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

2008

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service (77)

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

For calendar year 2008, or tax year beginning 3/01, 2008, and ending 2/28, 2009

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

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|---|--|--|---|
| Use the IRS label. Otherwise, print or type. See Specific Instructions. | Humane Society of the Commonwealth of MA c/o HCM, 75 Federal St, Ste 1100 Boston, MA 02110-1911 | | A Employer identification number 04-2104291 |
| | | | B Telephone number (see the instructions) 617-357-9110 |
| H Check type of organization: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation <input type="checkbox"/> Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust <input type="checkbox"/> Other taxable private foundation | | C If exemption application is pending, check here ► <input type="checkbox"/> | D 1 Foreign organizations, check here. ► <input type="checkbox"/> |
| I Fair market value of all assets at end of year (from Part II, column (c), line 16) | J Accounting method: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cash <input type="checkbox"/> Accrual <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) _____ | 2 Foreign organizations meeting the 85% test, check here and attach computation ► <input type="checkbox"/> | E If private foundation status was terminated under section 507(b)(1)(A), check here. ► <input type="checkbox"/> |
| ► \$ 3,622,464. (Part I, column (d) must be on cash basis.) | | F If the foundation is in a 60-month termination under section 507(b)(1)(B), check here ► <input type="checkbox"/> | |

| 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 | (d) Disbursements for charitable purposes (cash basis only) |
|---|--|------------------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|---|
| R E V E N U E | 1 Contributions, gifts, grants, etc, received (att sch) | | | | |
| | 2 Ck ► <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> if the foundn is not req to att Sch B | | | | |
| | 3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments | | | | N/A |
| | 4 Dividends and interest from securities | 124,400. | 124,400. | | |
| | 5a Gross rents | | | | |
| | b Net rental income or (loss) | | | | |
| | 6a Net gain/(loss) from sale of assets not on line 10 | -92,801. | | | |
| | b Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a | 2,404,820. | | | |
| | 7 Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2) | | 0. | | |
| | 8 Net short-term capital gain | | | | |
| | 9 Income modifications | | | | |
| | 10a Gross sales less returns and allowances | | | | |
| A D M I N I S T R A T I V E O P E R A T I O N S E X P E N S E S | b Less: Cost of goods sold | | | | |
| | c Gross profit/(loss) (att sch) | | | | |
| | 11 Other income (attach schedule) | | | | |
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| | 12 Total. Add lines 1 through 11 | 31,599. | 124,400. | | |
| | 13 Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc | 0. | | | |
| | 14 Other employee salaries and wages | 27,363. | | | 27,363. |
| | 15 Pension plans, employee benefits | 13,352. | | | 13,352. |
| | 16a Legal fees (attach schedule) See St 1 | 2,850. | | | 2,850. |
| | b Accounting fees (attach sch) | | | | |
| | c Other prof fees (attach sch) See St 2 | 32,806. | 32,806. | | |
| | 17 Interest | | | | |
| | 18 Taxes (attach schedule) See Stmt 3 | 27,881. | 165. | | |
| | 19 Depreciation (attach sch) and depletion | | | | |
| | 20 Occupancy | 8,364. | | | 8,364. |
| | 21 Travel, conferences, and meetings | 4,087. | | | 4,087. |
| | 22 Printing and publications | | | | |
| | 23 Other expenses (attach schedule) See Statement 4 | 8,473. | | | 8,473. |
| | 24 Total operating and administrative expenses. Add lines 13 through 23 | 125,176. | 32,971. | | 64,489. |
| | 25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid Part. XV | 188,500. | | | 188,500. |
| | 26 Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 24 and 25 | 313,676. | 32,971. | | 252,989. |
| | 27 Subtract line 26 from line 12: | | | | |
| | a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements | -282,077. | | | |
| | b Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-) | | 91,429. | | |
| | c Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -0-) | | | | |

| 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 | 7,315. | 21,335. | 21,335. | | |
| | 2 Savings and temporary cash investments | 658,042. | 633,101. | 633,101. | | |
| | 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 the instructions) | | | | | |
| | 7 Other notes and loans receivable (attach sch) | | | | | |
| | Less: allowance for doubtful accounts | | | | | |
| | 8 Inventories for sale or use | | | | | |
| | 9 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges | | | | | |
| | 10a Investments – U.S. and state government obligations (attach schedule) | Statement 5. | 1,081,840. | 477,461. | 512,754. | |
| | b Investments – corporate stock (attach schedule) | Statement 6. | 2,836,110. | 2,813,476. | 2,114,133. | |
| | c Investments – corporate bonds (attach schedule) | Statement 7. | | 355,054. | 341,141. | |
| | 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 instructions. Also, see page 1, item 1) | | 4,583,307. | 4,300,427. | 3,622,464. | | |
| LIABILITIES | 17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses | | | | | |
| | 18 Grants payable | | | | | |
| | 19 Deferred revenue | | | | | |
| | 20 Loans from officers, directors, trustees, & other disqualified persons | | | | | |
| | 21 Mortgages and other notes payable (attach schedule) | | | | | |
| | 22 Other liabilities (describe) | | | | | |
| | 23 Total liabilities (add lines 17 through 22) | | 0. | 0. | | |
| | | Foundations that follow SFAS 117, check here and complete lines 24 through 26 and lines 30 and 31. | <input type="checkbox"/> | | | |
| | NET ASSETS | 24 Unrestricted | | | | |
| | | 25 Temporarily restricted | | | | |
| | | 26 Permanently restricted | | | | |
| | | Foundations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here and complete lines 27 through 31. | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | | | |
| | | 27 Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds | | | | |
| | | 28 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, and equipment fund | | | | |
| | | 29 Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds | | 4,583,307. | 4,300,427. | |
| 30 Total net assets or fund balances (see the instructions) | | | 4,583,307. | 4,300,427. | | |
| 31 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances (see the instructions) | | | 4,583,307. | 4,300,427. | | |

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 | 4,583,307. |
| 2 Enter amount from Part I, line 27a. | 2 | -282,077. |
| 3 Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) | 3 | |
| 4 Add lines 1, 2, and 3 | 4 | 4,301,230. |
| 5 Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize) | 5 | 803. |
| 6 Total net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5) – Part II, column (b), line 30 | 6 | 4,300,427. |

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 shares MLC Company) | | | (b) How acquired P — Purchase D — Donation | (c) Date acquired (month, day, year) | (d) Date sold (month, day, year) |
|---|--|---|---|---|-------------------------------------|
| 1a Publicly-traded securities | | | P | Various | Various |
| 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 2,404,820. | | 2,497,621. | -92,801. | | |
| b | | | | | |
| c | | | | | |
| d | | | | | |
| e | | | | | |
| Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69 | | | (I) Gains (Column (h)) gain minus column (k), but not less than -0- or Losses (from column (h)) | | |
| (i) Fair Market Value as of 12/31/69 | (j) Adjusted basis as of 12/31/69 | (k) Excess of column (i) over column (j), if any | | | |
| a | | | -92,801. | | |
| 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 | -92,801. | |
| 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 the instructions). If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 8 | | | 3 | 0. | |

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.

N/A

1 Enter the appropriate amount in each column for each year; see 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 (column (b) divided by column (c)) |
|--|---|--|--|
| 2007 | | | |
| 2006 | | | |
| 2005 | | | |
| 2004 | | | |
| 2003 | | | |

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 2008 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.

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

| | | |
|---|---|--------------|
| 1a | Exempt operating foundations described in section 4940(d)(2), check here ► <input type="checkbox"/> 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 ► <input type="checkbox"/> and enter 1% of Part I, line 27b | 1 1,829. |
| c All other domestic foundations enter 2% of line 27b. Exempt foreign organizations enter 4% of Part I, line 12, column (b) | | |
| 2 | Tax under section 511 (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only. Others enter -0-) | 2 0. |
| 3 | Add lines 1 and 2 | 3 1,829. |
| 4 | Subtitle A (income) tax (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only. Others enter -0-) | 4 0. |
| 5 | Tax based on investment income. Subtract line 4 from line 3. If zero or less, enter -0- | 5 1,829. |
| 6 Credits/Payments: | | |
| a | 2008 estimated tax pmts and 2007 overpayment credited to 2008 | 6a 13,719. |
| b | Exempt foreign organizations – tax withheld at source. | 6b |
| c | Tax paid with application for extension of time to file (Form 8868) | 6c |
| d | Backup withholding erroneously withheld | 6d |
| 7 | Total credits and payments. Add lines 6a through 6d. | 7 13,719. |
| 8 | Enter any penalty for underpayment of estimated tax. Check here <input type="checkbox"/> 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 0. |
| 10 | Overpayment. If line 7 is more than the total of lines 5 and 8, enter the amount overpaid.. | 10 11,890. |
| 11 | Enter the amount of line 10 to be Credited to 2009 estimated tax. ► 1,832. Refunded ► 11 * 10,058. | 11 * 10,058. |

Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities

*Amount refunded with original return

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 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? | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| 1b | Did it spend more than \$100 during the year (either directly or indirectly) for political purposes (see the instructions for definition)? | Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 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. | | |
| 1c | Did the foundation file Form 1120-POL for this year? | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| d Enter the amount (if any) of tax on political expenditures (section 4955) imposed during the year: | | |
| (1) On the foundation. ► \$ 0. (2) On foundation managers ► \$ 0. | | |
| e Enter the reimbursement (if any) paid by the foundation during the year for political expenditure tax imposed on foundation managers. ► \$ 0. | | |
| 2 | Has the foundation engaged in any activities that have not previously been reported to the IRS? | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| If 'Yes,' attach a detailed description of the activities | | |
| 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 | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| 4a | Did the foundation have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year? | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| b | If 'Yes,' has it filed a tax return on Form 990-T for this year? | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| 5 | Was there a liquidation, termination, dissolution, or substantial contraction during the year? | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| If 'Yes,' attach the statement required by General Instruction T. | | |
| 6 | Are the requirements of section 508(e) (relating to sections 4941 through 4945) satisfied either: | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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? | | |
| 7 | Did the foundation have at least \$5,000 in assets at any time during the year? If 'Yes,' complete Part II, column (c), and Part XV. | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| 8a | Enter the states to which the foundation reports or with which it is registered (see the instructions). ► MA | |
| 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 | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| 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 2008 or the taxable year beginning in 2008 (see instructions for Part XIV)? If 'Yes,' complete Part XIV. | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| 10 | Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year? If 'Yes,' attach a schedule listing their names and addresses | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |

Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities Continued

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|----|---|----|-----|---|
| 11 | 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 | | X |
| 12 | Did the foundation acquire a direct or indirect interest in any applicable insurance contract before August 17, 2008? | 12 | | X |
| 13 | Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements for its annual returns and exemption application? Website address. | 13 | X | |
| 14 | The books are in care of ► <u>Charles E. Clapp III</u> Telephone no. ► <u>617-357-9110</u> Located at ► <u>c/o HCM, 75 Federal Street, Ste 1100 Boston</u> ZIP + 4 ► <u>02110-1911</u> | | | |
| 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 | □ |

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.

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 the instructions)?

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 2008?

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 2008, did the foundation have any undistributed income (lines 6d and 6e, Part XIII) for tax year(s) beginning before 2008?

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)

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__.

3a Did the foundation hold more than a 2% direct or indirect interest in any business enterprise at any time during the year?

b If 'Yes,' did it have excess business holdings in 2008 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 2008)

4a Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes?

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 2008?

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)?

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?

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 |
|----------------------|--|---|---|---------------------------------------|
| See Statement 9 | | 0. | 0. | 0. |
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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 |
|---|--|------------------|---|---------------------------------------|
| None | | | | |
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Total number of other employees paid over \$50,000 ►

0

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 instructions). If none, enter 'NONE.'

| (a) Name and address of each person paid more than \$50,000 | (b) Type of service | (c) Compensation |
|---|---------------------|------------------|
| None | | |
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Total number of others receiving over \$50,000 for professional services ► 0

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 | N/A | |
| 2 | | |
| 3 | | |
| 4 | | |

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

Describe the two largest program-related investments made by the foundation during the tax year on lines 1 and 2.

Amount

| 1. <u>N/A</u> | | AMOUNT |
|---------------|--|--------|
| 2 | | |

All other program-related investments. See instructions

3 _____

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 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 | 3,962,817. |
| b Average of monthly cash balances | 1b | 600,947. |
| c Fair market value of all other assets (see instructions) | 1c | |
| d Total (add lines 1a, b, and c) | 1d | 4,563,764. |
| e Reduction claimed for blockage or other factors reported on lines 1a and 1c (attach detailed explanation) | 1e | 0. |
| 2 Acquisition indebtedness applicable to line 1 assets | 2 | 0. |
| 3 Subtract line 2 from line 1d | 3 | 4,563,764. |
| 4 Cash deemed held for charitable activities. Enter 1-1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions)... | 4 | 68,456. |
| 5 Net value of noncharitable-use assets. Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter here and on Part V, line 4 | 5 | 4,495,308. |
| 6 Minimum investment return. Enter 5% of line 5. | 6 | 224,765. |

Part XI Distributable Amount (see 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 | 224,765. |
| 2a Tax on investment income for 2008 from Part VI, line 5 | 2a | 1,829. |
| b Income tax for 2008 (This does not include the tax from Part VI) ... | 2b | |
| c Add lines 2a and 2b | 2c | 1,829. |
| 3 Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1 | 3 | 222,936. |
| 4 Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions | 4 | |
| 5 Add lines 3 and 4 | 5 | 222,936. |
| 6 Deduction from distributable amount (see instructions) | 6 | |
| 7 Distributable amount as adjusted. Subtract line 6 from line 5. Enter here and on Part XIII, line 1 | 7 | 222,936. |

Part XII Qualifying Distributions (see 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 | 252,989. |
| b Program-related investments – total from Part IX-B | 1b | |
| 2 Amounts paid to acquire assets used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc, purposes | 2 | |
| 3 Amounts set aside for specific charitable projects that satisfy the | 3a | |
| a Suitability test (prior IRS approval required) | 3b | |
| b Cash distribution test (attach the required schedule) | 4 | 252,989. |
| 4 Qualifying distributions. Add lines 1a through 3b. Enter here and on Part V, line 8, and Part XIII, line 4 | 5 | |
| 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 instructions) | 6 | 252,989. |
| 6 Adjusted qualifying distributions. Subtract line 5 from line 4 | | |

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 instructions)

| | (a) Corpus | (b) Years prior to 2007 | (c) 2007 | (d) 2008 |
|--|---------------|----------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| 1 Distributable amount for 2008 from Part XI, line 7. | | | | 222,936. |
| 2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2007: | | | | |
| a Enter amount for 2007 only . | | | 233,372. | |
| b Total for prior years: 20____, 20____, 20____ | | 0. | | |
| 3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2008: | | | | |
| a From 2003 | | | | |
| b From 2004 | | | | |
| c From 2005 | | | | |
| d From 2006 | | | | |
| e From 2007 | | | | |
| f Total of lines 3a through e | | 0. | | |
| 4 Qualifying distributions for 2008 from Part XII, line 4: ► \$ 252,989. | | | | |
| a Applied to 2007, but not more than line 2a | | | 233,372. | |
| b Applied to undistributed income of prior years (Election required — see instructions) | | 0. | | |
| c Treated as distributions out of corpus (Election required — see instructions) .. | | 0. | | |
| d Applied to 2008 distributable amount .. | | | 19,617. | |
| e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus | | 0. | | |
| 5 Excess distributions carryover applied to 2008 (If an amount appears in column (d), the same amount must be shown in column (a).) | | 0. | | 0. |
| 6 Enter the net total of each column as indicated below: | | | | |
| a Corpus. Add lines 3f, 4c, and 4e. Subtract line 5 | | 0. | | |
| b Prior years' undistributed income. Subtract line 4b from line 2b | | | 0. | |
| 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 | | | 0. | |
| d Subtract line 6c from line 6b. Taxable amount — see instructions | | | 0. | |
| e Undistributed income for 2007. Subtract line 4a from line 2a. Taxable amount — see instructions | | | | 0. |
| f Undistributed income for 2008 Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1. This amount must be distributed in 2009 | | | | 203,319. |
| 7 Amounts treated as distributions out of corpus to satisfy requirements imposed by section 170(b)(1)(F) or 4942(g)(3) (see instructions) | | 0. | | |
| 8 Excess distributions carryover from 2003 not applied on line 5 or line 7 (see instructions) | | 0. | | |
| 9 Excess distributions carryover to 2009. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a | | 0. | | |
| 10 Analysis of line 9: | | | | |
| a Excess from 2004 | | | | |
| b Excess from 2005 | | | | |
| c Excess from 2006 | | | | |
| d Excess from 2007 | | | | |
| e Excess from 2008 | | | | |

Part XIV **Private Operating Foundations** (see instructions and Part VII-A, question 9)

N/A

Part XVI **Supplementary Information** (Complete this part only if the organization had \$5,000 or more in assets at any time during the year – see instructions.)

1 Information Regarding Foundation Managers:

a List any managers of the foundation who have contributed more than 2% of the total contributions received by the foundation before the close of any tax year (but only if they have contributed more than \$5,000). (See section 507(d)(2).)

None

b List any managers of the foundation who own 10% or more of the stock of a corporation (or an equally large portion of the ownership of a partnership or other entity) of which the foundation has a 10% or greater interest.

None

2 Information Regarding Contribution, Grant, Gift, Loan, Scholarship, etc, Programs:

Check here if the foundation only makes contributions to preselected charitable organizations and does not accept unsolicited requests for funds. If the foundation makes gifts, grants, etc. (see instructions) to individuals or organizations under other conditions, complete items 2a, b, c, and d.

a The name, address, and telephone number of the person to whom applications should be addressed:

See Statement 10

b The form in which applications should be submitted and information and materials they should include:

See Statement for Line 2a

c Any submission deadlines:

See Statement for Line 2a

d Any restrictions or limitations on awards, such as by geographical areas, charitable fields, kinds of institutions, or other factors

See Statement for Line 2a

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 |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|---------------|
| <i>a Paid during the year</i> Awards to individuals See attachment | None | N/A | To recognize the efforts of individuals who voluntarily attempt to save lives. | 163,500. |
| Awards to organizations See attachment | N/A | Public | See attachment | 25,000. |
| Total | | | | ► 3a 188,500. |
| <i>b Approved for future payment</i> | | | | |
| Total | | | | ► 3b |

Part XVI-A Analysis of Income-Producing Activities

Enter gross amounts unless otherwise indicated.

| | Unrelated business income <small>Excluded by section 312, 313, or 317</small> | | (e) Related or exempt function income (see the instructions) | | |
|--|--|---------------|---|-------------------------------|---------------|
| | (a) Business code | (b) Amount | | (c) Exclu- sion code | (d) Amount |
| 1 Program service revenue: | | | | | |
| a | | | | | |
| b | | | | | |
| c | | | | | |
| d | | | | | |
| e | | | | | |
| f | | | | | |
| g Fees and contracts from government agencies | | | | | |
| 2 Membership dues and assessments | | | | | |
| 3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments | | | | | |
| 4 Dividends and interest from securities | | | 14 | 124, 400. | |
| 5 Net rental income or (loss) from real estate: | | | | | |
| a Debt-financed property | | | | | |
| b Not debt-financed property | | | | | |
| 6 Net rental income or (loss) from personal property | | | | | |
| 7 Other investment income | | | | | |
| 8 Gain or (loss) from sales of assets other than inventory | | | 18 | -92, 801. | |
| 9 Net income or (loss) from special events | | | | | |
| 10 Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory | | | | | |
| 11 Other revenue: | | | | | |
| a | | | | | |
| b | | | | | |
| c | | | | | |
| d | | | | | |
| e | | | | | |
| 12 Subtotal Add columns (b), (d), and (e) | | | | 31, 599. | |
| 13 Total Add line 12, columns (b), (d), and (e) | | | 13 | 31, 599. | |

(See worksheet in the instructions for line 13 to verify calculations.)

Part XVI-B Relationship of Activities to the Accomplishment of Exempt Purposes

Part XVII 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?

a Transfers from the reporting foundation to a noncharitable exempt organization of:

(1) Cash

(2) Other assets

b Other transactions:

- (1) Sales of assets to a noncharitable exempt organization
- (2) Purchases of assets from a noncharitable exempt organization.
- (3) Rental of facilities, equipment, or other assets
- (4) Reimbursement arrangements
- (5) Loans or loan guarantees
- (6) Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations

c Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, other assets, or paid employees

| | Yes | No |
|--------|-----|----|
| 1a (1) | | X |
| 1a (2) | | X |
| 1b (1) | | X |
| 1b (2) | | X |
| 1b (3) | | X |
| 1b (4) | | X |
| 1b (5) | | X |
| 1b (6) | | X |
| 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.

| (a) Line no. | (b) Amount involved | (c) Name of noncharitable exempt organization | (d) Description of transfers, transactions, and sharing arrangements |
|--------------|---------------------|---|--|
| N/A | | | |
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2a 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.

| (a) Name of organization | (b) Type of organization | (c) Description of relationship |
|--------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------------|
| N/A | | |
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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.

S ► Jan H. Slade

10/6/10

► Trustee

| | | | | |
|--|--|------------------------|---|---|
| Signature of officer or trustee | | Date | Title | |
| Paid Preparer's Use Only  ► John M. Vetterling CPA | | Date 10.1.10 | Check if self-employed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Preparer's Identifying number (See Signature in the instrs) N/A |
| Firm's name (or yours if self-employed), address, and ZIP code ► Blazek & Vetterling ► 2900 Weslayan, Suite 200 Houston, TX 77027-5132 | | EIN N/A | Phone no ► (713) 439-5739 | |

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Statement 1
Form 990-PF, Part I, Line 16a
Legal Fees

| | (a) Expenses Per Books | (b) Net Investment Income | (c) Adjusted Net Income | (d) Charitable Purposes |
|--------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| General legal fees | \$ 2,850. | | | \$ 2,850. |
| Total | <u>\$ 2,850.</u> | <u>\$ 0.</u> | <u>\$ 0.</u> | <u>\$ 2,850.</u> |

Statement 2
Form 990-PF, Part I, Line 16c
Other Professional Fees

| | (a) Expenses per Books | (b) Net Investment Income | (c) Adjusted Net Income | (d) Charitable Purposes |
|-----------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Investment fees | \$ 32,806. | \$ 32,806. | | |
| Total | <u>\$ 32,806.</u> | <u>\$ 32,806.</u> | <u>\$ 0.</u> | <u>\$ 0.</u> |

Statement 3
Form 990-PF, Part I, Line 18
Taxes

| | (a) Expenses per Books | (b) Net Investment Income | (c) Adjusted Net Income | (d) Charitable Purposes |
|-------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Excise tax | \$ 27,716. | | | |
| Foreign tax | 165. | \$ 165. | | |
| Total | <u>\$ 27,881.</u> | <u>\$ 165.</u> | <u>\$ 0.</u> | <u>\$ 0.</u> |

Statement 4
Form 990-PF, Part I, Line 23
Other Expenses

| | (a) Expenses per Books | (b) Net Investment Income | (c) Adjusted Net Income | (d) Charitable Purposes |
|----------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Bank fees | \$ 16. | | | \$ 16. |
| Dues and subscriptions | 100. | | | 100. |
| Insurance | 500. | | | 500. |
| Medals and certificates | 1,698. | | | 1,698. |
| Office expense | 4,381. | | | 4,381. |
| Other expenses | 413. | | | 413. |
| Payroll processing fees | 1,295. | | | 1,295. |
| State or local filing fees | 70. | | | 70. |
| Total | <u>\$ 8,473.</u> | <u>\$ 0.</u> | <u>\$ 0.</u> | <u>\$ 8,473.</u> |

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Statement 5**Form 990-PF, Part II, Line 10a****Investments - U.S. and State Government Obligations**

| <u>U.S. Government Obligations</u> | Valuation Method | Book Value | Fair Market Value |
|------------------------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|
| U.S. Government Obligations | Cost | \$ 477,461. | \$ 512,754. |
| | | \$ 477,461. | \$ 512,754. |
| | | Total \$ 477,461. | \$ 512,754. |

Statement 6**Form 990-PF, Part II, Line 10b****Investments - Corporate Stocks**

| <u>Corporate Stocks</u> | Valuation Method | Book Value | Fair Market Value |
|---|---------------------|----------------------------|----------------------|
| HCM Stock - See attachment pgs 1-2 | Cost | \$ 1,945,143. | \$ 1,452,562. |
| Fidelity Stock - See attachment pgs 3-4 | Cost | 868,333. | 661,571. |
| | | Total \$ 2,813,476. | \$ 2,114,133. |

Statement 7**Form 990-PF, Part II, Line 10c****Investments - Corporate Bonds**

| <u>Corporate Bonds</u> | Valuation Method | Book Value | Fair Market Value |
|----------------------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|
| Corporate Bonds - See attachment | Cost | \$ 355,054. | \$ 341,141. |
| | | Total \$ 355,054. | \$ 341,141. |

Statement 8**Form 990-PF, Part III, Line 5****Other Decreases**

| | | |
|----------------------|-------|----------------------|
| Tax cost adjustments | | \$ 803. |
| | | Total \$ 803. |

Statement 9
Form 990-PF, Part VIII, Line 1
List of Officers, Directors, Trustees, and Key Employees

| Name and Address | Title and Average Hours Per Week Devoted | Compensation | Contri-bution to EBP & DC | Expense Account/Other |
|--|--|--------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|
| Curtis Prout, M.D. 75 Federal St, Ste 1100 Boston, MA 02110-1911 | Trustee 1.00 | \$ 0. | \$ 0. | \$ 0. |
| George P. Gardner 75 Federal St, Ste 1100 Boston, MA 02110-1911 | Trustee 1.00 | 0. | 0. | 0. |
| Frederick S. Moseley, III 75 Federal St, Ste 1100 Boston, MA 02110-1911 | Trustee 1.00 | 0. | 0. | 0. |
| Lawrence T. Perera 75 Federal St, Ste 1100 Boston, MA 02110-1911 | Trustee 1.00 | 0. | 0. | 0. |
| Ferdinand Colloredo-Mansfeld 75 Federal St, Ste 1100 Boston, MA 02110-1911 | Trustee 1.00 | 0. | 0. | 0. |
| William L. Saltonstall 75 Federal St, Ste 1100 Boston, MA 02110-1911 | Trustee 1.00 | 0. | 0. | 0. |
| W. Nicholas Thorndike 75 Federal St, Ste 1100 Boston, MA 02110-1911 | Trustee 1.00 | 0. | 0. | 0. |
| Ross E. Sherbrooke 75 Federal St, Ste 1100 Boston, MA 02110-1911 | Trustee 1.00 | 0. | 0. | 0. |
| H.D.S. Greenway 75 Federal St, Ste 1100 Boston, MA 02110-1911 | Trustee 1.00 | 0. | 0. | 0. |
| Edward P. Lawrence 75 Federal St, Ste 1100 Boston, MA 02110-1911 | Trustee 1.00 | 0. | 0. | 0. |
| David T. Lawrence 75 Federal St, Ste 1100 Boston, MA 02110-1911 | Trustee 1.00 | 0. | 0. | 0. |
| Ian H. Gardiner 75 Federal St, Ste 1100 Boston, MA 02110-1911 | Trustee 1.00 | 0. | 0. | 0. |

Total \$ 0. \$ 0. \$ 0. \$ 0.

Statement 10
Form 990-PF, Part XV, Line 2a-d
Application Submission Information

Name of Grant Program: Lifesaving awards
Name: Beth Nilsson
Care Of: Humane Soc. of the Commonwealth of MA
Street Address: 115 School Street
City, State, Zip Code: Manchester, MA 01944
Telephone: 978-526-4999
Form and Content: See www.masslifesavingawards.com or call for more information.
Submission Deadlines: None
Restrictions on Awards: See www.masslifesavingawards.com or call for more information.

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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

GERALD LAWRENSON
NONE
INDIVIDUAL
BRONZE MEDAL, HIGH
5,000

AARON REED
NONE
INDIVIDUAL
SILVER MEDAL, HIGH
10,000

PAUL ADAMSON
NONE
INDIVIDUAL
BRONZE MEDAL
5,000

MICHAEL ADAMSON
NONE
INDIVIDUAL
CERTIFICATE
1,000

BRIAN SMITH
NONE
INDIVIDUAL
CERTIFICATE
1,000

GEORGE GAGNON
NONE
INDIVIDUAL
BRONZE MEDAL (HIGH)
5,000

ALFRED CASEY
NONE
INDIVIDUAL
CERTIFICATE
1,000

JONATHAN RAYMOND
NONE
INDIVIDUAL
BRONZE MEDAL, HIGH
5,000

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| RECIPIENT NAME AND ADDRESS | | RELATIONSHIP TO SUBSTANTIAL CONTRIBUTOR AND FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT | PURPOSE OF GRANT OR CONTRIBUTION | AMOUNT |
|----------------------------|--|--|----------------------------------|--------|
| PATRICK MCDONALD JR | | NONE INDIVIDUAL | BRONZE MEDAL, HIGH | 5,000 |
| PATRICK MCDONALD | | NONE INDIVIDUAL | CERTIFICATE | 1,000 |
| MICHAEL BREEN | | NONE INDIVIDUAL | BRONZE MEDAL | 7,500 |
| MICHAEL STEWART | | NONE INDIVIDUAL | BRONZE MEDAL | 7,500 |
| JOSEPH DUFFEY | | NONE INDIVIDUAL | BRONZE MEDAL | 7,500 |
| TIMOTHY SULLIVAN | | NONE INDIVIDUAL | BRONZE MEDAL | 7,500 |
| GARY RICHARD | | NONE INDIVIDUAL | SILVER MEDAL | 10,000 |
| JEFFREY DOUGHTY | | NONE INDIVIDUAL | BRONZE MEDAL | 5,000 |

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

| RECIPIENT NAME AND ADDRESS | RELATIONSHIP TO SUBSTANTIAL CONTRIBUTOR AND FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT | PURPOSE OF GRANT OR CONTRIBUTION | AMOUNT |
|----------------------------|--|----------------------------------|--------|
| CHARLES HAYDOCK | NONE INDIVIDUAL | BRONZE MEDAL | 5,000 |
| KYRA HAYDOCK | NONE INDIVIDUAL | BRONZE MEDAL | 5,000 |
| TIMOTHY MACKENZIE | NONE INDIVIDUAL | SILVER MEDAL | 3,000 |
| NORMAN MILLIKAN | NONE INDIVIDUAL | BRONZE MEDAL | 3,000 |
| SUSAN RICARD | NONE INDIVIDUAL | SILVER MEDAL | 3,000 |
| ANDREW McCARTHY | NONE INDIVIDUAL | SILVER MEDAL | 3,500 |
| SEAN McDONALD | NONE INDIVIDUAL | BRONZE MEDAL | 1,000 |
| CHARLES BANDO, JR | NONE INDIVIDUAL | BRONZE MEDAL | 1,000 |

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

| RECIPIENT NAME AND ADDRESS | | RELATIONSHIP TO SUBSTANTIAL CONTRIBUTOR AND FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT | PURPOSE OF GRANT OR CONTRIBUTION | AMOUNT |
|----------------------------|--|--|----------------------------------|--------|
| DREW PROWSE | | NONE INDIVIDUAL | BRONZE MEDAL | 1,600 |
| GREGORY TWOMBLY | | NONE INDIVIDUAL | SILVER MEDAL | 5,000 |
| MAX LOFT | | NONE INDIVIDUAL | BRONZE MEDAL | 1,000 |
| JASON O'CONNOR | | NONE INDIVIDUAL | BRONZE MEDAL | 1,000 |
| BENJAMIN PAPAPIETRO | | NONE INDIVIDUAL | SILVER MEDAL | 5,000 |
| DEREK RASCHKE | | NONE INDIVIDUAL | BRONZE MEDAL | 1,000 |
| MANFRED RASCHKE | | NONE INDIVIDUAL | BRONZE MEDAL | 1,000 |
| MARK BATES | | NONE INDIVIDUAL | SILVER MEDAL | 3,000 |

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| RECIPIENT NAME AND ADDRESS | RELATIONSHIP TO SUBSTANTIAL CONTRIBUTOR AND FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT | PURPOSE OF GRANT OR CONTRIBUTION | AMOUNT |
|----------------------------|--|----------------------------------|--------|
| ELIZABETH WARNER | NONE INDIVIDUAL | SILVER MEDAL | 3,000 |
| PAUL KEANEY | NONE INDIVIDUAL | BRONZE MEDAL | 2,000 |
| CARLOS ORTIZ | NONE INDIVIDUAL | BRONZE MEDAL | 2,000 |
| ANDREW ROBERTS | NONE INDIVIDUAL | BRONZE MEDAL | 2,000 |
| ROBERT BENNETT | NONE INDIVIDUAL | BRONZE MEDAL | 1,000 |
| ALTON BYNUM III | NONE INDIVIDUAL | SILVER MEDAL | 5,000 |
| JAMES BRAO | NONE INDIVIDUAL | SILVER MEDAL | 5,000 |
| WILLIAM DOWD | NONE INDIVIDUAL | SILVER MEDAL | 5,000 |

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|----------------------------|--|---|---------|
| TANYA O' DONNELL | NONE INDIVIDUAL | SILVER MEDAL | 5,000 |
| HULL LIFESAVING MUSEUM | | SUPPORT OF INTERNSHIP & EMPLOYMENT PROGRAM | 5,000 |
| GROTON SCHOOL | | JOHN E. LAWRENCE GLOBAL ISSUES SCHOLARSHIP FUND | 25,000. |
| | | TOTAL CONTRIBUTIONS PAID | 188,500 |

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The 2008 Form 990-PF is being amended to correct Part XIII for changes made in the amended 2007 Form 990-PF and to correct the amount of qualifying distributions shown in Part I.

| Issue Type | Cusip | Asset | Shares | Price | Cost | Market Value | Inventory |
|----------------|-----------|---------------------------|-----------|---------|-----------|--------------|-----------|
| Equity | | | | | | | |
| Stock - Common | 002824100 | Abbott Laboratories | 1,300,000 | 47.3400 | 67,798.04 | \$61,542.00 | 67,798.04 |
| Stock - Common | 00971T101 | Akamai Technologies Inc | 800,000 | 18.0900 | 16,518.29 | \$14,472.00 | 16,518.29 |
| Stock - Common | 037411105 | Apache Corporation | 400,000 | 59.0900 | 14,300.00 | \$23,636.00 | 14,300.00 |
| Stock - Common | 037833100 | Apple Computer Inc | 200,000 | 89.3100 | 13,424.00 | \$17,862.00 | 13,424.00 |
| Stock - Common | 045527103 | Aspen Technology Inc | 3,000,000 | 6.6000 | 37,398.00 | \$19,800.00 | 37,398.00 |
| Stock - Common | 126655100 | CVS/Caremark Corporation | 1,500,000 | 25.7400 | 56,884.20 | \$38,610.00 | 56,884.20 |
| Stock - Common | 143130102 | Cammax Incorporated | 2,300,000 | 9.4300 | 43,335.72 | \$21,689.00 | 43,335.72 |
| Stock - Common | 17275R102 | Cisco Systems Inc | 2,200,000 | 14.5700 | 16,648.96 | \$32,054.00 | 16,648.96 |
| Stock - Common | 184496107 | Clean Harbors Inc | 300,000 | 48.5800 | 17,910.17 | \$14,574.00 | 17,910.17 |
| Stock - Common | 191216100 | Coca Cola Company | 1,000,000 | 40.8500 | 62,278.00 | \$40,850.00 | 62,278.00 |
| Stock - Common | 194162103 | Colgate Palmolive | 800,000 | 60.1800 | 61,620.01 | \$48,144.00 | 61,620.01 |
| Stock - Common | 20030N200 | Comcast Corp Cl A Special | 3,000,000 | 12.1500 | 53,052.00 | \$36,450.00 | 53,052.00 |
| Stock - Common | 20825C104 | ConocoPhillips | 600,000 | 37.3500 | 45,198.00 | \$22,410.00 | 45,198.00 |
| Stock - Common | 235551102 | Danaher Corporation | 700,000 | 50.7600 | 52,841.01 | \$35,532.00 | 52,841.01 |
| Stock - Common | 263534109 | Du Pont E I De Nemours | 1,150,000 | 18.7600 | 50,480.24 | \$21,574.00 | 50,480.24 |
| Stock - Common | 291011104 | Emerson Electric Co | 700,000 | 26.7500 | 31,010.00 | \$18,725.00 | 31,010.00 |
| Stock - Common | 30161N101 | Exelon Corporation | 400,000 | 47.2200 | 10,990.00 | \$18,888.00 | 10,990.00 |
| Stock - Common | 30231G102 | Exxon Mobil Corp | 1,000,000 | 67.9000 | 377.01 | \$67,900.00 | 377.01 |
| Stock - Common | 30249U101 | FMC Technologies | 450,000 | 26.4900 | 28,813.57 | \$11,920.50 | 28,813.57 |
| Stock - Common | 35506A108 | Frontier Communications | 4,525,000 | 7.2000 | 49,799.50 | \$32,580.00 | 49,799.50 |
| Stock - Common | 369604103 | General Electric Co | 3,000,000 | 8.5100 | 88.81 | \$25,530.00 | 88.81 |
| Stock - Common | 40414L109 | HCP Incorporated | 800,000 | 18.2700 | 28,142.00 | \$14,616.00 | 28,142.00 |
| Stock - Common | 45168D104 | Ideox Laboratories | 1,050,000 | 30.1000 | 58,866.25 | \$31,605.00 | 58,866.25 |
| Stock - Common | 478160104 | Johnson & Johnson | 1,200,000 | 50.0000 | 53,622.75 | \$60,000.00 | 53,622.75 |
| Stock - Common | 487836108 | Kellogg Company | 800,000 | 38.9200 | 41,682.79 | \$31,136.00 | 41,682.79 |
| Stock - Common | 585055106 | Medtronic Inc | 1,740,000 | 29.5900 | 84,716.99 | \$51,486.60 | 84,716.99 |

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| Stock - Common | 594918104 | Microsoft Corp | 2,500,000 | 16.1500 | 67,017.10 | \$40,375.00 | 67,017.10 |
| Stock - Common | 595017104 | Microchip Technology Inc | 1,400,000 | 18.7700 | 40,266.21 | \$26,278.00 | 40,266.21 |
| Stock - Common | 654902204 | Nokia Corp | 1,000,000 | 9.3600 | 33,160.00 | \$9,360.00 | 33,160.00 |
| Stock - Common | 704326107 | Paychex | 1,500,000 | 22.0600 | 53,125.60 | \$33,090.00 | 53,125.60 |
| Stock - Common | 713448108 | PepsiCo Incorporated | 1,050,000 | 48.1400 | 50,940.50 | \$50,547.00 | 50,940.50 |
| Stock - Common | 717124101 | Pharmaceutical Product Dev Corp | 1,100,000 | 23.9900 | 46,849.30 | \$26,389.00 | 46,849.30 |
| Stock - Common | 736508847 | Portland General Electric Co | 1,580,000 | 16.4200 | 37,835.47 | \$25,943.60 | 37,835.47 |
| Stock - Common | 74005P104 | Praxair Incorporated | 500,000 | 56.7500 | 23,787.00 | \$28,375.00 | 23,787.00 |
| Stock - Common | 742718109 | Procter & Gamble Co | 900,000 | 48.1700 | 50,417.48 | \$43,353.00 | 50,417.48 |
| Stock - Common | 747525103 | Qualcomm Inc | 1,200,000 | 33.4300 | 52,868.00 | \$40,116.00 | 52,868.00 |
| Stock - Common | 767744105 | Ritchie Bros Auctioneers Inc | 800,000 | 15.0500 | 16,416.16 | \$12,040.00 | 16,416.16 |
| Stock - Common | 806857108 | Schlumberger | 500,000 | 38.0600 | 41,951.00 | \$19,030.00 | 41,951.00 |
| Stock - Common | 855030102 | Staples Incorporated | 2,500,000 | 15.9500 | 54,582.76 | \$39,875.00 | 54,582.76 |
| Stock - Common | 883556102 | Thermo Fisher Scientific Inc | 600,000 | 36.2600 | 19,637.55 | \$21,756.00 | 19,637.55 |
| Stock - Common | 902681105 | UGI Corporation | 2,300,000 | 23.9900 | 59,909.25 | \$55,177.00 | 59,909.25 |
| Stock - Common | 902973304 | U.S. Bancorp | 700,000 | 14.3100 | 19,985.00 | \$10,017.00 | 19,985.00 |
| Stock - Common | 92826C839 | Visa Corporation | 145,000 | 56.7100 | 9,138.42 | \$8,222.95 | 9,138.42 |
| Stock - Common | 931142103 | Wal-Mart Stores Inc | 600,000 | 49.2400 | 34,116.00 | \$29,544.00 | 34,116.00 |
| Stock - Common | H0023R105 | Ace Limited | 600,000 | 36.5100 | 36,070.98 | \$21,906.00 | 36,070.98 |
| Stock - Common | N22717107 | Core Laboratories | 200,000 | 75.4000 | 26,544.22 | \$15,080.00 | 26,544.22 |
| International | | | | 66,590.000 | 1,772,414.31 | \$1,370,060.65 | 1,772,414.31 |
| Mutual Funds - E... | 298706102 | American Europacific Growth Fund | 1,800,000 | 24.0200 | 87,894.00 | \$43,236.00 | 87,894.00 |
| Mutual Funds - E... | 411511306 | Harbor International Fund | 845,000 | 31.7700 | 53,902.55 | \$26,845.65 | 53,902.55 |
| Mutual Funds - E... | 412295305 | Harding Loevner Emerging Markets Fund | 550,000 | 22.5800 | 30,932.00 | \$12,419.00 | 30,932.00 |
| | \$ 1,945,143 | \$ 1,452,562 | | | | | |

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| | Performance February 26, 2009 | Quantity February 26, 2009 | Price per Unit February 28, 2009 | Total Cost Basis | Total Value February 1, 2009 | Total Value February 28, 2009 |
|---|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------------|------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| CURRENTSHARES JAPANESE YEN TR | 230,000 | \$102,020 | \$21,021.30 | \$25,507.00 | \$23,464.60 | |
| JAPANESE YEN SHS (FXY) | | | | | | |
| ISHARES S&P GSCI COMMODITY INDEXED TR (GSG) | 777,000 | 24,080 | 44,134.85 | 19,930.05 | 18,710.16 | |
| ISHARES BARCLAYS TREAS INFLATION | 655,000 | 97,020 | 66,879.54 | 64,976.00 | 63,548.10 | |
| PROTECTED SEC'S FD (TIP) | | | | | | |
| ISHARES TR FTS XINHUA HK CHINA 25 | 2,376,000 | 24,310 | 74,951.35 | 59,661.36 | 57,760.56 | |
| INDEX FD (FXI) | | | | | | |
| ISHARES I BOXX \$ INVESTOP INVESTMENT | 841,000 | 94,160 | 80,210.00 | 25,054.82 | 25,054.82 | 79,188.56 |
| GRADE CORR BD FUND (LQD) | | | | | | |
| ISHARES BARCLAYS 20+ YEAR TREAS BOND FD (TLT) | 400,000 | 101,880 | 37,423.62 | 41,500.00 | 40,752.00 | |
| | 04 18 000 | 090227 0001 021009143 | | | | |

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| Corporate Bond | 92344GAL0 | Verizon Global Fdg Co Note 7.25% | 25,000.000 | 106.0960 | 27,374.74 | \$26,524.00 | 27,374.74 |
| Corporate Bond | 931142BZ5 | Wal-Mart Stores Inc Nts 4.125% 07/01/10 | 25,000.000 | 102.7490 | 23,783.00 | \$25,687.25 | 23,783.00 |
| Corporate Bond | 949746NB3 | Wells Fargo Co Note 4.875% 01/12/11 | 25,000.000 | 99.7030 | 24,303.50 | \$24,925.75 | 24,303.50 |
| Corporate Bond | 073902CE6 | Bear Stearns Co Inc 4.50% 10/28/10 | 25,000.000 | 100.1060 | 25,366.34 | \$25,026.50 | 25,366.34 |
| Corporate Bond | 244217BK0 | Deere John Cap Corp 5.10% 01/15/13 | 25,000.000 | 101.4350 | 24,675.75 | \$25,358.75 | 24,675.75 |
| Corporate Bond | 38141GDB7 | Goldman Sachs Group 5.25% 04/01/13 | 25,000.000 | 94.5850 | 24,162.25 | \$23,646.25 | 24,162.25 |
| Corporate Bond | 437076AR3 | Harris Depot Inc Note 5.25% 12/16/13 | 25,000.000 | 96.3370 | 24,708.75 | \$24,084.25 | 24,708.75 |
| Corporate Bond | 441812JW5 | Household Finance Note 6.375% 10/15/11 | 25,000.000 | 97.9590 | 26,865.32 | \$24,489.75 | 26,865.32 |
| Corporate Bond | 45974VZX9 | International Lease Note 5.25% 01/10/13 | 25,000.000 | 71.6850 | 24,738.00 | \$17,921.25 | 24,738.00 |
| Corporate Bond | 465410BK3 | Republic of Italy 3.25% 05/15/09 | 5,000.000 | 100.3990 | 4,975.75 | \$5,019.95 | 4,975.75 |
| Corporate Bond | 46625HAX8 | JP Morgan Chase & Co Inc Note 5.25% 05/01/15 | 25,000.000 | 89.5920 | 23,834.25 | \$22,398.00 | 23,834.25 |
| Corporate Bond | 59018YSU6 | Merrill Lynch & Co Mtn 5.00% 02/03/14 | 25,000.000 | 82.9370 | 24,326.75 | \$20,734.25 | 24,326.75 |
| Corporate Bond | 617446GM5 | Morgan Stanley Dean Witter Note 6.75% 04/15/11 | 15,000.000 | 100.5790 | 16,052.27 | \$15,086.85 | 16,052.27 |
| Corporate Bond | 68402LAC8 | Oracle Corporation Note 5.25% 01/15/16 | 25,000.000 | 100.6250 | 24,687.25 | \$25,156.25 | 24,687.25 |
| Corporate Bond | 748148BW2 | Quebec Providence Canada 5.00% 07/17/09 | 10,000.000 | 101.2280 | 10,102.60 | \$10,122.80 | 10,102.60 |
| Corporate Bond | 78387GAL7 | SBC Communications Note 5.625% | 25,000.000 | 99.8430 | 25,097.55 | \$24,960.75 | 25,097.55 |
| | | | | | <u>\$ 355,054</u> | <u>\$ 341,141</u> | |