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

OMB No 1545-0052

2009Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

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

For calendar year 2009, or tax year beginning 4/01, 2009, and ending 12/31, 2009

G Check all that apply: ☐ Initial return ☐ Initial Return of a former public charity ☐ Final return
☐ Amended return ☐ Address change ☐ Name change

Use the IRS label. Otherwise, print or type See Specific Instructions.	AVATAR MEHER BABA FOUNDATION INC. PO BOX 398 MYSTIC, CT 06355-0398		A Employer identification number 06-1516691
			B Telephone number (see the instructions) 860-535-0370
H Check type of organization: ☒ Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation ☐ Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust ☐ Other taxable private foundation		C If exemption application is pending, check here ☐	
I Fair market value of all assets at end of year (from Part II, column (c), line 16) \$ 1,333,759.		D 1 Foreign organizations, check here ☐ 2 Foreign organizations meeting the 85% test, check here and attach computation ☐	
J Accounting method: ☒ Cash ☐ Accrual ☐ Other (specify) _____ (Part I, column (d) must be on cash basis)		E If private foundation status was terminated under section 507(b)(1)(A), check here ☐ F If the foundation is in a 60-month termination under section 507(b)(1)(B), check here ☐	

Part I Analysis of Revenue and Expenses (The total of amounts in columns (b), (c), and (d) may not necessarily equal the amounts in column (a) (see the instructions))		(a) Revenue and expenses per books	(b) Net investment income	(c) Adjusted net income	(d) Disbursements for charitable purposes (cash basis only)
REVENUE	1 Contributions, gifts, grants, etc. received (att sch)	138,559.			
	2 Ck ☐ if the foundn is not req to att Sch B				
	3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments				
	4 Dividends and interest from securities	17,946.	17,946.	17,946.	
	5a Gross rents				
	b Net rental income or (loss)				
	6a Net gain/(loss) from sale of assets not on line 10	-159,738.			
	b Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a	472,263.			
	7 Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2)		0.		
	8 Net short-term capital gain			0.	
	9 Income modifications				
10a Gross sales less returns and allowances.					
b Less Cost of goods sold					
c Gross profit/(loss) (att sch)					
11 Other income (attach schedule)					
12 Total. Add lines 1 through 11	-3,233.	17,946.	17,946.		
ADMINISTRATIVE AND OPERATING EXPENSES	13 Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc	0.			
	14 Other employee salaries and wages				
	15 Pension plans, employee benefits				
	16a Legal fees (attach schedule) SEE ST 1	800.			800.
	b Accounting fees (attach sch) SEE ST 2	1,300.			1,300.
	c Other prof fees (attach sch)				
	17 Interest				
	18 Taxes (attach schedule)(see instr)				
	19 Depreciation (attach sch) and depletion				
	20 Occupancy	231.			231.
	21 Travel, conferences, and meetings	3,969.			3,969.
	22 Printing and publications	3,462.			3,462.
	23 Other expenses (attach schedule) SEE STATEMENT 3	1,619.			1,619.
	24 Total operating and administrative expenses. Add lines 13 through 23	11,381.			11,381.
	25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid PART XV	78,995.			78,995.
26 Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 24 and 25	90,376.	0.	0.	90,376.	
27 Subtract line 26 from line 12:					
a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements	-93,609.				
b Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)		17,946.			
c Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -0-)			17,946.		

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	137,034.	72,431.	72,431.
2 Savings and temporary cash investments	51,027.	604,001.	604,001.
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)			
b Investments — corporate stock (attach schedule) STATEMENT 4	961,838.	379,858.	397,108.
c Investments — corporate bonds (attach schedule) STATEMENT 5	252,295.	252,295.	260,219.
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 I)	1,402,194.	1,308,585.	1,333,759.
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.	
NET ASSETS OR FUND BALANCES			
Foundations that follow SFAS 117, check here and complete lines 24 through 26 and lines 30 and 31. ☒			
24 Unrestricted	1,402,194.	1,308,585.	
25 Temporarily restricted			
26 Permanently restricted			
Foundations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here and complete lines 27 through 31. ☐			
27 Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds			
28 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, and equipment fund			
29 Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds			
30 Total net assets or fund balances (see the instructions)	1,402,194.	1,308,585.	
31 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances (see the instructions)	1,402,194.	1,308,585.	

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	1,402,194.
2 Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2	-93,609.
3 Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize)	3	
4 Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4	1,308,585.
5 Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize)	5	
6 Total net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5) — Part II, column (b), line 30	6	1,308,585.

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)
1 a PUBLICLY TRADED SECURITIES		P		
b CAPITAL GAIN DIVIDENDS				
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 471,188.		632,001.	-160,813.
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			-160,813.
b			1,075.
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	-159,738.
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	-160,813.

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

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

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

Was the foundation liable for the section 4942 tax on the distributable amount of any year in the base period?

☐ Yes☒ No

If 'Yes,' the foundation does not qualify under section 4940(e). Do not complete this part.

1 Enter the appropriate amount in each column for each year, see 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))
2008	162,385.	1,320,161.	0.123004
2007	218,160.	1,552,725.	0.140501
2006	225,883.	1,390,822.	0.162410
2005	175,475.	1,237,453.	0.141803
2004	125,265.	1,120,611.	0.111783

2 Total of line 1, column (d)	2	0.679501
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	0.135900
4 Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2009 from Part X, line 5	4	1,226,886.
5 Multiply line 4 by line 3	5	166,734.
6 Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b)	6	179.
7 Add lines 5 and 6	7	166,913.
8 Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4	8	90,376.

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)

1 a Exempt operating foundations described in section 4940(d)(2), check here ☐ and enter 'N/A' on line 1 Date of ruling or determination letter: _____ (attach copy of letter if necessary - see instr.)			
b Domestic foundations that meet the section 4940(e) requirements in Part V, check here ☐ and enter 1% of Part I, line 27b		1	359.
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	359.
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	359.
6 Credits/Payments:			
a 2009 estimated tax pmts and 2008 overpayment credited to 2009	6a	1,827.	
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	1,827.	
8 Enter any penalty for underpayment of estimated tax Check here ☐ if Form 2220 is attached	8		
9 Tax due If the total of lines 5 and 8 is more than line 7, enter amount owed	9	0.	
10 Overpayment. If line 7 is more than the total of lines 5 and 8, enter the amount overpaid	10	1,468.	
11 Enter the amount of line 10 to be Credited to 2010 estimated tax	11	0.	

Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities

	Yes	No
1 a During the tax year, did the foundation attempt to influence any national, state, or local legislation or did it participate or intervene in any political campaign?		X
b Did it spend more than \$100 during the year (either directly or indirectly) for political purposes (see the instructions for definition)?		X
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.		
c Did the foundation file Form 1120-POL for this year?		X
d Enter the amount (if any) of tax on political expenditures (section 4955) imposed during the year: (1) On the foundation ▶ \$ 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? If 'Yes,' attach a detailed description of the activities.		X
3 Has the foundation made any changes, not previously reported to the IRS, in its governing instrument, articles of incorporation, or bylaws, or other similar instruments? If 'Yes,' attach a conformed copy of the changes		X
4 a Did the foundation have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?		X
b If 'Yes,' has it filed a tax return on Form 990-T for this year?		N/A
5 Was there a liquidation, termination, dissolution, or substantial contraction during the year? If 'Yes,' attach the statement required by General Instruction T.		X
6 Are the requirements of section 508(e) (relating to sections 4941 through 4945) satisfied either: • By language in the governing instrument, or • By state legislation that effectively amends the governing instrument so that no mandatory directions that conflict with the state law remain in the governing instrument?	X	
7 Did the foundation have at least \$5,000 in assets at any time during the year? If 'Yes,' complete Part II, column (c), and Part XV	X	
8 a Enter the states to which the foundation reports or with which it is registered (see the instructions) CT		
b If the answer is 'Yes' to line 7, has the foundation furnished a copy of Form 990-PF to the Attorney General (or designate) of each state as required by General Instruction G? If 'No,' attach explanation	X	
9 Is the foundation claiming status as a private operating foundation within the meaning of section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5) for calendar year 2009 or the taxable year beginning in 2009 (see instructions for Part XIV)? If 'Yes,' complete Part XIV		X
10 Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year? If 'Yes,' attach a schedule listing their names and addresses.		X

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Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities Continued

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 <u>N/A</u>	13	X	
14	The books are in care of <u>SUSAN AYERS</u> Telephone no <u>860-535-0370</u> Located at <u>PO BOX 398 MYSTIC CT</u> ZIP + 4 <u>06355-0398</u>			
15	Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-PF in lieu of Form 1041 - Check here <u>N/A</u> and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year <u>15</u> <u>N/A</u>			

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

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

	Yes	No
1 a During the year did the foundation (either directly or indirectly)		
(1) Engage in the sale or exchange, or leasing of property with a disqualified person? ☐ Yes ☒ No		
(2) Borrow money from, lend money to, or otherwise extend credit to (or accept it from) a disqualified person? ☐ Yes ☒ No		
(3) Furnish goods, services, or facilities to (or accept them from) a disqualified person? ☒ Yes ☐ No		
(4) Pay compensation to, or pay or reimburse the expenses of, a disqualified person? ☒ Yes ☐ No		
(5) Transfer any income or assets to a disqualified person (or make any of either available for the benefit or use of a disqualified person)? ☐ Yes ☒ No		
(6) Agree to pay money or property to a government official? (Exception. Check 'No' if the foundation agreed to make a grant to or to employ the official for a period after termination of government service, if terminating within 90 days) ☐ Yes ☒ No		
b If any answer is 'Yes' to 1a(1)-(6), did any of the acts fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4941(d)-3 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance (see the instructions)? Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here ☐	1b	X
c Did the foundation engage in a prior year in any of the acts described in 1a, other than excepted acts, that were not corrected before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2009?	1c	X
2 Taxes on failure to distribute income (section 4942) (does not apply for years the foundation was a private operating foundation defined in section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5)):		
a At the end of tax year 2009, did the foundation have any undistributed income (lines 6d and 6e, Part XIII) for tax year(s) beginning before 2009? ☐ Yes ☒ No If 'Yes,' list the years <u>20__</u> , <u>20__</u> , <u>20__</u> , <u>20__</u>		
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.)	2b	N/A
c If the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) are being applied to any of the years listed in 2a, list the years here <u>20__</u> , <u>20__</u> , <u>20__</u> , <u>20__</u>		
3 a Did the foundation hold more than a 2% direct or indirect interest in any business enterprise at any time during the year? ☐ Yes ☒ No		
b If 'Yes,' did it have excess business holdings in 2009 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 2009).	3b	N/A
4 a Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes?	4a	X
b Did the foundation make any investment in a prior year (but after December 31, 1969) that could jeopardize its charitable purpose that had not been removed from jeopardy before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2009?	4b	X

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

5a During the year did the foundation pay or incur any amount to:

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

☐ Yes ☒ No

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

☐ Yes ☒ No

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

☒ Yes ☐ No

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

☐ Yes ☒ No

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

☐ Yes ☒ Nob If any answer is 'Yes' to 5a(1)-(5), did **any** of the transactions fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4945 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance (see instructions)?

5b

X

Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here

☐

c If the answer is 'Yes' to question 5a(4), does the foundation claim exemption from the tax because it maintained expenditure responsibility for the grant?

N/A ☐ Yes ☐ No

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

6a Did the foundation, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?

☐ Yes ☒ No

b Did the foundation, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?

6b

X

If 'Yes' to 6b, 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 6		0.	0.	0.

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

(a) Name and address of each employee paid more than \$50,000	(b) Title and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account, other allowances
NONE				

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		
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 SEE STATEMENT 7	
	3,462.
2 PROVIDE LEGAL, MANAGERIAL AND FINANCIAL ADVICE CONCERNING DEVELOPMENT OF AVATAR MEHER BABA PERPETUAL PUBLIC CHARITABLE TRUST FACILITIES.	
	6,539.
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 N/A	
2	
All other program-related investments. See instructions	
3	
Total. Add lines 1 through 3	0.

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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	1,039,989.
b	Average of monthly cash balances	1b	205,581.
c	Fair market value of all other assets (see instructions)	1c	
d	Total (add lines 1a, b, and c)	1d	1,245,570.
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	1,245,570.
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities. Enter 1-1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions)	4	18,684.
5	Net value of noncharitable-use assets. Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter here and on Part V, line 4	5	1,226,886.
6	Minimum investment return. Enter 5% of line 5. SHORT YEAR MODIFIED PERCENTAGE 3.7671 %	6	46,218.

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	46,218.
2a	Tax on investment income for 2009 from Part VI, line 5	2a	359.
b	Income tax for 2009 (This does not include the tax from Part VI)	2b	
c	Add lines 2a and 2b	2c	359.
3	Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1	3	45,859.
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions	4	
5	Add lines 3 and 4	5	45,859.
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	45,859.

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	90,376.
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		
a	Suitability test (prior IRS approval required)	3a	
b	Cash distribution test (attach the required schedule)	3b	
4	Qualifying distributions. Add lines 1a through 3b. Enter here and on Part V, line 8, and Part XIII, line 4.	4	90,376.
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)	5	
6	Adjusted qualifying distributions. Subtract line 5 from line 4	6	90,376.

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 2008	(c) 2008	(d) 2009
1 Distributable amount for 2009 from Part XI, line 7				45,859.
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2009:				
a Enter amount for 2008 only			0.	
b Total for prior years: 20__, 20__, 20__		0.		
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2009:				
a From 2004				
b From 2005	62,603.			
c From 2006	159,481.			
d From 2007	145,654.			
e From 2008	97,150.			
f Total of lines 3a through e	464,888.			
4 Qualifying distributions for 2009 from Part XII, line 4: \$ 90,376.				
a Applied to 2008, but not more than line 2a			0.	
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 2009 distributable amount				45,859.
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus	44,517.			
5 Excess distributions carryover applied to 2009 (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	509,405.			
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 2008. Subtract line 4a from line 2a. Taxable amount — see instructions			0.	
f Undistributed income for 2009 Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1 This amount must be distributed in 2010				0.
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 2004 not applied on line 5 or line 7 (see instructions)	0.			
9 Excess distributions carryover to 2010. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a.	509,405.			
10 Analysis of line 9				
a Excess from 2005	62,603.			
b Excess from 2006	159,481.			
c Excess from 2007	145,654.			
d Excess from 2008	97,150.			
e Excess from 2009	44,517.			

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

Recipient	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
Name and address (home or business)				
a Paid during the year SEE STATEMENT 9				
Total			3a	78,995.
b Approved for future payment				
Total			3b	

Schedule B
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Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Schedule of Contributors

► **Attach to Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF**

OMB No 1545-0047

2009

Name of the organization

AVATAR MEHER BABA FOUNDATION INC.

Employer identification number

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Organization type (check one).

Filers of:

Form 990 or 990-EZ

Section:

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

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

Check if your organization is covered by the **General Rule** or a **Special Rule**

Note: Only a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization can check boxes for both the General Rule and a Special Rule. See instructions

General Rule –

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

Special Rules –

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

Caution: An organization that is not covered by the General Rule and/or the Special Rules does not file Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF) but it **must** answer 'No' on Part IV, line 2 of their Form 990, or check the box on line H of its Form 990-EZ, or on line 2 of its Form 990-PF, to certify that it does not meet the filing requirements of Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF)

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

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Part I Contributors (see instructions)

(a) Number	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Aggregate contributions	(d) Type of contribution
1	SUSAN & DAVID MCBRIDE PO BOX 398 MYSTIC, CT 06355	\$ 5,000.	Person ☒ Payroll ☐ Noncash ☐ (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
2	ELAINE & JOE MILLER PO BOX 398 MYSTIC, CT 06355	\$ 5,000.	Person ☒ Payroll ☐ Noncash ☐ (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
3	JOHN POAG PO BOX 398 MYSTIC, CT 06355	\$ 10,000.	Person ☒ Payroll ☐ Noncash ☐ (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
4	ROBERT DIBBLE PO BOX 398 MYSTIC, CT 06355	\$ 6,000.	Person ☒ Payroll ☐ Noncash ☐ (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
5	EMORY & SUSAN AYERS PO BOX 398 MYSTIC, CT 06355	\$ 50,000.	Person ☒ Payroll ☐ Noncash ☐ (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
		\$	Person ☐ Payroll ☐ Noncash ☐ (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)

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Part II Noncash Property (see instructions)

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (see instructions)	(d) Date received
	N/A		
		\$	
		\$	
		\$	
		\$	
		\$	
		\$	

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Part III Exclusively religious, charitable, etc., individual contributions to section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organizations aggregating more than \$1,000 for the year. (Complete cols (a) through (e) and the following line entry.)For organizations completing Part III, enter total of *exclusively* religious, charitable, etc., contributions of \$1,000 or less for the year (Enter this information once – see instructions.)

► \$ N/A

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held
	N/A		

(e) Transfer of gift			
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4		Relationship of transferor to transferee	

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held

(e) Transfer of gift			
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4		Relationship of transferor to transferee	

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Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4		Relationship of transferor to transferee	

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held

(e) Transfer of gift			
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4		Relationship of transferor to transferee	

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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
CUMMINGS & LOCKWOOD LLC	\$ 800.			\$ 800.
TOTAL	\$ 800.	\$ 0.	\$ 0.	\$ 800.

STATEMENT 2
FORM 990-PF, PART I, LINE 16B
ACCOUNTING FEES

	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVESTMENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES
TAX PREPARATION	\$ 1,300.			\$ 1,300.
TOTAL	\$ 1,300.	\$ 0.	\$ 0.	\$ 1,300.

STATEMENT 3
FORM 990-PF, PART I, LINE 23
OTHER EXPENSES

	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVESTMENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES
ADMINISTRATION	\$ 1,619.			\$ 1,619.
TOTAL	\$ 1,619.	\$ 0.	\$ 0.	\$ 1,619.

STATEMENT 4
FORM 990-PF, PART II, LINE 10B
INVESTMENTS - CORPORATE STOCKS

CORPORATE STOCKS	VALUATION METHOD	BOOK VALUE	FAIR MARKET VALUE
2-BERKSHIRE HATHAWAY	COST	\$ 137,135.	\$ 198,400.
2885.201-SEQUOIA	COST	0.	0.
2000-GE	COST	0.	0.
2000-KRAFT	COST	57,140.	54,360.
17,968.723-ARTIO JETAX	COST	135,583.	93,314.
500-JOHN DEERE CAP CORP.	COST	50,000.	51,034.
TOTAL		\$ 379,858.	\$ 397,108.

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STATEMENT 5
FORM 990-PF, PART II, LINE 10C
INVESTMENTS - CORPORATE BONDS

<u>CORPORATE BONDS</u>	<u>VALUATION METHOD</u>	<u>BOOK VALUE</u>	<u>FAIR MARKET VALUE</u>
CATERPILL 4.75% 3/15/2011	COST	\$ 100,000.	\$ 102,846.
GECAP 6.125% 2/22/11	COST	52,022.	52,835.
9679.45-PIMCO TOT. RET.	COST	100,273.	104,538.
	TOTAL	\$ 252,295.	\$ 260,219.

STATEMENT 6
FORM 990-PF, PART VIII, LINE 1
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>
EMORY D. AYERS PO BOX 398 MYSTIC, CT 06355	PRESIDENT 30.00	\$ 0.	\$ 0.	\$ 0.
SUSAN A. AYERS PO BOX 398 MYSTIC, CT 06355	SECRETARY/TREAS 30.00	0.	0.	0.
NANCY P. MARX PO BOX 398 MYSTIC, CT 06355	ASST. SECRETARY 5.00	0.	0.	0.
JONATHAN MEYER PO BOX 398 MYSTIC, CT 06355	0	0.	0.	0.
ANANDA JONES PO BOX 398 MYSTIC, CT 06355	0	0.	0.	0.
	TOTAL	\$ 0.	\$ 0.	\$ 0.

STATEMENT 7
FORM 990-PF, PART IX-A, LINE 1
SUMMARY OF DIRECT CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES

<u>DIRECT CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES</u>	<u>EXPENSES</u>
EDUCATE THE PUBLIC ABOUT AVATAR MEHER BABA AND AVATAR MEHER BABA TRUST BY PRODUCING AND DISTRIBUTING FLYERS, TRUST FILMS, AND TRUST NEWSLETTERS, AND MAINTAINING A TRUST MAILING LIST. EVALUATE A PRINTING PROJECT DISSEMINATING INFORMATION ABOUT THE TRUST.	\$ 3,462.

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STATEMENT 8
FORM 990-PF, PART XV, LINE 1A
FOUNDATION MANAGERS - 2% OR MORE CONTRIBUTORS

EMORY D. AYERS
 SUSAN A. AYERS

STATEMENT 9
FORM 990-PF, PART XV, LINE 3A
RECIPIENT PAID DURING THE YEAR

NAME AND ADDRESS	DONEE RELATIONSHIP	FOUND- ATION STATUS	PURPOSE OF GRANT	AMOUNT
AVATAR MEHER BABA PPC TRUST KINGS ROAD AHMEDNAGAR, INDIA	NONE	PSC	DEVELOPMENT PLAN	\$ 57,000.
AVATAR MEHER BABA PPC TRUST KINGS ROAD AHMEDNAGAR, INDIA	NONE	PSC	EDUCATION, MEDICAL & OPERATING EXPENSE	10,345.
MEHER MOUNT 9902 SULPHUR MOUNTAIN ROAD OJAI, CA 93023	NONE	PSC	GENERAL SUPPORT	200.
SHERIAR FOUNDATION 807 34TH AVENUE SOUTH NORTH MYRTLE BEACH, SC 29582	NONE	PSC	GENERAL SUPPORT	200.
AVATAR MEHER BABA CENTER SOUTHERN CA 1214 S. VAN NESS AVENUE LOS ANGELES, CA 90019	NONE	PSC	GENERAL SUPPORT	100.
MEHER FUND 420 DALYRMPLE ROAD NE ATLANTA, GA 30328	NONE	PSC	MEDICAL GRANT	1,000.
AVATAR MEHER BABA HEARTLAND CENTER 1319 BARTA AVENUE PRAGUE, OK 74864	NONE	PSC	CAPITAL EXPENDITURES	200.
ANN ANDREE MARIE MOREIGNE KINGS ROAD AHMEDNAGAR, INDIA	NONE	N/A	STIPEND PROGRAM	900.
DAVANA CAROL BROWN KINGS ROAD AHMEDNAGAR, INDIA	NONE	N/A	STIPEND PROGRAM	900.

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STATEMENT 9 (CONTINUED)
 FORM 990-PF, PART XV, LINE 3A
 RECIPIENT PAID DURING THE YEAR

NAME AND ADDRESS	DONEE RELATIONSHIP	FOUND- ATION STATUS	PURPOSE OF GRANT	AMOUNT
JUDY A. STEPHENS KINGS ROAD AHMEDNAGAR, INDIA	NONE	N/A	STIPEND PROGRAM	\$ 900.
MEREDITH ELLEN KLEIN KINGS ROAD AHMEDNAGAR, INDIA	NONE	N/A	STIPEND PROGRAM	900.
MICHAEL MCDONALD KINGS ROAD AHMEDNAGAR, INDIA	NONE	N/A	STIPEND PROGRAM	900.
SARAH SCHALL KINGS ROAD AHMEDNAGAR, INDIA	NONE	N/A	STIPEND PROGRAM	900.
JANICE RIEMAN KINGS ROAD AHMEDNAGAR, INDIA	NONE	N/A	STIPEND PROGRAM	900.
CHIANA CLOUDTREE KINGS ROAD AHMEDNAGAR, INDIA	NONE	N/A	STIPEND PROGRAM	900.
JAMES FULGENZI KINGS ROAD AHMEDNAGAR, INDIA	NONE	N/A	STIPEND PROGRAM	900.
CRAIG RUFF KINGS ROAD AHMEDNAGAR, INDIA	NONE	N/A	STIPEND PROGRAM	900.
SHAHEN KHORSANDI KINGS ROAD AHMEDNAGAR, INDIA	NONE	N/A	STIPEND PROGRAM	900.
MEHER BABA CENTER OF THE TWIN CITIES 4724 ZENITH AVE SOUTH MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55410	NONE	PSC	EDUCATION PROGRAM	50.

TOTAL \$ 78,995.