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Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

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

OMB No 1545-0047

2009

Open to Public Department of the Treasury ▶ The organization may have to use a copy of this return to satisfy state reporting requirements Internal Revenue Service Inspection calendar year, or tax year beginning 01-01-2009 A For the 2009 and ending 12-31-2009 D Employer identification number B Check if applicable Please NATIONAL FEDERATION OF INDEPENDENT use IRS label or 94-0707299 Address change **BUSINESS INC** E Telephone number Doing Business As print or type. See Name change (615) 872-5800 pecific Initial return Number and street (or P O box if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite 53 CENTURY BOULEVARD Instruc-G Gross receipts \$ 100,391,174 Terminated tions. City or town, state or country, and ZIP + 4 Nashville, TN 372143682 Amended return Application pending Name and address of principal officer Is this a group return for DONALD A DANNER affiliates? 1201 F ST NW SUITE 200 WASHINGTON, DC 20004 H(b) Are all affiliates included? If "No," attach a list (see instructions) **✓** 501(c) (6) **◄** (insert no) **✓** 4947(a)(1) or **✓** 527 Tax-exempt status Group exemption number 🕨 Website: ► www.nfib.com K Form of organization
✓ Corporation
✓ Trust
✓ Association
✓ Other ► L Year of formation 1949 M State of legal domicile CA Part I Summary Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities NATIONAL FEDERATION OF INDEPENDENT BUSINESS' MISSION IS TO PROMOTE AND PROTECT THE RIGHTS OF ITS MEMBERS TO OWN, OPERATE AND GROW THEIR BUSINESSES Activities & Governance Check this box 🔭 if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its net assets Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a) . Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b) . . . 13 1,097 Total number of employees (Part V, line 2a) . . 0 Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary) . 2,265,920 7a Total gross unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12. Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34 **7**b 44,380 **Current Year** Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h) . 4,329,508 4,149,447 Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g) . 78,438,373 83,756,654 Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d) -765,598 10 -1,741,150 11 Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e) 5,656,535 3,864,942 Total revenue—add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12 92,001,547 85,687,164 25,700 13 Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3) . 1,929,997 14 Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4) . 0 15 Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-Expenses 66,451,513 58,641,664 Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e) . . 1,398,648 1,449,256 16a ь Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) \blacktriangleright 17 Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24f) . 32,037,286 21,071,557 18 Total expenses Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25) 101,817,444 81,188,177 Revenue less expenses Subtract line 18 from line 12 . -9,815,897 4,498,987 19 Net Assets or Fund Balances **Beginning of Current End of Year** Year 32,407,526 20 Total assets (Part X, line 16) . 32,317,357 21 Total liabilities (Part X, line 26) . 83,893,149 69,265,554 Net assets or fund balances Subtract line 21 from line 20 -51,575,792 -36,858,028 Part II Signature Block 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 Sian ***** 2010-10-28 Here Signature of officer JEFF SMITH TREASURER Type or print name and title Date Check if Preparer's identifying number Preparer's (see instructions) Paid empolyed 🕨 🦵 Preparer's Firm's name (or yours KPMG LLP EIN ▶ if self-employed), **Use Only** address, and ZIP + 4 300 North Greene Street Suite 400 Phone no (336) 275-3394

Greensboro, NC 27401

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? (see instructions) . . .

Yes | No

Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

Briefly describe the organization's mission

NATIONAL FEDERATION OF INDEPENDENT BUSINESS (NFIB) WAS FORMED FOR THE FOLLOWING PURPOSES A) EDUCATING AND INFORMING ALL ITS MEMBERS ON POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC ISSUES, B) EDUCATING AND INFLUENCING LAWMAKERS AND OTHER PUBLIC OFFICIALS ON THE INTERESTS, PROBLEMS AND NEEDS OF SMALL AND INDEPENDENT BUSINESS, C) EDUCATING THE GENERAL PUBLIC, THE NEWS MEDIA AND PRIVATE-SECTOR EMPLOYEES ON THE INTERESTS, PROBLEMS AND NEEDS OF SMALL AND INDEPENDENT BUSINESS AND THE VALUES OF THE FREE-ENTERPRISE SYSTEM, D) DETERMINING POSITIONS ON ECONOMIC AND LEGISLATIVE ISSUES BASED ON A MAJORITY OPINION OF THE NFIB MEMBERSHIP SURVEYED, E) INFLUENCING THE DEVELOPMENT AND CONTENT OF PUBLIC POLICY AND LEGISLATION THAT AFFECT SMALL AND INDEPENDENT BUSINESS, F) MOTIVATING NFIB MEMBERS TO ACTIVELY PARTICIPATE IN THE POLITICAL AND LEGISLATIVE PROCESS AND THE ELECTION OF RESPONSIVE PUBLIC OFFICIALS, G) CONTINUALLY STRIVING TO IDENTIFY AND SERVE THE CHANGING NEEDS AND INTERESTS OF NFIB MEMBERS, H) CONTINUING TO INCREA

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4e	Total program service ex		, v. v	, (φ	,
4d	Other program services (Expenses \$	Describe in Schedule () . including o	·) (Revenue \$)
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4c	(Code) (Expenses \$	including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)
1b	(Code) (Expenses \$	including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)
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la	STATES NFIB LOBBIES ON BE	HALF OF SMALL AND INDEPEN	REPRESENTS SEVERAL HUNDRED THOU DENT BUSINESS AT THE FEDERAL LEVI	USAND SMALL AND INDEPENDENT BUSING EL AND IN ALL FIFTY STATES THROUGH	ITS COMMUNICATION
	Section 501(c)(3) and 50 allocations to others, the	01(c)(4) organizations are total expenses, and reve	=	argest program services by expere required to report the amount of ervice reported (Revenue \$	of grants and
_	If "Yes," describe these o	-			
			gnificant changes in how it con	_	es 🔽 No
	If "Yes," describe these r				
	the prior Form 990 or 99			Y	es 🔽 No

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	•		Yes	No
1	Is the organization described in section 501(c)(3) or 4947(a)(1) (other than a private foundation)? If "Yes," complete Schedule A	1		No
2	Is the organization required to complete Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors? 🕏	2	Yes	
3	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	3	Yes	
4	Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization engage in lobbying activities? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II	4		
5	Section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), and 501(c)(6) organizations. Is the organization subject to the section 6033(e) notice and reporting requirement and proxy tax? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III	5	Yes	
6	Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds or any similar funds or accounts where donors have the right to provide advice on the distribution or investment of amounts in such funds or accounts? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part I	6		Νο
7	Did the organization receive or hold a conservation easement, including easements to preserve open space, the environment, historic land areas or historic structures? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part II</i>	7		Νο
8	Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part III	8		Νo
9	Did the organization report an amount in Part X, line 21, serve as a custodian for amounts not listed in Part X, or provide credit counseling, debt management, credit repair, or debt negotiation services? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IV.	9		No
10	Did the organization, directly or through a related organization, hold assets in term, permanent,or quasi- endowments? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V	10		Νo
11		11	Yes	
	◆ Did the organization report an amount for land, buildings, and equipment in Part X, line10? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VI.			
	◆ Did the organization report an amount for investments—other securities in Part X, line 12 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VII.			
	◆ Did the organization report an amount for investments—program related in Part X, line 13 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VIII.			
	◆ Did the organization report an amount for other assets in Part X, line 15 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IX.			
	◆ Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X.			
	◆ Did the organization's separate or consolidated financial statements for the tax year include a footnote that addresses the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X.			
12	Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts XI, XII, and XIII	12	Yes	
12A	Was the organization included in consolidated, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? Yes No			
	If "Yes," completing Schedule D, Parts XI, XII, and XIII is optional			
13	Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E	13		Νo
14a	Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States?	14a		No
b	Did the organization have aggregate revenues or expenses of more than \$10,000 from grantmaking, fundraising, business, and program service activities outside the United States? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part I	14b		No
15	Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of grants or assistance to any organization or entity located outside the U S? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part II	15		Νο
16	Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of aggregate grants or assistance to individuals located outside the U S ? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part III	16		No
17	Did the organization report a total of more than \$15,000, of expenses for professional fundraising services on Part IX, column (A), lines 6 and 11e? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part I	17	Yes	
18	Did the organization report more than \$15,000 total of fundraising event gross income and contributions on Part VIII, lines 1c and 8a? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part II	18		No
19	Did the organization report more than \$15,000 of gross income from gaming activities on Part VIII, line 9a? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part III	19		Νο
20	Did the organization operate one or more hospitals? If "Yes," complete Schedule H	20		No

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Par	t IV Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)			
21	Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants and other assistance to governments and organizations in the United States on Part IX, column (A), line 1? If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II	21	Yes	
22	Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants and other assistance to individuals in the United States on Part IX, column (A), line 2? If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and III	22		No
23	Did the organization answer "Yes" to Part VII, Section A, questions 3, 4, or 5, about compensation of the organization's current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees? If "Yes," complete Schedule J	23	Yes	
24a	Did the organization have a tax-exempt bond issue with an outstanding principal amount of more than \$100,000 as of the last day of the year, that was issued after December 31, 2002? If "Yes," answer questions 24b-24d and complete Schedule K. If "No," go to line 25	24a		No
b	Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception?	24b		
С	Did the organization maintain an escrow account other than a refunding escrow at any time during the year to defease any tax-exempt bonds?	24c		
d	Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year?	24d		
25a	Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Did the organization engage in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person during the year? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I	25a		
b	Is the organization aware that it engaged in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person in a prior year, and that the transaction has not been reported on any of the organization's prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I	25b		
26	Was a loan to or by a current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, highly compensated employee, or disqualified person outstanding as of the end of the organization's tax year? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II	26		No
27	Did the organization provide a grant or other assistance to an officer, director, trustee, key employee, substantial contributor, or a grant selection committee member, or to a person related to such an individual? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III	27		No
28	Was the organization a party to a business transaction with one of the following parties? (see Schedule L, Part IV instructions for applicable filing thresholds, conditions, and exceptions)			
а	A current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV	28a		No
b	A family member of a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV	28b		No
c	An entity of which a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee of the organization (or a family member) was an officer, director, trustee, or owner? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV	28c		No
29	Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? If "Yes," complete Schedule M	29		No
30	Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? If "Yes," complete Schedule M	30		No
31	Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I	31		No
32	Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part II	32		No
33	Did the organization own 100% of an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations sections 301 7701-2 and 301 7701-3? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part I	33		No
34	Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Parts II, III, IV, and V, line 1	34	Yes	
35	Is any related organization a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2	35	Yes	
36	Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2	36		
37	Did the organization conduct more than 5% of its activities through an entity that is not a related organization and that is treated as a partnership for federal income tax purposes? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part VI	37		Νο
38	Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations in Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11 and 19? Note. All Form 990 filers are required to complete Schedule O	38	Yes	

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Part V	Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance				
		Yes	No		

			Yes	NO
1a	Enter the number reported in Box 3 of Form 1096, Annual Summary and Transmittal of U.S. Information Returns. Enter -0- if not applicable			
ь	Enter the number of Forms W-2G included in line 1a Enter -0- if not applicable			
С	Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable			
	gaming (gambling) winnings to prize winners?	1 c	Yes	
2a	Enter the number of employees reported on Form W-3, Transmittal of Wage and Tax Statements filed for the calendar year ending with or within the year covered by this return			
h	return	1		
	Note: If the sum of lines 1a and 2a is greater than 250, you may be required to e-file this return (see instructions)	2b	Yes	
3a	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year covered by this			
_	return?	3a	Yes	
	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O	3b	Yes	<u> </u>
4a	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)?	4a		No
b	If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country 🕒			
	See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22 1, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts			
5a	Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year?	5a		No
b	Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?	5b		No
С	If "Yes" to line 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T, Disclosure by Tax-Exempt Entity Regarding Prohibited Tax Shelter Transaction?	5c		
5a	Does the organization have annual gross receipts that are normally greater than \$100,000, and did the organization solicit any contributions that were not tax deductible?	6a	Yes	
b	If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible?	6b	Yes	
7	Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).			
а	Did the organization receive a payment in excess of \$75 made partly as a contribution and partly for goods and services provided to the payor?	7a		
	If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided?	7b		
С	Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was required to file Form 8282?	7c		
d	If "Yes," indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year			
e	Did the organization, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?	7e		
f	Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?	7f		
	For all contributions of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required?	7g		
h	For contributions of cars, boats, airplanes, and other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-C as required?	7h		
8	Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds and section 509(a)(3) supporting organizations. Did the supporting organization, or a donor advised fund maintained by a sponsoring organization, have excess business holdings at any time during the year?	8		
9	Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds.			
а	Did the organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966?	9a		
b	Did the organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person?	9b		
10	Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter			
	Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12 10a]		
b	Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities	-		
11	Section 501(c)(12) organizations. Enter			
	Gross income from members or shareholders			
b	Gross income from other sources (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against amounts due or received from them)	_		
12a	Section 4947(a)(1) non-exempt charitable trusts. Is the organization filing Form 990 in lieu of Form 1041?	12a		
b	If "Yes," enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year			

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Part VI Governance, Management, and Disclosure For each "Yes" response to lines 2 through 7b below, and for a "No" response to lines 8a, 8b, or 10b below, describe the circumstances, processes, or changes in Schedule O. See instructions.

	processes, or changes in Schedule O. See instructions.			
<u> 5</u> e	ection A. Governing Body and Management		Yes	No
			168	140
1a	Enter the number of voting members of the governing body 1a	14		
b	Enter the number of voting members that are independent 1b	13		
2	Did any officer, director, trustee, or key employee have a family relationship or a business relationship with an other officer, director, trustee, or key employee?	ny 2		No
3	Did the organization delegate control over management duties customarily performed by or under the direct supervision of officers, directors or trustees, or key employees to a management company or other person?	з		No
4	Did the organization make any significant changes to its organizational documents since the prior Form 990 v	was 4		No
5	Did the organization become aware during the year of a material diversion of the organization's assets?	. 5		Νο
6	Does the organization have members or stockholders?	. 6		No
7a	Does the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who may elect one or more members of governing body?	the 7a		No
b	Are any decisions of the governing body subject to approval by members, stockholders, or other persons? .	. 7b		No
8	Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year by the following	3		
а	The governing body?	. 8a	Yes	
b	Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body?	. 8ь	Yes	
9	Is there any officer, director, trustee, or key employee listed in Part VII, Section A, who cannot be reached at organization's mailing address? If "Yes," provide the names and addresses in Schedule O	t the 9		No
	ection B. Policies (This Section B requests information about policies not required by the Interr	ıal		•
Re	evenue Code.)		T	T
			Yes	No
	Does the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates?	10a	1	No
	affiliates, and branches to ensure their operations are consistent with those of the organization?	. 10b	•	
11	Has the organization provided a copy of this Form 990 to all members of its governing body before filing the fo	11		No
11A	Describe in Schedule O the process, if any, used by the organization to review the Form 990			
12a	Does the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? If "No," go to line 13	12a	Yes	
b	Are officers, directors or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give to conflicts?	rıse 12b	Yes	
c	Does the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? If "Yes," describe in Schedule O how this is done	. 120	: Yes	
13	Does the organization have a written whistleblower policy?	. 13	Yes	
14	Does the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy?	. 14		Νο
15	Did the process for determining compensation of the following persons include a review and approval by independent persons, comparability data, and contemporaneous substantiation of the deliberation and decision	on?		
а	The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official	. 15a	Yes	
b	Other officers or key employees of the organization	15b	Yes	
	If "Yes" to line a or b, describe the process in Schedule O (See instructions)			
16a	Did the organization invest in, contribute assets to, or participate in a joint venture or similar arrangement with taxable entity during the year?	th a 16a		No
b	If "Yes," has the organization adopted a written policy or procedure requiring the organization to evaluate its participation in joint venture arrangements under applicable federal tax law, and taken steps to safeguard the	-		
	organization's exempt status with respect to such arrangements?	16b	,	
Se	ection C. Disclosure			
17	List the States with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed▶CA , FL			
18	Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Form 1023 (or 1024 if applicable), 990, and 990-T (501(3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you make these available. Check all that apply Own website. Another's website.	c)		
19	Describe in Schedule O whether (and if so, how), the organization makes its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial statements available to the public. See Additional Data Table			
20	State the name, physical address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the books and records	of the or	ganızatıo	n ►
	JEFF SMITH			

Part VIII Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest Compensated Employees, and Independent Contractors

Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees

1a Complete this table for all persons required to be listed Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year. Use Schedule J-2 if additional space is needed

- List all of the organization's current officers, directors, trustees (whether individuals or organizations), regardless of amount of compensation, and current key employees Enter -0- in columns (D), (E), and (F) if no compensation was paid
- List all of the organization's current key employees. See instructions for definition of "key employee"
- List the organization's five **current** highest compensated employees (other than an officer, director, trustee or key employee) who received reportable compensation (Box 5 of Form W-2 and/or Box 7 of Form 1099-MISC) of more than \$100,000 from the organization and any related organizations
- List all of the organization's **former** officers, key employees, or highest compensated employees who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations
- List all of the organization's former directors or trustees that received, in the capacity as a former director or trustee of the organization, more than \$10,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations

List persons in the following order individual trustees or directors, institutional trustees, officers, key employees, highest compensated employees, and former such persons

Check this box if the organization did i	not compen	sate any	y curi	rent	or fo	rmer	ffice	r, dırector, trustee	or key employee	
(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours	(C) Position (check all that apply)						(D) Reportable compensation	(E) Reportable compensation	(F) Estimated amount of other
	per week	Individual trustee or director	Institutional Trustee	Officei	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former	from the organization (W- 2/1099-MISC)	from related organizations (W- 2/1099- MISC)	compensation from the organization and related organizations
See add'l data										

1b Total	•	4,547,559	0	542,281

Total number of individuals (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 in reportable compensation from the organization №103

			Yes	No	-
3	Did the organization list any former officer, director or trustee, key employee, or highest compensated employee on line 1a? <i>If</i> " <i>Yes,"</i> complete Schedule <i>J</i> for such individual	3		No	
4	For any individual listed on line 1a, is the sum of reportable compensation and other compensation from the organization and related organizations greater than \$150,000? If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual	4	Yes		
5	Did any person listed on line 1a receive or accrue compensation from any unrelated organization for services rendered to the organization? If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such person	5		No	-

Section B. Independent Contractors

1 Complete this table for your five highest compensated independent contractors that received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization

(A)	(B)	(C)
Name and business address	Description of services	Compensation
National Capital Teleservices Inc 300 5th Street NE WASHINGTON, DC 20002	TELEMARKETING SVCS	1,449,256
Hammock Publishing Inc 3322 West End Avenue NASHVILLE, TN 37203	PUB/WEB CONTENT	534,474
IMC Global Technology Services Pvt 11480 COMMERCE PARK DRIVE RESTON, VA 20191	IT CONSULTING	660,880
Avectra Inc 7901 Jones Branch Drive MCLEAN, VA 20176	CRM Project	1,743,643
Chernoff Newman 1411 Gervais Street COLUMBIA, SC 29201	Advt/Marketing Serv	694,575
2 Total number of independent contractors (including but not limited to those listed above) \$100,000 in compensation from the organization ►16) who received more than	

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Form 990 (2009) Part VIII Statement of Revenue										
Part V	<u> </u>	Statement	of Revenue		(A) Total revenue	(B) Related or exempt function revenue	(C) Unrelated business revenue	(D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512, 513, or 514		
मुक्क	1a	Federated camp	paigns 1a							
Contributions, gifts, grants and other similar amounts	ь	Membership du	es							
કું. ⊞	c	Fundraising eve	ents 1c							
<u>≅</u> ,ਰੋ	d		rations 1d	279,730						
ans, Sim	e	Government grants			ļ			ļ		
urio E	f	All other contribution similar amounts no	ons, gifts, grants, and 1f ot included above	3,869,717						
き	g		butions included in							
Š	h	lines 1a-1f \$		▶	4,149,447					
		Totali / (dd iiii c		Business Code	, ,					
TI e	2a	MEMBERSHIP DUES	S	541,900	78,366,707	78,366,707				
Program Serwce Revenue	ь	REGISTRATION FEI		541,900	71,666	71,666				
ě. E	c			2.12,233						
¥.	d									
ૐ ⊆	e									
lian.	f	All other progra	am service revenue							
٥	g	Total Add lines	s 2a – 2f	L	78,438,373					
	3		ome (including dividen		70,130,373					
			aramounts)	. F	682,383			682,383		
	4	Income from inves	tment of tax-exempt bond	proceeds 🕨	0					
	5	Royalties			1,172,988			1,172,988		
	_		(ı) Real 787,376	(II) Personal						
	6а b	Gross Rents Less rental	700,698							
	-	expenses Rental income	86,678							
	c .	or (loss)			06.670			06.670		
	d	Net rental incor	me or (loss)		86,678			86,678		
	7a	Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory	(i) Securities 12,555,331	(II) O ther						
	ь	Less cost or other basis and sales expenses	14,001,484	1,828						
	С	Gain or (loss)	-1,446,153	-1,828	=					
	d 8a	Net gain or (los Gross income fi	s)		-1,447,981			-1,447,981		
Other Revenue		events (not inc	luding s reported on line 1c)							
‡	ь		penses b							
0	C O		loss) from fundraising	events 🕦	0					
	9a	Gross income fi See Part IV, lin	rom gaming activities le 19 a							
	b c		penses b (loss) from gaming acti	vities	0					
	10a	Gross sales of returns and allo								
	ь	Less cost of go	oods sold b							
	С		(loss) from sales of inve		0					
	44:-	Miscellaneous		Business Code 541,900	2,270,239	128,899	2,141,340			
	11a	OTHER INCOM		541,900	2,270,239	210,457	2,141,340			
	Ь	SPONSORSHI	_	541,800	124,580	210,737	124,580			
	d	ADVERTISING	i ue	311,000	124,500		124,300			
	e e	Total. Add lines								
	12		See Instructions .	•	2,605,276	78,777,729	2 365 030	404.050		
	ı				85,687,164	10,111,129	2,265,920	494,068		

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Par	Statement of Functional Expenses Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations me	ust complete all s	olumpe		
А	اا other organizations must complete column (A) but are not required to			(D).	
Do no	ot include amounts reported on lines 6b, o, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII.	(A) Total expenses	(B) Program service expenses	(C) Management and general expenses	(D) Fundraising expenses
1	Grants and other assistance to governments and organizations in the U.S. See Part IV, line 21	25,700			
2	Grants and other assistance to individuals in the U.S. See Part IV, line 22	0			
3	Grants and other assistance to governments, organizations, and individuals outside the U S See Part IV, lines 15 and 16	0			
4	Benefits paid to or for members	0			
5	Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees	3,152,269			
6	Compensation not included above, to disqualified persons (as defined under section $4958(f)(1)$) and persons described in section $4958(c)(3)(B)$	0			
7	Other salaries and wages	42,157,607			
8	Pension plan contributions (include section 401(k) and section 403(b) employer contributions)	2,965,835			
9	Other employee benefits	7,043,213			_
10	Payroll taxes	3,322,740			
11	Fees for services (non-employees)				
а	Management	0			
b	Legal	227,861			
С	Accounting	94,595			
d	Lobbying	944,050			
e	Professional fundraising See Part IV, line 17	1,449,256			
f	Investment management fees	191,038			
g	Other	3,780,715			
12	Advertising and promotion	373,997			
13	Office expenses	4,693,995			
14	Information technology	1,613,598			
15	Royalties	0			
16	Occupancy	3,079,253			
17	Travel	3,565,201			
18	Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials	0			
19	Conferences, conventions, and meetings	416,498			
20	Interest	170,438			
21	Payments to affiliates	0			
22	Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	1,250,105			
23	Insurance	165,071			
24	Other expenses Itemize expenses not covered above (Expenses grouped together and labeled miscellaneous may not exceed 5% of total expenses shown on line 25 below)				
а	MSC EXPENSES PAID BY NFIB	505,142			
ь					
c					
d					
e					
f	All other expenses				
25	Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24f	81,188,177			
26	Joint costs. Check here ► ☐ If following SOP 98-2	, -,			
	Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation				

Pa	rt X	Balance Sheet					
-					(A)		(B)
	1				Beginning of year		End of year
	1	Cash—non-interest-bearing			929,777	1	101,273
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments	•			2	
	3	Pledges and grants receivable, net	•			3	
	4	Accounts receivable, net			831,849	4	481,583
	5	Receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees highest compensated employees Complete Part II of	s, key	employees, and			
		Schedule L				5	
	6	Receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under s persons described in section $4958(c)(3)(B)$ Complete Part II of		4958(f)(1)) and			
		Schedule L				6	
ets	7	Notes and loans receivable, net				7	
Assets	8	Inventories for sale or use			115,452	8	120,173
⋖	9	Prepaid expenses and deferred charges			927,308	9	972,104
	10a	Land, buildings, and equipment cost or other basis <i>Complete</i> Part VI of Schedule D	10a	14,697,125			
	ь	Less accumulated depreciation	10b	8,119,105	6,149,952	10c	6,578,020
	11	Investments—publicly traded securities			19,813,758	11	21,768,948
	12	Investments—other securities See Part IV, line 11			217,843	12	6,265
	13	Investments—program-related See Part IV, line 11				13	
	14	Intangible assets				14	_
	15	Other assets See Part IV, line 11			3,331,418	15	2,379,160
	16	Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34)			32,317,357	16	32,407,526
	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses .			57,110,125	17	47,985,078
	18	Grants payable				18	
	19	Deferred revenue			19,244,813	19	19,525,828
	20	Tax-exempt bond liabilities				20	
es	21	Escrow or custodial account liability Complete Part IV of Schedul	le D .			21	-
Liabilities	22	Payables to current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, and disqualified					
Lia		persons Complete Part II of Schedule L		•		22	
	23	Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties			0	23	1,454,000
	24	Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties			7,003,000	24	0
	25	Other liabilities Complete Part X of Schedule D			535,211	25	300,648
	26	Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25			83,893,149	26	69,265,554
5		Organizations that follow SFAS 117, check here ▶ 🔽 and comp	olete li	nes 27			
Fund Balances		through 29, and lines 33 and 34.					
an	27	Unrestricted net assets			-51,812,172	27	-37,164,511
Ba	28	Temporarily restricted net assets			236,380	28	306,483
μ	29	Permanently restricted net assets				29	
Fu		Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here ► ┌ ar	nd com	plete			
0		lines 30 through 34.					
χs	30	Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds				30	
Assets	31	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building or equipment fund				31	
	32	Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other fu	ınds			32	
Net	33	Total net assets or fund balances			-51,575,792	33	-36,858,028
	34	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances			32,317,357	34	32,407,526

Part XI Financial Statements and Reporting

			Yes	No
1	Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990			
2a	Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant?	2a		Νo
b	Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant?	2b	Yes	
c	If "Yes," to 2a or 2b, does the organization have a committee that assumes responsibility for oversight of the audit, review, or compilation of its financial statements and selection of an independent accountant? If the organization changed either its oversight process or selection process during the tax year, explain in Schedule O	2 c	Yes	
d	If "Yes" to line 2a or 2b, check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were issued on a consolidated basis, separate basis, or both			
	Separate basis Consolidated basis 🔽 Both consolidated and separated basis			
3a	As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set forth in the Single Audit Act and OMB Circular A-133?	3a		No
Ь	If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? If the organization did not undergo the required audit or audits, explain why in Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits	3b		

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BUSINESS INC

Form 990, Part VII - Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest

Compensated Employees, and (A)	(B)		((E)				(D)	(E)	(F)
Name and Title	A verage hours per		tion (that a		')		1	Reportable compensation from the	Reportable compensation from related	Estimated amount of other compensation
	week	Individual trustee or director	Institutional Trustee	Officei	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former	organization (W- 2/1099-MISC)	organizations (W- 2/1099- MISC)	from the organization and related organizations
TIMOTHY CLAYTON CHAIRMAN	1 0	X						38,211	0	203
DON COGMAN DIRECTOR	1 0	Х						16,000	0	203
TOM MUSSER DIRECTOR	1 0	Х						7,204	0	203
SUNDER RAMANI DIRECTOR	1 0	Х						16,000	0	203
BRADLEY EIFFERT DIRECTOR	1 0	Х						16,204	0	203
RUTH LOPEZ NOVODOR DIRECTOR	1 0	Х						8,000	0	203
A JUNE LENNON DIRECTOR	1 0	Х						16,000	0	135
THOMAS MICHAEL NOBIS DIRECTOR	1 0	Х						8,204	0	203
MARIA COAKLEY DAVID DIRECTOR	1 0	Х						8,204	0	203
DAVID M GUERNSEY DIRECTOR	1 0	Х						16,380	0	203
ROBERT BLACKWELL DIRECTOR	1 0	Х						500	0	203
NEVIN GROCE DIRECTOR	1 0	X						5,500	0	203
BETTY NEIGHBORS DIRECTOR	1 0	Х						8,204	0	203
TODD A STOTTLEMYER PRESIDENT/CEO	40 0	X		Х				80,970	0	16,355
DONALD A DANNER PRESIDENT/CEO	40 0	Х		Х				864,286	0	73,452
MARY BLASINSKY SVP/SECRETARY	40 0			X				374,889	0	63,042
TAMMY S BOEHMS SVP/CFO	40 0			X				387,805	0	42,609
DARREN ELROD TREASURER	40 0			X				49,550	0	9,298
Jeff Smith TREA SURER	40 0			Χ				117,107	0	12,933
DAVID SILVERMAN SVP SALES & MARKETING	40 0				X			456,978	0	29,284
STEPHEN WOODS VP STATE PUBLIC POLICY	40 0				X			332,727	0	73,802
JOHN M LANIER SVP OPERATIONS	40 0					X		823,879	0	34,722
SUSAN M ECKERLY SVP PUBLIC POLICY	40 0					X		225,421	0	48,231
JAMES L SCHROEDER MEMBER SALES REP	40 0					X		234,916	0	49,778
Mark Garzone SVP Marketing	40 0					Х		217,383	0	28,986

Form 990, Part VII - Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest Compensated Employees, and Independent Contractors

						_				
(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week	1	tion ((ched	·)			(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the
		Individual trustee or director	estitutional Trustee	II — I	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former	2/1099-MISC)	(W- 2/1099- MISC)	organization and related organizations
Margit Oklevik Member Sales Rep	40 0					Х		217,037	0	57,218

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Political Campaign and Lobbying Activities

For Organizations Exempt From Income Tax Under section 501(c) and section 527 ► Complete if the organization is described below.

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

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SCHEDULE C (Form 990 or 990-EZ)

If the organization answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, Line 3, or Form 990-EZ, Part VI, line 46 (Political Campaign Activities),

- ◆ Section 501(c)(3) organizations Complete Parts I-A and B Do not complete Part I-C
- ◆ Section 501(c) (other than section 501(c)(3)) organizations Complete Parts I-A and C below Do not complete Part I-B

Provide a description of the organization's direct and indirect political campaign activities in Part IV

◆ Section 527 organizations Complete Part I-A only

If the organization answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, Line 4, or Form 990-EZ, Part VI, line 47 (Lobbying Activities), then

- ◆ Section 501(c)(3) organizations that have filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)) Complete Part II-A Do not complete Part II-B
- ◆ Section 501(c)(3) organizations that have NOT filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)) Complete Part II-B Do not complete Part II-A

If the organization answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, Line 5 (Proxy Tax) or Form 990-EZ, line 35a (regarding proxy tax), then

◆ Section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6) organizations Complete Part III

Name of the organization
NATIONAL FEDERATION OF INDEPENDENT
BUSINESS INC

Employer identification number

94-0707299

art I-A	Complete	if the org	ganization	is exemp	ot under	section	501(c) o	risa	a section	527	organizatio	<u>,n.</u>

- Political expenditures Volunteer hours
- Part I-B Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(3).
- Enter the amount of any excise tax incurred by the organization under section 4955 1
- Enter the amount of any excise tax incurred by organization managers under section 4955
- 3 If the organization incurred a section 4955 tax, did it file Form 4720 for this year? □ No Was a correction made? Yes □ No **4a**
- If "Yes," describe in Part IV

1

Part I-C Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c) except section 501(c)(3).

- Enter the amount directly expended by the filing organization for section 527 exempt function activities 16,800
- Enter the amount of the filing organization's funds contributed to other organizations for section 527 exempt funtion activities
- Total exempt function expenditures Add lines 1 and 2 Enter here and on Form 1120-POL, line 17b 29,300 Did the filing organization file Form 1120-POL for this year?
- State the names, addresses and employer identification number (EIN) of all section 527 political organizations to which payments
- were made. For each organization listed, enter the amount paid from the filing organization's funds. Also enter the amount of political contributions received that were promptly and directly delivered to a separate political organization, such as a separate segregated fund or a political action committee (PAC) If additional space is needed, provide information in Part IV

(a) Name	(b) Address	(c) EIN	(d) A mount paid from filing organization's funds If none, enter - 0-	(e) A mount of political contributions received and promptly and directly delivered to a separate political organization If none, enter - 0-
REPUBLICAN STATE LEADERSHIP COMMITTEE	1800 DIAGONAL ROAD ALEXANDRIA, VA 22314	05-0532524	2,500	0
REPUBLICAN GOVERNORS ASSOCIATION	1747 PENNSYLVANIA AVE NW WASHINGTON, DC 20006	11-3655877	10,000	0

e Grassroots ceiling amount (150% of line 2d, column (e))

f Grassroots lobbying expenditures

Pa	rt II-A Complete if the organization under section 501(h)).	is exempt under	section 501(c)(3) and file	d Form 5768	(election
	Check If the filing organization belongs to a Check If the filing organization checked box		d" provisions apply	,		
<u> </u>	Limits on Lobbying E (The term "expenditures" means ar	Expenditures			(a) Filing Organization's Totals	(b) Affiliated Group Totals
1a	Total lobbying expenditures to influence public o	ppinion (grass roots lob	bying)			
b	Total lobbying expenditures to influence a legisla	ative body (direct lobby	yıng)			
c	Total lobbying expenditures (add lines 1a and 18	b)				
d	Other exempt purpose expenditures					
e	Total exempt purpose expenditures (add lines 1	c and 1d)				
f	Lobbying nontaxable amount Enter the amount f	from the following table	ın both			
	If the amount on line 1e, column (a) or (b) is: Not over \$500,000	The lobbying nontaxa 20% of the amount on lir				
	Over \$500,000 but not over \$1,000,000	\$100,000 plus 15% of the	e excess over \$500,00	0		
	Over \$1,000,000 but not over \$1,500,000	\$175,000 plus 10% of the	e excess over \$1,000,0	000		
	Over \$1,500,000 but not over \$17,000,000	\$225,000 plus 5% of the	excess over \$1,500,00	00		
	Over \$17,000,000	\$1,000,000				
		•				
g	Grassroots nontaxable amount (enter 25% of lin	ne 1 f)				
h	Subtract line 1g from line 1a If zero or less, enter	er -0-				
i	Subtract line 1f from line 1c If zero or less, ente	er - 0 -				
j	If there is an amount other than zero on either li section 4911 tax for this year?	ne 1h or line 1ı, did the	organization file F	orm 4720 repoi	rtıng	┌ Yes ┌ No
	(Some organizations that made a columns below. See the	he instructions fo	ection do not l r lines 2a thro	nave to com ugh 2f on pa		ne five
	Lobbying Exp	enditures During	4-Year Averag	ing Period	I	ı
	Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2006	(b) 2007	(c) 2008	(d) 2009	(e) Total
2a	Lobbying non-taxable amount					
b	Lobbying ceiling amount (150% of line 2a, column(e))					
c	Total lobbying expenditures					
d	Grassroots non-taxable amount					

Sche	dule C (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 20	009				Р	age 3
Pa	rt II-B Complete if the c (election under s	organization is exempt under s section 501(h)).	ection 501(c)(3) and has f	NOT fi	iled Fo	rm 576	8
				(a	a)	(b)	
				Yes	No	A mou	nt
1		ganization attempt to influence foreign, pt to influence public opinion on a legisl					
а	Volunteers?						
b	Paid staff or management (inclu	ide compensation in expenses reported	on lines 1c through 1ı)?				
c	Media advertisements?						
d	Mailings to members, legislator	s, or the public?					
е	Publications, or published or bro	oadcast statements?					
f	Grants to other organizations fo	r lobbying purposes?					
g	Direct contact with legislators,	their staffs, government officials, or a le	gislative body?				
h	Rallies, demonstrations, semina	ars, conventions, speeches, lectures, o	any similar means?				
i	Other activities? If "Yes," desc	ribe in Part IV					
j	Total lines 1c through 1:						
2a	Did the activities in line 1 cause	e the organization to be not described ii	n section 501(c)(3)?		ı f		
b	If "Yes," enter the amount of an	y tax incurred under section 4912					
С	If "Yes," enter the amount of an	ıy tax ıncurred by organızatıon manager	s under section 4912				
d	If the filing organization incurre	d a section 4912 tax, did it file Form 47	20 for this year?				
Par	t III-A Complete if the complete. 501(c)(6).	organization is exempt under s	ection 501(c)(4), section 5	5 01 (c)(5), o		
	Ware automote wheelth all (0.00/ an		h 2			Yes	No
1	, ,	more) dues received nondeductible by r			⊢	1	No
2		in-house lobbying expenditures of \$2,0			_	3	No
3		arryover lobbying and political expenditi		-01/-			Νo
Par		organization is exempt under s H Part III-A, lines 1 and 2 are					n
1	Dues, assessments and similar	amounts from members		1		82,58	7,820
2	* *	lobbying and political expenditures (do	not include amounts of political				
	expenses for which the section	52/(f) tax was paid).		2a		3/1 73	37,514
a	Current year					34,73	17,514
b	Carryover from last year			2b		2472	7 514
c	Total			2c			37,514
3		ection 6033(e)(1)(A) notices of nonder		3		82,58	7,820
4		ount on line 2c exceeds the amount on carryover to the reasonable estimate of		4			
5	Taxable amount of lobbying and	political expenditures (see instruction	5)	5		-47,85	0,306
Pa	art IV Supplemental In	formation					
Со		scriptions required for Part I-A, line 1,	Part I-B, line 4, Part I-C, line 5, an	d Part	II-B, line	11	
A 13	Ident if ier	Return Reference	Explana:	tion			
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SCHEDULE D

(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Financial Statements

► Complete if the organization answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, line 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, or 12. ► Attach to Form 990. ► See separate instructions.

Name of the organization **Employer identification number** NATIONAL FEDERATION OF INDEPENDENT **BUSINESS INC** 94-0707299

	organization answered "Yes" to Form 99	(a) Donor advise	ed funds	(1) Funds ar	d other acc	ounts	
Т	otal number at end of year	- ·		•				
	ggregate contributions to (during year)							
Α	ggregate grants from (during year)							
Α	ggregate value at end of year							
	ں Did the organization inform all donors and donor advis unds are the organization's property, subject to the c			radvis	ed	┌ Yes	· 「	- _N
ι	Old the organization inform all grantees, donors, and used only for charitable purposes and not for the bendance of the conferring impermissible private benefit				purpose	┌ Yes	: Г	- N
rt	Conservation Easements. Complete	<u>if the organization and</u>	swered "Yes" to	Form	990, Part	IV, line 7		
Γ Γ	Purpose(s) of conservation easements held by the or Preservation of land for public use (e.g., recreation Protection of natural habitat Preservation of open space	on or pleasure) PPPPPPPPPPPPPPPPPPPPPPPPPPPPPPPPPPPP	reservation of an l reservation of a ce	ertıfıed	historic st		rea	
	Complete lines 2a–2d if the organization held a quali easement on the last day of the tax year	ned conservation contrib	oution in the form o	ога со	iservation			
					Held at 1	he End of t	he Ye	ar
Т	Total number of conservation easements			2a				
Т	Total acreage restricted by conservation easements			2b				
N	Number of conservation easements on a certified his	toric structure included i	ın (a)	2c				_
N	Number of conservation easements included in (c) ac	quired after 8/17/06		2d				
			<u> </u>					_
	Number of conservation easements modified, transfe he taxable year 🛌	rred, released, extinguis	hed, or terminated	l by the	organızatı	on during		
t				l by the	organızatı	on during		
t N	he taxable year ►	ition easement is located the periodic monitoring,	d ▶				· [- 1
t N E	the taxable year	ition easement is located the periodic monitoring,	d ► , inspection, handl	— ling of	violations, a	and Yes		- 1
t N E e	the taxable year - Number of states where property subject to conserva Does the organization have a written policy regarding enforcement of the conservation easements it holds?	ition easement is located the periodic monitoring, ecting and enforcing con	d ►, inspection, handl	— ling of v	riolations, a	and Ye s		- r
t N G S	the taxable year - Number of states where property subject to conserva Does the organization have a written policy regarding enforcement of the conservation easements it holds? Staff and volunteer hours devoted to monitoring, insp	ition easement is located the periodic monitoring, ecting and enforcing con ng, and enforcing conserv	d ►, inspection, handl nservation easeme vation easements	— ling of v ents du during	riolations, a	and Ye s		
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3	Using the organization's accession and othe items (check all that apply)	r records, check an	ny of th	ne foll	owing th	iat are	a significa	ant u	se of its collect	ion	
а	Public exhibition		d	\sqcap	Loan or	rexch	ange prog	rams			
b	Scholarly research		e	Γ	Other						
c	Preservation for future generations										
4	Provide a description of the organization's content of the organization of the organization's content of the organization of t	ollections and expla	aın hov	w they	y further	the o	rganızatıor	ı's ex	empt purpose	n	
5	During the year, did the organization solicit assets to be sold to raise funds rather than									┌ Yes	┌ No
Pai	t IV Escrow and Custodial Arrang						answere	d "Y	es" to Form 9	90,	
	Part IV, line 9, or reported an ar		•		•						
	Is the organization an agent, trustee, custoo included on Form 990, Part X?					ions o	rotherass	etsi		┌ Yes	☐ No
b	If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XI	V and complete the	follow	ing ta	able		Г		_		
_							-	_	An	nount	
C	Beginning balance							1c			
d	Additions during the year							1d			
e	Distributions during the year							1e			
f	Ending balance						L	1f			
2a	Did the organization include an amount on F		ne 21?							Yes	☐ No
	If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XI\										
Pa	rt V Endowment Funds. Complete	(a)Current Year		Were Prior \			orm 990, Years Back		t IV, line 10. Three Years Back	(e)Four	Years Bac
La	Beginning of year balance	(a) carrent rear	(2)	,	· cai	(0)	rears back	1(4)	Timee rears back	(C) ou	rears bac
ь	Contributions										
С	Investment earnings or losses										
d	Grants or scholarships										
e	Other expenditures for facilities										
_	and programs										
f	Administrative expenses							+			
g	End of year balance										
2	Provide the estimated percentage of the year		as								
а	Board designated or quasi-endowment 🕨	%									
Ь	Permanent endowment - %	ı									
c	Term endowment 🕨 %										
3a	Are there endowment funds not in the posse organization by	ssion of the organiz	ation	that a	are held a	and a	dministere	d for	the	Ye	s No
	(i) unrelated organizations								3a(_	1
	(ii) related organizations								3a(ii)	
b	If "Yes" to 3a(II), are the related organization								31)	
4	Describe in Part XIV the intended uses of th										
Par	t VI Investments—Land, Building	s, and Equipme	ent. S								
	Description of investment) Cost or o is (investm		(b) Cost or o		(c) Accumulated depreciation	(d)	Book value
1a	Land		•				794	1,900			794,90
b	Buildings		•				3,872	2,176	1,766,28	33	2,105,89
c	Leasehold improvements		•				818	3,441	637,38	31	181,06
d	Equipment		•				6,498	3,257	3,701,02	20	2,797,23
e	Other						2,713	3,350	2,014,42	20	698,93

6,578,020

Part VII Investments—Other Securities. See	Form 990, Part X, line 1	
(a) Description of security or category (including name of security)	(b)Book value	od of valuation f-year market value
Financial derivatives		
Closely-held equity interests Other		
Total. (Column (b) should equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 12)		
Part VIII Investments—Program Related. See	Form 990, Part X, line	- d - 6 1 6
(a) Description of investment type	(b) Book value	od of valuation f-year market value
Total. (Column (b) should equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 13)		
Part IX Other Assets. See Form 990, Part X, III		(h) Baak walus
ACCRUED INTEREST	ction	(b) Book value 121,638
DUE FROM AFFILIATES		1,451,358
CORPORATION		142,315
CASH SURRENDER VALUE - LIFE		436,948
DEPOSITS		226,901
	-)	
Total. (Column (b) should equal Form 990, Part X, col.(B) line 1 Part X Other Liabilities. See Form 990, Part X		 2,379,160
1 (a) Description of Liability	(b) A mount	
Federal Income Taxes	0	
DUE TO AFFILIATES	12,696	
EXECUTIVE LIFE INS ANNUITY	287,952	
-		
Total. (Column (b) should equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 25) ▶	300,648	

1	Total revenue (Form 990, Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1	85,687,16
2	Total expenses (Form 990, Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	81,188,17
3	Excess or (deficit) for the year Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	4,498,98
4	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	4	6,188,80
5	Donated services and use of facilities	5	
6	Investment expenses	6	
7	Prior period adjustments	7	
8	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	8	4,029,97
9	Total adjustments (net) Add lines 4 - 8	9	10,218,77
10	Excess or (deficit) for the year per financial statements Combine lines 3 and 9	10	14,717,76
Par	t XII Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial Statements With Revenue p	er Ret	urn
1	Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements	1	84,055,48
2	A mounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12		
а	Net unrealized gains on investments 2a		
Ь	Donated services and use of facilities		
c	Recoveries of prior year grants		
d	Other (Describe in Part XIV) 2d 700,698		
e	Add lines 2a through 2d	2e	700,69
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	3	83,354,78
4	A mounts included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, but not on line 1		
а	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b . 4a 191,038		
b	Other (Describe in Part XIV) 4b 2,141,340		
c	Add lines 4a and 4b	4c	2,332,37
5	Total Revenue Add lines 3 and 4c. (This should equal Form 990, Part I, line 12)	5	85,687,16
Par	Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial Statements With Expenses	per R	
1	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements	1	79,556,49
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part IX, line 25	 	
a	Donated services and use of facilities		
b	Prior year adjustments	1	
c	Other losses	1	
d	Other (Describe in Part XIV) 2d 700,698	1	
e	Add lines 2a through 2d	2e	700,69
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	3	78,855,80
4	A mounts included on Form 990, Part IX, line 25, but not on line 1:		
а	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b 4a 191,038		
ь	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	1	
c	Add lines 4a and 4b	4c	2,332,37
5	Total expenses Add lines 3 and 4c. (This should equal Form 990, Part I, line 18)	5	81,188,17
Da	TYTY Supplemental Information		. ,

Part XI Reconciliation of Change in Net Assets from Form 990 to Financial Statements

Complete this part to provide the descriptions required for Part II, lines 3, 5, and 9, Part III, lines 1a and 4, Part IV, lines 1b and 2b, Part V, line 4, Part X, Part XI, line 8, Part XII, lines 2d and 4b, and Part XIII, lines 2d and 4b Also complete this part to provide any additional information

Ident if ier	Return Reference	Explanation
FIN 48 FOOTNOTE	SCHEDULE D, PART X, LINE 2	The Federation is a tax-exempt organization as described in Section 501(c)(6) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code), and is generally exempt from federal income taxes on related income pursuant to Section 501(a) of the Code. The Federation is, however, subject to federal and state income tax on unrelated business income. The Federation had no significant unrelated business income for the years ended December 31, 2009 and 2008, nor does the Federation have any significant uncertain tax positions.
OTHER EXCESS/DEFECIT RECONCILIATION ITEMS	SCHEDULE D, PART XI, LINE 8	EQUITY IN LOSS OF AFFILIATE ORGANIZATION (647,944) NET CHANGE IN PENS AND POSTRET BENEFIT PLANS 4,677,923 TOTAL OTHER EXCESS/DEFECIT RECONCILIATION ITEMS (4,029,979) =============
RENTAL EXPENSE RECLASS	SCHEDULE D, PART XII & XIII, LINE 2D	RENTAL EXPENSES WERE RECLASSED TO INCOME IN ORDER TO PROPERLY REFLECT RENTAL INCOME ON FORM 990 PART VIII, LINE 6B (\$700,698)
MANAGEMENT FEE ALLO CATION	SCHEDULE D, PART XII & XIII, LINE 4B	NATIONAL FEDERATION OF INDEPENDENT BUSINESS, INC CHARGES A MANAGEMENT FEE TO NFIB MEMBER SERVICES CORPORATION THIS INCOME IS BOOKED AS AN OFFSET TO THE EXPENSES ON THE TRIAL BALANCE AND MUST BE RECLASSED TO REVENUE FOR PROPER PRESENTATION ON FORM 990

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SCHEDULE G (Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Supplemental Information Regarding Fundraising or Gaming Activities

OMB No. 1545-0047

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, lines 17, 18, or 19,

al Revenue Service	or if the organization entered more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a. Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ. See separate instructions. Inspect							
	on (ON OF INDEPENDENT				tification number			
SINESS INC				94-0707299				
	sing Activities. Com -EZ filers are not requ		ation answered "Yes" his part.	to Form 990, Part IV,	, line 17.			
Indicate whethe	the organization raised fu	unds through any of th	ne following activities Ch	eck all that apply				
Mail solicita	ons		e Γ Solicitation of nor	n-government grants				
✓ Internet and	e-mail solicitations		f ☐ Solicitation of gov	ernment grants				
Phone solici	ations	•	g 「Special fundraisin	ig events				
✓ In-person se	ıcıtatıons							
or key employee If "Yes," list the	listed in Form 990, Part en highest paid individua	VII) or entity in coni	ndividual (including office nection with professional i sers) pursuant to agreem 90-EZ filers are not requ	fundraising activities? ents under which the fun				
(i) Name of Indiv or entity (fundra	I (III) A ctivity	contributions?	(iv) Gross receipts from activity	(v) A mount paid to (or retained by) fundraiser listed in col (i)	(vi) A mount paid to (or retained by) organization			
		Yes No						
TIONAL CAPITAL ESERVICES LLC	TELEMARKET FUNDRAISING	No	2,124,890	1,449,256	675,634			
al			2,124,890	1,449,256	675,634			
				1,449,256	_			

licensing

Pa	rt II	Fundraising Events. Com more than \$15,000 on Form					report	ted
			(a) Event #1	(b) Event #2	(c) O ther Events (total number)	(d) To	otal Eve ol (a) th ol (c))	
Revenue	1 2 3	Gross receipts Less Charitable contributions Gross income (line 1 minus line 2)	(event type)		(total number)			
	4	Cash prizes						
Ses	5 6	Non-cash prizes				+		
Expenses	7	Food and beverages						
Direct B	8	Entertainment						
ឨ	9	Other direct expenses .				<u> </u>		
	10 11	Direct expense summary Add line Net income summary Combine lii			. 			
Par	t III		ganızatıon answered		irt IV, line 19, or repo	rted mo	re thar	1
Revenue			(a) Bingo	(b) Pull tabs/Instant bingo/progressive bingo	(c) O ther gaming	(Add co	otal gam I (a) th ol (c))	
	1 (Gross revenue						
Ses	2 (Cash prizes				<u> </u>		
Expenses	s 1	Non-cash prizes				<u> </u>		
Direct E	4 F	Rent/facility costs						
<u></u>	5 (Other direct expenses						
	6 \	Volunteer labor	∀es	│	Г Yes			
		Direct expense summary Add lines			.			
	8	Net gaming income summary Com	bine lines 1, column d, a	ind line 7	<u> . .</u>		Yes	No
9 a	Is th	er the state(s) in which the organiza ne organization licensed to operate				· 9a		
Ь		lo," Explain				_		
10a b		e any of the organization's gaming l es," Explain	ıcenses revoked, suspe	nded or terminated during	the tax year?	10a	3	
11		s the organization operate gaming a					. _	
12		ne organization a grantor, beneficia ied to administer charitable gaming				. .,		

		Yes	No
13	Indicate the percentage of gaming activity operated in		
а	The organization's facility		
b	An outside facility		
14	Enter the name and address of the person who prepares the organization's gaming/special events books and records		
	Name 🟲		
	Address -		
15a	Does the organization have a contract with a third party from whom the organization receives gaming		
	revenue?	,	
b	If "Yes," enter the amount of gaming revenue received by the organization 🕨 \$ and the	+	
	amount of gaming revenue retained by the third party 🟲 \$		
c	If "Yes," enter name and address		
	Name 🟲		
	Address •		
16			
16	Gaming manager information		
	Name 🟲		
	Name F		
	Gaming manager compensation 🕨 \$		
	Description of services provided -		
	Director/officer Employee Independent contractor		
	I Director/officer I Employee I Independent contractor		
.7	Mandatory distributions		
а	Is the organization required under state law to make charitable distributions from the gaming proceeds to		
	retain the state gaming license?	<u> </u>	
b	Enter the amount of distributions required under state law distributed to other exempt organizations or spent		
	in the organization's own exempt activities during the tax year ▶ \$	1	

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Inspection

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Grants and Other Assistance to Organizations, Governments and Individuals in the United States

Complete if the organization answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, line 21 or 22. Open to Public Attach to Form 990

Name of the organization

NATIONAL FEDERATION OF INDEPENDENT

BUSINESS INC

Schedule I

(Form 990)

Employer identification number

94-0707299

- Does the organization maintain records to substantiate the amount of the grants or assistance, the grantees' eligibility for the grants or assistance, and
 - Describe in Part IV the organization's procedures for monitoring the use of grant funds in the United States

Part II Grants and Other Assistance to Governments and Organizations in the United States. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 21 for any recipient that received more than \$5,000. Check this box if no one recipient received more than \$5,000. Use

- (a) Name and address of organization or government
- **(b)** EIN
- (c) IRC Code section ıf applıcable
- (d) A mount of cash grant
- (e) A mount of noncash assistance
- (f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)
- (g) Description of non-cash assistance

(h) Purpose of grant or assistance

- Enter total number of section 501(c)(3) and government organizations
- For Privacy Act and Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the Instructions for Form 990.

Part III Grants and Other Assistance to Individuals in the United States. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 22. Use Schedule I-1 (Form 990) if additional space is needed.

(a)Type of grant or assistance	(b) Number of recipients	(c)A mount of cash grant	(d)A mount of non-cash assistance	(e)Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(f)Description of non-cash assistance

Ident if ier	Return Reference	Explanation
Schedule I, PART 1, Line 2		Use of grant funds is monitored on an ongoing basis by examining the financial performance of the grant recipients during the current year, national federation of independent business did not pay out any grants that met the \$5,000 reporting threshold for schedule I

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DLN: 93493307002080

OMB No 1545-0047

Schedule J (Form 990)

Department of the Treasury

Internal Revenue Service

For certain Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest **Compensated Employees**

► Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, question 23.

► Attach to Form 990. ► See separate instructions.

Open to Public Inspection

Name of the organization NATIONAL FEDERATION OF INDEPENDENT **BUSINESS INC**

Employer identification number

94-0707299

Pa	Questions Regarding Compensation	on				
					Yes	Νo
1a	Check the appropiate box(es) if the organization p 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a Complete Part I		ny of the following to or for a person listed in Form vide any relevant information regarding these items			
	First-class or charter travel	Г	Housing allowance or residence for personal use			
	▼ Travel for companions	\vdash	Payments for business use of personal residence			
	▼ Tax idemnification and gross-up payments	Γ	Health or social club dues or initiation fees			
	✓ Discretionary spending account	Γ	Personal services (e g , maid, chauffeur, chef)			
b	If any of the boxes in line 1a are checked, did the reimbursement orprovision of all the expenses des			1b	Yes	
2	Did the organization require substantiation prior to officers, directors, trustees, and the CEO/Executive			2	Yes	
3	Indicate which, if any, of the following the organiza organization's CEO/Executive Director Check all	that appl	У			
	Compensation committee	<u> </u>	Written employment contract			
	Independent compensation consultant	<u> </u>	, ,			
	Form 990 of other organizations	<u>~</u>	Approval by the board or compensation committee			
4	During the year, did any person listed in Form 990 or a related organization), Part VII	I, Section A, line 1a with respect to the filing organization			
а	Receive a severance payment or change-of-contro	ol paymen	nt?	4a	Yes	
ь	Participate in, or receive payment from, a supplem	nental non	qualified retirement plan?	4b	Yes	
c	Participate in, or receive payment from, an equity-	based co	mpensation arrangement?	4c		Νo
	If "Yes" to any of lines 4a-c, list the persons and	provide th	ne applicable amounts for each item in Part III			
	Only 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations only r	nust comp	plete lines 5-9.			
5	For persons listed in form 990, Part VII, Section A compensation contingent on the revenues of	A, line 1a,	, did the organization pay or accrue any			
а	The organization?			5a		
ь	Any related organization?			5b		
	If "Yes," to line 5a or 5b, describe in Part III					
6	For persons listed in form 990, Part VII, Section A compensation contingent on the net earnings of	A, line 1a,	, did the organization pay or accrue any			
а	The organization?			6a		
Ь	Any related organization?			6b		
	If "Yes," to line 6a or 6b, describe in Part III					
7	For persons listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section payments not described in lines 5 and 6? If "Yes,"			7		
8	Were any amounts reported in Form 990, Part VII					
	subject to the initial contract exception described					
	ın Part III			8		
9	If "Yes" to line 8, did the organization also follow t section 53 4958-6(c)?	he rebutta	able presumption procedure described in Regulations	9		

Part II Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees. Use Schedule J-1 if additional space needed.

For each individual whose compensation must be reported in Schedule J, report compensation from the organization on row (i) and from related organizations, described in the instructions on row (ii) Do not list any individuals that are not listed on Form 990, Part VII

Note. The sum of columns (B)(1)-(111) must equal the applicable column (D) or column (E) amounts on Form 990, Part VII, line 1a

(A) Name		(B) Breakdown of	W-2 and/or 1099-MIS	SC compensation	(C) Retirement and	(D) Nontaxable	(E) Total of columns	(F) Compensation
		(i) Base compensation	(ii) Bonus & ıncentive compensation	(iii) Other reportable compensation	other deferred compensation	benefits	(B)(ı)-(D)	reported in prior Form 990 or Form 990-EZ
DONALD A DANNER	(I) (II)	484,691 0	0 0	379,595 0	52,825 0	20,627 0	937,738 0	
MARY BLASINSKY	(I) (II)	207,304 0	0 0	167,585 0	44,293 0	18,749 0	437,931 0	
TAMMY S BOEHMS	(I) (II)	269,594 0	0 0	118,211 0	29,341 0	13,268 0	430,414 0	
DAVID SILVERMAN	(I) (II)	250,279 0	0	206,699 0	7,603 0	21,681 0	486,262 0	
STEPHEN WOODS	(ı) (ıı)	228,382 0	0 0	104,345 0	58,581 0	15,221 0	406,529 0	
JOHN M LANIER	(ı) (ıı)	162,580 0	0 0	661,299 0	21,805 0	12,917 0	858,601 0	
SUSAN M ECKERLY	(ı) (ıı)	223,001	0 0	2,420 0	31,071 0	17,160 0	273,652 0	
JAMES L SCHROEDER	(ı) (ıı)	149,545 0	85,371 0	0 0	40,887 0	8,891 0	284,694 0	
Mark Garzone	(ı) (ıı)	213,849 0	0 0	3,534 0	5,500 0	23,486 0	246,369 0	
Margit O klevik	(I) (II)	117,223	99,814	0	42,605	14,613 0	274,255 0	

Part III Supplemental Information

Complete this part to provide the information, explanation, or descriptions required for Part I, lines 1a, 1b, 4c, 5a, 5b, 6a, 6b, 7, and 8 Also complete this part for any additional information

Ident if ier	Return Reference	Explanation
TRAVEL FOR COMPANIONS	PART 1, LINE 1A	UPON APPROVAL, A BOARD MEMBER'S COMPANION TRAVEL EXPENSES PAID BY NFIB ARE INCLUDED IN THE BOARD MEMBER'S FORM 1099 AS TAXABLE INCOME UPON APPROVAL, AN EMPLOYEE'S COMPANION TRAVEL EXPENSES PAID OR REIMBURSED BY NFIB ARE INCLUDED IN THE EMPLOYEE'S TAXABLE WAGES AS A TAXABLE "FRINGE BENEFIT" AND TREATED AS SALARY, SUBJECT TO WITHHOLDING, ON THE EMPLOYEE'S FORM W-2
TAX INDEMNIFICATION AND GROSS-UP PAYMENTS	1	NFIB has a non-qualifying Supplemental Executive Retirement Plan Plan provisions provide that all after tax benefits be grossed up This plan was closed to new participants in 2008
	1	As approved by the Executive Committee of the Board of Directors, the compensation package of the President may include certain discretionary spending amounts. Officers and Executive Management of the Company receive a cellular phone/data service allowance. In compliance with IRS Code Section 132 these fringe benefits are treated as taxable salary, subject to withholding, on the employee's Form W-2.
SEVERANCE PAYMENTS	1	NATIONAL FEDERATION OF INDEPENDENT BUSINESS PAID THE FOLLOWING SEVERANCE AMOUNTS JOHN LANIER \$146,810 DAVID SILVERMAN \$ 86,154
SUPPLEMENTAL NONQUALIFIED RETIREMENT PLAN	1	NATIONAL FEDERATION OF INDEPENDENT BUSINESS, INC PROVIDES THE FOLLOWING EXECUTIVES A SUPPLEMENTAL NONQUALIFIED RETIREMENT PLAN MARY R BLASINSKY \$161,367 TAMMY S BOEHMS \$115,703 DONALD A DANNER \$361,224 SUSAN M ECKERLY \$ 4,062 JOHN M LANIER \$513,065 STEPHEN WOODS \$ 98,043 DAVID N SILVERMAN \$116,353

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(Form 990)

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Complete to provide information for responses to specific questions on

Form 990 or to provide any additional information. ► Attach to Form 990. **Employer identification number**

Supplemental Information to Form 990

Name of the organization NATIONAL FEDERATION OF INDEPENDENT **BUSINESS INC**

94-0707299

TO GOVERNING BODY WRITTEN CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY DOCUMENT RETENTION POLICY PROCESS OF F	PART VI, SECTION B GOVERNING BODY AND MANAGEMENT, LINE 11 PART VI, SECTION B POLICIES, LINE 12	Follow ing an independent audit of its financial statements, a draft of NFIB's Form 990 is prepared This Form 990 is reviewed internally by NFIB's Tax Accountant, Controller/Treasurer, and SVP/CFO Any questions arising from the initial review are addressed to ensure the return is complete and accurate Any necessary changes/corrections are made on the Form 990 and the return again goes through NFIB's internal review process. Upon approval of the SVP/CFO, the final return is filed with the Internal Revenue Service. THE FINAL FILED RETURN IS MADE AVAILABLE TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS FOR REVIEW. Fach board member, officer and employee of NFIB is required to sign and submit an NFIB Code of			
DOCUMENT RETENTION POLICY PROCESS OF F	B POLICIES, LINE	Each board member, officer and employee of NEIB is required to sign and submit an NEIB Code of			
PROCESS OF F	12	Each board member, officer and employee of NFIB is required to sign and submit an NFIB Code of Conduct & Ethics Certification Form to the CFO's office on an annual basis. By completing this Form, he/she confirms that he/she has read the Code and agrees to conduct himself/herself in accordance with the Code and applicable law s. He/She also must list on the Form any conflicts or potential conflicts of interest he/she may have with NFIB and any other ethical concerns about which he/she feels NFIB should be made aware. The CFO's office will submit a report to the Finance/Audit Committee regarding any material ethical or legal issues disclosed on the Certification Forms. THE NATIONAL FEDERATION OF INDEPENDENT BUSINESS HAS A WRITTEN DOCUEMENT RETENTION POLICY FOR THE HUMAN RESOURCES AND FINANCE/ACCOUNTING FUNCTIONS. WE ARE CURRENTLY IN THE PROCESS OF CREATING A COMPREHENSIVE COMPANY POLICY.			
	PART VI, SECTION B POLICIES, LINE 14				
	PART VI, SECTION B POLICIES, LINE 15	The Executive Committee of the Board of Directors is responsible for determining compensation for the CEO, CFO, SECRETARY, and key employees of the organization. The Treasurer's compensation is reviewed and set by the CEO. Periodically, an outside compensation consulting firm is engaged to provide expert information regarding industry-wide compensation norms. The results of this independent review are provided to the Executive Committee. The Committee relies on this independent review to ensure that reasonable compensation is paid to the CEO, CFO, SECRETARY, and key employees. The Committee's philosophy is to ensure that the compensation for these positions relative to market comparisons is competitive in order to attract, retain and motivate qualified employees while not being at the top of the range. The Committee sets the compensation for the CEO, CFO, SECRETARY, and key employees each year during their meeting which is typically held in January or February. Minutes from these annual meetings are taken by the Corporate Secretary during the meeting. When the minutes are reviewed and approved, they are retained with all other corporate records.			
AVAILABLE TO THE	PART VI, SECTION C DISCLOSURE, LINE 19				
FORMER OFFICERS F	PART VII, LINE 3	TODD STOTTLEMEYER AND DARREN ELROD WERE OFFICERS OF NATIONAL FEDERATION OF INDEPENDENT BUSINESS FOR THE FIRST PART OF THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2009 AND THUS, REPORTED AS CURRENT YEAR OFFICERS AS OF THE END OF THE CALENDAR YEAR,			

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SCHEDULE R (Form 990)

Related Organizations and Unrelated Partnerships

► Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 33, 34, 35, 36, or 37.

► Attach to Form 990. ► See separate instructions.

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Identification of Disregarded Entities (Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 33.)

(a)
Name, address, and EIN of disregarded entity

(b) Primary activity (c)
Legal domicile (state or foreign country)

(d) Total income

End-of-year assets

(f) Direct controlling entity

Identification of Related Tax-Exempt Organizations (Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34 because it had one or more related tax-exempt organizations during the tax year.)

(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Exempt Code section	(e) Public charity status (if section 501(c)(3))	(f) Direct controlling entity
NFIB Young Entrepreneur Foundation					
53 CENTURY BLVD SUITE 250	EDUCATION	TN	501(c)(3)	SUP ORG I	NFIB
NASHVILLE, TN 37214 62-1557196					
NFIB Small Business Legal Center					
53 CENTURY BLVD SUITE 250	PUB LAW FIRM	TN	501(c)(3)	SUP ORG I	NFIB
NASHVILLE, TN 37214 62-1570449					
NFIB Research Foundation					
53 CENTURY BLVD SUITE 250	RESEARCH	TN	501(c)(3)	SUP ORG I	NFIB
NASHVILLE, TN 37214 04-3592337					
NFIB Federal SAFE Trust					
53 CENTURY BLVD SUITE 250	PAC	CA	527	N/A	NFIB
NASHVILLE, TN 37214 94-2532364					

94-2899404

Yes

No

Yes

No

Part III	Identification of Related Organizations Taxable as a Partnership (Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, I	line 3
	because it had one or more related organizations treated as a partnership during the tax year.)	

(h) (c) (i) (j) (e) (d) Direct controlling **(f)** Share of total income Disproprtionate Code V-UBI General or (b) Legal (a) (g) Predominant income Primary activity allocations? amount in box 20 of managing Name, address, and EIN of domicile Share of end-of-year (related, unrelated, related organization (state or entity assets Schedule K-1 partner? excluded from tax (Form 1065) foreign under sections 512country) 514)

Part IV Identification of Related Organizations Taxable as a Corporation or Trust (Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34 because it had one or more related organizations treated as a corporation or trust during the tax year.)

(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign	(d) Direct controlling entity	(e) Type of entity (C corp, S corp, or trust)	(f) Share of total income	(g) Share of end-of-year assets	(h) Percentage ownership
NFIB Member Services Corporation 53 CENTURY BLVD SUITE 250 NASHVILLE, TN372143682	MEMBER BENEFITS	country) CA	NFIB	С	4,830,323	1,659,996	100 000 %

(3)

(4)

(5)

(6)

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Par	Transactions With Related Organizations (Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34, 35, or 30	6.)		
I	Note. Complete line 1 if any entity is listed in Parts II, III or IV		Yes	No
1 Du	ring the tax year, did the orgranization engage in any of the following transactions with one or more related organizations listed in Parts II-IV?			
а	Receipt of (i) interest (ii) annuities (iii) royalties (iv) rent from a controlled entity	1a		No
b	Gift, grant, or capital contribution to other organization(s)	1b		No
c	Gift, grant, or capital contribution from other organization(s)	1c	Yes	
d	Loans or loan guarantees to or for other organization(s)	1d		No
e	Loans or loan guarantees by other organization(s)	1e		No
f	Sale of assets to other organization(s)	1f		No
g	Purchase of assets from other organization(s)	1 g		No
h	Exchange of assets	1h		No
i l	ease of facilities, equipment, or other assets to other organization(s)	1 i		No
j l	ease of facilities, equipment, or other assets from other organization(s).	1 <u>j</u>		No
k	Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations for other organization(s)	1k	Yes	
I F	erformance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations by other organization(s)	11		No
m	Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, or other assets	1m	Yes	
n	Sharing of paid employees	1 n		No
o	Reimbursement paid to other organization for expenses	10	Yes	
p	Reimbursement paid by other organization for expenses	1р	Yes	
q	O ther transfer of cash or property to other organization(s)	1 q		No
-	Other transfer of cash or property from other organization(s)	1r		No
2	f the answer to any of the above is "Yes," see the instructions for information on who must complete this line, including covered relationships and transaction	thresholds		
	(a) (b) Transaction Name of other organization type(a-r)	Amoun	(c) nt involv	/ed
1) See 2)	Additional Data Table			

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Part VI Unrelated Organizations Taxable as a Partnership (Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 37.)

Provide the following information for each entity taxed as a partnership through which the organization conducted more than five percent of its activities (measured by total assets or gross revenue) that was not a related organization. See instructions regarding exclusion for certain investment partnerships

(a)
Name, address, and EIN of entity

(b) Primary activity (c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country) (d)
Are all
partners
section
501(c)(3)
organizations?

Yes No

(e) Share of end-of-year assets **(f)** Disproprtionate allocations?

No

Yes

(g) Code V—UBI amount in box 20 of Schedule K-1 (Form 1065) (h) General or managing partner?

Yes No

(10)

NFIB MEMBER SERVICES CORPORATION

LINE

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EIN: 94-0707299

Name: NATIONAL FEDERATION OF INDEPENDENT

BUSINESS INC

Form	n 990, Schedule R, Part V - Transactions With Related Organizations (a) Name of other organization	(b) Transaction type(a-r)	(c) A mount Involved (\$)	
(1)	NFIB FEDERAL SAFE TRUST	LINE	258,730	
(2)	NFIB MEMBER SERVICES CORPORATION	LINE	1,636,198	
(3)	NFIB SMALL BUSINESS LEGAL CENTER	LINE	109,706	
(4)	NFIB YOUNG ENTREPRENEUR FOUNDATION	LINE	73,137	
(5)	NFIB RESEARCH FOUNDATION	LINE	146,274	
(6)	NFIB SMALL BUSINESS LEGAL CENTER	LINE	66,936	
(7)	NFIB YOUNG ENTREPRENEUR FOUNDATION	LINE	112,142	
(8)	NFIB SMALL BUSINESS LEGAL CENTER	LINE	169,882	
(9)	NFIB RESEARCH FOUNDATION	LINE	201,360	