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Short Form Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

2008

Department 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 organizations 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.

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A For the 2008 calendar year, or tax year beginning 7/01, 2008, and ending 6/30, 2009

<p>B Check if applicable:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Address change</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Name change</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Initial return</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Termination</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Amended return</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Application pending</p>	<p>C Please use IRS label or print or type. See Specific Instructions</p> <p>DALIT SOLIDARITY P.O. BOX 112 HINES, IL 60141</p>	<p>D Employer identification number 25-1865082</p> <p>E Telephone number (708) 612-4248</p> <p>F Group Exemption Number</p>
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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.DALITSOLIDARITY.ORG

J Organization type (check only one) — 501(c) (3) ◀ (insert no.) 4947(a)(1) or 527

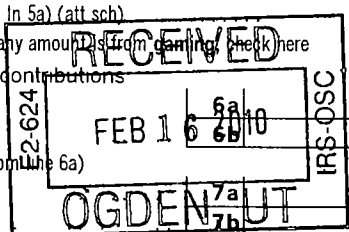
H Check if the organization is not required to attach Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF).

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 ▶ \$ **160,714.**

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

1	Contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts received	1	160,425.
2	Program service revenue including government fees and contracts	2	
3	Membership dues and assessments	3	
4	Investment income	4	289.
5a	Gross amount from sale of assets other than inventory	5a	
5b	Less. cost or other basis and sales expenses	5b	
5c	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	
6a	a Gross revenue (not including \$ _____ of contributions reported on line 1)	6a	
6b	b Less. direct expenses other than fundraising expenses	6b	
6c	c Net income or (loss) from special events and activities (Subtract line 6b from line 6a)	6c	
7a	7a Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	7a	
7b	b Less. cost of goods sold	7b	
7c	c Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory (Subtract line 7b from line 7a)	7c	
8	8 Other revenue (describe ▶ _____)	8	
9	9 Total revenue (add lines 1, 2, 3, 4, 5c, 6c, 7c, and 8)	9	160,714.
10	10 Grants and similar amounts paid (attach schedule) SEE STATEMENT 1	10	169,395.
11	11 Benefits paid to or for members	11	
12	12 Salaries, other compensation, and employee benefits	12	
13	13 Professional fees and other payments to independent contractors	13	
14	14 Occupancy, rent, utilities, and maintenance	14	
15	15 Printing, publications, postage, and shipping	15	
16	16 Other expenses (describe ▶ <u>SEE STATEMENT 2</u>)	16	3,607.
17	17 Total expenses (add lines 10 through 16)	17	173,002.
18	18 Excess or (deficit) for the year (Subtract line 17 from line 9)	18	-12,288.
19	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	22,089.
20	20 Other changes in net assets or fund balances (attach explanation)	20	
21	21 Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 18 through 20	21	9,801.



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	22,089.	9,801.
23	Land and buildings	23	
24	24 Other assets (describe ▶ _____)	24	
25	25 Total assets	22,089.	9,801.
26	26 Total liabilities (describe ▶ _____)	0.	0.
27	27 Net assets or fund balances (line 27 of column (B) must agree with line 21)	22,089.	9,801.

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Part V Other Information (Note the statement requirement in General Instruction V.)

		Yes	No
33	Did the organization engage in any activity not previously reported to the IRS? If 'Yes,' attach a detailed description of each activity		X
34	Were any changes made to the organizing or governing documents but not reported to the IRS? If 'Yes,' attach a conformed copy of the changes		X
35	If the organization had income from business activities, such as those reported on lines 2, 6a, and 7a (among others), but not reported on Form 990-T, attach a statement explaining your reason for not reporting the income on Form 990-T.		
35 a	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more or 6033(e) notice, reporting, and proxy tax requirements?		X
35 b	If 'Yes,' has it filed a tax return on Form 990-T for this year?		
36	Was there a liquidation, dissolution, termination, or substantial contraction during the year? If 'Yes,' complete applicable parts of Schedule N		X
37 a	Enter amount of political expenditures, direct or indirect, as described in the instructions	37 a	0.
37 b	Did the organization file Form 1120-POL for this year?		X
38 a	Did the organization borrow from, or make any loans to, any officer, director, trustee, or key employee or were any such loans made in a prior year and still unpaid at the start of the period covered by this return?		X
38 b	If 'Yes,' complete Schedule L, Part II and enter the total amount involved	38 b	N/A
39	501(c)(7) organizations. Enter:		
39 a	Initiation fees and capital contributions included on line 9	39 a	N/A
39 b	Gross receipts, included on line 9, for public use of club facilities	39 b	N/A
40 a	501(c)(3) organizations. Enter amount of tax imposed on the organization during the year under: section 4911 ▶ 0.; section 4912 ▶ 0.; section 4955 ▶ 0.		
40 b	501(c)(3) and (4) organizations. Did the organization engage in any section 4958 excess benefit transaction during the year or did it become aware of an excess benefit transaction from a prior year? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule L, Part I		X
40 c	Enter amount of tax imposed on organization managers or disqualified persons during the year under sections 4912, 4955, and 4958		0.
40 d	Enter amount of tax on line 40c reimbursed by the organization		0.
40 e	All organizations. At any time during the tax year, was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction? If 'Yes,' complete Form 8886-T		X
41	List the states with which a copy of this return is filed ▶ PA IL		

42 a The books are in care of ▶ BENJAMIN CHINNAPPAN Telephone no. ▶ 708-612-4248
 Located at ▶ 758 N. MICHIGAN ST. ELMHURST IL ZIP + 4 ▶ 60126

		Yes	No
42 b	At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)? If 'Yes,' enter the name of the foreign country: . . . ▶		X

See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for **Form TD F 90-22.1, Report of a Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts.**

42 c	At any time during the calendar year, did the organization maintain an office outside of the U.S.? If 'Yes,' enter the name of the foreign country: . . . ▶		X
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43 Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-EZ in lieu of **Form 1041** — Check here and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year . . . ▶ N/A
 ▶ 43 | N/A

		Yes	No
44	Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds? If 'Yes,' Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ		X
45	Is any related organization a controlled entity of the organization within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If 'Yes,' Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ		X

Part VI Section 501(c)(3) organizations only. All section 501(c)(3) organizations must answer questions 46-49 and complete the tables for lines 50 and 51. SEE STATEMENT 5

	Yes	No
46 Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule C, Part I		X
47 Did the organization engage in lobbying activities? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule C, Part II		X
48 Is the organization operating a school as described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule E		X
49a Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization?		X
b If 'Yes,' was the related organization(s) a section 527 organization?		

50 Complete this table for the five highest compensated employees (other than officers, directors, trustees and key employees) who each received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. If there is none, enter 'None.'

(a) Name and address of each employee paid more than \$100,000	(b) Title and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account and other allowances
NONE				
Total number of other employees paid over \$100,000				

51 Complete this table for the five highest compensated independent contractors who each received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. If there is none, enter 'None.'

(a) Name and address of each independent contractor paid more than \$100,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
NONE		
Total number of other independent contractors receiving over \$100,000		

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 officer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.

Sign Here
 Signature of officer: *B. Chinnappan* Date: 2/8/10
 BENJAMIN CHINNAPPAN EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Paid Preparer's Use Only
 Preparer's signature: *Samuel M. Barbush* Date: 11/23/09
 SAMUEL M. BARBUSH
 Firm's name (or yours if self employed), address, and ZIP + 4: BARBUSH AND HOFFMAN, 1104 FERNWOOD AVE STE 204, CAMP HILL, PA 17011-6912
 Check if self employed: Preparer's Identifying Number (See instructions): P00188510
 EIN: 25-1697577
 Phone no: (717) 761-2801

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? See instructions Yes No
 BAA Form 990-EZ (2008)

SCHEDULE A
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Public Charity Status and Public Support
To be completed by all section 501 (c)(3) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts.

▶ Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ. ▶ See separate instructions.

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2008

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Name of the organization

DALIT SOLIDARITY

Employer identification number

25-1865082

Part I Reason for Public Charity Status (All organizations must complete this part.) (see instructions)

The organization is not a private foundation because it is. (Please check only **one** organization.)

- 1 A church, convention of churches or association of churches described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(i)**.
- 2 A school described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)**. (Attach Schedule E.)
- 3 A hospital or cooperative hospital service organization described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii)**. (Attach Schedule H.)
- 4 A medical research organization operated in conjunction with a hospital described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii)**. Enter the hospital's name, city, and state.
- 5 An organization operated for the benefit of a college or university owned or operated by a governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iv)**. (Complete Part II.)
- 6 A federal, state, or local government or governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(v)**.
- 7 An organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)**. (Complete Part II.)
- 8 A community trust described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)**. (Complete Part II.)
- 9 An organization that normally receives (1) more than 33-1/3 % of its support from contributions, membership fees, and gross receipts from activities related to its exempt functions — subject to certain exceptions, and (2) no more than 33-1/3 % of its support from gross investment income and unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 tax) from businesses acquired by the organization after June 30, 1975 See **section 509(a)(2)**. (Complete Part III.)
- 10 An organization organized and operated exclusively to test for public safety. See **section 509(a)(4)**. (see instructions)
- 11 An organization organized and operated exclusively for the benefit of, to perform the functions of, or carry out the purposes of one or more publicly supported organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or section 509(a)(2). See **section 509(a)(3)**. Check the box that describes the type of supporting organization and complete lines 11e through 11h.
 - a Type I
 - b Type II
 - c Type III — Functionally integrated
 - d Type III— Other
- e By checking this box, I certify that the organization is not controlled directly or indirectly by one or more disqualified persons other than foundation managers and other than one or more publicly supported organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or section 509(a)(2).
- f If the organization received a written determination from the IRS that is a Type I, Type II or Type III supporting organization, check this box
- g Since August 17, 2006, has the organization accepted any gift or contribution from any of the following persons?
 - (i) a person who directly or indirectly controls, either alone or together with persons described in (ii) and (iii) below, the governing body of the supported organization?
 - (ii) a family member of a person described in (i) above?
 - (iii) a 35% controlled entity of a person described in (i) or (ii) above?

	Yes	No
11 g (i)		
11 g (ii)		
11 g (iii)		

h Provide the following information about the organizations the organization supports

(i) Name of Supported Organization	(ii) EIN	(iii) Type of organization (described on lines 1-9 above or IRC section (see instructions))	(iv) Is the organization in col (i) listed in your governing document?		(v) Did you notify the organization in col (i) of your support?		(vi) Is the organization in col (i) organized in the U S ?		(vii) Amount of Support
			Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	
Total									

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Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2008

Part II Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Sections 170(b)(1)(A)(iv) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 5, 7, or 8 of Part I.)

Section A. Public Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2004	(b) 2005	(c) 2006	(d) 2007	(e) 2008	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions and membership fees received. (Do not include 'unusual grants'.)	131,251.	79,088.	122,442.	206,959.	90,425.	630,165.
2 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to it or expended on its behalf						0.
3 The value of services or facilities furnished to the organization by a governmental unit without charge. Do not include the value of services or facilities generally furnished to the public without charge						0.
4 Total. Add lines 1-3	131,251.	79,088.	122,442.	206,959.	90,425.	630,165.
5 The portion of total contributions by each person (other than a governmental unit or publicly supported organization) included on line 1 that exceeds 2% of the amount shown on line 11, column (f)						45,276.
6 Public support. Subtract line 5 from line 4						584,889.

Section B. Total Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2004	(b) 2005	(c) 2006	(d) 2007	(e) 2008	(f) Total
7 Amounts from line 4	131,251.	79,088.	122,442.	206,959.	90,425.	630,165.
8 Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources	454.	666.	328.	909.	289.	2,646.
9 Net income from unrelated business activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						0.
10 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV.)						0.
11 Total support. Add lines 7 through 10						632,811.
12 Gross receipts from related activities, etc. (see instructions)					12	0.
13 First five years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here. ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>						

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

14 Public support percentage for 2008 (line 6, column (f) divided by line 11, column (f))	14	92.4 %
15 Public support percentage for 2007 Schedule A, Part IV-A, line 26f	15	69.5 %
16a 33-1/3 support test – 2008. If the organization did not check the box on line 13, and the line 14 is 33-1/3 % or more, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization. ▶ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
b 33-1/3 support test – 2007. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, or 16a, and line 15 is 33-1/3% or more, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization. ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>		
17a 10%-facts-and-circumstances test – 2008. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, or 16b, and line 14 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the 'facts-and-circumstances' test, check this box and stop here. Explain in Part IV how the organization meets the 'facts-and-circumstances' test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization. ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>		
b 10%-facts-and-circumstances test – 2007. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, or 17a, and line 15 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the 'facts-and-circumstances' test, check this box and stop here. Explain in Part IV how the organization meets the 'facts-and-circumstances' test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization. ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>		
18 Private foundation. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, 17a, or 17b, check this box and see instructions ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>		

Part III Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Section 509(a)(2)

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 9 of Part I.)

Section A. Public Support

Calendar year (or fiscal yr beginning in) ▶	(a) 2004	(b) 2005	(c) 2006	(d) 2007	(e) 2008	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions and membership fees received. (Do not include 'unusual grants'.)						
2 Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services performed, or facilities furnished in a activity that is related to the organization's tax-exempt purpose						
3 Gross receipts from activities that are not an unrelated trade or business under section 513						
4 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
5 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
6 Total. Add lines 1-5						
7a Amounts included on lines 1, 2, 3 received from disqualified persons						
b Amounts included on lines 2 and 3 received from other than disqualified persons that exceed the greater of 1% of the total of lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12 for the year or \$5,000						
c Add lines 7a and 7b						
8 Public support (Subtract line 7c from line 6.)						

Section B. Total Support

Calendar year (or fiscal yr beginning in) ▶	(a) 2004	(b) 2005	(c) 2006	(d) 2007	(e) 2008	(f) Total
9 Amounts from line 6						
10a Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources						
b Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975						
c Add lines 10a and 10b						
11 Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
12 Other income Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV.)						
13 Total support. (add lns 9, 10c, 11, and 12)						

14 First five years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here.

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

15 Public support percentage for 2008 (line 8, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	15	%
16 Public support percentage from 2007 Schedule A, Part IV-A, line 27g	16	%

Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage

17 Investment income percentage for 2008 (line 10c, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	17	%
18 Investment income percentage from 2007 Schedule A, Part IV-A, line 27h	18	%

19a 33-1/3 support tests — 2008. If the organization did not check the box on line 14, and line 15 is more than 33-1/3%, and line 17 is not more than 33-1/3%, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization.

b 33-1/3 support tests — 2007. If the organization did not check a box on line 14 or 19a, and line 16 is more than 33-1/3%, and line 18 is not more than 33-1/3%, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization.

20 Private foundation. If the organization did not check a box on line 14, 19a, or 19b, check this box and see instructions.

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EXCESS CONTRIBUTIONS
SCHEDULE A, PART II, LINE 5

NAME	2004	2005	2006	2007	2009	TOTAL	2% AMT	EXCESS
RICHARD BENTZ	\$ 0.	\$ 0.	\$ 9,000.	\$ 0.	\$ 7,000.	\$ 16,000.	\$ 12,656.	\$ 3,344.
REV. BEN CHINNAPPAN	0.	0.	27,000.	10,000.	0.	37,000.	12,656.	24,344.
R. LEE MCQUEEN JR HIS	0.	0.	0.	10,000.	6,000.	16,000.	12,656.	3,344.
THOMAS DEANGELIS	0.	0.	26,900.	0.	0.	26,900.	12,656.	14,244.
TOTAL	\$ 0.	\$ 0.	\$ 62,900.	\$ 20,000.	\$ 13,000.	\$ 95,900.	\$ 50,624.	\$ 45,276.

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STATEMENT 1
FORM 990-EZ, PART I, LINE 10
GRANTS AND SIMILAR AMOUNTS PAID

DONEE'S NAME:	COMMUNITY CARE TRUST		
CASH AMOUNT GIVEN:		\$	153,000.
DONEE'S NAME:	SERVICE ADVENTOURS		
CASH AMOUNT GIVEN:		\$	7,600.
DONEE'S NAME:	VARIOUS		
CASH AMOUNT GIVEN:		\$	8,795.

STATEMENT 2
FORM 990-EZ, PART I, LINE 16
OTHER EXPENSES

BANK FEES		\$	39.
EQUIPMENT RENTAL & MAINTENANCE			800.
MEMBERSHIP FEES & DUES			1,469.
SUPPLIES			1,299.
		TOTAL \$	<u>3,607.</u>

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

TO PROVIDE HEALTH CARE SERVICES, EDUCATIONAL AND DEVELOPMENTAL SERVICES TO THE POOR IN A THIRD WORLD COUNTRY (INDIA).

DALIT SOLIDARITY
 Y.E. 6/30/09 EIN: 25-1865082

EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM

DALIT SOLIDARITY PROVIDES OVER 300 STUDENTS A YEAR WITH THE OPPORTUNITY TO OBTAIN A QUALITY EDUCATION THROUGH THE FOLLOWING PROGRAMS:

ST. PATRICK BOARDING HOME

THIS PROVIDES QUALIFIED DALIT CHILDREN WITH ROOM AND BOARD AND SCHOOLING. THIS HOME ACCOMMODATES 43 CHILDREN AND EIGHT STAFF MEMBERS. CHILDREN LIVE IN OUR HOME AND ATTEND ST. MARY'S SCHOOL FOR THEIR SCHOOLING. DURING THEIR STAY HERE, WE ALSO PROVIDE INTENSIVE TRAINING IN COMMUNICATION AND LEADERSHIP SKILLS TO IMPROVE THEIR QUALITY OF EDUCATION.

SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

THIS PROVIDES OVER 200 STUDENTS WITH SCHOLARSHIPS TO CONTINUE THEIR HIGH SCHOOL AND COLLEGE STUDIES. WE ALSO PROVIDE INCENTIVES TO STUDENTS WHO PURSUE VOCATIONAL TRAINING PROGRAMS.

COMMUNITY COLLEGE

QUALIFIED HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES ARE PROVIDED WITH THE OPPORTUNITY TO OBTAIN TRAINING IN A VARIETY OF FIELDS INCLUDING NURSING, TAILORING, COMPUTER AND AUTOMOTIVE MECHANICS. CURRENTLY MORE THAN FIFTY STUDENTS ARE ENROLLED IN OUR

DALIT SOLIDARITY

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

PROGRAM.

HEALTH CARE PROGRAM

1. HEALTH CENTER AND CLINICS

IN ORDER TO MAKE AFFORDABLE QUALITY HEALTH CARE AVAILABLE TO THE RURAL VILLAGERS OF THE VULLUPURAM DISTRICT, DALIT SOLIDARITY BUILT ST. MARY'S HEALTH CENTER IN THE VILLAGE OF ADIYATHUR. ST. MARY'S IS A 10 BED HEALTH CENTER WITH PHARMACY AND LABORATORY FACILITIES. ITS FULL-TIME STAFF INCLUDES A PHYSICIAN, TWO NURSES, A PHARMACIST AND LABORATORY TECHNICIAN. ST. MARY'S IS ADMINISTERED BY COMMUNITY CARE TRUST, A REGISTERED INDIAN CHARITABLE TRUST.

DURING THE PAST YEARS, THREE SATELLITE CLINICS WERE OPENED TO BETTER SERVE THE HEALTH CARE NEEDS OF THE LARGER VILLAGES OF KAKKANUR, ARIYALUR AND AYANATHUR. OVER 1500 PATIENTS ARE TREATED AT THESE FACILITIES EACH MONTH.

ST. MARY'S ALSO OPERATES A MEDICAL OUTREACH PROGRAM. THE STAFF TRAVELS TO A DIFFERENT VILLAGE EACH WEEK TO PROVIDE ON-SITE CARE AND HEALTH EDUCATION PROGRAMS. APPROXIMATELY 150 PATIENTS PER WEEK RECEIVE TREATMENT THROUGH THE OUTREACH PROGRAM.

2. FIRST RESPONDERS

EMERGENCY TRANSPORTATION SERVICES ARE VIRTUALLY NON-EXISTENT IN RURAL INDIA. GENERALLY, PATIENTS TRAVEL BY OX CART OR ARE CARRIED BY FAMILY AND FRIENDS TO THE NEAREST EMERGENCY CENTER. FREQUENTLY HOURS PASS BEFORE PATIENTS REACH A TREATMENT CENTER. IN AN EFFORT TO PROVIDE LIMITED ON-SITE EMERGENCY CARE AND TO STABILIZE PATIENTS UNTIL THEY CAN BE TRANSPORTED TO A MEDICAL FACILITY, DALIT SOLIDARITY INITIATED A FIRST RESPONDERS PROGRAM.

THE PROGRAM PROVIDES FIRST AID TRAINING FOR TOW VOLUNTEERS FROM EACH VILLAGE. DALIT SOLIDARITY BOARD MEMBER, DR. SUSAN BENEDICT, CONDUCTS THE TWO-DAY SEMINARS AT ST. MARY'S HEALTH CENTER. A VARIETY OF FIRST AID TOPICS ARE COVERED INCLUDING TREATMENT FOR FEVER, LACERATIONS, DIARRHEA, CHOKING, SNAKE BITES AND CPR. MORE THAN 1000 ADULT PATIENTS AND 450 CHILDREN ARE TREATED IN OUR FACILITY EACH MONTH.

CONTINUED ON FEDERAL SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION
 FORM 990-EZ, PART III
 ORGANIZATION'S PRIMARY EXEMPT PURPOSE CONT.

STATEMENT 4
FORM 990-EZ, PART III, LINE 31
STATEMENT OF PROGRAM SERVICE ACCOMPLISHMENTS

DESCRIPTION	0. GRANTS	PROGRAM SERVICE EXPENSES
SERVICE LEARNING PROGRAM (SEE FED SUP INFO)		7,892.
INCLUDES FOREIGN GRANTS: NO		
DEVELOPMENTAL PROGRAM (SEE FED SUP INFO)		9,350.
INCLUDES FOREIGN GRANTS: NO		
OUTREACH PROGRAM (SEE FED SUP INFO)		12,800.
INCLUDES FOREIGN GRANTS: NO		
TOTAL	\$ 0.	\$ 30,042.

**STATEMENT 5
FORM 990-EZ, PART VI
REGARDING TRANSFERS ASSOCIATED WITH PERSONAL BENEFIT CONTRACTS**

- (A) DID THE ORGANIZATION, DURING THE YEAR, RECEIVE ANY FUNDS, DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY, TO PAY PREMIUMS ON A PERSONAL BENEFIT CONTRACT? NO
- (B) DID THE ORGANIZATION, DURING THE YEAR, PAY PREMIUMS, DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY, ON A PERSONAL BENEFIT CONTRACT? NO

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ORGANIZATION'S PRIMARY EXEMPT PURPOSE CONT.

WIDOWS EMPOWERMENT PROGRAM

OUR SPROUTS PROGRAM WAS INITIATED TO HELP THE WIDOWS CREATE A POSITIVE IDENTITY FOR THEMSELVES AND TO PROVIDE THE NECESSARY TRAINING AND TOOLS TO HELP THEM IMPROVE THEIR STANDARD OF LIVING. IMPROVEMENT IN THEIR ECONOMIC STATUS WILL GIVE THEM THE DIGNITY AND SELF RESPECT THEY DESERVE.

DALIT WIDOWS ARE THE MOST SEVERELY OPPRESSED GROUP IN INDIAN SOCIETY. IN ADDITION TO CASTE DISCRIMINATION, DALIT WIDOWS SUFFER ADDED DISCRIMINATION DUE TO THEIR GENDER AND MARITAL STATUS. THEY ARE REQUIRED TO REMAIN IN PERPETUAL MOURNING, OBSERVING STRICT CODES OF DRESS, BEHAVIOR AND DIET. THEY ARE CONSIDERED BAD LUCK AND ARE UNWELCOME AT SOCIAL FUNCTIONS. IN SHORT, SOCIETY CONSIDERS THEM TO BE A THREAT TO THE SOCIAL ORDER. MILK COOPERATIVE SOCIETIES WERE OPENED TO IMPROVE THE LIVES OF OUR WIDOWS. WITH THE HELP OF TWO MILD COOPERATIVES, FIFTEEN WIDOWS MAKE A SMALL EARNING. THREE HOUSES WERE BUILT FOR THE POOREST OF THE POOR WIDOWS.

SERVICE LEARNING PROGRAM

SERVICE ADVENTOURS IS A SERVICE/LEARNING PROGRAM THAT PROVIDES VOLUNTEERS WITH THE OPPORTUNITY TO WORK WITH DALIT SOLIDARITY'S HEALTH CARE, EDUCATION AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS. PARTICIPANTS EXPERIENCE A WIDE VARIETY OF SERVICE ACTIVITIES, EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES AND PARTICIPATORY EVENTS DESIGNED TO PROMOTE CULTURAL AWARENESS AND A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF THE DISCRIMINATION FACED BY THE DALITS IN RURAL INDIA.

DEVELOPMENTAL PROGRAM

THIS PROVIDES AN OPPORTUNITY FOR SOME VILLAGERS TO START SMALL BUSINESSES SUCH AS GROCERY STORES, SELLING COW MILK AND MEAT. THIS ALSO PROVIDES AN OPPORTUNITY FOR SOME POOR FAMILIES TO BUILD A SINGLE HOME.

OUTREACH PROGRAM

THIS PROVIDES FINANCIAL SUPPORT TO THREE ORPHANAGES TO FEED THE CHILDREN. THIS ALSO PROVIDES AN OPPORTUNITY FOR UNDERPRIVILEGED CHILDREN TO CONTINUE THEIR EDUCATION. THIS ALSO PROVIDES SOCIAL SUPPORT FOR SOME ELDERLY MEN AND WOMEN.

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	2008	2007	DIFF
FORM 990-EZ REVENUE			
CONTRIBUTIONS, GIFTS, AND GRANTS	160,425	356,959	-196,534
INVESTMENT INCOME	289	0	289
TOTAL REVENUE	160,714	357,868	-197,154
EXPENSES			
GRANTS AND SIMILAR AMOUNTS PAID	169,395	0	169,395
OTHER EXPENSES	3,607	0	3,607
TOTAL EXPENSES	173,002	352,550	-179,548
NET ASSETS OR FUND BALANCES			
EXCESS OR (DEFICIT) FOR THE YEAR	-12,288	5,318	-17,606
NET ASSETS/FUND BAL. AT BEG. OF YEAR	22,089	16,771	5,318
NET ASSETS/FUND BAL. AT END OF YEAR	9,801	22,089	-12,288