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Form 990-PF

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue ServiceReturn of Private Foundation
or Section 4947(a)(1) Nonexempt Charitable Trust
Treated as a Private Foundation

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

OMB No 1545-0052

2007

For calendar year 2007, or tax year beginning 10/01, 2007, and ending 09/30/2008
G Check all that apply: Initial return ☐ Final return ☐ Amended return ☐ Address change ☐ Name change ☐

Use the IRS label. Otherwise, print or type. See Specific Instructions.	Name of foundation		A Employer identification number
	BERRU CHARITABLE FOUNDATION		23-7003289
	CAROL W KOPELMAN, TRUSTEE		
	Number and street (or P O box number if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite		B Telephone number (see page 10 of the instructions)
C/O KOPELMAN & KOPELMAN, LLP			
55 MAIN STREET			
City or town, state, and ZIP code			
HACKENSACK, NJ 07601			

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, col (c), line 16) ▶ \$	374,086.	J Accounting method	☒ Cash ☐ Accrual
		☐ Other (specify) _____	
(Part I, column (d) must be on cash basis)			
		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	☐

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 page 11 of the instructions))		(a) Revenue and expenses per books	(b) Net investment income	(c) Adjusted net income	(d) Disbursements for charitable purposes (cash basis only)
1	Contributions, gifts, grants, etc., received (attach schedule)	52,500.			
2	Check ☐ if the foundation is not required to attach Sch B				
3	Interest on savings and temporary cash investments				
4	Dividends and interest from securities	14,276.	14,276.		STMT 1
5a	Gross rents				
b	Net rental income or (loss)				
6a	Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10	2,621.			
b	Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a 194,029.				
7	Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2)		2,621.		
8	Net short-term capital gain				
9	Income modifications				
10a	Gross sales less returns and allowances				
b	Less Cost of goods sold				
c	Gross profit or (loss) (attach schedule)				
11	Other income (attach schedule)				
12	Total. Add lines 1 through 11	69,397.	16,897.		
13	Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc	NONE			
14	Other employee salaries and wages				
15	Pension plans, employee benefits				
16a	Legal fees (attach schedule)				
b	Accounting fees (attach schedule) STMT 2	10,000.	10,000.	NONE	NONE
c	Other professional fees (attach schedule)				
17	Interest				
18	Taxes (attach schedule) (see page 14 of the instructions) *	253.	253.		
19	Depreciation (attach schedule) and depletion				
20	Occupancy				
21	Travel, conferences, and meetings				
22	Printing and publications				
23	Other expenses (attach schedule) STMT 4	260.	260.		
24	Total operating and administrative expenses. Add lines 13 through 23	10,513.	10,513.	NONE	NONE
25	Contributions, gifts, grants paid	38,192.			38,192.
26	Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 24 and 25	48,705.	10,513.	NONE	38,192.
27	Subtract line 26 from line 12				
a	Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements	20,692.			
b	Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)		6,384.		
c	Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -0-)			-0-	

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Part II Balance Sheets

Attached schedules and amounts in the description column should be for end-of-year amounts only (See instructions)

		Beginning of year	End of year	
		(a) Book Value	(b) Book Value	(c) Fair Market Value
Assets	1 Cash - non-interest-bearing	3,853.	4,301.	4,301.
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments	2,910.	514.	514.
	3 Accounts receivable ▶ Less: allowance for doubtful accounts ▶			
	4 Pledges receivable ▶ Less: allowance for doubtful accounts ▶			
	5 Grants receivable			
	6 Receivables due from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons (attach schedule) (see page 16 of the instructions)			
	7 Other notes and loans receivable (attach schedule) ▶ Less: allowance for doubtful accounts ▶			
	8 Inventories for sale or use			
	9 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges			
	10 a Investments - U S and state government obligations (attach schedule)			
	b Investments - corporate stock (attach schedule)	632,055.	654,695.	369,271.
	c Investments - corporate bonds (attach schedule)			
	11 Investments - land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶ Less: accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶			
	12 Investments - mortgage loans			
	13 Investments - other (attach schedule)			
	14 Land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶ Less: accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶			
15 Other assets (describe ▶)				
16 Total assets (to be completed by all filers - see the instructions Also, see page 1, item I)	638,818.	659,510.	374,086.	
Liabilities	17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses			
	18 Grants payable			
	19 Deferred revenue			
	20 Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons			
	21 Mortgages and other notes payable (attach schedule)			
	22 Other liabilities (describe ▶)			
23 Total liabilities (add lines 17 through 22)				
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Foundations that follow SFAS 117, check here ▶ ☐			
	and complete lines 24 through 26 and lines 30 and 31.			
	24 Unrestricted			
	25 Temporarily restricted			
	26 Permanently restricted			
	Foundations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here and complete lines 27 through 31. ▶ ☒			
	27 Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds			
	28 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg, and equipment fund			
	29 Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds			
	30 Total net assets or fund balances (see page 17 of the instructions)	638,818.	659,510.	
31 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances (see page 17 of the instructions)	638,818.	659,510.		

Part III Analysis of Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances

1 Total net assets or fund balances at beginning of year - Part II, column (a), line 30 (must agree with end-of-year figure reported on prior year's return)	1	638,818.
2 Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2	20,692.
3 Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶	3	
4 Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4	659,510.
5 Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶	5	
6 Total net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5) - Part II, column (b), line 30	6	659,510.

Part IV Capital Gains and Losses for Tax on Investment Income

(a) List and describe the kind(s) of property sold (e.g., real estate, 2-story brick warehouse, or common stock, 200 shs MLC Co)			(b) How acquired P-Purchase D-Donation	(c) Date acquired (mo., day, yr)	(d) Date sold (mo., day, yr)
1a SEE PART IV SCHEDULE					
b					
c					
d					
e					
(e) Gross sales price	(f) Depreciation allowed (or allowable)	(g) Cost or other basis plus expense of sale	(h) Gain or (loss) (e) plus (f) minus (g)		
a					
b					
c					
d					
e					
Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69			(i) Gains (Col. (h) gain minus col (k), but not less than -0-) or Losses (from col (h))		
(i) F.M.V. as of 12/31/69	(j) Adjusted basis as of 12/31/69	(k) Excess of col (i) over col (j), if any			
a					
b					
c					
d					
e					
2 Capital gain net income or (net capital loss) { If gain, also enter in Part I, line 7 If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 7 }			2	2,621.	
3 Net short-term capital gain or (loss) as defined in sections 1222(5) and (6) If gain, also enter in Part I, line 8, column (c) (see pages 13 and 17 of the instructions) If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 8.			3		

Part V Qualification Under Section 4940(e) for Reduced Tax on Net Investment Income

(For optional use by domestic private foundations subject to the section 4940(a) tax on net investment income)

If section 4940(d)(2) applies, leave this part blank.

Was the foundation liable for the section 4942 tax on the distributable amount of any year in the base period? ☐ Yes ☒ No
 If "Yes," the foundation does not qualify under section 4940(e). Do not complete this part

1 Enter the appropriate amount in each column for each year; see page 18 of the instructions before making any entries

(a) Base period years Calendar year (or tax year beginning in)	(b) Adjusted qualifying distributions	(c) Net value of noncharitable-use assets	(d) Distribution ratio (col (b) divided by col (c))
2006			
2005			
2004			
2003			
2002			
2 Total of line 1, column (d)			2
3 Average distribution ratio for the 5-year base period - divide the total on line 2 by 5, or by the number of years the foundation has been in existence if less than 5 years			3
4 Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2007 from Part X, line 5			4
5 Multiply line 4 by line 3			5
6 Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b)			6
7 Add lines 5 and 6			7
8 Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4			8

If line 8 is equal to or greater than line 7, check the box in Part VI, line 1b, and complete that part using a 1% tax rate. See the Part VI instructions on page 18.

Part VI Excise Tax Based on Investment Income (Section 4940(a), 4940(b), 4940(e), or 4948 - see page 18 of the instructions)

1a Exempt operating foundations described in section 4940(d)(2), check here ☐ and enter "N/A" on line 1 Date of ruling letter. (attach copy of ruling letter if necessary - see instructions)			
b Domestic foundations that meet the section 4940(e) requirements in Part V, check here ☐ and enter 1% of Part I, line 27b		1	128.
c All other domestic foundations enter 2% of line 27b Exempt foreign organizations enter 4% of Part I, line 12, col (b)			
2 Tax under section 511 (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only Others enter -0-)		2	
3 Add lines 1 and 2		3	128.
4 Subtitle A (income) tax (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only Others enter -0-)		4	NONE
5 Tax based on investment income. Subtract line 4 from line 3 If zero or less, enter -0-		5	128.
6 Credits/Payments			
a 2007 estimated tax payments and 2006 overpayment credited to 2007	6a	7,850.	
b Exempt foreign organizations-tax withheld at source	6b	NONE	
c Tax paid with application for extension of time to file (Form 8868)	6c	NONE	
d Backup withholding erroneously withheld	6d		
7 Total credits and payments. Add lines 6a through 6d	7	7,850.	
8 Enter any penalty for underpayment of estimated tax. Check here ☐ if Form 2220 is attached	8		
9 Tax due. If the total of lines 5 and 8 is more than line 7, enter amount owed	9		
10 Overpayment. If line 7 is more than the total of lines 5 and 8, enter the amount overpaid	10	7,722.	
11 Enter the amount of line 10 to be Credited to 2008 estimated tax	11	7,722. Refunded	

Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities

	Yes	No
1a During the tax year, did the foundation attempt to influence any national, state, or local legislation or did it participate or intervene in any political campaign?		X
b Did it spend more than \$100 during the year (either directly or indirectly) for political purposes (see page 19 of the instructions for definition)? If the answer is "Yes" to 1a or 1b, attach a detailed description of the activities and copies of any materials published or distributed by the foundation in connection with the activities		X
c Did the foundation file Form 1120-POL for this year?		X
d Enter the amount (if any) of tax on political expenditures (section 4955) imposed during the year (1) On the foundation \$ (2) On foundation managers \$		
e Enter the reimbursement (if any) paid by the organization during the year for political expenditure tax imposed on foundation managers \$		
2 Has the foundation engaged in any activities that have not previously been reported to the IRS? If "Yes," attach a detailed description of the activities.		X
3 Has the foundation made any changes, not previously reported to the IRS, in its governing instrument, articles of incorporation, or bylaws, or other similar instruments? If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the changes		X
4a Did the foundation have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?		X
b If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on Form 990-T for this year?		X
5 Was there a liquidation, termination, dissolution, or substantial contraction during the year? If "Yes," attach the statement required by General Instruction T		X
6 Are the requirements of section 508(e) (relating to sections 4941 through 4945) satisfied either: • By language in the governing instrument, or • By state legislation that effectively amends the governing instrument so that no mandatory directions that conflict with the state law remain in the governing instrument?		X
7 Did the foundation have at least \$5,000 in assets at any time during the year? If "Yes," complete Part II, col. (c), and Part XV.	X	
8a Enter the states to which the foundation reports or with which it is registered (see page 19 of the instructions) NY		
b If the answer is "Yes" to line 7, has the foundation furnished a copy of Form 990-PF to the Attorney General (or designate) of each state as required by General Instruction G? If "No," attach explanation	X	
9 Is the foundation claiming status as a private operating foundation within the meaning of section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5) for calendar year 2007 or the taxable year beginning in 2007 (see instructions for Part XIV)? If "Yes," complete Part XIV.		X
10 Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year? If "Yes," attach a schedule listing their names and addresses	X	

Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities (continued)

11a 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 page 20 of the instructions)	11a		X
b If "Yes," did the foundation have a binding written contract in effect on August 17, 2006, covering the interest, rents, royalties, and annuities described in the attachment for line 11a?	11b		X
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 ▶ <u>N/A</u>	13	X	
14 The books are in care of ▶ <u>CAROL KOPELMAN</u> Telephone no ▶ _____ Located at ▶ <u>55 MAIN STREET HACKENSACK, NJ</u> ZIP + 4 ▶ <u>07601</u>			
15 Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-F in lieu of Form 1041 - Check here N/A and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year ▶ <u>15</u>			

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
1a 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 page 22 of the instructions)? ☐ 1b	N/A		
Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here ▶ ☐			
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? 1c			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 ▶ _____			
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 page 22 of the instructions.) 2b	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 ▶ _____			
3a 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? (<i>Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine if the foundation had excess business holdings in 2007.</i>) 3b			X
4a Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes? 4a			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? 4b			X

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 page 22 of the 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 page 22 of the 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? ☐ 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** X

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 page 23 of the 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
SEE STATEMENT 5		NONE	NONE	NONE

2 Compensation of five highest-paid employees (other than those included on line 1 - see page 23 of the 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
NONE				

Total number of other employees paid over \$50,000 ☐ NONE

Part VIII Information About Officers, Directors, Trustees, Foundation Managers, Highly Paid Employees, and Contractors (continued)**3 Five highest-paid independent contractors for professional services** (see page 23 of the instructions). If none, enter "NONE."

(a) Name and address of each person paid more than \$50,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
NONE		

Total number of others receiving over \$50,000 for professional services **NONE****Part IX-A Summary of Direct Charitable Activities**

List the foundation's four largest direct charitable activities during the tax year. Include relevant statistical information such as the number of organizations and other beneficiaries served, conferences convened, research papers produced, etc.	Expenses
1 <u>DONATE FUNDS TO VARIOUS CHARITABLE RELIGIOUS AND EDUCATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS</u>	
2	
3	
4	

Part IX-B Summary of Program-Related Investments (see page 24 of the instructions)

Describe the two largest program-related investments made by the foundation during the tax year on lines 1 and 2	Amount
1 <u>NONE</u>	
2	
All other program-related investments See page 24 of the instructions	
3 <u>NONE</u>	
Total. Add lines 1 through 3	

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Part X Minimum Investment Return (All domestic foundations must complete this part. Foreign foundations, see page 24 of the instructions.)

1	Fair market value of assets not used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes.		
a	Average monthly fair market value of securities	1a	560,361.
b	Average of monthly cash balances	1b	19,388.
c	Fair market value of all other assets (see page 25 of the instructions)	1c	NONE
d	Total (add lines 1a, b, and c)	1d	579,749.
e	Reduction claimed for blockage or other factors reported on lines 1a and 1c (attach detailed explanation)	1e	
2	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to line 1 assets	2	NONE
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1d	3	579,749.
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities. Enter 1 1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see page 25 of the instructions)	4	8,696.
5	Net value of noncharitable-use assets. Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter here and on Part V, line 4	5	571,053.
6	Minimum investment return. Enter 5% of line 5	6	28,553.

Part XI Distributable Amount (see page 25 of the instructions) (Section 4942(j)(3) and (j)(5) private operating foundations and certain foreign organizations check here ☐ and do not complete this part.)

1	Minimum investment return from Part X, line 6	1	28,553.
2a	Tax on investment income for 2007 from Part VI, line 5	2a	128.
b	Income tax for 2007. (This does not include the tax from Part VI)	2b	
c	Add lines 2a and 2b	2c	128.
3	Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1	3	28,425.
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions	4	
5	Add lines 3 and 4	5	28,425.
6	Deduction from distributable amount (see page 25 of the instructions)	6	
7	Distributable amount as adjusted. Subtract line 6 from line 5. Enter here and on Part XIII, line 1	7	28,425.

Part XII Qualifying Distributions (see page 26 of the instructions)

1	Amounts paid (including administrative expenses) to accomplish charitable, etc., purposes.		
a	Expenses, contributions, gifts, etc. - total from Part I, column (d), line 26	1a	38,192.
b	Program-related investments - total from Part IX-B	1b	NONE
2	Amounts paid to acquire assets used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes	2	NONE
3	Amounts set aside for specific charitable projects that satisfy the:		
a	Suitability test (prior IRS approval required)	3a	NONE
b	Cash distribution test (attach the required schedule)	3b	NONE
4	Qualifying distributions. Add lines 1a through 3b. Enter here and on Part V, line 8, and Part XIII, line 4	4	38,192.
5	Foundations that qualify under section 4940(e) for the reduced rate of tax on net investment income. Enter 1% of Part I, line 27b (see page 26 of the instructions)	5	N/A
6	Adjusted qualifying distributions. Subtract line 5 from line 4	6	38,192.

Note: The amount on line 6 will be used in Part V, column (b), in subsequent years when calculating whether the foundation qualifies for the section 4940(e) reduction of tax in those years.

Part XIII Undistributed Income (see page 26 of the instructions)

	(a) Corpus	(b) Years prior to 2006	(c) 2006	(d) 2007
1 Distributable amount for 2007 from Part XI, line 7				31,007.
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2006				
a Enter amount for 2006 only				
b Total for prior years				
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2007				
a From 2002 11,608.				
b From 2003 12,645.				
c From 2004 22,563.				
d From 2005 10,733.				
e From 2006 14,870.				
f Total of lines 3a through e	72,419.			
4 Qualifying distributions for 2007 from Part XII, line 4: ► \$ 38,192.				
a Applied to 2006, but not more than line 2a				
b Applied to undistributed income of prior years (Election required - see page 27 of the instructions)				
c Treated as distributions out of corpus (Election required - see page 27 of the instructions)				
d Applied to 2007 distributable amount				31,007.
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus	7,185.			
5 Excess distributions carryover applied to 2007 . (If an amount appears in column (d), the same amount must be shown in column (a).)				
6 Enter the net total of each column as indicated below:				
a Corpus. Add lines 3f, 4c, and 4e. Subtract line 5	79,604.			
b Prior years' undistributed income. Subtract line 4b from line 2b				
c Enter the amount of prior years' undistributed income for which a notice of deficiency has been issued, or on which the section 4942(a) tax has been previously assessed				
d Subtract line 6c from line 6b. Taxable amount - see page 27 of the instructions				
e Undistributed income for 2006. Subtract line 4a from line 2a. Taxable amount - see page 27 of the instructions				
f Undistributed income for 2007. Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1. This amount must be distributed in 2008.				
7 Amounts treated as distributions out of corpus to satisfy requirements imposed by section 170(b)(1)(F) or 4942(g)(3) (see page 27 of the instructions)				
8 Excess distributions carryover from 2002 not applied on line 5 or line 7 (see page 27 of the instructions)	11,608.			
9 Excess distributions carryover to 2008. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a	67,996.			
10 Analysis of line 9				
a Excess from 2003 12,645.				
b Excess from 2004 22,563.				
c Excess from 2005 10,733.				
d Excess from 2006 14,870.				
e Excess from 2007 7,185.				

b Check box to indicate whether the foundation is a private operating foundation described in section

4942(1)(5)

- (4) Gross investment income .

[illegible]

N/A

Part XV Supplementary Information (continued)**3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year or Approved for Future Payment**

Recipient Name and address (home or business)	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
a <i>Paid during the year</i> SEE STATEMENT 6				
Total ▶ 3a				38,192.
b <i>Approved for future payment</i>				
Total ▶ 3b				

Information Regarding Transfers To and Transactions and Relationships With Noncharitable Exempt Organizations

- | | | | | |
|----------|--|--------------|------------|-----------|
| 1 | Did the organization directly or indirectly engage in any of the following with any other organization described in section 501(c) of the Code (other than section 501(c)(3) organizations) or in section 527, relating to political organizations? | | Yes | No |
| a | Transfers from the reporting foundation to a noncharitable exempt organization of: | | | |
| | (1) Cash | 1a(1) | | X |
| | (2) Other assets | 1a(2) | | X |
| b | Other transactions | | | |
| | (1) Sales of assets to a noncharitable exempt organization | 1b(1) | | X |
| | (2) Purchases of assets from a noncharitable exempt organization | 1b(2) | | X |
| | (3) Rental of facilities, equipment, or other assets | 1b(3) | | X |
| | (4) Reimbursement arrangements | 1b(4) | | X |
| | (5) Loans or loan guarantees | 1b(5) | | X |
| | (6) Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations | 1b(6) | | X |
| c | Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, other assets, or paid employees | 1c | | X |
| d | If the answer to any of the above is "Yes," complete the following schedule. Column (b) should always show the fair market value of the goods, other assets, or services given by the reporting foundation. If the foundation received less than fair market value in any transaction or sharing arrangement, show in column (d) the value of the goods, other assets, or services received. | | | |

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- 2 a** Is the foundation directly or indirectly affiliated with, or related to, one or more tax-exempt organizations described in section 501(c) of the Code (other than section 501(c)(3)) or in section 527? ☐ Yes ☒ No

- b** If "Yes," complete the following schedule

b. If "Yes," complete the following schedule		
(a) Name of organization	(b) Type of organization	(c) Description of relationship

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than taxpayer or fiduciary) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.

[Signature]
Signature of officer or trustee

11/25/07
Date

Trustee
Title

Sign Here

**Paid
Preparer's
Use Only**

Preparer's signature 

Date 11/19/03

Check if self-employed ☐

Preparer's SSN or PTIN
(See **Signature** on page 30 of the instructions)
P00037336

Firm's name (or yours if self-employed), address, and ZIP code **DAVIS & GRUTMAN, LLP**
275 MADISON AVENUE
NEW YORK, NY

EIN ► 13-3541633

10016

Phone no 212-953-2900

Schedule B(Form 990, 990-EZ,
or 990-PF)
Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service**Schedule of Contributors**Supplementary Information for
line 1 of Form 990, 990-EZ, and 990-PF (see instructions)

OMB No 1545-0047

2007

Name of organization

BERRU CHARITABLE FOUNDATION
CAROL W KOPELMAN, TRUSTEE

Employer identification number

23-7003289

Organization type (check one)

Filers of:

Section:

Form 990 or 990-EZ

☐ 501(c)() (enter number) organization☐ 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust **not** treated as a private foundation☐ 527 political organization

Form 990-PF

☒ 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation☐ 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust treated as a private foundation☐ 501(c)(3) taxable private foundation

Check if your organization is covered by the **General Rule** or a **Special Rule**. (Note: Only a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization can check boxes for both the General Rule and a Special Rule - see instructions.)

General Rule -

- ☒ For organizations filing Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF that received, during the year, \$5,000 or more (in money or property) from any one contributor. (Complete Parts I and II.)

Special Rules -

- ☐ For a section 501(c)(3) organization filing Form 990, or Form 990-EZ, that met the 33 1/3 % support test of the regulations under sections 509(a)(1)/170(b)(1)(A)(vi), and received from any one contributor, during the year, a contribution of the greater of \$5,000 or 2% of the amount on line 1 of these forms (Complete Parts I and II.)
- ☐ For a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization filing Form 990, or Form 990-EZ, that received from any one contributor, during the year, aggregate contributions or bequests of more than \$1,000 for use *exclusively* for religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or the prevention of cruelty to children or animals (Complete Parts I, II, and III.)
- ☐ For a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization filing Form 990, or Form 990-EZ, that received from any one contributor, during the year, some contributions for use *exclusively* for religious, charitable, etc., purposes, but these contributions did not aggregate to more than \$1,000 (If this box is checked, enter here the total contributions that were received during the year for an *exclusively* religious, charitable, etc., purpose. Do not complete any of the Parts unless the **General Rule** applies to this organization because it received nonexclusively religious, charitable, etc., contributions of \$5,000 or more during the year) ► \$ _____

Caution: Organizations that are not covered by the General Rule and/or the Special Rules do not file Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF), but they **must** check the box in the heading of their Form 990, Form 990-EZ, or on line 2 of their Form 990-PF, to certify that they do not meet the filing requirements of Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF)

For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the Instructions
for Form 990, Form 990-EZ, and Form 990-PF.

Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF) (2007)

Name of organization **BERRU CHARITABLE FOUNDATION**
CAROL W KOPELMAN, TRUSTEE

Employer identification number

23-7003289

Part I Contributors (See Specific Instructions.)

(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Aggregate contributions	(d) Type of contribution
1	BERNARD WEINFLASH 6 HORIZON ROAD FORT LEE, NJ 07024	\$ 52,500.	Person ☒ Payroll ☐ Noncash ☐ (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution)
		\$	Person ☐ Payroll ☐ Noncash ☐ (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution)
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		\$	Person ☐ Payroll ☐ Noncash ☐ (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution)

FORM 990PF, PART I - DIVIDENDS AND INTEREST FROM SECURITIES

DESCRIPTION	REVENUE AND EXPENSES PER BOOKS	NET INVESTMENT INCOME
-----	-----	-----
THRU - OPPENHEIMER	14,276.	14,276.
	-----	-----
TOTAL	14,276.	14,276.
	=====	=====

FORM 990PF, PART I - ACCOUNTING FEES
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DESCRIPTION -----	REVENUE AND EXPENSES PER BOOKS -----	NET INVESTMENT INCOME -----	ADJUSTED NET INCOME -----	CHARITABLE PURPOSES -----
ACCOUNTING	10,000.	10,000.		
TOTALS	10,000.	10,000.	NONE	NONE

FORM 990PF, PART I - TAXES

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DESCRIPTION	REVENUE AND EXPENSES PER BOOKS	NET INVESTMENT INCOME
TAXES	253.	253.
	-----	-----
TOTALS	253.	253.
	=====	=====

FORM 990PF, PART I - OTHER EXPENSES

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DESCRIPTION	REVENUE AND EXPENSES PER BOOKS	NET INVESTMENT INCOME
-----	-----	-----
BANK CHARGES	60.	60.
COPYING	79.	79.
FILING FEE	100.	100.
PRINTING	21.	21.
	-----	-----
TOTALS	260.	260.
	=====	=====

FORM 990PF, PART VIII - LIST OF OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, AND TRUSTEES

NAME AND ADDRESS	TITLE AND AVERAGE HOURS PER WEEK DEVOTED TO POSITION	COMPENSATION	CONTRIBUTIONS TO EMPLOYEE BENEFIT PLANS	EXPENSE ACCT AND OTHER ALLOWANCES
BERNARD WEINFLASH 6 HORIZON ROAD FORT LEE, NJ 07024	TRUSTEE 4.00	NONE	NONE	NONE
RUTH WEINFLASH 6 HORIZON FORT LEE, NJ 07024	TRUSTEE 1.00	NONE	NONE	NONE
CAROL W. KOPELMAN C/O KOPELMAN & KOPELMAN, LLP 55 MAIN STREET HACKENSACK, NJ 07601	TRUSTEE 1.00	NONE	NONE	NONE
	GRAND TOTALS	NONE	NONE	NONE

FORM 990PF, PART XV - GRANTS AND CONTRIBUTIONS PAID DURING THE YEAR

RELATIONSHIP TO SUBSTANTIAL CONTRIBUTOR

AND

RECIPIENT NAME AND ADDRESS

FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT

PURPOSE OF GRANT OR CONTRIBUTION

AMOUNT

JEWISH HOME FOUNDATION

PHILANTHROPIC

2,000.

CONGREGATION GESHER SHALOM

PHILANTHROPIC

3,760.

JCC ON THE PALISADES

PHILANTHROPIC

5,000.

UNITED FEDERATION OF NORTHERN NJ

PHILANTHROPIC

5,000.

JEWISH BOOK COUNCIL

PHILANTHROPIC

2,300.

AMERICAN JEWISH COMMITTEE

PHILANTHROPIC

5,000.

AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR TECHNION

PHILANTHROPIC

1,000.

TEMPLE EMANUEL

PHILANTHROPIC

10,000.

FORM 990PF, PART XV - GRANTS AND CONTRIBUTIONS PAID DURING THE YEAR

RELATIONSHIP TO SUBSTANTIAL CONTRIBUTOR

AND

RECIPIENT NAME AND ADDRESS

FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT

PURPOSE OF GRANT OR CONTRIBUTION

AMOUNT

JAMES HOLLAND RESEARCH FUND

PHILANTHROPIC

1,000.

VARIOUS

PHILANTHROPIC

3,132.

TOTAL CONTRIBUTIONS PAID

38,192.

SCHEDULE D
(Form 1041)

Capital Gains and Losses

OMB No 1545-0092

2007

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

▶ **Attach to Form 1041, Form 5227, or Form 990-T. See the separate instructions for Form 1041 (also for Form 5227 or Form 990-T, if applicable).**

Name of estate or trust **BERRU CHARITABLE FOUNDATION**

Employer identification number

CAROL W KOPELMAN, TRUSTEE

23-7003289

Note: Form 5227 filers need to complete *only* Parts I and II

Part I Short-Term Capital Gains and Losses - Assets Held One Year or Less

(a) Description of property (Example 100 shares 7% preferred of "Z" Co)	(b) Date acquired (mo., day, yr.)	(c) Date sold (mo., day, yr.)	(d) Sales price	(e) Cost or other basis (see page 40 of the instructions)	(f) Gain or (loss) for the entire year Subtract (e) from (d)
1a					

b Enter the short-term gain or (loss), if any, from Schedule D-1, line 1b	1b	
2 Short-term capital gain or (loss) from Forms 4684, 6252, 6781, and 8824	2	
3 Net short-term gain or (loss) from partnerships, S corporations, and other estates or trusts	3	
4 Short-term capital loss carryover. Enter the amount, if any, from line 9 of the 2006 Capital Loss Carryover Worksheet	4	()
5 Net short-term gain or (loss). Combine lines 1a through 4 in column (f). Enter here and on line 13, column (3) on the back. ▶	5	

Part II Long-Term Capital Gains and Losses - Assets Held More Than One Year

(a) Description of property (Example 100 shares 7% preferred of "Z" Co)	(b) Date acquired (mo., day, yr.)	(c) Date sold (mo., day, yr.)	(d) Sales price	(e) Cost or other basis (see page 40 of the instructions)	(f) Gain or (loss) for the entire year Subtract (e) from (d)
6a					

b Enter the long-term gain or (loss), if any, from Schedule D-1, line 6b.	6b	2,621.
7 Long-term capital gain or (loss) from Forms 2439, 4684, 6252, 6781, and 8824	7	
8 Net long-term gain or (loss) from partnerships, S corporations, and other estates or trusts	8	
9 Capital gain distributions	9	
10 Gain from Form 4797, Part I	10	
11 Long-term capital loss carryover. Enter the amount, if any, from line 14 of the 2006 Capital Loss Carryover Worksheet	11	()
12 Net long-term gain or (loss). Combine lines 6a through 11 in column (f). Enter here and on line 14a, column (3) on the back. ▶	12	2,621.

Part III Summary of Parts I and II**Caution:** Read the instructions *before* completing this part.

	(1) Beneficiaries' (see page 41)	(2) Estate's or trust's	(3) Total
13 Net short-term gain or (loss)	13		
14 Net long-term gain or (loss):			
a Total for year	14a		2,621.
b Unrecaptured section 1250 gain (see line 18 of the wrksht)	14b		
c 28% rate gain	14c		
15 Total net gain or (loss). Combine lines 13 and 14a ▶	15		2,621.

Note: If line 15, column (3), is a net gain, enter the gain on Form 1041, line 4 (or Form 990-T, Part I, line 4a). If lines 14a and 15, column (2), are net gains, go to Part V, and **do not** complete Part IV. If line 15, column (3), is a net loss, complete Part IV and the **Capital Loss Carryover Worksheet**, as necessary

Part IV Capital Loss Limitation

16 Enter here and enter as a (loss) on Form 1041, line 4 (or Form 990-T, Part I, line 4c, if a trust), the smaller of	16	()
a The loss on line 15, column (3) or b \$3,000		

Note: If the loss on line 15, column (3), is more than \$3,000, or if Form 1041, page 1, line 22 (or Form 990-T, line 34), is a loss, complete the **Capital Loss Carryover Worksheet** on page 42 of the instructions to figure your capital loss carryover

Part V Tax Computation Using Maximum Capital Gains Rates

Form 1041 filers. Complete this part **only** if both lines 14a and 15 in column (2) are gains, or an amount is entered in Part I or Part II and there is an entry on Form 1041, line 2b(2), and Form 1041, line 22, is more than zero.

Caution: Skip this part and complete the worksheet on page 43 of the instructions if:

- Either line 14b, col (2) or line 14c, col (2) is more than zero, or
- Both Form 1041, line 2b(1), and Form 4952, line 4g are more than zero

Form 990-T trusts. Complete this part **only** if both lines 14a and 15 are gains, or qualified dividends are included in income in Part I of Form 990-T, and Form 990-T, line 34, is more than zero. Skip this part and complete the worksheet on page 43 of the instructions if either line 14b, col. (2) or line 14c, col (2) is more than zero

17 Enter taxable income from Form 1041, line 22 (or Form 990-T, line 34)	17		
18 Enter the smaller of line 14a or 15 in column (2) but not less than zero	18		
19 Enter the estate's or trust's qualified dividends from Form 1041, line 2b(2) (or enter the qualified dividends included in income in Part I of Form 990-T)	19		
20 Add lines 18 and 19	20		
21 If the estate or trust is filing Form 4952, enter the amount from line 4g, otherwise, enter -0- . . . ▶	21		
22 Subtract line 21 from line 20. If zero or less, enter -0-	22		
23 Subtract line 22 from line 17. If zero or less, enter -0-	23		
24 Enter the smaller of the amount on line 17 or \$2,150	24		
25 Is the amount on line 23 equal to or more than the amount on line 24?			
☐ Yes. Skip lines 25 through 27; go to line 28 and check the "No" box.			
☐ No. Enter the amount from line 23	25		
26 Subtract line 25 from line 24	26		
27 Multiply line 26 by 5% (.05)			27
28 Are the amounts on lines 22 and 26 the same?			
☐ Yes. Skip lines 28 thru 31, go to line 32			
☐ No. Enter the smaller of line 17 or line 22	28		
29 Enter the amount from line 26 (If line 26 is blank, enter -0-)	29		
30 Subtract line 29 from line 28	30		
31 Multiply line 30 by 15% (.15)			31
32 Figure the tax on the amount on line 23. Use the 2007 Tax Rate Schedule on page 27 of the instructions			32
33 Add lines 27, 31, and 32			33
34 Figure the tax on the amount on line 17. Use the 2007 Tax Rate Schedule on page 27 of the instructions			34
35 Tax on all taxable income. Enter the smaller of line 33 or line 34 here and on line 1a of Schedule G, Form 1041 (or line 36 of Form 990-T)			35

Name of estate or trust as shown on Form 1041 Do not enter name and employer identification number if shown on the other side

Employer identification number

BERRU CHARITABLE FOUNDATION

23-7003289

Part II Long-Term Capital Gains and Losses - Assets Held More Than One Year

(a) Description of property (Example 100 sh 7% preferred of "Z" Co)	(b) Date acquired (mo , day, yr)	(c) Date sold (mo , day, yr)	(d) Sales price (see page 40 of the instructions)	(e) Cost or other basis (see page 40 of the instructions)	(f) Gain or (loss) Subtract (e) from (d)
6a					
PER SCHEDULE			72,701.	56,241.	16,460.
PER SCHEDULE			121,328.	135,167.	-13,839.
6b. Total. Combine the amounts in column (f). Enter here and on Schedule D, line 6b					2,621.

6b. Total. Combine the amounts in column (f) Enter here and on Schedule D, line 6b	2,621.
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Schedule D-1 (Form 1041) 2007

Year End 9/30/2008 Berru Charitable Fdn. 1/1/2008-9/30/2008

No. of

Shares	Security	Purchase Date	Cost	Sales Date	Proceeds	Gain/(loss)
2000	Aberdeen Asia Pacific	1/1/1990	0	5/6/2008	12219.47	12219.47
300	Check Point	3/26/2004	6728.64	1/15/2008	6336.19	(392.45)
500	Intermec	5/22/2007	12152.21	4/24/2008	10183.26	(1968.95)
200	Microsoft Corp	9/25/2006	5459.87	5/15/2008	5965.41	505.54
800	Microsoft Corp	9/25/2006	21839.5	2/4/2008	24292.43	2452.93
200	Microsoft Corp	10/6/2006	5612.64	7/10/2008	5045.8	(566.84)
800	Microsoft Corp	10/6/2006	22450.54	5/15/2008	23861.65	1411.11
300	Microsoft Corp	11/6/2006	8781.19	7/10/2008	7568.7	(1212.49)
500	Microsoft Corp	12/20/2006	15191.57	7/10/2008	12614.5	(2577.07)
1000	Reliance Group Holdi	6/14/1999	8098.87	2/5/2008	0	(8098.87)
1000	Reliance Group Holdi	12/2/1999	4760.25	2/5/2008	0	(4760.25)
2000	Rite Aid Corp	7/13/2005	8863.96	3/5/2008	5296.22	(3567.74)
3000	Rite Aid Corp	8/2/2005	14546.95	3/5/2008	7944.33	(6602.62)
666	WHX Corp New	1/1/1990	0	2/5/2008	0	0.00
334	WHX Corp New	4/28/2003	680.58	2/5/2008	0	(680.58)
Gain for Period 10/1/2007					121327.96	(13838.81)

nn statements ending 10/31/07 thru 4/30/08

Year End 9/30/2008 Berru Charitable Fdn. 10/1/07-12/31/07

No. of

Shares	Security	Purchase Date	Cost	Sales Date	Proceeds	Gain/(loss)
100	Cubic Corp	3/7/2003	1485.50	10/11/2007	4656.62	3171.12
400	Cubic Corp	4/4/2003	6791.00	10/11/2007	18626.49	11835.49
2500	Gateway Inc	1/29/2007	5395.22	11/21/2007	4750.00	(645.22)
2500	Gateway Inc	1/30/2007	5496.02	11/21/2007	4750.00	(746.02)
5000	Gateway Inc	10/15/2007	9841.66	11/21/2007	9500.00	(341.66)
1000	Pain Therapeutics Inc	11/24/2004	7566.25	11/14/2007	11143.22	3576.97
400	Qualcomm Inc	8/27/2007	15688.30	10/2/2007	16629.87	941.57
680	Sollectron Corp -Tend	11/11/2004	3977.61	10/4/2007	2645.20	(1332.41)
Gain for Period 10/1/2007					72701.40	16459.84

FORM 990-PF - PART IV
CAPITAL GAINS AND LOSSES FOR TAX ON INVESTMENT INCOME

Kind of Property		Description				P or D	Date acquired	Date sold
Gross sale price less expenses of sale	Depreciation allowed/ allowable	Cost or other basis	FMV as of 12/31/69	Adj basis as of 12/31/69	Excess of FMV over adj basis		Gain or (loss)	
72,701.		PER SCHEDULE 56,241.					VAR 16,460.	VAR
121,328.		PER SCHEDULE 135,167.					VAR -13,839.	VAR
TOTAL GAIN (LOSS)							----- 2,621. =====	