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Form 990

## Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

2010

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

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Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

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

## A For the 2010 calendar year, or tax year beginning 07-01-2010 and ending 06-30-2011

Check if applicable  
 Address change  
 Name change  
 Initial return  
 Terminated  
 Amended return  
 Application pending

C Name of organization  
INTERNATIONAL FIRE SPRINKLER  
ASSOCIATION LTD  
Doing Business As  
Number and street (or P O box if mail is not delivered to street address)  
40 JON BARRETT ROAD  
City or town, state or country, and ZIP + 4  
PATTERSON, NY 12563

## D Employer identification number

52-2154784

## E Telephone number

(845) 878-4200

## G Gross receipts \$ 417,860

## F Name and address of principal officer

H(a) Is this a group return for affiliates?  Yes  NoH(b) Are all affiliates included?  Yes  No  
If "No," attach a list (see instructions)

H(c) Group exemption number ►

I Tax-exempt status  501(c)(3)  501(c) ( 6 ) ► (insert no)  4947(a)(1) or  527

J Website: ► SPRINKLERWORLD.ORG

K Form of organization  Corporation  Trust  Association  Other ► L Year of formation M State of legal domicile

## Part I Summary

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities  
TO PROMOTE AND ENHANCE THE INDUSTRY OF MANUFACTURING AND INSTALLING FIRE SPRINKLERS AND RELATED EQUIPMENT WITH THE HIGHEST DEGREE OF COMPETENCE AND PROFESSIONALISM FOR THE PURPOSE OF SAVING LIVES AND PROTECTING PROPERTY

2 Check this box ► if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its net assets

3 Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a) . . . . .

4 Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b) . . . . .

5 Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2010 (Part V, line 2a) . . . . .

6 Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary) . . . . .

7a Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12 . . . . .

b Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34 . . . . .

3	15
4	15
5	0
6	
7a	0
7b	

		Prior Year	Current Year
8	Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)	406,627	
9	Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)	7,105	
10	Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)	4,128	
11	Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)	0	
12	Total revenue—add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	417,860	

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12	Total revenue—add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	417,860	
13	Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3)	16,000	
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 5-10)	0	
16a	Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)	0	
b	Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) ►0		
17	Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24f)	162,697	
18	Total expenses Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	178,697	
19	Revenue less expenses Subtract line 18 from line 12	239,163	

		Beginning of Current Year	End of Year
20	Total assets (Part X, line 16)	976,217	1,178,527
21	Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)	376,002	339,149
22	Net assets or fund balances Subtract line 21 from line 20	600,215	839,378

## 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.

Sign Here	***** Signature of officer	2012-03-31
	RUSSELL P FLEMING Secretary Type or print name and title	Date

Paid Preparer Use Only	Print/Type preparer's name Jay T Shulman	Preparer's signature Jay T Shulman	Date	Check if self-employed ► <input type="checkbox"/>	PTIN
	Firm's name ► JT Shulman & Co CPAsPC				Firm's EIN ►
	Firm's address ► 1 Old Country Road Ste 240 Carle Place, NY 11514				Phone no ► (516) 877-5900

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? (see instructions) . . . . .  Yes  No

**Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments**Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part III **1** Briefly describe the organization's mission

TO PROMOTE AND ENHANCE THE INDUSTRY OF MANUFACTURING AND INSTALLING FIRE SPRINKLERS AND RELATED EQUIPMENT WITH THE HIGHEST DEGREE OF COMPETENCE AND PROFESSIONALISM FOR THE PURPOSE OF SAVING LIVES AND PROTECTING PROPERTY

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**2** Did the organization undertake any significant program services during the year which were not listed on the prior Form 990 or 990-EZ?  Yes  No

If "Yes," describe these new services on Schedule O

**3** Did the organization cease conducting, or make significant changes in how it conducts, any program services?  Yes  No

If "Yes," describe these changes on Schedule O

**4** Describe the exempt purpose achievements for each of the organization's three largest program services by expenses Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) trusts are required to report the amount of grants and allocations to others, the total expenses, and revenue, if any, for each program service reported

<b>4a</b>	(Code ) (Expenses \$	including grants of \$	) (Revenue \$	)
PROMOTED AND ENHANCED THE BUSINESS OF MANUFACTURING AND INSTALLING FIRE SPRINKLER, WATER SPRAY AND WATER MIST SYSTEMS AND DEVICES IN ALL BUILDINGS, FROM HOMES TO HIGH-RISES, WORLDWIDE, WITH THE HIGHEST DEGREE OF COMPETENCE AND PROFESSIONALISM, FOR THE PURPOSE OF SAVING LIVES AND PROTECTING PROPERTY				
<b>4b</b>	(Code ) (Expenses \$	including grants of \$	) (Revenue \$	)
INDUSTRY ORIENTED TRAINING SEMINARS, CONFERENCES AND CONVENTIONS HELD TO PROMOTE AND PERPETUATE INDUSTRY STANDARDS, NEW DEVELOPMENTS, INDUSTRY PRACTICES AND THE STATE OF THE ASSOC				
<b>4c</b>	(Code ) (Expenses \$	including grants of \$	) (Revenue \$	)
INDUSTRY GUIDES, STANDARDS, CODES, CREDENTIALS, AND DEVELOPMENTS AVAILABLE TO MEMBERS AND NON MEMBERS, PUBLICATIONS AVAILABLE TO ALL REQUIRING INDUSTRY INFORMATION				
<b>4d</b>	Other program services (Describe in Schedule O ) (Expenses \$	including grants of \$	) (Revenue \$	)
<b>4e</b>	<b>Total program service expenses</b> \$			

**Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules**

1 Is the organization described in section 501(c)(3) or 4947(a)(1) (other than a private foundation)? If "Yes," complete Schedule A . . . . .

2 Is the organization required to complete Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors (see instruction)? . . . . .

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 . . . . .

4 **Section 501(c)(3) organizations.** Did the organization engage in lobbying activities, or have a section 501(h) election in effect during the tax year? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II . . . . .

5 Is the organization a section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6) organization that receives membership dues, assessments, or similar amounts as defined in Revenue Procedure 98-19? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III . . . . .

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 . . . . .

7 Did the organization receive or hold a conservation easement, including easements to preserve open space, the environment, historic land areas or historic structures? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part II . . . . .

8 Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part III . . . . .

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 . . . . .

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

11 If the organization's answer to any of the following questions is 'Yes,' then complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VII, VIII, IX, or X as applicable

a Did the organization report an amount for land, buildings, and equipment in Part X, line 10? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VI

b 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

c 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

d 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

e Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X

f 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 (ASC 740)? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X

12a Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts XI, XII, and XIII

b Was the organization included in consolidated, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? If "Yes," and if the organization answered 'No' to line 12a, then 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

14a Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States? . . . . .

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, Parts I and IV . . . . .

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, Parts II and IV . . . . .

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, Parts III and IV . . . . .

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 (see instructions)

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 . . . . .

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 . . . . .

20a Did the organization operate one or more hospitals? If "Yes," complete Schedule H . . . . .

b If "Yes" to line 20a, did the organization attach its audited financial statement to this return? **Note.** Some Form 990 filers that operate one or more hospitals must attach audited financial statements (see instructions)

	Yes	No
1		No
2		No
3		No
4		No
5	Yes	
6		No
7		No
8		No
9		No
10		No
11a		No
11b		No
11c		No
11d		No
11e		No
11f		No
12a		No
12b		No
13		No
14a		No
14b	Yes	
15	Yes	
16		No
17		No
18		No
19		No
20a		No
20b		

**Part 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		No
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		No
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 lines 24b-24d and complete Schedule K. If "No," go to line 25	24a		No
a	Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception?	24b		No
c	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		No
d	Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year?	24d		No
25a	<b>Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations.</b> Did the organization engage in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person during the year? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I	25a		No
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		No
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)	28a		No
a	A current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV	28b		No
b	A family member of a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV	28c	Yes	
c	An entity of which a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee (or a family member thereof) was an officer, director, trustee, or direct or indirect owner? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV	29		No
29	Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? If "Yes," complete Schedule M	30		No
30	Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? If "Yes," complete Schedule M	31		No
31	Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I	32		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	33		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	34		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	35		No
35	Is any related organization a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?	a	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," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
36	<b>Section 501(c)(3) organizations.</b> Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2	36		No
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		No
38	Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations in Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11 and 19? <b>Note.</b> All Form 990 filers are required to complete Schedule O	38	Yes	

**Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance**

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part V

		Yes	No
<b>1a</b>	Enter the number reported in Box 3 of Form 1096. Enter -0- if not applicable	1a	0
<b>b</b>	Enter the number of Forms W-2G included in line 1a. Enter -0- if not applicable	1b	0
<b>c</b>	Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable gaming (gambling) winnings to prize winners?	1c	No
<b>2a</b>	Enter the number of employees reported on Form W-3, <i>Transmittal of Wage and Tax Statements</i> filed for the calendar year ending with or within the year covered by this return	2a	0
<b>b</b>	If at least one is reported on line 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax returns?	2b	No
<p><b>Note.</b> If the sum of lines 1a and 2a is greater than 250, you may be required to e-file (see instructions)</p>			
<b>3a</b>	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?	3a	No
<b>b</b>	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O	3b	No
<b>4a</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)?	4a	No
<b>b</b>	If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country ► See instructions for filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22 1, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts		
<b>5a</b>	Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year?	5a	No
<b>b</b>	Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?	5b	No
<b>c</b>	If "Yes" to line 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T?	5c	No
<b>6a</b>	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	No
<b>b</b>	If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible?	6b	No
<b>7</b>	<b>Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).</b>	7a	
<b>a</b>	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?	7b	
<b>b</b>	If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided?	7c	
<b>c</b>	Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was required to file Form 8282?	7d	
<b>d</b>	If "Yes," indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year	7e	
<b>e</b>	Did the organization receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?	7f	
<b>f</b>	Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?	7g	
<b>g</b>	If the organization received a contribution of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required?	7h	
<b>h</b>	If the organization received a contribution of cars, boats, airplanes, or other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-C?	8	No
<b>8</b>	<b>Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds and section 509(a)(3) supporting organizations.</b> Did the supporting organization, or a donor advised fund maintained by a sponsoring organization, have excess business holdings at any time during the year?	9a	No
<b>9</b>	<b>Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds.</b>	9b	No
<b>a</b>	Did the organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966?	10a	
<b>b</b>	Did the organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person?	10b	
<b>10</b>	<b>Section 501(c)(7) organizations.</b> Enter		
<b>a</b>	Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12	11a	
<b>b</b>	Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities	11b	
<b>11</b>	<b>Section 501(c)(12) organizations.</b> Enter		
<b>a</b>	Gross income from members or shareholders	12a	
<b>b</b>	Gross income from other sources (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against amounts due or received from them)	12b	No
<b>12a</b>	<b>Section 4947(a)(1) non-exempt charitable trusts.</b> Is the organization filing Form 990 in lieu of Form 1041?		
<b>b</b>	If "Yes," enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year	13a	No
<b>13</b>	<b>Section 501(c)(29) qualified nonprofit health insurance issuers.</b>		
<b>a</b>	Is the organization licensed to issue qualified health plans in more than one state?		
<p><b>Note.</b> See the instructions for additional information the organization must report on Schedule O</p>			
<b>b</b>	Enter the amount of reserves the organization is required to maintain by the states in which the organization is licensed to issue qualified health plans	13b	
<b>c</b>	Enter the amount of reserves on hand	13c	
<b>14a</b>	Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the tax year?	14a	No
<b>b</b>	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O	14b	No

**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.

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part VI

### Section A. Governing Body and Management

1a Enter the number of voting members of the governing body at the end of the tax year . . . . .

1b Enter the number of voting members included in line 1a, above, who are independent . . . . .

2 Did any officer, director, trustee, or key employee have a family relationship or a business relationship with any other officer, director, trustee, or key employee? . . . . .

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? . . . . .

4 Did the organization make any significant changes to its governing documents since the prior Form 990 was filed? . . . . .

5 Did the organization become aware during the year of a significant diversion of the organization's assets? . . . . .

6 Does the organization have members or stockholders? . . . . .

7a Does the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who may elect one or more members of the governing body? . . . . .

b Are any decisions of the governing body subject to approval by members, stockholders, or other persons? . . . . .

8 Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year by the following

a The governing body? . . . . .

b Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body? . . . . .

9 Is there any officer, director, trustee, or key employee listed in Part VII, Section A, who cannot be reached at the organization's mailing address? If "Yes," provide the names and addresses in Schedule O . . . . .

	Yes	No
1a	15	
1b	15	
2		No
3		No
4		No
5		No
6		No
7a		No
7b		No
8a	Yes	
8b		No
9		No

### Section B. Policies (This Section B requests information about policies not required by the Internal Revenue Code.)

10a Does the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates? . . . . .

b If "Yes," does the organization have written policies and procedures governing the activities of such chapters, affiliates, and branches to ensure their operations are consistent with those of the organization? . . . . .

11a Has the organization provided a copy of this Form 990 to all members of its governing body before filing the form? . . . . .

b Describe in Schedule O the process, if any, used by the organization to review this Form 990 . . . . .

12a Does the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? If "No," go to line 13 . . . . .

b Are officers, directors or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give rise to conflicts? . . . . .

c Does the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? If "Yes," describe in Schedule O how this is done . . . . .

13 Does the organization have a written whistleblower policy? . . . . .

14 Does the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy? . . . . .

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?

a The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official . . . . .

b Other officers or key employees of the organization . . . . .

If "Yes" to line 15a or 15b, 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 a taxable entity during the year? . . . . .

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? . . . . .

	Yes	No
10a		No
10b		No
11a	Yes	
12a	Yes	
12b	Yes	
12c	Yes	
13	Yes	
14	Yes	
15a		No
15b		No
16a		No
16b		No

### Section C. Disclosure

17 List the States with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed ►

18 Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Form 1023 (or 1024 if applicable), 990, and 990-T (501(c) (3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you make these available. Check all that apply  
 Own website  Another's website  Upon request

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 organization ►  
 INT'L FIRE SPRINKLER ASSOC LTD  
 40 JON BARRETT ROAD  
 PATTERSON, NY 12563  
 (845) 878-4200

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

 Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part VII 
**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.

• 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, if any. 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, and 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 neither the organization nor any related organization compensated any current officer, director, or trustee.

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week (describe hours for related organizations in Schedule O)	(C) Position (check all that apply)					(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W- 2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W- 2/1099- MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional Trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee			
(1) RUSSELL P FLEMING Secretary	5 00			X			0	0	0
(2) RICK VAN MEESAN Trustee	50	X					0	0	0
(3) PATRICK WALLIS Trustee	50	X					0	0	0
(4) PARIS STAVRIANIDIS Trustee	50	X					0	0	0
(5) NICHOLAS D GROOS Chairman	50	X					0	0	0
(6) LARRY THAU Trustee	50	X					0	0	0
(7) KLAUS HOFFMAN Trustee	50	X					0	0	0
(8) KEVIN FEE Treasurer	50	X		X			0	0	0
(9) JOHN VINIELLO MANAGING DIR	2 00	X					0	0	0
(10) JOHANNES LEPPHALME Trustee	50	X					0	0	0
(11) JAMES GOLINVEAUX Trustee	50	X					0	0	0
(12) GARY JOHNSON Trustee	50	X					0	0	0
(13) ED LISTER Trustee	50	X					0	0	0
(14) BRUCE LARUE Trustee	50	X					0	0	0
(15) BODO MUELLER Trustee	50	X					0	0	0

**Part VII Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees (continued)**

2 Total number of individuals (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 in reportable compensation from the organization **0**

	Yes	No
3 Did the organization list any <b>former</b> officer, director or trustee, key employee, or highest compensated employee on line 1a? If "Yes," complete Schedule J 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	No
5 Did any person listed on line 1a receive or accrue compensation from any unrelated organization or individual 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

**2** Total number of independent contractors (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 in compensation from the organization ►0

**Part VIII Statement of Revenue**

			<b>(A)</b>	<b>(B)</b>	<b>(C)</b>	<b>(D)</b>	
			Total revenue	Related or exempt function revenue	Unrelated business revenue	Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512, 513, or 514	
<b>Contributions, gifts, grants and other similar amounts</b>	<b>1a</b> Federated campaigns . . . . .	<b>1a</b>					
	<b>b</b> Membership dues . . . . .	<b>1b</b>	406,627				
	<b>c</b> Fundraising events . . . . .	<b>1c</b>					
	<b>d</b> Related organizations . . . . .	<b>1d</b>					
	<b>e</b> Government grants (contributions)	<b>1e</b>					
	<b>f</b> All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above	<b>1f</b>					
	<b>g</b> Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f \$						
<b>h Total.</b> Add lines 1a-1f . . . . .		406,627					
<b>Program Service Revenue</b>	<b>2a</b> INDUSTRY SEMINARS	<b>Business Code</b>					
	<b>b</b>		7,105	7,105			
	<b>c</b>						
	<b>d</b>						
	<b>e</b>						
	<b>f</b> All other program service revenue						
	<b>g Total.</b> Add lines 2a-2f . . . . .		7,105				
<b>3</b> Investment income (including dividends, interest and other similar amounts) . . . . .							
		4,128				4,128	
<b>4</b> Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds . . . . .			0				
<b>5</b> Royalties . . . . .			0				
<b>6a</b> Gross Rents	(I) Real	(II) Personal					
<b>b</b> Less rental expenses							
<b>c</b> Rental income or (loss)							
<b>d</b> Net rental income or (loss) . . . . .			0				
<b>7a</b> Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory	(I) Securities	(II) Other					
<b>b</b> Less cost or other basis and sales expenses							
<b>c</b> Gain or (loss)							
<b>d</b> Net gain or (loss) . . . . .			0				
<b>8a</b> Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ _____ of contributions reported on line 1c) See Part IV, line 18 . . . . .							
<b>a</b>							
<b>b</b> Less direct expenses . . . . .							
<b>c</b> Net income or (loss) from fundraising events . . . . .			0				
<b>9a</b> Gross income from gaming activities See Part IV, line 19 . . . . .	<b>a</b>						
<b>b</b> Less direct expenses . . . . .	<b>b</b>						
<b>c</b> Net income or (loss) from gaming activities . . . . .			0				
<b>10a</b> Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances . . . . .							
<b>a</b>							
<b>b</b> Less cost of goods sold . . . . .	<b>b</b>						
<b>c</b> Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory . . . . .			0				
<b>Miscellaneous Revenue</b>	<b>Business Code</b>						
<b>11a</b>							
<b>b</b>							
<b>c</b>							
<b>d</b> All other revenue . . . . .							
<b>e Total.</b> Add lines 11a-11d . . . . .		0					
<b>12 Total revenue.</b> See Instructions . . . . .		417,860	7,105			4,128	

**Part IX Statement of Functional Expenses****Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations must complete all columns.****All other organizations must complete column (A) but are not required to complete columns (B), (C), and (D).**

Do not include amounts reported on lines 6b, 7b, 8b, 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	0			
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	16,000			
4 Benefits paid to or for members	0			
5 Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees . . . . .	0			
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	0			
8 Pension plan contributions (include section 401(k) and section 403(b) employer contributions) . . . . .	0			
9 Other employee benefits . . . . .	0			
10 Payroll taxes . . . . .	0			
a Fees for services (non-employees) Management . . . . .	0			
b Legal . . . . .	0			
c Accounting . . . . .	5,098			
d Lobbying . . . . .	0			
e Professional fundraising services See Part IV, line 17 . . . . .	0			
f Investment management fees . . . . .	0			
g Other . . . . .	0			
12 Advertising and promotion . . . . .	0			
13 Office expenses . . . . .	0			
14 Information technology . . . . .	0			
15 Royalties . . . . .	0			
16 Occupancy . . . . .	0			
17 Travel . . . . .	64,295			
18 Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials . . . . .	0			
19 Conferences, conventions, and meetings . . . . .	32,686			
20 Interest . . . . .	0			
21 Payments to affiliates . . . . .	0			
22 Depreciation, depletion, and amortization . . . . .	0			
23 Insurance . . . . .	0			
24 Other expenses Itemize expenses not covered above (List miscellaneous expenses in line 24f If line 24f amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 24f expenses on Schedule O )				
a TRANSLATOR COSTS	24,011			
b Printing and Publications	46			
c INTERNET	42			
d BANK CHARGES	519			
e ADMINISTRATION FEE	36,000			
f All other expenses	0			
25 Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24f	178,697	0	0	0
26 Joint costs. Check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> if following SOP 98-2 (ASC 958-720) Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation				

**Part X Balance Sheet**

		<b>(A)</b> Beginning of year	<b>(B)</b> End of year
Assets	1 Cash—non-interest-bearing . . . . .	1	0
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments . . . . .	885,167	1,005,349
	3 Pledges and grants receivable, net . . . . .	3	0
	4 Accounts receivable, net . . . . .	91,050	90,700
	5 Receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees Complete Part II of Schedule L . . . . .		
	6 Receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)), persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B), and contributing employers, and sponsoring organizations of section 501(c)(9) voluntary employees' beneficiary organizations (see instructions) Schedule L . . . . .		
	7 Notes and loans receivable, net . . . . .	6	0
	8 Inventories for sale or use . . . . .	7	0
	9 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges . . . . .	8	0
	10a Land, buildings, and equipment cost or other basis Complete Part VI of Schedule D	9	82,478
	b Less accumulated depreciation . . . . .	10a	
	b Less accumulated depreciation . . . . .	10b	10c
	11 Investments—publicly traded securities . . . . .	11	0
	12 Investments—other securities See Part IV, line 11 . . . . .	12	0
	13 Investments—program-related See Part IV, line 11 . . . . .	13	0
	14 Intangible assets . . . . .	14	0
	15 Other assets See Part IV, line 11 . . . . .	15	0
	<b>16 Total assets.</b> Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34) . . . . .	976,217	1,178,527
Liabilities	17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses . . . . .	14,025	8,448
	18 Grants payable . . . . .	18	
	19 Deferred revenue . . . . .	361,977	330,701
	20 Tax-exempt bond liabilities . . . . .	20	
	21 Escrow or custodial account liability Complete Part IV of Schedule D . . . . .	21	
	22 Payables to current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, and disqualified persons Complete Part II of Schedule L . . . . .	22	
	23 Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties . . . . .	23	
	24 Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties . . . . .	24	
	25 Other liabilities Complete Part X of Schedule D . . . . .	25	
	<b>26 Total liabilities.</b> Add lines 17 through 25 . . . . .	376,002	339,149
Net Assets or Fund Balances	<b>Organizations that follow SFAS 117, check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 and 34.</b>		
	27 Unrestricted net assets . . . . .	600,215	839,378
	28 Temporarily restricted net assets . . . . .	27	
	29 Permanently restricted net assets . . . . .	28	
	<b>Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 30 through 34.</b>		
	30 Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds . . . . .	29	
	31 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building or equipment fund . . . . .	30	
	32 Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds . . . . .	31	
	33 Total net assets or fund balances . . . . .	32	
	34 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances . . . . .	33	839,378
		34	1,178,527

**Part XI Reconciliation of Net Assets**Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part XI 

1	Total revenue (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1	417,860
2	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	178,697
3	Revenue less expenses Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	239,163
4	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 33, column (A))	4	600,215
5	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O)	5	
6	Net assets or fund balances at end of year Combine lines 3, 4, and 5 (must equal Part X, line 33, column (B))	6	839,378

**Part XII Financial Statements and Reporting**Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part XII 

	Yes	No
1 Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990 <input type="checkbox"/> Cash <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Accrual <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked "Other," explain in Schedule O		
2a Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant? <input type="checkbox"/>	2a	No
2b Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant? <input type="checkbox"/>	2b	No
2c 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 <input type="checkbox"/>	2c	No
2d If "Yes" to line 2a or 2b, check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were issued on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both <input type="checkbox"/> Separate basis <input type="checkbox"/> Consolidated basis <input type="checkbox"/> 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? <input type="checkbox"/>	3a	No
3b 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 <input type="checkbox"/>	3b	No

**SCHEDULE C**  
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)**Political Campaign and Lobbying Activities****2010****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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If the organization answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, Line 3, or Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 46 (Political Campaign Activities), then

- 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
- 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, Part V, line 35a (Proxy Tax), then

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

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**Part I-A Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c) or is a section 527 organization.**

- 1 Provide a description of the organization's direct and indirect political campaign activities in Part IV
- 2 Political expenditures ► \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- 3 Volunteer hours \_\_\_\_\_

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

- 1 Enter the amount of any excise tax incurred by the organization under section 4955 ► \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- 2 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?  Yes  No
- 4a Was a correction made?  Yes  No
- b If "Yes," describe in Part IV

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

- 1 Enter the amount directly expended by the filing organization for section 527 exempt function activities ► \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- 2 Enter the amount of the filing organization's funds contributed to other organizations for section 527 exempt function activities ► \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- 3 Total exempt function expenditures Add lines 1 and 2 Enter here and on Form 1120-POL, line 17b ► \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- 4 Did the filing organization file **Form 1120-POL** for this year?  Yes  No
- 5 Enter the names, addresses and employer identification number (EIN) of all section 527 political organizations to which the filing organization made payments 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) Amount paid from filing organization's funds If none, enter -0-	(e) Amount of political contributions received and promptly and directly delivered to a separate political organization If none, enter -0-

**Part II-A Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(3) and filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)).**

**A** Check  if the filing organization belongs to an affiliated group  
**B** Check  if the filing organization checked box A and "limited control" provisions apply

**Limits on Lobbying Expenditures**

(The term "expenditures" means amounts paid or incurred.)

**1a** Total lobbying expenditures to influence public opinion (grass roots lobbying)**b** Total lobbying expenditures to influence a legislative body (direct lobbying)**c** Total lobbying expenditures (add lines 1a and 1b)**d** Other exempt purpose expenditures**e** Total exempt purpose expenditures (add lines 1c and 1d)**f** Lobbying nontaxable amount Enter the amount from the following table in both columns

If the amount on line 1e, column (a) or (b) is:	The lobbying nontaxable amount is:
Not over \$500,000	20% of the amount on line 1e
Over \$500,000 but not over \$1,000,000	\$100,000 plus 15% of the excess over \$500,000
Over \$1,000,000 but not over \$1,500,000	\$175,000 plus 10% of the excess over \$1,000,000
Over \$1,500,000 but not over \$17,000,000	\$225,000 plus 5% of the excess over \$1,500,000
Over \$17,000,000	\$1,000,000

**g** Grassroots nontaxable amount (enter 25% of line 1f)**h** Subtract line 1g from line 1a If zero or less, enter -0-**i** Subtract line 1f from line 1c If zero or less, enter -0-**j** If there is an amount other than zero on either line 1h or line 1i, did the organization file Form 4720 reporting section 4911 tax for this year? Yes  No**4-Year Averaging Period Under Section 501(h)**

(Some organizations that made a section 501(h) election do not have to complete all of the five columns below. See the instructions for lines 2a through 2f on page 4.)

**Lobbying Expenditures During 4-Year Averaging Period**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2007	(b) 2008	(c) 2009	(d) 2010	(e) Total
<b>2a</b> Lobbying non-taxable amount					
<b>b</b> Lobbying ceiling amount (150% of line 2a, column(e))					
<b>c</b> Total lobbying expenditures					
<b>d</b> Grassroots non-taxable amount					
<b>e</b> Grassroots ceiling amount (150% of line 2d, column (e))					
<b>f</b> Grassroots lobbying expenditures					



## **Statement of Activities Outside the United States**

- Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 14b, 15, or 16.
- Attach to Form 990. ► See separate instructions.

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**Part I General Information on Activities Outside the United States.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 14b.

**1 For grantmakers.** Does the organization maintain records to substantiate the amount of the grants or assistance, the grantees' eligibility for the grants or assistance, and the selection criteria used to award the grants or assistance?  Yes  No

**2 For grantmakers.** Describe in Part V the organization's procedures for monitoring the use of grant funds outside the United States.

**3 Activities per Region (Use Part V if additional space is needed )**

<b>(a) Region</b>	<b>(b) Number of offices in the region</b>	<b>(c) Number of employees or agents in region or independent contractors</b>	<b>(d) Activities conducted in region (by type) (e.g., fundraising, program services, investments, grants to recipients located in the region)</b>	<b>(e) If activity listed in (d) is a program service, describe specific type of service(s) in region</b>	<b>(f) Total expenditures for region/investments in region</b>
LONDON	0	0	CASH GRANTS GIVEN	GRANTS	16,000

**Part II Grants and Other Assistance to Organizations or Entities Outside the United States.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 15, for any recipient who received more than \$5,000. Check this box if no one recipient received more than \$5,000. . . . . ▶  Use Part V if additional space is needed.

2 Enter total number of recipient organizations listed above that are recognized as charities by the foreign country, recognized as tax-exempt by the IRS, or for which the grantee or counsel has provided a section 501(c)(3) equivalency letter . . . . ► 1

**Part III Grants and Other Assistance to Individuals Outside the United States.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 16. Use Part V if additional space is needed.

**Part IV Foreign Forms**

1 Was the organization a U S transferor of property to a foreign corporation during the tax year? If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 926 (see instructions for Form 926)  Yes  No

2 Did the organization have an interest in a foreign trust during the tax year? If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 3520 and/or Form 3520-A. (see instructions for Forms 3520 and 3520-A)  Yes  No

3 Did the organization have an ownership interest in a foreign corporation during the tax year? If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 5471, Information Return of U.S. Persons with respect to Certain Foreign Corporations. (see instructions for Form 5471)  Yes  No

4 Was the organization a direct or indirect shareholder of a passive foreign investment company or a qualified electing fund during the tax year? If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 8621, Return by a Shareholder of a Passive Foreign Investment Company or Qualified Electing Fund. (see instructions for Form 8621)  Yes  No

5 Did the organization have an ownership interest in a foreign partnership during the tax year? If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 8865, Return of U.S. Persons with respect to Certain Foreign Partnerships. (see instructions for Form 8865)  Yes  No

6 Did the organization have any operations in or related to any boycotting countries during the tax year? If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 5713, International Boycott Report (see instructions for Form 5713).  Yes  No

**Part V Supplemental Information**

Complete this part to provide the information (see instructions) required in Part I, line 2, and any additional information.

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
Grantmaker's Description of How Grants are Used in Foreign Country		DOCUMENTATION IS OBTAINED BY THE GRANTMAKER ON HOW THE GRANT FUNDS ARE TO BE USED AND HAVE BEEN USED

## Schedule L

## **Transactions with Interested Persons**

► Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, lines 25a, 25b, 26, 27, 28a, 28b, or 28c, or Form 990-EZ, Part V lines 38a or 40b.

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

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**Part I Excess Benefit Transactions (section 501(c)(3) and section 501 (c)(4) organizations only).**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 25a or 25b, or Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 40b.

1	(a) Name of disqualified person	(b) Description of transaction	(c) Corrected?	
			Yes	No

2 Enter the amount of tax imposed on the organization managers or disqualified persons during the year under section 4958

**Part II      Loans to and/or From Interested Persons.**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 26, or Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 38a.

### **Part III Grants or Assistance Benefitting Interested Persons.**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 27.

**Part IV Business Transactions Involving Interested Persons.**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 28a, 28b, or 28c.

(a) Name of interested person	(b) Relationship between interested person and the organization	(c) Amount of transaction	(d) Description of transaction	(e) Sharing of organization's revenues?	
				Yes	No
(1) NATIONAL FIRE SPRINKLER ASSOCIATION	INTERESTED PERSON	36,000	ADMINISTRATIVE FEE		No

**Part V Supplemental Information**

Complete this part to provide additional information for responses to questions on Schedule L (see instructions)

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
		SCHEDULE L, PART IV ABOVE TRUNCATED LINES SHOULD READ AS FOLLOWS LINE 1(a) NATIONAL FIRE SPRINKLER ASSOCIATION, INC LINE 1(b) INTERESTED PERSONS ARE THE MANAGING DIRECTOR AND SECRETARY, WHO ALSO SERVE AS OFFICERS OF NATIONAL FIRE SPRINKLER ASSOCIATION, INC

**SCHEDULE O**  
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)Department of the Treasury  
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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 or 990-EZ.

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Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
Amended Explanation		THE RETURN WAS ORIGINALLY FILED WITH INCOMPLETE INFORMATION

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
Form 990, Part VI, Line 19	Form 990, Part VI, Line 19 Other Organization Documents Publicly Available	DOCUMENTS ARE MADE AVAILABLE AT THE ORGANIZATION'S OFFICES UPON REQUEST

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
Form 990, Part VI, Line 12c	Form 990, Part VI, Line 12c Explanation of Monitoring and Enforcement of Conflicts	ALL TRUSTEES AND OFFICERS ARE REQUIRED TO COMPLETE AN ANNUAL CONFLICT OF INTEREST QUESTIONNAIRE MANAGEMENT REVIEWS THE FORM FOR COMPLIANCE EVERY YEAR

<b>Identifier</b>	<b>Return Reference</b>	<b>Explanation</b>
Form 990, Part VI, Line 11	Form 990, Part VI, Line 11 Form 990 Review Process	ONE OF THE TRUSTEES REVIEWS THE 990 BEFORE IT IS FILED FORM IS E-MAILED TO ALL TRUSTEES FOR COMMENTS BEFORE FILING

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Form 990, Part VI, Line 8	Form 990, Part VI, Line 8 Explanation of No Contemporaneously Documentation of Meetings	THERE ARE NO COMMITTEES WITH AUTHORITY TO ACT ON BEHALF OF THE GOVERNING BODY