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Return of Private Foundation

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

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

OMB No 1545-0052 2009

Forc	alendar	year 2009, or tax	year beginning			, and er	nding		
G C	heck all t	hat apply:	Initial return		Initial return of a f			Final retui	'n
		Nows of favoriation	Amended return		Address char	ige		Name change	
	the IRS	Name of foundati	on					A Employer identification	on number
	abel. erwise,	The Beni	amin Fund,	Ind	Z.			84-161848	3
-	print		or PO box number if mail is				Room/suite	B Telephone number	·
	type	17 Peral	ta Ave					415-255-7	296
	Specific ructions	City or town, state						C If exemption application is	_
			cisco, CA		110-4828			D 1. Foreign organization	ns, check here
H_C	¬''	e of organization:	•		empt private foundation			Foreign organizations n check here and attach or	computation
_ <u></u>		value of all assets	empt charitable trust		Other taxable private found g method. X Cash	ation Accr		E If private foundation st under section 507(b)(
		II, col. (c), line 16	· · · -	_	er (specify)	L ACG		F If the foundation is in a	
>		2,7	60,722. (Part I		nn (d) must be on cash	basis)		under section 507(b)(
Pa	(J)	alvsis of Revenue	and Expenses		(a) Revenue and expenses per books	(b) Net in		(c) Adjusted net income	(d) Disbursements for charitable purposes (cash basis only)
	1 Cor	itributions, gifts, gi	rants, etc., received					N/A	
			dation is not required to attach Sci	В		ļ			
	_	rest on savings and te n investments		-	28,021.		8,021.		
		dends and interest	from securities	-	54,910.	5	4,910.	<u> </u>	
)		SS rents rental income or (loss)		}		 			
			of assets not on line 10		269,996.				
Revenue	, Gros	ss sales price for all ets on line 6a	478,91	4.					
eve		ital gain net income (fr	om Part IV, line 2)	_ [26	9,996.		
~	8 Net	short-term capital	gain			-			ļ
Ì	9 Inco	ome modifications ss sales les <u>s returns</u> allowances							
		1 1	RECEIVED						-
		s Cost of goods <u>sold</u> SS profit pr (loss)		<u> </u>					
		اشا	10V 0 9 2010	3S-0SC	57,250.		420.		Statement 1
	12 Tot	al. Add lines 1 thro	ough 11	18	410,177.	35	3,347.		
	13 Com	pensation of officers.	directors trustees, etc.		10,000.		0.		9,500
							-		<u> </u>
ses		sion plans, employ	/ee benefits	-		<u> </u>			
Sus	16a Leg	ounting fees	Stmt 2	2	104.		10.		63
Expen		er professional fee:			4,818.		$\frac{10.}{4,818.}$		
	17 Inte	•							<u>-</u>
Administrative	18 Tax	es	Stmt 4	1	86,960.		782.		0
inis		reciation and deple	etion	-					
틩		upancy		-					
70		vel, conferences, a ating and publication	-	ŀ					
		er expenses	Stmt!	5	1,244.	 -	0.	<u> </u>	330
		al operating and a		·					
ber	exp	enses Add lines 1	3 through 23		103,126.		5,610.		9,893
-		itributions, gifts, gr		ļ	405,710.				405,710
		al expenses and d	ısbursements	l	E00 000		F (10		415 600
-		l lines 24 and 25	lina 12:	+	508,836.		<u>5,610.</u>		415,603
		tract line 26 from I	IINE 12; penses and disbursements		<98,659.				
į			penses and disbursements e (if negative, enter -0-)		~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~		7,737.		
ĺ		usted net income (t			. , , , , , ,	N/A	
)1 -10 LH			ction A	Act Notice, see the instruc	tione	6		Form 990-PF (2009

Part II Balance Sheets Attached schedules and amounts in the description column should be for end-of-year amounts only		Beginning of year	End of year		
Pai	til Balance Sheets column should be for end-of-year amounts only	(a) Book Value	(b) Book Value	(c) Fair Market Value	
T	1 Cash - non-interest-bearing				
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments	1,448,094.	1,034,172.	1,034,172.	
- [:	3 Accounts receivable ► 1,000.				
	Less; allowance for doubtful accounts ▶		1,000.	1,000.	
1.	4 Pledges receivable ►				
	Less: allowance for doubtful accounts				
	5 Grants receivable	-			
	6 Receivables due from officers, directors, trustees, and other				
	disqualified persons				
	7 Other notes and loans receivable				
	Less: allowance for doubtful accounts ▶				
इं	8 Inventories for sale or use				
Assets	9 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges				
⋖ 1	0a Investments - U.S. and state government obligations	50,000.			
	b Investments - corporate stock Stmt 6	174,739.	165,583.	173,057.	
	c Investments - corporate bonds Stmt 7	120,735.	108,065.	109,166.	
1	1 Investments - land, buildings, and equipment, basis				
	Less accumulated depreciation				
1		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			
1		1,829,953.	2,216,042.	1,443,327.	
		1,025,555	2,210,042.		
'	Less accumulated depreciation				
ין	5 Other assets (describe ►)				
		2 602 501	2 504 060	0 560 500	
$\overline{}$	6 Total assets (to be completed by all filers)	3,623,521.	3,524,862.	<u>2,760,722.</u>	
1	,				
1	8 Grants payable	-			
တ္ထု 1	9 Deferred revenue				
Liabilities 5 2	Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons				
<u>a</u> 2	1 Mortgages and other notes payable				
ے ₂	2 Other liabilities (describe ▶)				
2	3 Total liabilities (add lines 17 through 22)	0.	0.		
\top	Foundations that follow SFAS 117, check here				
	and complete lines 24 through 26 and lines 30 and 31.				
8 2	4 Unrestricted	3,623,521.	3,524,862.		
Net Assets or Fund Balance	•	0702070221	3/321/3321		
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<u>ة</u> ة	and complete lines 27 through 31				
Sti 2					
es 2					
Ž 2	The state of the s				
≥ [3	D Total net assets or fund balances	3,623,521.	3,524,862.		
3	1 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances	3,623,521.	3,524,862.		
Pai	Till Analysis of Changes in Net Assets or Fund Ba	alances			
1 To	tal net assets or fund balances at beginning of year - Part II, column (a), line				
	ust agree with end-of-year figure reported on prior year's return)			3,623,521.	
٠,	ter amount from Part I, line 27a		$\frac{1}{2}$		
	her increases not included in line 2 (itemize)		2	<u> </u>	
		.	3	0.	
	d lines 1, 2, and 3		4	3,524,862.	
_	creases not included in line 2 (itemize)		5	0.	
<u>6 To</u>	tal net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5) - Part II, co	iumn (b), line 30		3,524,862.	
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163,122.

415,603.

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7 Add lines 5 and 6

See the Part VI instructions.

8 Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4

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.

_	Tipe Benjamin Fund, Inc.			618483		Page 4
	art VI Excise Tax Based on Investment Income (Section 4940(a), 4940(l		240 - :	see mstru	Cuo	115)
18	a Exempt operating foundations described in section 4940(d)(2), check here and enter "N/A" on line	1 1				
	Date of ruling or determination letter: (attach copy of letter if necessary-see ins				~ <i>4</i>	
t	b Domestic foundations that meet the section 4940(e) requirements in Part V, check here 🕨 🗓 and ent	.er 1% }			3,4	<u> 177.</u>
	of Part I, line 27b	1	1			
	c All other domestic foundations enter 2% of line 27b. Exempt foreign organizations enter 4% of Part I, line 1					_
	Tax under section 511 (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only. Others enter -0-)	}	2			<u> </u>
3	Add lines 1 and 2		3		3,4	<u>177.</u>
4	Subtitle A (income) tax (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only. Others enter -0-)	<u> </u>	4		2 4	0.
5	Tax based on investment income. Subtract line 4 from line 3. If zero or less, enter -0-	-	5		3,4	<u> 177.</u>
6	Credits/Payments:	14 200				
	a 2009 estimated tax payments and 2008 overpayment credited to 2009	14,288.				
	b Exempt foreign organizations - tax withheld at source 6b					
	c Tax paid with application for extension of time to file (Form 8868) 6c 6c		Ì			
	d Backup withholding erroneously withheld 6d		_	4	4 1	
	Total credits and payments. Add lines 6a through 6d	-	7	<u> </u>	4,2	<u> 888.</u>
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	P	9			111
	Overpayment. If line 7 is more than the total of lines 5 and 8, enter the amount overpaid	11	10	<u>_</u>	υ, ε	311.
	Enter the amount of line 10 to be: Credited to 2010 estimated tax ► 10,8: art VII-A Statements Regarding Activities	11. Refunded ►	11			0.
					Voc	No
18	a During the tax year, did the foundation attempt to influence any national, state, or local legislation or did it p	participate or intervene i	IΠ	-	163	
	any political campaign?			1a		X
	b Did it spend more than \$100 during the year (either directly or indirectly) for political purposes (see instruc	•		_1b		X
	If the answer is "Yes" to 1a or 1b, attach a detailed description of the activities and copies of any	y matenais published	or or			
	distributed by the foundation in connection with the activities					3.7
	Did the foundation file Form 1120-POL for this year?			1c		X
(d Enter the amount (if any) of tax on political expenditures (section 4955) imposed during the year:	^				1
	(1) On the foundation. ► \$ (2) On foundation managers. ► \$					
6	Enter the reimbursement (if any) paid by the foundation during the year for political expenditure tax impose	on toungation				
	managers. > \$ 0.					v
2	Has the foundation engaged in any activities that have not previously been reported to the IRS?			2		X
	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, article bylaws, or other similar instruments? If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the changes	nes of incorporation, of				
4-	a Did the foundation have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?			3	X	X
	b If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on Form 990-T for this year?			4a	X	\vdash
				4b		x
5	Was there a liquidation, termination, dissolution, or substantial contraction during the year? If "Yes," attach the statement required by General Instruction T.			5		 ^
6	Are the requirements of section 508(e) (relating to sections 4941 through 4945) satisfied either:					
U	By language in the governing instrument, or					1
	 By state legislation that effectively amends the governing instrument so that no mandatory directions that 	t conflict with the ctate	low			1
	remain in the governing instrument?	t connect with the state	iavv	6	x	
7	Did the foundation have at least \$5,000 in assets at any time during the year?			7	X	\vdash
′	If "Yes," complete Part II, col (c), and Part XV.			'-	Λ	
Ω.	a Enter the states to which the foundation reports or with which it is registered (see instructions)					
Uå	CA			-		
	of 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	(or designate)		86	x	
9	Is the foundation claiming status as a private operating foundation within the meaning of section 4942(j)(3)) or 4942(1)/5) for calar	ndar	00		
3	year 2009 or the taxable year beginning in 2009 (see instructions for Part XIV)? If "Yes," complete Part 2	••••	Jui	9		х
10	Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year? If "Yes," attach a schedule listing their nam			10		X
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Pa	art 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?		13	X	
	Website address ► N/A				
14	The books are in care of ▶ The Foundation Telephone no.	▶ 415-25	55-7	296	
	Located at ▶17 Peralta Ave, San Francisco, CA	ZIP+4 ▶94			
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	
Pa	art 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
12	a During the year did the foundation (either directly or indirectly):				
		'es X No			
	(2) Borrow money from, lend money to, or otherwise extend credit to (or accept it from)	00 (22) 110			
		'es X No			
	· · · · ·	es X No			
	(4) Pay compensation to, or pay or reimburse the expenses of, a disqualified person?				
	(5) Transfer any income or assets to a disqualified person (or make any of either available	E2 140			
		es X No			
	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	es 🔼 NO	1		
	(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	. 📆			
		es X No			
ľ	b If any answer is "Yes" to 1a(1)-(6), did any of the acts fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations		1		
	section 53.4941(d)-3 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance (see page 20 of the instructions)?	. —	1b		<u>X</u>
	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 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)):				
ä	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) beginni				
	before 2009?	es X No			
	If "Yes," list the years ►,,,,,,,				
t	b Are there any years listed in 2a for which the foundation is not applying the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) (relating to incorrec	t			
	valuation of assets) to the year's undistributed income? (If applying section 4942(a)(2) to all years listed, answer "No" and attac	h			
	statement - see instructions.)	N/A	2b		
C	the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) are being applied to any of the years listed in 2a, list the years here.				
	>				
3a	a Did the foundation hold more than a 2% direct or indirect interest in any business enterprise at any time				
		es X No			
h	b if "Yes," did it have excess business holdings in 2009 as a result of (1) any purchase by the foundation or disqualified persons a				
•	May 26, 1969; (2) the lapse of the 5-year period (or longer period approved by the Commissioner under section 4943(c)(7)) to				
	of holdings acquired by gift or bequest; or (3) the lapse of the 10-, 15-, or 20-year first phase holding period? (Use Schedule)	-			
	Form 4720, to determine if the foundation had excess business holdings in 2009)	N/A	3b		
A	a Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes?	A1/ A3	4a		
	b Did the foundation mivest 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 purpos	e that	74		
	by Did the foundation make any investment in a prior year (but after becember 31, 1909) that could jeopardize its charitable purpos had not been removed from leopardy before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2009?	o mai	146		v
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Part VII-B Statements Regarding Activities for Which I	Form 4720 May Be I	Required (contin	ued)		
5a During the year did the foundation pay or incur any amount to:					
(1). Carry on propaganda, or otherwise attempt to influence legislation (section	n 4945(e))?	Ye	s X No	}	
(2) Influence the outcome of any specific public election (see section 4955); of	or to carry on, directly or indir	ectly,			
any voter registration drive?			s X No		
(3) Provide a grant to an individual for travel, study, or other similar purposes	?	☐ Y€	s X No		
(4) Provide a grant to an organization other than a charitable, etc., organizatio					
509(a)(1), (2), or (3), or section 4940(d)(2)?		T Ye	es X No		
(5) Provide for any purpose other than religious, charitable, scientific, literary,	or educational purposes, or	-		Ì	
the prevention of cruelty to children or animals?	or concentration of purposition, or		s X No		
b If any answer is "Yes" to 5a(1)-(5), did any of the transactions fail to qualify uni	der the excentions described		,5 (11)	,	
section 53.4945 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance (see instru		in riogulations	N/A	5b	
Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check h	•			-	
c If the answer is "Yes" to question 5a(4), does the foundation claim exemption f		unad		ļ	
		√A ∐ Ye	es 🗆 No		
expenditure responsibility for the grant?		N/A	s L NO	ł	
If "Yes," attach the statement required by Regulations section 53 494	` '				
6a Did the foundation, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to	pay premiums on		(TE)		
a personal benefit contract?		Ye	es X No		
b Did the foundation, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a p	ersonal benefit contract?		1	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 s	shelter transaction?	Ye	es 🗶 No 📙		
b If yes, did the foundation receive any proceeds or have any net income attribut				7b	
Part VIII Information About Officers, Directors, Trust	ees, Foundation Ma	anagers, Highly	/		
Faid Employees, and Contractors					
1 List all officers, directors, trustees, foundation managers and their		1			
(a) Name and address	(b) Title, and average hours per week devoted	(c) Compensation (If not paid,	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	(e)	Expense ount, other
(a) Name and address	to position	enter -0-)	compensation	alli	owances
Medea Susan Benjamin	President				
17 Peralta Ave					
San Francisco, CA 94110	0.00	0.	0.		0.
Kirsten Irgens-Moller	Secretary				
17 Peralta Ave	_				
San Francisco, CA 94110	5.00	10,000.	0.		٥.
	Treasurer			1	
17 Peralta Ave					
San Francisco, CA 94110	0.00	0.	0.		0.
<u> </u>	- 0100				
2 Compensation of five highest-paid employees (other than those inc	luded on line 1). If none.	enter "NONE."		<u> </u>	
			(d) Contributions to	(e)	Expense
(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	acco	unt, other
NONE	devoted to position		compensation	and	owances
NONE					
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				<u> </u>	
Total number of other employees paid over \$50,000					0

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Part VIII Information About Officers, Directors, Trustees, Foundat Paid Employees, and Contractors (continued)		
3 Five highest-paid independent contractors for professional services. If none, enter	"NONE."	
(a) Name and address of each person paid more than \$50,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
NONE		
	<u> </u>	
	_	
	_	
	_	
	-	
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 statisti	cal information such as the	
number of organizations and other beneficiaries served, conferences convened, research papers produ		Expenses
1 N/A		
2		
3		
<u></u>		
4		
Part IX-B Summary of Program-Related Investments		
Describe the two largest program-related investments made by the foundation during the tax year on li	ines 1 and 2.	Amount
1 N/A		
2		
All other program-related investments. See instructions.		
3		
<u> </u>		
Total Add lines 1 through 3	▶ !	Λ

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P	art X Minimum Investment Return (All domestic foundations must complete this part. Foreign four	ndations	s, 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	480,243.
b	Average of monthly cash balances	1b	1,346,527.
C	Fair market value of all other assets	1c	1,240,698.
ď	Total (add lines 1a, b, and c)	1d	3,067,468.
e	Reduction claimed for blockage or other factors reported on lines 1a and		
•	1c (attach detailed explanation)	1	
2	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to line 1 assets	2	0.
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1d	3	3,067,468.
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities. Enter 1 1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions)	4	46,012.
5	Net value of noncharitable-use assets Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter here and on Part V, line 4	5	3,021,456.
6	Minimum investment return. Enter 5% of line 5	6	151,073.
P	art XI Distributable Amount (see instructions) (Section 4942(j)(3) and (j)(5) private operating foundations are foreign organizations check here and do not complete this part.)	ıd certaın	
1	Minimum investment return from Part X, line 6	1	151,073.
2a	Tax on investment income for 2009 from Part VI, line 5		
b	Tax on investment income for 2009 from Part VI, line 5 Income tax for 2009. (This does not include the tax from Part VI.) 2a 3,477. 2b 8,597.		
C	Add lines 2a and 2b	2c_	12,074.
3	Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1	3	138,999.
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions	4	0.
5	Add lines 3 and 4	5	138,999.
6	Deduction from distributable amount (see instructions)	6_	0.
7_	Distributable amount as adjusted. Subtract line 6 from line 5. Enter here and on Part XIII, line 1	7	138,999.
P 1	Amounts paid (including administrative expenses) to accomplish charitable, etc., purposes:		
	Expenses, contributions, gifts, etc total from Part I, column (d), line 26	1a	415,603.
b	Program-related investments - total from Part IX-B	1b	0.
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:		
а	Suitability test (prior IRS approval required)	3a	
Ь	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	415,603.
5	Foundations that qualify under section 4940(e) for the reduced rate of tax on net investment		
J	income. Enter 1% of Part I, line 27b	5	3,477.
6	Adjusted qualifying distributions Subtract line 5 from line 4	6	412,126.
J	Note The amount on line 6 will be used in Part V, column (b), in subsequent years when calculating whether the foundation of		
	4940(e) reduction of tax in those years.	qualifico 1	or the southern

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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,	00.600	1.00.0 \$110.10 2000	2000	
line 7				138,999.
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2009				
a Enter amount for 2008 only			0.	
b Total for prior years:				
		0.		
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2009:				
a From 2004			l	
b From 2005 80,624 .	<u>.</u>			
c From 2006 9,338				
d From 2007 130, 387.				
e From 2008 153, 575				
f Total of lines 3a through e	373,924.			
4 Qualifying distributions for 2009 from				1
Part XII, line 4: ► \$ 415,603.	4			
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	445 600			
(Election required - see instructions)	415,603.			
d Applied to 2009 distributable amount				0.
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus	0.			
5 Excess distributions carryover applied to 2009 (If an amount appears in column (d), the same amount must be shown in column (a))	138,999.			138,999.
6 Enter the net total of each column as indicated below:				
a Corpus Add lines 3f, 4c, and 4e Subtract line 5	650,528.			
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 instr.			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)	0.			
8 Excess distributions carryover from 2004				
not applied on line 5 or line 7	0.			. <u> </u>
9 Excess distributions carryover to 2010.				
Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a	650,528.			
10 Analysis of line 9:				
a Excess from 2005	4			
b Excess from 2006	-			
c Excess from 2007 81,350.	-			
d Excess from 2008 153,575. e Excess from 2009 415,603.	-	i		
e Excess from 2009 415,603.	1			Corm 000 PE (0000)

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Part XIV Private Operating F	oundations (see in:	structions and Part V	II-A, question 9)	N/A	
1 a If the foundation has received a ruling o	r determination letter that	it is a private operating			
foundation, and the ruling is effective fo		-	▶		
b Check box to indicate whether the found	lation is a private operatir	ig foundation described		4942(j)(3) or4	942(j)(5)
2 a Enter the lesser of the adjusted net	Tax year	41,000	Prior 3 years	10000	
income from Part I or the minimum	(a) 2009	(b) 2008	(c) 2007	(d) 2006	(e) Total
investment return from Part X for					
each year listed			 		
b 85% of line 2a					
c Qualifying distributions from Part XII,					
line 4 for each year listed		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	 	 	
d Amounts included in line 2c not					
used directly for active conduct of					
exempt activities					
e Qualifying distributions made directly					
for active conduct of exempt activities.					
Subtract line 2d from line 2c 3 Complete 3a, b, or c for the			 		
alternative test relied upon:					
 a "Assets" alternative test - enter: (1) Value of all assets 					
• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •			 		
(2) Value of assets qualifying under section 4942(j)(3)(B)(i)					
b "Endowment" alternative test - enter 2/3 of minimum investment return					
shown in Part X, line 6 for each year					
listed		· · · · · ·	 	 	
c "Support" alternative test - enter:					
(1) Total support other than gross investment income (interest,					
dividends, rents, payments on					
securities loans (section			}		
512(a)(5)), or royalties) (2) Support from general public			<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
and 5 or more exempt					
organizations as provided in section 4942(j)(3)(B)(iii)					
(3) Largest amount of support from					
an exempt organization					
(4) Gross investment income		· · ·			
Part XV Supplementary Info	rmation (Comple	te this part only	if the foundation	n had \$5,000 or m	ore in assets
at any time during t	he year-see the i	nstructions.)	_		
1 Information Regarding Foundatio	n Managers:				
a List any managers of the foundation wh			tributions received by the	e foundation before the cl	ose of any tax
year (but only if they have contributed in	nore than \$5,000). (See s	ection 507(d)(2).)			
None		 	 		
 List any managers of the foundation who other entity) of which the foundation has 			(or an equally large port	ion of the ownership of a p	partnership or
• •	sa 10% of greater interes	· · ·			
None		<u> </u>			
2 Information Regarding Contributi Check here ► X if the foundation o					
the foundation makes gifts, grants, etc.					
a The name, address, and telephone num	<u> </u>				
a The hame, address, and telephone ham	but of the purcon to who	ii appiioationo onotila be	, 400103304.		
b The form in which applications should b	e submitted and informat	ion and materials they s	hould include:		
c Any submission deadlines:					
					
d Any restrictions or limitations on awards	s, such as by geographica	l areas, charitable fields	, kınds of ınstitutions, or	other factors:	

3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Y	ear or Approved for Future	Payment		
Recipient	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
Name and address (home or business)	or substantial contributor	recipient	Contribation	
a Paid during the year .	or substantial contributor	recipient		
See Statement 9				405 540
Total b Approved for future payment			▶ 3a	405,710.
None				
Total			▶ 2b	

Analysis of Income-Producing Activities

Enter gross amounts unless otherwise indicated.	Unrelated business income		Excluded by section 512, 513, or 514		(e)	
	(a) Business code	(b) Amount	Exclu- sion code	(d) Amount	Related or exempt function income	
1 Program service revenue:	Code		-			
a			-			
b			+-+			
c	<u> </u>					
d	-		 			
e						
f						
g Fees and contracts from government agencies						
2 Membership dues and assessments	1					
3 Interest on savings and temporary cash						
investments			14	28.021.		
4 Dividends and interest from securities			14	28,021. 54,910.		
5 Net rental income or (loss) from real estate:				34/310.		
			 	-		
a Debt-financed property			+			
b Not debt-financed property			-	·		
6 Net rental income or (loss) from personal						
property		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·				
7 Other investment income	531390	<u>56,830.</u>	01	420.		
8 Gain or (loss) from sales of assets other						
than inventory			18	269,996.		
9 Net income or (loss) from special events						
10 Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory						
11 Other revenue:						
			1			
a	-		 			
b	 		 			
<u> </u>	 		<u> </u>			
d	-	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·				
e						
12 Subtotal. Add columns (b), (d), and (e)		<u>56,830.</u>		353,347.		
13 Total Add line 12, columns (b), (d), and (e)				13	410,177.	
(See worksheet in line 13 instructions to verify calculations.)						
Part XVI-B Relationship of Activities to	o the Accomu	olishment of Ex	omnt E)umococ		
relationship of Activities to	o trie Accomp	pholinient of Ex	empt r	rurposes		
Line No. Explain below how each activity for which incor	ne is reported in co	lumn (e) of Part XVI-A	contribute	d importantly to the accome	dishment of	
the foundation's exempt purposes (other than t			00111111111111	o importantly to the decomp	monnion of	
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P	Part XVII Information Regarding Exempt Organizations	Transfers To and Transact	tions and Relationships With I	Noncharitable			
1		in any of the following with any other o	rganization described in section 501(c) of	Yes No			
-	the Code (other than section 501(c)(3) organiza	tions) or in section 527, relating to politi					
a Transfers from the reporting foundation to a noncharitable exempt organization of:							
	(1) Cash			1a(1) X			
	(2) Other assets			1a(2) X			
ı	b Other transactions:						
	(1) Sales of assets to a noncharitable exempt of	•		1b(1) X			
	(2) Purchases of assets from a noncharitable e	· -		1b(2) X			
	(3) Rental of facilities, equipment, or other asse	its .		1b(3) X			
	(4) Reimbursement arrangements			1b(4) X			
	(5) Loans or loan guarantees	Cod on one of the base		1b(5) X			
	(6) Performance of services or membership or			1b(6) X 1c X			
	c Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, other		the cold observe observe the few models to observe of t				
•	d If the answer to any of the above is "Yes," compl or services given by the reporting foundation. If						
	column (d) the value of the goods, other assets,		arket value ili ariy transaction or sharing arra	ingement, snow in			
(a)		Name of noncharitable exempt organizat	ION (d) Description of transfers, trans	sactions, and sharing arrangements			
		N/A					
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	<u>_</u>						
				_ 			
	 a Is the foundation directly or indirectly affiliated v in section 501(c) of the Code (other than section b If "Yes," complete the following schedule. 		pt organizations described	Yes X No			
	(a) Name of organization	(b) Type of organ	nization (c) Description	of relationship			
	N/A_						
_	_						
	Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined and complete Declaration of preparer (other than taxpayer		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	d belief, it is true, correct,			
	1 Digus Moller	11-5	-10 Secretary Bd	Directe			
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	address, and ZIP code San Franci	Isco, CA 94118	Phone no.	415-566-4619			

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Form 990-PF	Other I	ncome	S	tatement	1
Description		(a) Revenue Per Books	(b) Net Invest- ment Income	(c) Adjusted Net Incom	
Ordinary income from partners Other income	ship	56,830. 420.	0. 420.		
Total to Form 990-PF, Part I	, line 11 <u>—</u> —	57,250.	420.		
Form 990-PF	Accounti	ng Fees	S	tatement	2
Description .	(a) Expenses Per Books	(b) Net Invest- ment Income	(c) Adjusted Net Income	(d) Charital Purpose	
Bookkeeping and tax preparation	104.	10	•		63.
To Form 990-PF, Pg 1, ln 16b	104.	10	•		63.
Form 990-PF (Other Profes	sional Fees	S	tatement	3
Description	(a) Expenses Per Books	(b) Net Invest- ment Income	(c) Adjusted Net Income	(d) Charital Purpose	
Investment management	4,818.	4,818	•	-	0.
To Form 990-PF, Pg 1, ln 16c	4,818.	4,818	•		0.
Form 990-PF	Tax	es	S	tatement	4
Description	(a) Expenses Per Books		(c) Adjusted Net Income	(d) Charital Purpose	
Foreign tax withheld	782.	782	•	-	0.
Excise tax on investment income	350.	0	•		0.
Unrelated business income	85,828.	0	_		0.
tax	05,020.	0	•		

Form 990-PF	Other Expenses			Statement 5		
Description	(a) Expenses Per Books	(b) Net Inve		(c) Adjusted Net Incom		
Bank fees and filing fees Other p/s expenses	331. 913.	,	0.		3:	30.
To Form 990-PF, Pg 1, ln 23	1,244.		0.		33	30.
Form 990-PF	Corporat	e Stock			Statement	6
Description			Вос	ok Value	Fair Market Value	t
Schedule - equities				165,583.	173,0	57.
Total to Form 990-PF, Part II	, line 10b			165,583.	173,0	57.
Form 990-PF	Corporat	e Bonds			Statement	7
Description			Вос	ok Value	Fair Market Value	t
Schedule - bond funds				50,000. 58,065.	50,00 59,16	
Total to Form 990-PF, Part II	, line 10c	,		108,065.	109,16	56.
Form 990-PF	Other Inv	estments			Statement	8
Description		luation ethod	Вос	ok Value	Fair Market Value	
		COST	2	2,018,900. 47,020.	1,240,69	
Partnership interest Schedule-Unit Investment Trust Schedule-Mutual Funds Schedule-CD's	(COST COST COST		25,122. 125,000.	25,72 126,86	22.

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Paid	During the Year		
Recipient Name and Address	Recipient Relationship and Purpose of Grant	Recipient Status	Amount
A.J. Muste Memorial Institute 339 Lafayette New York, NY 10012	General support	Public charity	1,000.
Advocates for Children 151 W 30th Street, 5th Fl New York, NY 10001	General support	Public charity	5,000.
Alliance for Global Justice, Empower DC 1419 V St NW Washington, DC 20009	General support	Public charity	1,000.
AlterNet 77 Federal Street, 2nd Fl San Francisco, CA 94107	General support	Public charity	1,000.
Campaign to End the Israeli Occupation PO Box 21539 Washington, DC 20009	General support	Public charity	1,000.
Center for Constitutional Rights 666 Broadway, 7th Fl New York, NY 10012		Public charity	2,000.
Center for Economic and Policy Research 1611 Connecticut Ave NW Ste 400 Washington, DC 20009	General support	Public charity	1,000.
Center for Immigrant Families 20 West 104th St, Garden Entrance New York, NY 10025	General support	Public charity	5,000.

Grants and Contributions

The Benjamin Fund, Inc.			84-1618483
Center for International Policy 1717 Massachusetts Ave NW Ste 801 Washington, DC 20036	General support	Public charity	1,500.
Code Pink 4543 18th St, 4th Fl San Francisco, CA 94110	General support	Public charity	6,000.
Common Dreams PO Box 443 Portland, ME 04112	General support	Public charity	2,000.
Courage to Resist/AFGJ 484 Lake Park Ave #41 Oakland, CA 94610	General support	Public charity	1,000.
Democracy Now 207 W 25th St, 11th Fl New York, NY 10001	General support	Public charity	1,000.
Flanbwayan Haitian Literacy Project 208 Parkside Ave 2nd Fl Brooklyn, NY 11226	General support	Public charity	5,000.
Global Exchange 2017 Mission St San Francisco, CA 94110	General support	Public charity	320,000.
Green Festival 2017 Mission St San Francisco, CA 94110	General support	Public charity	30,000.
Hudson Guild 441 W 26th St New York, NY 10001	General support	Public charity	5,000.
IFCO/Healthcare Now 1315 Spruce St Philadelphia, PA 19107	General support	Public charity	1,000.

The Benjamin Fund, Inc.			84-1618483
Institue for Media Analysis/Grit TV 462 Broadway #530 New York, NY 10013	General support	Public charity	1,000.
Institute for Policy Studies 1112 16th St NW Ste 600 Washington, DC 20036	General support	Public charity	1,610.
J Street Education Fund PO Box 66073 Washington, DC 20035	General support	Public charity	100.
La Union 621 Degraw St Brooklyn, NY 11217	General support	Public charity	5,000.
Madre 121 W 27th St #301 New York, NY 10001	General support	Public charity	1,000.
National Lawyers Guild Foundation 132 Nassau St #922 New York, NY 10038	General support	Public charity	1,000.
Peace Action Education Fund 1100 Wayne Ave Ste 1020 Silver Spring, MD 20910	General support	Public charity	1,000.
Public Citizen Foundation 1600 20th St NW Washington, DC 20009	General support	Public charity	1,000.
The Nation Institute 116 E 16th St 8th Fl New York, NY 10003	General support	Public charity	1,000.
United for Peace and Justice PO Box 607 Times Square Station New York, NY 10108	General support	Public charity	1,500.

The Benjamin Fund, Inc.			84-1618483
Washington Peace Center 1233 Champlain St SW Washington, DC 20009	General support	Public charity	1,000.
WPFW Pacifica Radio 2390 Champlain St SW Washington, DC 20009	General support	Public charity	1,000.
Total to Form 990-PF, Part XV	, line 3a		405,710.