEM OF THE ORIGINAL RETURN:

PAGE 5, PART VII-B, LINE 1a(4)
THE ANSWER TO THIS QUESTION SHOULD BE "YES" INSTEAD OF "NO"

COMPENSATION AND BENEFIT CONTRIBUTIONS ARE PAID TO THE FOUNDATION MANAGER
JEFFERSON B.A. KNOX (AS LISTED IN PART VIII, LINE 1)