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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)

2009

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service► 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 requirementsOpen to Public
Inspection

A For the 2009 calendar year, or tax year beginning	4/01	, 2009, and ending	3/31	, 2010
B Check if applicable	C			D Employer identification number
Address change	BENEVOLENT PROTECTIVE ORDER ELKS #1283			93-0122425
Name change	333 N E EVANS STREET			E Telephone number
Initial return	MCMINNVILLE, OR 97128			503-472-1283
Termination				F Group Exemption Number
Amended return				► 1156
Application pending				

• 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: ► N/A	H Check ► <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> if the organization is not required to attach Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF).
J Tax-exempt status (check only one) — <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 501(c) (8) □ (insert no) <input type="checkbox"/> 4947(a)(1) or <input type="checkbox"/> 527	
K Check ► <input type="checkbox"/> 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	► \$ 203,629.

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

REVENUE	1 Contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts received	1
	2 Program service revenue including government fees and contracts	2 9,217.
	3 Membership dues and assessments	3 34,302.
	4 Investment income	4 34,328.
	5a Gross amount from sale of assets other than inventory	5a
	b Less. cost or other basis and sales expenses	5b
	c Gain or (loss) from sale of assets other than inventory (Subtract line 5b from line 5a)	5c
	6 Special events and activities (complete applicable parts of Schedule G) If any amount is from gaming, check here ► <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
	a Gross revenue (not including \$ of contributions reported on line 1)	6a 36,699.
	b Less direct expenses other than fundraising expenses	6b 81,286.
	c Net income or (loss) from special events and activities (Subtract line 6b from line 6a)	6c -44,587.
	7a Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	7a 89,083.
	b Less cost of goods sold	7b 44,907.
	c Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory (Subtract line 7b from line 7a)	7c 44,176.
	8 Other revenue (describe ►)	8
	9 Total revenue Add lines 1, 2, 3, 4, 5c, 6c, 7c, and 8	9 77,436.
10 Grants and similar amounts paid (attach schedule)	SEE STATEMENT 1	
11 Benefits paid to or for members	10 7,506.	
12 Salaries, other compensation, and employee benefits	11	
13 Professional fees and other payments to independent contractors	12 52,876.	
14 Occupancy, rent, utilities, and maintenance	13 5,148.	
15 Printing, publications, postage, and shipping	14 22,695.	
16 Other expenses (describe ► SEE STATEMENT 2)	15 4,903.	
17 Total expenses. Add lines 10 through 16	16 40,533.	
18 Excess or (deficit) for the year (Subtract line 17 from line 9)	17 133,661.	
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)	18 -56,225.	
20 Other changes in net assets or fund balances (attach explanation)	19 1,005,747.	
21 Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 18 through 20	20 949,522.	
21	21 949,522.	

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	915,743. 22	853,007.
23 Land and buildings	99,067. 23	96,985.
24 Other assets (describe ► SEE STATEMENT 3)	29,287. 24	30,794.
25 Total assets	1,044,097. 25	980,786.
26 Total liabilities (describe ► SEE STATEMENT 4)	38,350. 26	31,264.
27 Net assets or fund balances (line 27 of column (B) must agree with line 21)	1,005,747. 27	949,522.

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

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

What is the organization's primary exempt purpose? SEE STATEMENT 5

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, or other relevant information for each program title.

28 SEE STATEMENT 6

(Grants \$

) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here



28a

29

(Grants \$

) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here



29a

30

(Grants \$

) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here



30a

31 Other program services (attach schedule)

(Grants \$

) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here



31a

32 Total program service expenses (add lines 28a through 31a)



32

Part IV List of Officers, Directors, Trustees, and Key Employees. List each one even if not compensated (See the instrs.)

(a) Name and address	(b) Title and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation (If not paid, enter -0-.)	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account and other allowances
SEE STATEMENT 7		2,400.	0.	0.

Part V Other Information (Note the statement requirements in the instrs for Part V.)

SEE STATEMENT 8

	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	33	X
34 Were any changes made to the organizing or governing documents? If 'Yes,' attach a conformed copy of the changes	34	X
35 If the organization had income from business activities, such as those reported on lines 2, 6a, and 7a (among others), but not reported on Form 990-T, attach a statement explaining 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?	35a	X
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	36	X
37a Enter amount of political expenditures, direct or indirect, as described in the instructions ► 37a 0.	37a	0.
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?	38a	X
b If 'Yes,' complete Schedule L, Part II and enter the total amount involved	38b	N/A
39 Section 501(c)(7) organizations Enter.	39a	N/A
a Initiation fees and capital contributions included on line 9	39b	N/A
b Gross receipts, included on line 9, for public use of club facilities		
40a Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Enter amount of tax imposed on the organization during the year under: section 4911 ► N/A , section 4912 ► N/A , section 4955 ► N/A		
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	40b	0.
d Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Enter amount of tax on line 40c reimbursed by the organization	40c	0.
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	40e	X
41 List the states with which a copy of this return is filed ► NONE		
42a The organization's books are in care of ► BPOE #1283 Located at ► 333 NE EVANS, McMinnville, OR	42a	Telephone no. 503-472-1283 ZIP + 4 97128
b At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)? If 'Yes,' enter the name of the foreign country: ►	42b	X
See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22.1, Report of a 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: ►	42c	X
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	N/A N/A
44 Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds? If 'Yes,' Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ	44	X
45 Is any related organization a controlled entity of the organization within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If 'Yes,' Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ	45	X

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

Yes No

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47 Did the organization engage in lobbying activities? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule C, Part II

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48 Is the organization a school as described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule E

48

49a Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization?

49a

b If 'Yes,' was the related organization a section 527 organization?

49b

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 and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account and other allowances

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

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 ► _____

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		
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <i>Kenneth A. Lewis</i>	Date	<i>7-30-10</i>
Signature of officer			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <i>Kenneth A. Lewis EXALTED RULER</i>			
Type or print name and title			
Paid Preparer's Use Only	Preparer's signature <i>JERROLD D ALBERTS, CPA</i>	Date <i>09-23-10</i>	Check if self employed ► <input type="checkbox"/> N/A
	Firm's name (or yours if self employed), address, and ZIP + 4 ► <i>BRENNER & COMPANY, LLP, CPA'S</i>	EIN	► N/A
	► <i>245 COURT STREET NE</i>	Phone no	► <i>(503) 585-8414</i>
	<i>SALEM, OR 97301</i>		

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? See instructions

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► Yes No

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

Name of the organization

Employer identification number

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Part I

Fundraising Activities. Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' to Form 990, Part IV, line 17. Form 990EZ filers are not required to complete this part.

1. Indicate whether the organization raised funds through any of the following methods:

1 Indicate whether the organization raised funds through any of the following activities. Check all that apply.

<input type="checkbox"/> Mail solicitations	<input type="checkbox"/> Solicitation of non-government grants
<input type="checkbox"/> Internet and email solicitations	<input type="checkbox"/> Solicitation of government grants
<input type="checkbox"/> Phone solicitations	<input type="checkbox"/> Special fundraising events
<input type="checkbox"/> In-person solicitations	

2a Did the organization have written or oral agreement with any individual (including officers, directors, trustees or key employees listed in Form 990, Part VII) or entity in connection with professional fundraising services?

Yes No

b If 'Yes,' list the ten highest paid individuals or entities (fundraisers) pursuant to agreements under which the fundraiser is to be compensated at least \$5,000 by the organization.

3 List all states in which the organization is registered or licensed to solicit funds or has been notified it is exempt from registration or licensing

Part II **Fundraising Events.** Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' to Form 990, Part IV, line 18, or reported more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a. List events with gross receipts greater than \$5,000.

REVENUE		(a) Event #1 FUNDRAISERS (event type)	(b) Event #2 (event type)	(c) Other Events (total number)	(d) Total Events (Add col. (a) through col. (c))
		9,481.			9,481.
1	Gross receipts	9,481.			9,481.
2	Less Charitable contributions				
3	Gross income (line 1 minus line 2)	9,481.			9,481.
4	Cash prizes				
5	Noncash prizes				
6	Rent/facility costs				
7	Food and beverages				
8	Entertainment				
9	Other direct expenses	11,878.			11,878.
10	Direct expense summary Add lines 4- through 9 in column (d)				11,878.
11	Net income summary Combine lines 3, column (d) and line 10				-2,397.

Part III **Gaming.** Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' to Form 990, Part IV, line 19, or reported more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a.

REVENUE		(a) Bingo	(b) Pull tabs/Instant bingo/progressive bingo	(c) Other gaming	(d) Total gaming (Add col. (a) through col. (c))
		6,380.		20,838.	27,218.
1	Gross revenue				
2	Cash prizes	4,420.	157.	47,712.	52,289.
3	Non-cash prizes				
4	Rent/facility costs				
5	Other direct expenses	491.		16,628.	17,119.
6	Volunteer labor	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes 100 % <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes 0 % <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes 0 % <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
7	Direct expense summary Add lines 2 through 5 in column (d)				69,408.
8	Net gaming income summary Combine lines 1, column (d) and line 7				-42,190.

9 Enter the state(s) in which the organization operates gaming activities. OR

a Is the organization licensed to operate gaming activities in each of these states?

b If 'No,' explain

YES	NO
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

10a Were any of the organization's gaming licenses revoked, suspended or terminated during the tax year?

b If 'Yes,' explain

10a	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	<input type="checkbox"/>

11 Does the organization operate gaming activities with nonmembers?

12 Is the organization a grantor, beneficiary or trustee of a trust or a member of a partnership or other entity formed to administer charitable gaming?

11	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
12	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

13 Indicate the percentage of gaming activity operated in:

- a The organization's facility
- b An outside facility

	YES	NO
13a	100.0 %	
13b	%	

14 Enter the name and address of the person who prepares the organization's gaming/special events books and records.

Name ► JENNIFER PALOAddress ► 333 NORTH EVANS ST, McMINTONVILLE, OR 97128

15a Does the organization have a contact 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 of the third party

15a	X
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Name ► _____

Address. ► _____

16 Gaming manager information

Name. ► _____

Gaming manager compensation ► \$ _____

Description of services provided ► _____

 Director/officer Employee Independent contractor

17 Mandatory distributions

- a Is the organization required under state law to make charitable distributions from the gaming proceeds to retain the state gaming license?

17a	X
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- b Enter the amount of distributions required under state law to be distributed to other exempt organizations or spent in the organization's own exempt activities during the tax year ► \$ 491. SEE SUPPLEMENTAL

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**PART III, LINE 17B
DISTRIBUTIONS REQUIRED UNDER STATE LAW**

OREGON

TOTAL \$ 491.
 \$ 491.

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

PAYMENTS TO AFFILIATES

NAME:	BPOE ELKS OF THE USA
ADDRESS:	2750 N. LAKEVIEW AVENUE
	CHICAGO, IL 60614
PURPOSE OF PAYMENT:	PER CAPITA DUES
AMOUNT:	\$ 5,838.
NAME:	OREGON STATE ELKS ASSN
ADDRESS:	868 COMMERCIAL ST SE
	SALEM, OR 97308
PURPOSE OF PAYMENT:	PER CAPITA DUES
AMOUNT:	\$ 1,668.
PAYMENTS TO AFFILIATES	
	\$ 7,506.

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

BANK CHARGES	\$ 1,731.
CONFERENCES, CONVENTIONS, AND MEETINGS	1,842.
DEPRECIATION	4,339.
EQUIPMENT REPAIR & MAINTENANCE	5,176.
INSURANCE	6,149.
LODGE ACTIVITIES	6,052.
OTHER BAR COST	2,377.
OTHER DINING ROOM COST	6,464.
OTHER LODGE EXPENSE	752.
SUPPLIES	1,433.
TAXES & LICENSES	1,974.
TELEPHONE	2,244.
TOTAL	\$ 40,533.

STATEMENT 3
FORM 990-EZ, PART II, LINE 24
OTHER ASSETS

	<u>BEGINNING</u>	<u>ENDING</u>
FURNITURE AND FIXTURES	\$ 22,654.	\$ 21,390.
INVENTORIES	5,680.	6,244.
MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT	953.	3,160.
TOTAL	\$ 29,287.	\$ 30,794.

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STATEMENT 4
FORM 990-EZ, PART II, LINE 26
TOTAL LIABILITIES

	<u>BEGINNING</u>	<u>ENDING</u>
ACCOUNTS PAYABLE AND ACCRUED EXPENSES	\$ 15,046.	\$ 6,842.
DEFERRED REVENUE	22,942.	22,661.
PAYROLL LIABILITIES	362.	1,761.
TOTAL	\$ 38,350.	\$ 31,264.

STATEMENT 5
FORM 990-EZ, PART III
ORGANIZATION'S PRIMARY EXEMPT PURPOSE

TO PROMOTE THE WELFARE AND ENHANCE THE HAPPINESS OF ITS MEMBERS AND TO SERVE THE PEOPLE AND COMMUNITIES THROUGH BENEVOLENT PROGRAMS.

STATEMENT 6
FORM 990-EZ, PART III, LINE 28
STATEMENT OF PROGRAM SERVICE ACCOMPLISHMENTS

CHARITY AND COMMUNITY SUPPORT WITH STATE AND NATIONAL AFFILIATION AND MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS AND ACTIVITIES FOR 389 MEMBERS AS OF MARCH 31, 2010.

STATEMENT 7
FORM 990-EZ, PART IV
LIST OF OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, TRUSTEES, AND KEY EMPLOYEES

NAME AND ADDRESS	TITLE AND AVERAGE HOURS PER WEEK DEVOTED	COMPEN- SATION	CONTRI- BUTION TO EBP & DC	EXPENSE ACCOUNT/ OTHER
HARVEY "MIKE" BALCOMBE 840 NE ASHBY CT MCMINNVILLE, OR 97128	TRUSTEE 0	0. \$ 0	0. \$ 0	0. 0
VIRGINIA WILLIAMS 912 NE 28TH ST MCMINNVILLE, OR 97128	TRUSTEE 0	0.	0.	0.
CHARLES "BUTCH" KRATZER 153 W 5TH LAFAYETTE MCMINNVILLE, OR 97127	LEADING KNIGHT 0	0.	0.	0.
RONNIE MORTON 5401 SE RICE LANE AMITY, OR 97101	LECTURE KNIGHT 0	0.	0.	0.

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NAME AND ADDRESS	TITLE AND AVERAGE HOURS PER WEEK DEVOTED	COMPEN- SATION	CONTRI- BUTION TO EBP & DC	EXPENSE ACCOUNT/ OTHER
PRISCILLA MORTON 5401 SE RICE LANE AMITY, OR 97101	INNER GRD 0	0. \$	0. \$	0.
RICHARD WHITE 1530 SW GILSON CT MCMINNVILLE, OR 97128	TRUSTEE 0	0.	0.	0.
MURRAY COOKSLEY 416 NW COUNTRY CT MCMINNVILLE, OR 97128	TILER 0	0.	0.	0.
ROBERT WHITE 9260 SW YOUNGBERG HILL MCMINNVILLE, OR 97128	TRUSTEE 0	0.	0.	0.
MIKE WORDEN 16858 SW STELLAR DR SHERWOOD, OR 97140	ESQUIRE 0	0.	0.	0.
RICHARD CARMINE 2137 SW TAMARCK CT MCMINNVILLE, OR 97128	TRUSTEE 0	0.	0.	0.
DONNELL "TAD" DICKEY 991 NW DEL MONTE DR #9 MCMINNVILLE, OR 97128	CHAPLAIN 0	0.	0.	0.
ARLENE STRICKER 726 SW WESTVIEW DRIVE MCMINNVILLE, OR 97128	TREASURER 0	0.	0.	0.
KENNETH PRIVATSKY SR 912 NE 28TH ST MCMINNVILLE, OR 97128	EXALTED RULER 0	0.	0.	0.
MARVIN WORDEN 2756 NE ELAINE DR MCMINNVILLE, OR 97128	LOYAL KNIGHT 0	0.	0.	0.
JOHN BALOG 19330 NE NIEDERBERGER RD DUNDEE, OR 97115	SECRETARY 0	2,400.	0.	0.
TOTAL		\$ 2,400.	\$ 0.	\$ 0.

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STATEMENT 8
FORM 990-EZ, PART V
REGARDING TRANSFERS ASSOCIATED WITH PERSONAL BENEFIT CONTRACTS

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

(B) DID THE ORGANIZATION, DURING THE YEAR, PAY PREMIUMS, DIRECTLY OR
INDIRECTLY, ON A PERSONAL BENEFIT CONTRACT? **NO**

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ATTACHMENT TO FORM 990, PAGE 3, QUESTION 35:

AMOUNTS ON LINE 6A OF FORM 990, PAGE 1 MAINLY RELATE TO GAMING ACTIVITIES FOR MEMBERS, WHICH IS PART OF THE EXEMPT PURPOSE OF THE LODGE. THE REMAINING AMOUNTS RELATE TO SMALL, ONE TIME SPECIAL EVENTS FOR THE COMMUNITY.

Application for Extension of Time To File an
Exempt Organization Return

OMB No. 1545 1709

► File a separate application for each return.

- If you are filing for an **Automatic 3-Month Extension**, complete only **Part I** and check this box. ►
- If you are filing for an **Additional (Not Automatic) 3-Month Extension**, complete only **Part II** (on page 2 of this form)

Do not complete Part II unless you have already been granted an automatic 3-month extension on a previously filed Form 8868

Part I Automatic 3-Month Extension of Time. Only submit original (no copies needed).A corporation required to file Form 990-T and requesting an automatic 6-month extension – check this box and complete Part I only ► *All other corporations (including 1120-C filers), partnerships, REMICS, and trusts must use Form 7004 to request an extension of time to file income tax returns.*

Electronic Filing (e-file). Generally, you can electronically file Form 8868 if you want a 3-month automatic extension of time to file one of the returns noted below (6 months for a corporation required to file Form 990-T). However, you cannot file Form 8868 electronically if (1) you want the additional (not automatic) 3-month extension or (2) you file Forms 990-BL, 6069, or 8870, group returns, or a composite or consolidated Form 990-T. Instead, you must submit the fully completed and signed page 2 (Part II) of Form 8868. For more details on the electronic filing of this form, visit www.irs.gov/efile and click on e-file for Charities & Nonprofits.

Type or print	Name of Exempt Organization BENEVOLENT PROTECTIVE ORDER ELKS #1283	Employer identification number 93-0122425
File by the due date for filing your return. See instructions.	Number, street, and room or suite number. If a P O box, see instructions 333 N E EVANS STREET	
	City, town or post office, state, and ZIP code. For a foreign address, see instructions MCMINNVILLE, OR 97128	

Check type of return to be filed (file a separate application for each return).

<input type="checkbox"/> Form 990	<input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-T (corporation)	<input type="checkbox"/> Form 4720
<input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-BL	<input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-T (section 401(a) or 408(a) trust)	<input type="checkbox"/> Form 5227
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form 990-EZ	<input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-T (trust other than above)	<input type="checkbox"/> Form 6069
<input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-PF	<input type="checkbox"/> Form 1041-A	<input type="checkbox"/> Form 8870

- The books are in the care of ► BPOE #1283

Telephone No. ► 503-472-1283 FAX No. ►

- If the organization does not have an office or place of business in the United States, check this box ►
- If this is for a Group Return, enter the organization's four digit Group Exemption Number (GEN) . If this is for the whole group, check this box ► If it is for part of the group, check this box ► and attach a list with the names and EINs of all members the extension will cover.

1 I request an automatic 3-month (6 months for a corporation required to file Form 990-T) extension of time until 11/15, 20 10, to file the exempt organization return for the organization named above.

The extension is for the organization's return for:

- calendar year 20 or
- tax year beginning 4/01, 20 09, and ending 3/31, 20 10.

2 If this tax year is for less than 12 months, check reason: Initial return Final return Change in accounting period

3a If this application is for Form 990-BL, 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter the tentative tax, less any nonrefundable credits. See instructions	3a \$ <u>0.</u>
b If this application is for Form 990-PF or 990-T, enter any refundable credits and estimated tax payments made. Include any prior year overpayment allowed as a credit	3b \$ <u>0.</u>
c Balance Due. Subtract line 3b from line 3a. Include your payment with this form, or, if required, deposit with FTD coupon or, if required, by using EFTPS (Electronic Federal Tax Payment System). See instructions	3c \$ <u>0.</u>

Caution. If you are going to make an electronic fund withdrawal with this Form 8868, see Form 8453-EO and Form 8879-EO for payment instructions.

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