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Form 990-EZ

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

Short Form

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)

Sponsoring organizations of donor advised funds, organizations that operate one or more hospital facilities, and certain controlling organizations as defined in section 512(b)(13) must file Form 990 (see instructions)

All other organizations with gross receipts less than \$200,000 and total assets less than \$500,000 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

OMB No 1545-1150

2010

Open to Public Inspection

For the 2010 calendar year, or tax year beginning 01-01-2010, and ending 12-31-2010

Check if applicable

Address change

Name change

Initial return

Terminated

Amended return

Application pending

Name of organization  
NEW HAMPSHIRE SUPREME COURT SOCIETY

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

Room/suite

ONE CHARLES DOE DR

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

CONCORD, NH 03301

D Employer identification number

20-5833959

E Telephone number

(603) 334-6926

F Group Exemption Number

G Accounting method

Cash

Accrual

Other (specify)

I Website:

WWW.NHSUPREMECOURTSOCIETY.ORG

H Check

If the organization is not required to attach Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF)

J Tax-Exempt status (check only one)

501(c)(3)

501(c) ( ) (insert no )

4947(a)(1)

527

K Check

If the organization is not a section 509(a)(3) supporting organization and its gross receipts are normally not more than \$50,000 A Form 990-EZ or Form 990 return is not required though Form 990-N (e-postcard) may be required (see instructions) But if the organization chooses to file a return, be sure to file a complete return

L Add lines 5b, 6c, and 7b, to line 9 to determine gross receipts. If gross receipts are \$200,000 or more, or if total assets (Part II, line 25, column (B) below) are \$500,000 or more, file Form 990 instead of Form 990-EZ

\$14,450

Part I Revenue, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances (See the instructions for Part I )									
Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part I . . . . .									
Revenue	1	Contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts received . . . . .	1	14,450					
	2	Program service revenue including government fees and contracts . . . . .	2						
	3	Membership dues and assessments . . . . .	3						
	4	Investment income . . . . .	4						
	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	Gaming and fundraising events							
	a	Gross income from gaming (attach Schedule G if greater than \$15,000) . . . . .	6a						
	b	Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ _of contributions from fundraising events reported on line 1) (attach Schedule G if the sum of such gross income and contributions exceed \$15,000) . . . . .							
Expenses	c	Less direct expenses from gaming and fundraising events . . . . .	6c						
	d	Net income or (loss) from gaming and fundraising events (Add lines 6a and 6b and subtract line 6c) . . . . .	6d						
	7a	Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances . . . . .	7a						
	b	Less cost of goods sold . . . . .	7b						
	c	Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory (Subtract line 7b from line 7a) . . . . .	7c						
	8	Other revenue (describe in Schedule O) . . . . .	8						
	9	Total revenue. Add lines 1, 2, 3, 4, 5c, 6d, 7c, and 8 . . . . .	9	14,450					
	10	Grants and similar amounts paid (list in Schedule O) . . . . .	10						
	11	Benefits paid to or for members . . . . .	11						
	12	Salaries, other compensation, and employee benefits . . . . .	12						
Net Assets	13	Professional fees and other payments to independent contractors . . . . .	13	645					
	14	Occupancy, rent, utilities, and maintenance . . . . .	14						
	15	Printing, publications, postage, and shipping . . . . .	15	2,959					
	16	Other expenses (describe in Schedule O) . . . . .	16	2,817					
	17	Total expenses. Add lines 10 through 16 . . . . .	17	6,421					
	18	Excess or (deficit) for the year (Subtract line 17 from line 9) . . . . .	18	8,029					
	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	39,125					
	20	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O) . . . . .	20	315					
	21	Net assets or fund balances at end of year Combine lines 18 through 20 . . . . .	21	47,469					

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Part II

Balance Sheets

Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part II

(See the instructions for Part II )		(A) Beginning of year	(B) End of year	
22	Cash, savings, and investments	39,125	22	47,469
23	Land and buildings		23	
24	Other assets (describe in Schedule O)		24	
25	Total assets	39,125	25	47,469
26	Total liabilities (describe in Schedule O)		26	
27	Net assets or fund balances (line 27 of column (B) must agree with line 21)	39,125	27	47,469

Part III

Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part III

What is the organization's primary exempt purpose?

TO PROMOTE AN UNDERSTANDING AND APPRECIATION OF THE NEW HAMPSHIRE SUPREME COURT AND THE JUDICIARY OF THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE, INCLUDING WITHOUT LIMITATION, BY SPONSORING LECTURES AND OTHER EDUCATIONAL EVENTS, PRESERVING AND CATALOGUING HISTORICAL DOCUMENTS AND MATERIALS, AND PRODUCING AND DISSEMINATING EDUCATIONAL MATERIALS

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

28 THE SOCIETY BEGAN WORK ON MANY EDUCATIONAL ACTIVITIES, INCLUDING EXHIBITIONS, LECTURE SERIES, AN ORAL HISTORY PROJECT AND A CURRICULUM PROJECT. FOLLOWING ARE SOME OF THE MOST SIGNFICANT ACHIEVEMENTS IN 2010: "JUDICIAL NOTICE: THE WORLD THROUGH THE EYES OF CHIEF JUSTICE PEASLEE" AN EXHIBITION OF COURT ROOM DRAWINGS BY AN EARLY 20TH CENTURY JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT. THE SOCIETY'S FIRST EXHIBITION AFFORDED A HISTORICAL GLIMPSE AT LAWYERS AND LITIGANTS OF THE TIME. "KING LECTURE SERIES" IN COOPERATION WITH THE NEW HAMPSHIRE SUPREME COURT, THE SOCIETY ANNUALLY HOSTS A DISTINGUISHED VOICE FROM THE WORLD OF LAW. THE MOST RECENT SPEAKER WAS DEAN ELANA KAGAN OF THE HARVARD LAW SCHOOL. "LIBRARY OF MEMBER PUBLICATIONS" MEMBERS OF THE SUPREME COURT SOCIETY PUBLISH PIECES ON NEW HAMPSHIRE LEGAL HISTORY. "LIFE AND LIBERTY AWARD" THE SUPREME COURT SOCIETY BESTOWS THE LIFE AND LIBERTY AWARD SEMI-ANNUALLY ON AN INDIVIDUAL WHO EMBODIES EXCELLENCE AND BRAVERY IN THE WORLD OF LAW. THE FIRST HONOREE WAS JUSTICE MADHAT AL-MAHMOOD, THE CHIEF JUSTICE OF IRAQ. "SURVIVING HITLER: A LOVE STORY" THE SOCIETY PRESENTED THIS MOVIE IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE LANTOS FOUNDATION FOR HUMAN RIGHTS AND JUSTICE, AS WELL AS LINCOLN FINANCIAL GROUP.

(Grants \$ ) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here

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

29	(Grants \$ ) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here	29a	5,927
30	(Grants \$ ) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here	30a	
31	Other program services (describe in Schedule O) (Grants \$ ) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here	31a	
32	Total program service expenses (add lines 28a through 31a)	32	5,927

Part IV

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

Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part IV

(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 & deferred compensation	(e) Expense account and other allowances
See Additional Data Table				

Part V

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

Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part V ☐

		Yes	No
33	Did the organization engage in any activity not previously reported to the IRS? If "Yes," provide a detailed description of each activity in Schedule O . . . . .	33	No
34	Were any significant changes made to the organizing or governing documents? If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the amended documents if they reflect a change to the organization's name. Otherwise, explain the change on Schedule O (see instructions) . . . . .	34	No
35	If the organization had income from business activities, such as those reported on lines 2, 6a, and 7a (among others), but <b>not</b> reported on Form 990-T, explain in Schedule O 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 a section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6) organization subject to section 6033(e) notice, reporting, and proxy tax requirements?	35a	No
b	If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on <b>Form 990-T</b> for this year? (see instructions) . . . . .	35b	
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	No
37a	Enter amount of political expenditures, direct or indirect, as described in the instructions ▶	37a	
b	Did the organization file <b>Form 1120-POL</b> for this year? . . . . .	37b	No
38a	Did the organization borrow from, or make any loans to, any officer, director, trustee, or key employee <b>or</b> were any such loans made in a prior year and still outstanding at the end of the tax year covered by this return?	38a	No
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 did it engage in an excess benefit transaction in a prior year that has not been reported on any of its prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I . . . . .	40b	No
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 . . . . .	40e	No
41	List the states with which a copy of this return is filed ▶ NH		
42a	The organization's books are in care of ▶ DR MARIA MANUS PAINCHAUD Telephone no ▶ (603) 644-3164 SNHU SCHOOL OF BUSINESS WEBSTER 214C 2500 NORTH RIVER RD Located at ▶ MANCHESTER, NH ZIP + 4 ▶ 03106		
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 ▶ _____ See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for <b>Form TD F 90-22.1, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts</b> .	42b	No
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	No
43	Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-EZ in lieu of <b>Form 1041</b> —Check here <input type="checkbox"/> and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year . . . . . ▶ 43		
44a	Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds? If "Yes", Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ.	44a	No
b	Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities during the year? If "Yes," Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ	44b	No
c	Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the year?	44c	No
d	If "Yes" to line 44c, has the organization filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O	44d	

		Yes	No
45	Is any related organization a controlled entity of the organization within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If 'Yes,' Form 990 and Schedule R must be completed instead of Form990-EZ		No
45a	Did the organization receive any payment from or engage in any transaction with a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If 'Yes,' Form 990 and Schedule R must be completed instead of Form990-EZ		No
46	Did the organization engage, directly or indirectly, in political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I		No

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 47-49b and 52.

Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part VI

	Yes	No
47	Did the organization engage in lobbying activities? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II	No
48	Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E	No
49a	Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization?	No
49b	If "Yes," was the related organization a section 527 organization?	

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
NONE				

50(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
NONE		

51(d) Total number of other independent contractors each receiving over \$100,000

52 Did the organization complete Schedule A? **NOTE:** All Section 501(c)(3) organizations and 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts must attach a completed Schedule A

☒ Yes ☐ No

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.

Sign Here	***** Signature of officer		2011-06-08 Date			
	MARIA MANUS PAINCHAUD TREASURER Type or print name and title					
Paid Preparer's Use Only	Preparer's signature	KAREN M CAREW	Date	2011-06-08	Preparer's taxpayer identification number (See instructions)	
	Firm's name (or yours if self-employed), address, and ZIP + 4	CAREW & WELLS PLLC 3 NORTH SPRING ST SUITE 100 CONCORD, NH 03301				EIN
				Phone no		(603) 224-3950

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

☐ Yes ☐ No

SCHEDULE A  
(Form 990 or 990EZ)

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

Public Charity Status and Public Support

Complete if the organization is a section 501(c)(3) organization or a section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust.

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

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Name of the organization  
NEW HAMPSHIRE SUPREME COURT SOCIETY

Employer identification number  
20-5833959

Part I

Reason for Public Charity Status (All organizations must complete this part.) See instructions

The organization is not a private foundation because it is (For lines 1 through 11, check only one box )

1

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A church, convention of churches, or association of churches described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(i).**

2

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A school described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii).** (Attach Schedule E )

3

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A hospital or a cooperative hospital service organization described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii).**

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A medical research organization operated in conjunction with a hospital described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii).** Enter the hospital's name, city, and state

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An organization operated for the benefit of a college or university owned or operated by a governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iv).** (Complete Part II )

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A federal, state, or local government or governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(v).**

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An organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)** (Complete Part II )

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A community trust described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)** (Complete Part II )

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An organization that normally receives (1) more than 33 1/3% of its support from contributions, membership fees, and gross receipts from activities related to its exempt functions—subject to certain exceptions, and (2) no more than 33 1/3% of its support from gross investment income and unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 tax) from businesses acquired by the organization after June 30, 1975 See **section 509(a)(2).** (Complete Part III )

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An organization organized and operated exclusively to test for public safety See**section 509(a)(4).**

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An organization organized and operated exclusively for the benefit of, to perform the functions of, or to carry out the purposes of one or more publicly supported organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or section 509(a)(2) See **section 509(a)(3).** Check the box that describes the type of supporting organization and complete lines 11e through 11h

a

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Type I

b

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Type II

c

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Type III - Functionally integrated

d

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Type III - Other

e

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By checking this box, I certify that the organization is not controlled directly or indirectly by one or more disqualified persons other than foundation managers and other than one or more publicly supported organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or section 509(a)(2)

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If the organization received a written determination from the IRS that it is a Type I, Type II or Type III supporting organization, check this box

g

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Since August 17, 2006, has the organization accepted any gift or contribution from any of the following persons?  
(i) a person who directly or indirectly controls, either alone or together with persons described in (ii) and (iii) below, the governing body of the the supported organization?  
(ii) a family member of a person described in (i) above?  
(iii) a 35% controlled entity of a person described in (i) or (ii) above?

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Provide the following information about the supported organization(s)

	Yes	No
11g(i)		
11g(ii)		
11g(iii)		

(i) Name of supported organization	(ii) EIN	(iii) Type of organization (described on lines 1- 9 above or IRC section (see instructions))	(iv) Is the organization in col (i) listed in your governing document?		(v) Did you notify the organization in col (i) of your support?		(vi) Is the organization in col (i) organized in the U S ?		(vii) Amount of support
			Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	
Total									

Part II

Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Sections 170(b)(1)(A)(iv) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 5, 7, or 8 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part III. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part III.)

Section A. Public Support						
Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2006	(b) 2007	(c) 2008	(d) 2009	(e) 2010	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received (Do not include any "unusual grants.")	24,570	11,500	33,150	11,100	14,450	94,770
2 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
3 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
4 Total. Add lines 1 through 3	24,570	11,500	33,150	11,100	14,450	94,770
5 The portion of total contributions by each person (other than a governmental unit or publicly supported organization) included on line 1 that exceeds 2% of the amount shown on line 11, column (f)						105
6 Public Support. Subtract line 5 from line 4						94,665

Section B. Total Support						
Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2006	(b) 2007	(c) 2008	(d) 2009	(e) 2010	(f) Total
7 Amounts from line 4	24,570	11,500	33,150	11,100	14,450	94,770
8 Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources						
9 Net income from unrelated business activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
10 Other income Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV )						
11 Total support (Add lines 7 through 10)						94,770
12 Gross receipts from related activities, etc (See instructions )					12	
13 First Five Years If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here ▶						

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage		
14 Public Support Percentage for 2010 (line 6 column (f) divided by line 11 column (f))	14	99 890 %
15 Public Support Percentage for 2009 Schedule A, Part II, line 14	15	99 510 %
16a 33 1/3% support test—2010. If the organization did not check the box on line 13, and line 14 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ▶		
b 33 1/3% support test—2009. If the organization did not check the box on line 13 or 16a, and line 15 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ▶		
17a 10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2010. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, or 16b and line 14 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts and circumstances" test, check this box and stop here. Explain in Part IV how the organization meets the "facts and circumstances" test The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ▶		
b 10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2009. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, or 17a and line 15 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts and circumstances" test, check this box and stop here. Explain in Part IV how the organization meets the "facts and circumstances" test The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ▶		
18 Private Foundation If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, 17a or 17b, check this box and see instructions ▶		

Part III

Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Section 509(a)(2)  
(Complete only if you checked the box on line 9 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part II. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part II.)

Section A. Public Support						
Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2006	(b) 2007	(c) 2008	(d) 2009	(e) 2010	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received (Do not include any "unusual grants.")						
2 Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services performed, or facilities furnished in any activity that is related to the organization's tax-exempt purpose						
3 Gross receipts from activities that are not an unrelated trade or business under section 513						
4 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
5 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
6 Total. Add lines 1 through 5						
7a Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3 received from disqualified persons						
b Amounts included on lines 2 and 3 received from other than disqualified persons that exceed the greater of \$5,000 or 1% of the amount on line 13 for the year						
c Add lines 7a and 7b						
8 Public Support (Subtract line 7c from line 6 )						

Section B. Total Support						
Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2006	(b) 2007	(c) 2008	(d) 2009	(e) 2010	(f) Total
9 Amounts from line 6						
10a Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources						
b Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975						
c Add lines 10a and 10b						
11 Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
12 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV.)						
13 Total support (Add lines 9, 10c, 11 and 12.)						
14 First Five Years If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here ▶						

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage		
15 Public Support Percentage for 2010 (line 8 column (f) divided by line 13 column (f))	15	
16 Public support percentage from 2009 Schedule A, Part III, line 15	16	

Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage		
17 Investment income percentage for 2010 (line 10c column (f) divided by line 13 column (f))	17	
18 Investment income percentage from 2009 Schedule A, Part III, line 17	18	
19a 33 1/3% support tests—2010. If the organization did not check the box on line 14, and line 15 is more than 33 1/3% and line 17 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ▶		
b 33 1/3% support tests—2009. If the organization did not check a box on line 14 or line 19a, and line 16 is more than 33 1/3% and line 18 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ▶		
20 Private Foundation If the organization did not check a box on line 14, 19a or 19b, check this box and see instructions ▶		



Part IV

**Supplemental Information.** Supplemental Information. Complete this part to provide the explanations required by Part II, line 10; Part II, line 17a or 17b; and Part III, line 12. Also complete this part for any additional information. (See instructions).

Facts And Circumstances Test

Additional Data
















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Software Version:







EIN: 20-5833959

Name: NEW HAMPSHIRE SUPREME COURT SOCIETY

Form 990EZ, Part IV - List of Officers, Directors, Trustees, and Key Employees

(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 & deferred compensation	(E) Expense account and other allowances
MARY SUSAN LEAHY ESQ  MCLANE LAW FIRM PO BOX 459 PORTSMOUTH,NH 038020459	PRESIDENT 2 00	0		
DR SYLVIO L DUPUIS  451 COOLIDGE AVE MANCHESTER,NH 03102	VICE PRES 2 00	0		
DR MARIA MANUS PAINCHAUD  SNHU WEBSTER 116J 2500 NORTH RIVER ROAD MANCHESTER,NH 03106	TREASURER 2 00	0		
ELLEN L ARNOLD ESQ  DARTMOUTH COLLEGE 14 S MAIN ST HANOVER,NH 03755	DIRECTOR 000 00	0		
DORCAS H DEANS ESQ  2935 WHITE MOUTAIN HIGHWAY NORTH CONWAY,NH 03860	DIRECTOR 000 00	0		
CHARLES G DOUGLAS III ESQ  6 LOUDON RD CONCORD,NH 03301	DIRECTOR 000 00	0		
SUSAN V DUPREY ESQ  DEVINE MILLIMET 111 AMHERST ST MANCHESTER,NH 03101	DIRECTOR 000 00	0		
THOMAS C GALLIGAN PRESIDENT  COLBY-SAWYER COLLEGE 541 MAIN ST NEW LONDON,NH 03257	DIRECTOR 000 00	0		
HONORABLE RICHARD GALWAY  58 GAGE RD BEDFORD,NH 03110	DIRECTOR 000 00	0		
HONORABLE SHERMAN D HORTON JR  PO BOX 908 HILLSBORO,NH 03244	DIRECTOR 000 00	0		
DEAN JOHN D HUTSON  FRANKLIN PIERCE LAW 2 WHITE ST CONCORD,NH 03301	DIRECTOR 000 00	0		
MICHAEL S LEWIS ESQ  33 CAPITOL ST CONCORD,NH 03301	DIRECTOR 000 00	0		
HONORABLE KATHLEEN A MCGUIRE  17 CHENELL DR CONCORD,NH 03301	DIRECTOR 000 00	0		
JACK B MIDDLETON ESQ  MCLANE LAW FIRMM PO BOX 326 MANCHESTER,NH 031060326	DIRECTOR 000 00	0		
DAVID L NIXON ESQ  77 CENTRAL ST MANCHESTER,NH 03101	DIRECTOR 000 00	0		

Form 990EZ, Part IV - List of Officers, Directors, Trustees, and Key Employees

(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 & deferred compensation	(E) Expense account and other allowances
JOHN C RANSMEIER ESQ  RANSMEIER SPELLMAN PO BOX 600 CONCORD,NH 033020600	DIRECTOR 000 00	0		
TARA REARDON  124 EAST SIDE DR CONCORD,NH 03301	DIRECTOR 000 00	0		
RICHARD D SCHUBART  PHILIPS EXETER ACADEMY 20 MAIN ST EXETER,NH 038332469	DIRECTOR 000 00	0		
GREGORY SMITH ESQ  MCLANE LAW FIRM 11 S MAIN ST 500 CONCORD,NH 03301	DIRECTOR 000 00	0		
JAY SURDUKOWSKI ESQ  SULLOWAY HOLLIS 9 CAPITOL ST CONCORD,NH 03301	DIRECTOR 000 00	0		
SHERILYNN BURNETT YOUNG ESQ  RATH YOUNG PIGNATELLI PO BOX 1500 CONCORD,NH 033021500	DIRECTOR 000 00	0		

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Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
OTHER EXPENSES	FORM 990-EZ, PART I, LINE 16	EXPENSES 248 EXHIBITIONS SITE 1,500 SEMINARS- OTHER 369 WEBSITE 475 SUPPLIES 150 LICENSES 75 TOTAL 2,817

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OTHER CHANGES IN NET ASSETS OR FUND BALANCES	FORM 990-EZ, PART I, LINE 20	STALE ITEMS DUPLICATED IN CHECKBOOK DELETED IN 0 CURRENT YEAR RECONCILIATION 315

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PRIMARY EXEMPT PURPOSE	FORM 990-EZ, PART III	TO PROMOTE AN UNDERSTANDING AND APPRECIATION OF THE NEW HAMPSHIRE SUPREME COURT AND THE JUDICIARY OF THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE, INCLUDING WITHOUT LIMITATION, BY SPONSORING LECTURES AND OTHER EDUCATIONAL EVENTS, PRESERVING AND CATALOGUING HISTORICAL DOCUMENTS AND MATERIALS, AND PRODUCING AND DISSEMINATING EDUCATIONAL MATERIALS

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FIRST ACHIEVEMENT	FORM 990-EZ, PART III, LINE 28	THE SOCIETY BEGAN WORK ON MANY EDUCATIONAL ACTIVITIES, INCLUDING EXHIBITIONS, LECTURE SERIES, AN ORAL HISTORY PROJECT AND A CURRICULM PROJECT FOLLOWING ARE SOME OF THE MOST SIGNFICANT ACHIEVEMENTS IN 2010 "JUDICIAL NOTICE THE WORLD THROUGH THE EYES OF CHIEF JUSTICE PEASLEE' AN EXHIBITION OF COURT ROOM DRAWINGS BY AN EARLY 20TH CENTURY JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT THE SOCIETY'S FIRST EXHIBITION AFFORDED A HISTORICAL GLIMPSE AT LAWYERS AND LITIGANTS OF THE TIME "KING LECTURE SERIES" IN COOPERATION WITH THE NEW HAMPSHIRE SUPREME COURT, THE SOCIETY ANNUALLY HOSTS A DISTINGUISHED VOICE FROM THE WORLD OF LAW THE MOST RECENT SPEAKER WAS DEAN ELANA KAGAN OF THE HARVARD LAW SCHOOL "LIBRARY OF MEMBER PUBLICATIONS" MEMBERS OF THE SUPREME COURT SOCIETY PUBLISH PIECES ON NEW HAMPSHIRE LEGAL HISTORY "LIFE AND LIBERTY AWARD" THE SUPREME COURT SOCIETY BESTOWS THE LIFE AND LIBERTY AWARD SEMI-ANNUALLY ON AN INDIVIDUAL WHO EMBODIES EXCELLENCE AND BRAVERY IN THE WORLD OF LAW THE FIRST HONOREE WAS JUSTICE MADHAT AL-MAHMOOD, THE CHIEF JUSTICE OF IRAQ "SURVIVING HITLER A LOVE STORY" THE SOCIETY PRESENTED THIS MOVIE IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE LANTOS FOUNDATION FOR HUMAN RIGHTS AND JUSTICE, AS WELL AS LINCOLN FINANCIAL GROUP

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