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Short Form**Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax**

OMB No 1545-1150

2008Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code
(except black lung benefit trust or private foundation)

▶ Sponsoring organizations of donor advised funds and controlling organizations as defined in section 512(b)(13) must file Form 990. All other org- anizations with gross receipts less than \$1,000,000 and total assets less than \$2,500,000 at the end of the year may use this form.

▶ The organization may have to use a copy of this return to satisfy state reporting requirements

Open to Public Inspection**A For the 2008 calendar year, or tax year beginning , 2008, and ending ,**

B Check if applicable: ☐ Address change ☐ Name change ☐ Initial return ☐ Termination ☐ Amended return ☐ Application pending	Please use IRS label or print or type. See Specific Instructions.	C ARIZONA MEXICO COMMISSION 1700 W WASHINGTON #180 PHOENIX, AZ 85007-4647	D Employer identification number 23-7290803 E Telephone number 602-542-1345 F Group Exemption Number
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• **Section 501(c)(3) organizations and 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts must attach a completed Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ).**

G Accounting method ☒ Cash ☐ Accrual
Other (specify) ▶

I Website: ▶ WWW.AZMC.ORG**J Organization type** (check only one) — ☒ 501(c) (4) (insert no) ☐ 4947(a)(1) or ☐ 527

H Check ☒ if the organization is **not** required to attach Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF)

K Check ☐ if the organization is not a section 509(a)(3) supporting organization **and** its gross receipts are normally **not** more than \$25,000. A return is not required, but if the organization chooses to file a return, be sure to file a complete return.

L Add lines 5b, 6b, and 7b, to line 9 to determine gross receipts, if \$1,000,000 or more, file Form 990 instead of Form 990-EZ

▶ \$ 499,606.

Part I Revenue, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances (See the instructions for Part I.)

REVENUE	1 Contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts received	1	
	2 Program service revenue including government fees and contracts	2	305,344.
	3 Membership dues and assessments	3	181,938.
	4 Investment income	4	12,324.
EXPENSES	5a Gross amount from sale of assets other than inventory	5a	
	b Less cost or other basis and sales expenses	5b	
	c Gain or (loss) from sale of assets other than inventory (Subtract line 5b from line 5a) (att sch)	5c	
	6 Special events and activities (complete applicable parts of Schedule G). If any amount is from gaming, check here ☐	6	
	a Gross revenue (not including contributions reported on line 1)	6a	
	b Less direct expenses other than fund raising expenses	6b	
ASSETS	c Net income or (loss) from special events and activities (Subtract line 6b from line 6a)	6c	
	7a Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	7a	
	b Less cost of goods sold	7b	
	c Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory (Subtract line 7b from line 7a)	7c	
	8 Other revenue (describe ▶)	8	
	9 Total revenue (add lines 1, 2, 3, 4, 5c, 6c, 7c, and 8)	9	499,606.
	10 Grants and similar amounts paid (attach schedule)	10	
	11 Benefits paid to or for members	11	
EXPENSES	12 Salaries, other compensation, and employee benefits	12	
	13 Professional fees and other payments to independent contractors	13	1,898.
	14 Occupancy, rent, utilities, and maintenance	14	651.
	15 Printing, publications, postage, and shipping	15	7,468.
	16 Other expenses (describe ▶ SEE STATEMENT 1)	16	429,767.
	17 Total expenses (add lines 10 through 16)	17	439,784.
	18 Excess or (deficit) for the year (Subtract line 17 from line 9)	18	59,822.
ASSETS	19 Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (from line 27, column (A)) (must agree with end-of-year figure reported on prior year's return)	19	506,764.
	20 Other changes in net assets or fund balances (attach explanation)	20	
	21 Net assets or fund balances at end of year (Combine lines 18 through 20)	21	566,586.

Part II Balance Sheets. If Total assets on line 25, column (B) are \$2,500,000 or more, file Form 990 instead of Form 990-EZ

(See the instructions for Part II.)

	(A) Beginning of year	(B) End of year
22 Cash, savings, and investments	518,364.	593,359.
23 Land and buildings		
24 Other assets (describe ▶)		
25 Total assets	518,364.	593,359.
26 Total liabilities (describe ▶ SEE STATEMENT 2)	11,600.	26,773.
27 Net assets or fund balances (line 27 of column (B) must agree with line 21)	506,764.	566,586.

BAA For Privacy Act and Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the instructions for Form 990.

Form 990-EZ (2008)

Expenses

(Required for 501(c)(3) and (4) organizations and 4947(a)(1) trusts, optional for others)

28 a	428,839.
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29 a

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30 a

[illegible]

31 a

32	428,839.
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ARIZONA MEXICO COMMISSION

23-7290803

STATEMENT 1
FORM 990-EZ, PART I, LINE 16
OTHER EXPENSES

ADVERTISING AND PROMOTION	\$	63,646.
BANK CHARGES		5,758.
CONFERENCES, CONVENTIONS, AND MEETINGS		3,346.
INTERNS		220.
MEMBERSHIP		8,076.
OFFICE EXPENSES		1,052.
PLENARY SESSIONS		285,368.
PROTOCOL		21,319.
SPORTS COMMITTEE EXPENSES		31,154.
STORAGE		554.
SUBSCRIPTIONS		802.
TELEPHONE		6,050.
TRANSLATION SERVICES		750.
TRAVEL		1,672.
TOTAL	\$	429,767.

STATEMENT 2
FORM 990-EZ, PART II, LINE 26
TOTAL LIABILITIES

	<u>BEGINNING</u>	<u>ENDING</u>
ACCOUNTS PAYABLE AND ACCRUED EXPENSES	\$ 0.	\$ 15,173.
DEPOSITS	11,600.	11,600.
TOTAL	\$ 11,600.	\$ 26,773.

STATEMENT 3
FORM 990-EZ, PART III
ORGANIZATION'S PRIMARY EXEMPT PURPOSE

THE MISSION IS TO IMPROVE THE ECONOMIC WELL-BEING AND QUALITY OF LIFE FOR THE RESIDENTS OF ARIZONA THROUGH A STRONG COOPERATIVE RELATIONSHIP WITH MEXICO AND LATIN AMERICA THROUGH ADVOCACY, TRADE, NETWORKING AND INFORMATION.

STATEMENT 4
FORM 990-EZ, PART IV
LIST OF OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, TRUSTEES, AND KEY EMPLOYEES

<u>NAME AND ADDRESS</u>	<u>TITLE AND AVERAGE HOURS PER WEEK DEVOTED</u>	<u>COMPEN- SATION</u>	<u>CONTRI- BUTION TO EBP & DC</u>	<u>EXPENSE ACCOUNT/ OTHER</u>
VICTOR M. FLORES 1700 W. WASHINGTON #180 PHOENIX, AZ 85007-4647	PRESIDENT & CEO 10.00	\$ 0.	\$ 0.	0.

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STATEMENT 4 (CONTINUED)
FORM 990-EZ, PART IV
LIST OF OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, TRUSTEES, AND KEY EMPLOYEES

<u>NAME AND ADDRESS</u>	<u>TITLE AND AVERAGE HOURS PER WEEK DEVOTED</u>	<u>COMPEN- SATION</u>	<u>CONTRI- BUTION TO EBP & DC</u>	<u>EXPENSE ACCOUNT/ OTHER</u>
LAWRENCE T. LUCERO 1700 W. WASHINGTON #180 PHOENIX, AZ 85007-4647	VICE PRESIDENT 10.00	\$ 0.	\$ 0.	\$ 0.
CRISTINA K. MUNOZ 1700 W. WASHINGTON #180 PHOENIX, AZ 85007-4647	SECRETARY 10.00	0.	0.	0.
EDWARD CELAYA 1700 W. WASHINGTON #180 PHOENIX, AZ 85007-4647	TREASURER 10.00	0.	0.	0.
MARGIE EMMERMANN 1700 W. WASHINGTON #180 PHOENIX, AZ 85007-4647	EXECUTIVE DIREC 60.00	0.	0.	0.
JANICE K. BREWER 1700 W. WASHINGTON #180 PHOENIX, AZ 85007-4647	TRUSTEE 0	0.	0.	0.
AMANDA AGUIRRE 1700 W. WASHINGTON #180 PHOENIX, AZ 85007-4647	TRUSTEE 0	0.	0.	0.
MICHELLE ANGLE 1700 W. WASHINGTON #180 PHOENIX, AZ 85007-4647	TRUSTEE 0	0.	0.	0.
MARK BONSALE 1700 W. WASHINGTON #180 PHOENIX, AZ 85007-4647	TRUSTEE 0	0.	0.	0.
HARLIN CAPIN 1700 W. WASHINGTON #180 PHOENIX, AZ 85007-4647	TRUSTEE 0	0.	0.	0.
DAVID CAVAZOS 1700 W. WASHINGTON #180 PHOENIX, AZ 85007-4647	TRUSTEE 0	0.	0.	0.
MICHAEL GUGGEMOS 1700 W. WASHINGTON #180 PHOENIX, AZ 85007-4647	TRUSTEE 0	0.	0.	0.
DERRICK HALL 1700 W. WASHINGTON #180 PHOENIX, AZ 85007-4647	TRUSTEE 0	0.	0.	0.

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STATEMENT 4 (CONTINUED)
 FORM 990-EZ, PART IV
 LIST OF OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, TRUSTEES, AND KEY EMPLOYEES

NAME AND ADDRESS	TITLE AND AVERAGE HOURS PER WEEK DEVOTED	COMPEN- SATION	CONTRI- BUTION TO EBP & DC	EXPENSE ACCOUNT/ OTHER
J.B. MANSON 1700 W. WASHINGTON #180 PHOENIX, AZ 85007-4647	TRUSTEE 0	\$ 0.	\$ 0.	\$ 0.
KAY MCLOUGHLIN 1700 W. WASHINGTON #180 PHOENIX, AZ 85007-4647	TRUSTEE 0	0.	0.	0.
KEVIN ROGERS 1700 W. WASHINGTON #180 PHOENIX, AZ 85007-4647	TRUSTEE 0	0.	0.	0.
TODD SANDERS 1700 W. WASHINGTON #180 PHOENIX, AZ 85007-4647	TRUSTEE 0	0.	0.	0.
RICARDO VALENCIA 1700 W. WASHINGTON #180 PHOENIX, AZ 85007-4647	TRUSTEE 0	0.	0.	0.
RICK VAN SCHOIK 1700 W. WASHINGTON #180 PHOENIX, AZ 85007-4647	TRUSTEE 0	0.	0.	0.
WENDY VITTORI 1700 W. WASHINGTON #180 PHOENIX, AZ 85007-4647	TRUSTEE 0	0.	0.	0.
LYN WHITE 1700 W. WASHINGTON #180 PHOENIX, AZ 85007-4647	TRUSTEE 0	0.	0.	0.
BRUCE WRIGHT 1700 W. WASHINGTON #180 PHOENIX, AZ 85007-4647	TRUSTEE 0	0.	0.	0.
	TOTAL	\$ 0.	\$ 0.	\$ 0.

**Application for Extension of Time To File an
Exempt Organization Return**

OMB No 1545 1709

► **File a separate application for each return.**

- If you are filing for an **Automatic 3-Month Extension**, complete only **Part I** and check this box ☒
- If you are filing for an **Additional (Not Automatic) 3-Month Extension**, complete only **Part II** (on page 2 of this form)

Do not complete Part II unless you have already been granted an automatic 3-month extension on a previously filed Form 8868**Part I Automatic 3-Month Extension of Time.** Only submit original (no copies needed).A corporation required to file Form 990-T and requesting an automatic 6-month extension — check this box and complete Part I only ☐

All other corporations (including 1120-C filers), partnerships, REMICS, and trusts must use Form 7004 to request an extension of time to file income tax returns

Electronic Filing (e-file). Generally, you can electronically file Form 8868 if you want a 3-month automatic extension of time to file one of the returns noted below (6 months for a corporation required to file Form 990-T). However, you cannot file Form 8868 electronically if (1) you want the additional (not automatic) 3-month extension or (2) you file Forms 990-BL, 6069, or 8870, group returns, or a composite or consolidated Form 990-T. Instead, you must submit the fully completed and signed page 2 (Part II) of Form 8868. For more details on the electronic filing of this form, visit www.irs.gov/efile and click on *e-file for Charities & Nonprofits*.

Type or print File by the due date for filing your return. See instructions.	Name of Exempt Organization	Employer identification number
	ARIZONA MEXICO COMMISSION	23-7290803
	Number, street, and room or suite number. If a P.O. box, see instructions	
	1700 W WASHINGTON #180	
	City, town or post office, state, and ZIP code. For a foreign address, see instructions	
	PHOENIX, AZ 85007-4647	

Check type of return to be filed (file a separate application for each return).

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| ☐ Form 990 | ☐ Form 990-T (corporation) | ☐ Form 4720 |
| ☐ Form 990-BL | ☐ Form 990-T (section 401(a) or 408(a) trust) | ☐ Form 5227 |
| ☒ Form 990-EZ | ☐ Form 990-T (trust other than above) | ☐ Form 6069 |
| ☐ Form 990-PF | ☐ Form 1041-A | ☐ Form 8870 |

- The books are in the care of ► ED CELAYA

Telephone No. ► 602-542-1345 FAX No ► 602-542-1411

- If the organization does not have an office or place of business in the United States, check this box ☐
- If this is for a Group Return, enter the organization's four digit Group Exemption Number (GEN) _____. If this is for the whole group, check this box ☐. If it is for part of the group, check this box ☐ and attach a list with the names and EINs of all members the extension will cover

1 I request an automatic 3-month (6 months for a corporation required to file Form 990-T) extension of time until 8/15, 20 09, to file the exempt organization return for the organization named above. The extension is for the organization's return for:

- ☒ calendar year 20 08 or
- ☐ tax year beginning _____, 20 _____, and ending _____, 20 _____.

2 If this tax year is for less than 12 months, check reason ☐ Initial return ☐ Final return ☐ Change in accounting period

3a If this application is for Form 990-BL, 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter the tentative tax, less any nonrefundable credits. See instructions.	3a	\$	0.
b If this application is for Form 990-PF or 990-T, enter any refundable credits and estimated tax payments made. Include any prior year overpayment allowed as a credit.	3b	\$	0.
c Balance Due. Subtract line 3b from line 3a. Include your payment with this form, or, if required, deposit with FTD coupon or, if required, by using EFTPS (Electronic Federal Tax Payment System). See instructions.	3c	\$	0.

Caution. If you are going to make an electronic fund withdrawal with this Form 8868, see Form 8453-EO and Form 8879-EO for payment instructions.

BAA For Privacy Act and Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see instructions.Form **8868** (Rev 4-2009)

- If you are filing for an **Additional (Not Automatic) 3-Month Extension**, complete only **Part II** and check this box ☒

Note. Only complete Part II if you have already been granted an automatic 3-month extension on a previously filed Form 8868

- If you are filing for an **Automatic 3-Month Extension**, complete only **Part I** (on page 1).

Part II Additional (Not Automatic) 3-Month Extension of Time. Only file the original (no copies needed).

Type or print File by the extended due date for filing the return. See instructions.	Name of Exempt Organization	Employer identification number
	ARIZONA MEXICO COMMISSION	23-7290803
	Number, street, and room or suite number. If a P.O. box, see instructions.	For IRS use only
	AVILES FINANCIAL GROUP, LLC 2601 N. 3RD ST., STE. 100	
	City, town or post office, state, and ZIP code. For a foreign address, see instructions.	
	PHOENIX, AZ 85004	

Check type of return to be filed (File a separate application for each return)

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| ☐ Form 990 | ☐ Form 990-PF | ☐ Form 1041-A | ☐ Form 6069 |
| ☐ Form 990-BL | ☐ Form 990-T (section 401(a) or 408(a) trust) | ☐ Form 4720 | ☐ Form 8870 |
| ☒ Form 990-EZ | ☐ Form 990-T (trust other than above) | ☐ Form 5227 | |

STOP! Do not complete Part II if you were not already granted an automatic 3-month extension on a previously filed Form 8868.

- The books are in care of **ED CELAYA**
 Telephone No. **602-542-1345** FAX No. **602-542-1411**
- If the organization does not have an office or place of business in the United States, check this box ☐
- If this is for a Group Return, enter the organization's four digit Group Exemption Number (GEN) _____ . If this is for the whole group, check this box ☐ . If it is for part of the group, check this box ☐ and attach a list with the names and EINs of all members the extension is for.

- 4 I request an additional 3-month extension of time until **11/15**, 20**09**.
- 5 For calendar year **2008**, or other tax year beginning _____, 20____, and ending _____, 20____.
- 6 If this tax year is for less than 12 months, check reason. ☐ Initial return ☐ Final return ☐ Change in accounting period
- 7 State in detail why you need the extension. **TAXPAYER RESPECTFULLY REQUESTS ADDITIONAL TIME TO GATHER INFORMATION NECESSARY TO FILE A COMPLETE AND ACCURATE TAX RETURN.**

8a If this application is for Form 990-BL, 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter the tentative tax, less any nonrefundable credits. See instructions.	8a \$
b If this application is for Form 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter any refundable credits and estimated tax payments made. Include any prior year overpayment allowed as a credit and any amount paid previously with Form 8868.	8b \$
c Balance Due. Subtract line 8b from line 8a. Include your payment with this form, or, if required, deposit with FTD coupon or, if required, by using EFTPS (Electronic Federal Tax Payment System). See instrs.	8c \$

Signature and Verification

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this form, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete, and that I am authorized to prepare this form.

Signature ▶

Title ▶

President

Date ▶

11/17/10