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Form **990-EZ****Short Form**
Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

OMB No 1545-1150

2009**Open to Public Inspection**Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

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

► Sponsoring organizations of donor advised funds and controlling organizations as defined in section 512(b)(13) must file Form 990. All other organizations with gross receipts less than \$500,000 and total assets less than \$1,250,000 at the end of the year may use this form.

► The organization may have to use a copy of this return to satisfy state reporting requirements

A For the 2009 calendar year, or tax year beginning **April 1**, 2009, and ending **March 31**, 2010

- B** Check if applicable:
- ☒ Address change
- ☐ Name change
- ☐ Initial return
- ☐ Terminated
- ☐ Amended return
- ☐ Application pending

Please use IRS label or print or type. See Specific Instructions.

C Name of organization**Japan Business Association of Arizona**

Number and street (or P.O. box, if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite

11005 N Miller Road

City or town, state or country, and ZIP + 4

Scottsdale, AZ 85282**D** Employer identification number**86-0675293****E** Telephone number**480-998-4724****F** Group Exemption Number

Number ►

• Section 501(c)(3) organizations and 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts must attach a completed Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ).

G Accounting Method: ☒ Cash ☐ Accrual
Other (specify) ►

I Website: ► **www.jbaa.net****J** Tax-exempt status (check only one) — ☒ 501(c) (6) ◀ (insert no) ☐ 4947(a)(1) or ☐ 527

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

K Check ☐ if the organization is not a section 509(a)(3) supporting organization and its gross receipts are normally not more than \$25,000. A Form 990-EZ or Form 990 return is not required, but if the organization chooses to file a return, be sure to file a complete return

L Add lines 5b, 6b, and 7b, to line 9 to determine gross receipts, if \$500,000 or more, file Form 990 instead of Form 990-EZ ► \$ **27508****Part I** **Revenue, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances** (See the instructions for Part I.)

Revenue		Expenses		Net Assets	
1	Contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts received	1	0	18	Excess or (deficit) for the year (Subtract line 17 from line 9)
2	Program service revenue including government fees and contracts	2	0	19	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (from line 27, column (A)) (must agree with end-of-year figure reported on prior year's return)
3	Membership dues and assessments	3	30600	20	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (attach explanation)
4	Investment income	4	0	21	Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 18 through 20
5a	Gross amount from sale of assets other than inventory	5a	0		
b	Less: cost or other basis and sales expenses	5b	0		
c	Gain or (loss) from sale of assets other than inventory (Subtract line 5b from line 5a)	5c	0		
6	Special events and activities (complete applicable parts of Schedule G) If any amount is from gaming, check here ☐				
a	Gross revenue (not including \$ 30600 of contributions reported on line 1) Statement 1	6a	3610		
b	Less: direct expenses other than fundraising expenses	6b	6702		
c	Net income or (loss) from special events and activities (Subtract line 6b from line 6a)	6c	-3092		
7a	Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	7a	0		
b	Less: cost of goods sold	7b	0		
c	Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory (Subtract line 7b from line 7a)	7c	0		
8	Other revenue (describe ►)	8	0		
9	Total revenue. Add lines 1, 2, 3, 4, 5c, 6c, 7c, and 8	9	27508		
10	Grants and similar amounts paid (attach schedule) STATEMENT 2	10	15300		
11	Benefits paid to or for members	11	0		
12	Salaries, other compensation, and employee benefits	12	7200		
13	Professional fees and other payments to independent contractors	13	1081		
14	Occupancy, rent, utilities, and maintenance	14	0		
15	Printing, publications, postage, and shipping	15	1324		
16	Other expenses (describe ► office and banking supplies)	16	1553		
17	Total expenses. Add lines 10 through 16	17	26458		
18	Excess or (deficit) for the year (Subtract line 17 from line 9)	18	1050		
19	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (from line 27, column (A)) (must agree with end-of-year figure reported on prior year's return)	19	35290		
20	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (attach explanation)	20	0		
21	Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 18 through 20	21	36340		

Part II **Balance Sheets.** If Total assets on line 25, column (B) are \$1,250,000 or more, file Form 990 instead of Form 990-EZ.

(See the instructions for Part II.)

	(A) Beginning of year	(B) End of year
22 Cash, savings, and investments Statement 4	35290	22 36340
23 Land and buildings	0	23 0
24 Other assets (describe ► none Statement 5)	0	24 0
25 Total assets	35290	25 36340
26 Total liabilities (describe ► none Statement 6)	0	26 0
27 Net assets or fund balances (line 27 of column (B) must agree with line 21)	35290	27 36340

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Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments (See the instructions for Part III.)

Expenses

What is the organization's primary exempt purpose?

Describe what was achieved in carrying out the organization's exempt purposes. In a clear and concise manner, describe the services provided, the number of persons benefited, and other relevant information for each program title.

(Required for section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) trusts; optional for others)

28	JBAA supports the AZ Gauken School by providing Japanese businessmen assigned to the US with classes promote integration of the Japanese language, culture and heritage		
	(Grants \$) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ► ☐	28a	
29	JBAA provides financial support for an annual Matsuri Festival which is designed to promote understanding of the Japanese culture. In order to enhance the interest of international studies, JBAA provides financial support to various institutions to improve communication between Japanese businessmen and US.		
	(Grants \$) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ► ☐	29a	
30	Statement		
	(Grants \$) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ► ☐	30a	26458
31	Other program services (attach schedule)		
	(Grants \$) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ► ☐	31a	0
32	Total program service expenses (add lines 28a through 31a) ►	32	26458

Part IV		List of Officers, Directors, Trustees, and Key Employees. List each one even if not compensated. (See the instructions for Part IV.)
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Part V Other Information (Note the statement requirements in the instructions for Part V.)

		Yes	No
33	Did the organization engage in any activity not previously reported to the IRS? If "Yes," attach a detailed description of each activity		✓
34	Were any changes made to the organizing or governing documents? If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the changes		✓
35	If the organization had income from business activities, such as those reported on lines 2, 6a, and 7a (among others), but not reported on Form 990-T, attach a statement explaining why the organization did not report the income on Form 990-T.		
a	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more or was it subject to section 6033(e) notice, reporting, and proxy tax requirements?		✓
b	If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on Form 990-T for this year?		✓
36	Did the organization undergo a liquidation, dissolution, termination, or significant disposition of net assets during the year? If "Yes," complete applicable parts of Schedule N		✓
37a	Enter amount of political expenditures, direct or indirect, as described in the instructions. ▶ 37a		
b	Did the organization file Form 1120-POL for this year?		✓
38a	Did the organization borrow from, or make any loans to, any officer, director, trustee, or key employee or were any such loans made in a prior year and still outstanding at the end of the period covered by this return?		✓
b	If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II and enter the total amount involved 38b		
39	Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter:		
a	Initiation fees and capital contributions included on line 9 39a		
b	Gross receipts, included on line 9, for public use of club facilities 39b		
40a	Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Enter amount of tax imposed on the organization during the year under: section 4911 ▶ ; section 4912 ▶ ; section 4955 ▶		
b	Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Did the organization engage in any section 4958 excess benefit transaction during the year or is it 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		✓
c	Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Enter amount of tax imposed on organization managers or disqualified persons during the year under sections 4912, 4955, and 4958 ▶		
d	Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Enter amount of tax on line 40c reimbursed by the organization ▶		
e	All organizations. At any time during the tax year, was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction? If "Yes," complete Form 8886-T.		✓
41	List the states with which a copy of this return is filed. ▶ <u>arizona</u>		
42a	The organization's books are in care of ▶ <u>Debra Rankin</u> Telephone no. ▶ <u>4809687772</u> Located at ▶ <u>1840 S Pinto St, Apache Junction, AZ</u> ZIP + 4 ▶ <u>85120</u>		
b	At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)?	Yes	No
	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 .		
c	At any time during the calendar year, did the organization maintain an office outside of the U.S.?		
	If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: ▶		
43	Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-EZ in lieu of Form 1041 —Check here ▶ ☐ and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year ▶ 43		
44	Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds? If "Yes," Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ		✓
45	Is any related organization a controlled entity of the organization within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ		✓

Part VI

Section 501(c)(3) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts only. All section 501(c)(3) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts must answer questions 46-49b and complete the tables for lines 50 and 51.

- 46** Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I **46** ☐ **Yes** ☒ **No**
- 47** Did the organization engage in lobbying activities? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II **47** ☐ **Yes** ☒ **No**
- 48** Is the organization a school as described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E **48** ☐ **Yes** ☒ **No**
- 49a** Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? **49a** ☐ **Yes** ☒ **No**
- b** If "Yes," was the related organization a section 527 organization? **49b** ☐ **Yes** ☒ **No**
- 50** Complete this table for the organization's five highest compensated employees (other than officers, directors, trustees and key employees) who each received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. If there is none, enter "None."

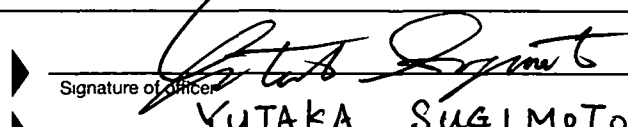
(a) Name and address of each employee paid more than \$100,000	(b) Title and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans & deferred compensation	(e) Expense account and other allowances

f Total number of other employees paid over \$100,000 **f** _____

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

(a) Name and address of each independent contractor paid more than \$100,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation

d Total number of other independent contractors each receiving over \$100,000 **d** _____

Sign Here	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			
	 Signature of officer		Date 8-1-2010	
Paid Preparer's Use Only	Type or print name and title YUTAKA SUGIMOTO Treasurer of JBAA		Date	
	Preparer's signature	Date	Check if self-employed ☐	Preparer's identifying number (See instructions)
	Firm's name (or yours if self-employed), address, and ZIP + 4	EIN	Phone no.	

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? See instructions ☐ **Yes** ☐ **No**

JAPAN BUSINESS ASSOCIATION OF ARIZONA 86-0675293

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FORM 990EZ, PART 1 - SPECIAL EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES

<u>Description</u>	Gross Revenue	Direct Expense	Net Income
News Years Party	3,610.00	6,701.62	-3,091.62
TOTALS	3,610.00	6,701.62	-3,091.62

STATEMENT 1

JAPAN BUSINESS ASSOCIATION OF ARIZONA 86-0675293

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FORM 990EZ, PART 1 - GRANTS AND SIMILAR AMOUNTS PAID

GRANTS PAID	Relationship to Substantial Contributor Foundation Status of Recipi	Purpose	Amount
Arizona Gauken School	Common Membership 501 C (3)	Japanese Education	12,000.00
ASU Foreign Language Dept	None	Japanese Education	500.00
Mesa Community College	None	Japanese Education	0.00
Az Assoc of of Teachers	None	Japanese Education	800.00
Misc Teachers Donations	None	Japanese Education	0.00
Arizona Matsuri Festival	None	Japanese Education	2,000.00
			<u>15,300.00</u>

STATEMENT 2

JAPAN BUSINESS ASSOCIATION OF ARIZONA**86-0675293**

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FORM 990EZ, PART II - CASH, SAVINGS

<u>Description</u>	Beginning of Year	End Of Year
Cash	35,290	36,340
TOTALS	35,290	36,340

STATEMENT 4

JAPAN BUSINESS ASSOCIATION OF ARIZONA**86-0675293**

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FORM 990EZ, PART II - OTHER ASSETS

<u>Description</u>	Beginning of Year	End Of Year
Accounts Receivable	0.00	0.00
TOTALS	0.00	0.00

STATEMENT 5

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FORM 990EZ, PART II - TOTAL LIABILITIES

<u>Description</u>	Beginning of Year	End Of Year
Accounts Payable	0.00	0.00
TOTALS	0.00	0.00

STATEMENT 6

JAPAN BUSINESS ASSOCIATION OF ARIZONA

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

Description

JBAA Support of the Arizona Gauken School provides families of Japanese businessmen assigned to the U.S. with classes to promote integration of Japanese language, culture & heritage.

JBAA provides financial support for an annual Matsuri Festival which is designed to promote understanding of the Japanese culture.

In order to enhance the interest of international studies, JBAA provides financial support to various institutions to improve communication between U.S. and Japanese Businessman.

TOTAL: NONE

STATEMENT 7

JAPAN BUSINESS ASSOCIATION OF ARIZONA 86-0675293

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FORM 990EZ, PART IV -LIST OF OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, AND TRUSTEES

<u>Business Name & Address</u> <u>Staff Name & Position / Title</u>	<u>Time</u>
Nissan Technical Cntr N America, Inc. 7815 N. White & Parker Rd., Stanfield, AZ 85272 Ojika, Tetsuya, Chairman	Part Time
SUMCO USA Corp. 19801 N Tatim, Phoenix, AZ 85050 Shibuya, Shigetoshi, Vice President	Part Time
Toyota Technical Center U.S.A. 30700 W. Patton Rd., Wittman, AZ 85361 Kitagawa, Hiroki, Vice President	Part Time
Nikko Materials USA Inc. (NMU Bldg) 125 N. Price Rd., Chandler, AZ 85224 Oka, Daisuke, Treasurer	Part Time
MGC Pure Chemicals America, Inc. 6560 S. Mt. Rd., Queen Creek, AZ 85242-9716 Koike, Kunihiko, JBAA Director	Part Time
IBIDEN USA Corporation 1300 N. McClintock Dr., Bldg. A, Chandler, AZ 85226 Fukatsu, Yasuaki, JBAA Director	Part Time
Shinko Electric America, Inc. 4450 S Rural Rd #B-200, Tempe, AZ 85282 Sugitomo, Yutaka, JBAA Director	Part Time
TDK R & D Corp. 4645 E Cotton Center #199, Phoenix, AZ 85040 Suga, Satoshi, JBAA Director	Part Time
Nissan Technical Cntr N America, Inc. 7815 N. White & Parker Rd., Stanfield, AZ 85272 Kutsuna, Takeshi, JBAA Director	Part Time
Attorney at Law 10049 E. Dynamite Blvd., Village at Troon North #115 (Box 3), Scottsdale, AZ 85262 Kondo, Yuri, JBAA Director	Part Time

STATEMENT 8