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**Return of Private Foundation
or Section 4947(a)(1) Nonexempt Charitable Trust
Treated as a Private Foundation**

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

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For calendar year 2012 or tax year beginning

, and ending

Name of foundation THE AKERS FOUNDATION		A Employer identification number 34-6549129
Number and street (or P O box number if mail is not delivered to street address) 840 N LAKE SHORE DRIVE	Room/suite 403	B Telephone number 312-475-1131
City or town, state, and ZIP code CHICAGO, IL 60611		C If exemption application is pending, check here <input type="checkbox"/>
G Check all that apply: <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return of a former public charity <input type="checkbox"/> Final return <input type="checkbox"/> Amended return <input type="checkbox"/> Address change <input type="checkbox"/> Name change		D 1. Foreign organizations, check here <input type="checkbox"/> 2. Foreign organizations meeting the 85% test, check here and attach computation <input type="checkbox"/>
H Check type of organization: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation <input type="checkbox"/> Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust <input type="checkbox"/> Other taxable private foundation		E If private foundation status was terminated under section 507(b)(1)(A), check here <input type="checkbox"/>
I Fair market value of all assets at end of year (from Part II, col (c), line 16) \$ 915,885.	J Accounting method: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cash <input type="checkbox"/> Accrual <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) _____	F If the foundation is in a 60-month termination under section 507(b)(1)(B), check here <input type="checkbox"/>

Part I Analysis of Revenue and Expenses <small>(The total of amounts in columns (b), (c), and (d) may not necessarily equal the amounts in column (a))</small>		(a) Revenue and expenses per books	(b) Net investment income	(c) Adjusted net income	(d) Disbursements for charitable purposes (cash basis only)
1 Contributions, gifts, grants, etc., received				N/A	
2 Check <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> if the foundation is not required to attach Sch. B					
3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments		73.	73.		STATEMENT 1
4 Dividends and interest from securities		33,080.	33,080.		STATEMENT 2
5a Gross rents					
b Net rental income or (loss)					
6a Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10		-111,208.			
b Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a 844,354.					
7 Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2)			0.		
8 Net short-term capital gain					
9 Income modifications					
10a Gross sales less returns and allowances					
b Less Cost of goods sold					
c Gross profit or (loss)					
11 Other income		3,044.	-3,044.		STATEMENT 3
12 Total. Add lines 1 through 11		-87,099.	30,109.		
13 Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc.		0.	0.		0.
14 Other employee salaries and wages					
15 Pension plans, employee benefits					
16a Legal fees					
b Accounting fees STMT 4		3,400.	1,700.		1,700.
c Other professional fees STMT 5		150.	150.		0.
17 Interest					
18 Taxes STMT 6		1,786.	1,586.		200.
19 Depreciation and depletion					
20 Occupancy					
21 Travel, conferences, and meetings					
22 Printing and publications					
23 Other expenses					
24 Total operating and administrative expenses Add lines 13 through 23		5,336.	3,436.		1,900.
25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid		49,870.			49,870.
26 Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 24 and 25		55,206.	3,436.		51,770.
27 Subtract line 26 from line 12:					
a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements		-136,305.			
b Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)			26,673.		
c Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -0-)				N/A	

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Part II Balance Sheets		Attached schedules and amounts in the description column should be for end-of-year amounts only		Beginning of year		End of year	
		(a) Book Value	(b) Book Value	(c) Fair Market Value	(a) Book Value	(b) Book Value	(c) Fair Market Value
Assets	1	Cash - non-interest-bearing		2,591.	1,236.	1,236.	
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments		132,887.	200,976.	200,976.	
	3	Accounts receivable ▶					
		Less: allowance for doubtful accounts ▶					
	4	Pledges receivable ▶					
		Less: allowance for doubtful accounts ▶					
	5	Grants receivable					
	6	Receivables due from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons					
	7	Other notes and loans receivable ▶					
		Less: allowance for doubtful accounts ▶					
	8	Inventories for sale or use					
	9	Prepaid expenses and deferred charges					
	10a	Investments - U.S. and state government obligations					
	b	Investments - corporate stock	STMT 8	253,882.	166,259.	195,553.	
	c	Investments - corporate bonds	STMT 9	71,599.	65,580.	118,368.	
11	Investments - land, buildings, and equipment, basis ▶						
	Less accumulated depreciation ▶						
12	Investments - mortgage loans						
13	Investments - other	STMT 10	472,028.	377,230.	399,752.		
14	Land, buildings, and equipment: basis ▶						
	Less accumulated depreciation ▶						
15	Other assets (describe ▶)						
16	Total assets (to be completed by all filers)		932,987.	811,281.	915,885.		
Liabilities	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses					
	18	Grants payable					
	19	Deferred revenue					
	20	Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons					
	21	Mortgages and other notes payable					
	22	Other liabilities (describe ▶)					
23	Total liabilities (add lines 17 through 22)		0.	0.			
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Foundations that follow SFAS 117, check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 24 through 26 and lines 30 and 31.						
	24	Unrestricted		932,987.	811,281.		
	25	Temporarily restricted					
	26	Permanently restricted					
	Foundations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 27 through 31.						
	27	Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds					
	28	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg., and equipment fund					
	29	Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds					
30	Total net assets or fund balances		932,987.	811,281.			
31	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances		932,987.	811,281.			

Part III Analysis of Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances

1	Total net assets or fund balances at beginning of year - Part II, column (a), line 30 (must agree with end-of-year figure reported on prior year's return)	1	932,987.
2	Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2	-136,305.
3	Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ SEE STATEMENT 7	3	14,599.
4	Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4	811,281.
5	Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶	5	0.
6	Total net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5) - Part II, column (b), line 30	6	811,281.

Part IV Capital Gains and Losses for Tax on Investment Income

(a) List and describe the kind(s) of property sold (e.g., real estate, 2-story brick warehouse; or common stock, 200 shs. MLC Co.)	(b) How acquired P - Purchase D - Donation	(c) Date acquired (mo., day, yr.)	(d) Date sold (mo., day, yr.)
1a			
b	SEE ATTACHED STATEMENTS		
c			
d			
e			

(e) Gross sales price	(f) Depreciation allowed (or allowable)	(g) Cost or other basis plus expense of sale	(h) Gain or (loss) (e) plus (f) minus (g)
a			
b			
c			
d			
e	844,354.	955,562.	-111,208.

Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69			(l) Gains (Col. (h) gain minus col. (k), but not less than -0-) or Losses (from col. (h))
(i) F.M.V. as of 12/31/69	(j) Adjusted basis as of 12/31/69	(k) Excess of col. (i) over col. (j), if any	
a			
b			
c			
d			
e			-111,208.

2	Capital gain net income or (net capital loss)	{ If gain, also enter in Part I, line 7 If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 7	2	-111,208.
3	Net short-term capital gain or (loss) as defined in sections 1222(5) and (6): If gain, also enter in Part I, line 8, column (c). If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 8		3	N/A

Part V Qualification Under Section 4940(e) for Reduced Tax on Net Investment Income

(For optional use by domestic private foundations subject to the section 4940(a) tax on net investment income.)

If section 4940(d)(2) applies, leave this part blank.

Was the foundation liable for the section 4942 tax on the distributable amount of any year in the base period? Yes No

If "Yes," the foundation does not qualify under section 4940(e). Do not complete this part.

1 Enter the appropriate amount in each column for each year, see the instructions before making any entries.

(a) Base period years Calendar year (or tax year beginning in)	(b) Adjusted qualifying distributions	(c) Net value of noncharitable-use assets	(d) Distribution ratio (col. (b) divided by col. (c))
2011	66,940.	1,245,666.	.053738
2010	63,131.	1,090,049.	.057916
2009	58,981.	944,495.	.062447
2008	80,647.	1,386,829.	.058152
2007	79,764.	1,535,779.	.051937

2	Total of line 1, column (d)	2	.284190
3	Average distribution ratio for the 5-year base period - divide the total on line 2 by 5, or by the number of years the foundation has been in existence if less than 5 years	3	.056838
4	Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2012 from Part X, line 5	4	988,121.
5	Multiply line 4 by line 3	5	56,163.
6	Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b)	6	267.
7	Add lines 5 and 6	7	56,430.
8	Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4	8	51,770.

If line 8 is equal to or greater than line 7, check the box in Part VI, line 1b, and complete that part using a 1% tax rate. See the Part VI instructions.

Part VI Excise Tax Based on Investment Income (Section 4940(a), 4940(b), 4940(e), or 4948 - see instructions)

1a	Exempt operating foundations described in section 4940(d)(2), check here <input type="checkbox"/> and enter "N/A" on line 1. Date of ruling or determination letter: _____ (attach copy of letter if necessary-see instructions)		
b	Domestic foundations that meet the section 4940(e) requirements in Part V, check here <input type="checkbox"/> and enter 1% of Part I, line 27b	1	533.
c	All other domestic foundations enter 2% of line 27b. Exempt foreign organizations enter 4% of Part I, line 12, col (b).		
2	Tax under section 511 (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only. Others enter -0-)	2	0.
3	Add lines 1 and 2	3	533.
4	Subtitle A (income) tax (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only. Others enter -0-)	4	0.
5	Tax based on investment income. Subtract line 4 from line 3. If zero or less, enter -0-	5	533.
6	Credits/Payments:		
6a	2012 estimated tax payments and 2011 overpayment credited to 2012	6a	2,400.
6b	Exempt foreign organizations - tax withheld at source	6b	
6c	Tax paid with application for extension of time to file (Form 8868)	6c	
6d	Backup withholding erroneously withheld	6d	
7	Total credits and payments. Add lines 6a through 6d	7	2,400.
8	Enter any penalty for underpayment of estimated tax. Check here <input type="checkbox"/> if Form 2220 is attached	8	2.
9	Tax due. If the total of lines 5 and 8 is more than line 7, enter amount owed	9	
10	Overpayment. If line 7 is more than the total of lines 5 and 8, enter the amount overpaid	10	1,865.
11	Enter the amount of line 10 to be: Credited to 2013 estimated tax <input type="checkbox"/> 1,865. Refunded <input type="checkbox"/>	11	0.

Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities

	Yes	No
1a		X
1b		X
<i>If the answer is "Yes" to 1a or 1b, attach a detailed description of the activities and copies of any materials published or distributed by the foundation in connection with the activities.</i>		
1c		X
d		
(1) On the foundation. <input type="checkbox"/> \$ 0. (2) On foundation managers. <input type="checkbox"/> \$ 0.		
e		
Enter the reimbursement (if any) paid by the foundation during the year for political expenditure tax imposed on foundation managers. <input type="checkbox"/> \$ 0.		
2		X
<i>If "Yes," attach a detailed description of the activities</i>		
3		X
<i>If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the changes</i>		
4a		X
4b		
N/A		
5		X
<i>If "Yes," attach the statement required by General Instruction T</i>		
6	X	
Are the requirements of section 508(e) (relating to sections 4941 through 4945) satisfied either: • By language in the governing instrument, or • By state legislation that effectively amends the governing instrument so that no mandatory directions that conflict with the state law remain in the governing instrument?		
7	X	
<i>If "Yes," complete Part II, col (c), and Part XV.</i>		
8a		
OH		
8b	X	
If the answer is "Yes" to line 7, has the foundation furnished a copy of Form 990-PF to the Attorney General (or designate) of each state as required by General Instruction G? If "No," attach explanation		
9		X
Is the foundation claiming status as a private operating foundation within the meaning of section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5) for calendar year 2012 or the taxable year beginning in 2012 (see instructions for Part XIV)? If "Yes," complete Part XIV		
10		X
Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year? If "Yes," attach a schedule listing their names and addresses		

Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities (continued)

11	At any time during the year, did the foundation, directly or indirectly, own a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," attach schedule (see instructions)	11		X
12	Did the foundation make a distribution to a donor advised fund over which the foundation or a disqualified person had advisory privileges? If "Yes," attach statement (see instructions)	12		X
13	Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements for its annual returns and exemption application? Website address ▶ <u>N/A</u>	13	X	
14	The books are in care of ▶ <u>JAMES AKERS</u> Telephone no. ▶ <u>312-475-1131</u> Located at ▶ <u>840 N LAKE SHORE DRIVE APT. 403, CHICAGO, IL</u> ZIP+4 ▶ <u>60611</u>			
15	Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-PF in lieu of Form 1041 - Check here and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year	15	N/A	
16	At any time during calendar year 2012, did the foundation have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a bank, securities, or other financial account in a foreign country? See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22.1. If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country ▶	16	Yes	No
				X

Part VII-B Statements Regarding Activities for Which Form 4720 May Be Required

File Form 4720 if any item is checked in the "Yes" column, unless an exception applies.		Yes	No
1a	During the year did the foundation (either directly or indirectly):		
(1)	Engage in the sale or exchange, or leasing of property with a disqualified person? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
(2)	Borrow money from, lend money to, or otherwise extend credit to (or accept it from) a disqualified person? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
(3)	Furnish goods, services, or facilities to (or accept them from) a disqualified person? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
(4)	Pay compensation to, or pay or reimburse the expenses of, a disqualified person? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
(5)	Transfer any income or assets to a disqualified person (or make any of either available for the benefit or use of a disqualified person)? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
(6)	Agree to pay money or property to a government official? (Exception - Check "No" if the foundation agreed to make a grant to or to employ the official for a period after termination of government service, if terminating within 90 days.) <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
b	If any answer is "Yes" to 1a(1)-(6), did any of the acts fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4941(d)-3 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance (see instructions)? Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here <input type="checkbox"/> N/A	1b	
c	Did the foundation engage in a prior year in any of the acts described in 1a, other than excepted acts, that were not corrected before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2012? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	1c	X
2	Taxes on failure to distribute income (section 4942) (does not apply for years the foundation was a private operating foundation defined in section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5)):		
a	At the end of tax year 2012, did the foundation have any undistributed income (lines 6d and 6e, Part XIII) for tax year(s) beginning before 2012? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No If "Yes," list the years ▶ _____, _____, _____, _____		
b	Are there any years listed in 2a for which the foundation is not applying the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) (relating to incorrect valuation of assets) to the year's undistributed income? (If applying section 4942(a)(2) to all years listed, answer "No" and attach statement - see instructions.) <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	2b	
c	If the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) are being applied to any of the years listed in 2a, list the years here. ▶ _____, _____, _____, _____		
3a	Did the foundation hold more than a 2% direct or indirect interest in any business enterprise at any time during the year? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
b	If "Yes," did it have excess business holdings in 2012 as a result of (1) any purchase by the foundation or disqualified persons after May 26, 1969; (2) the lapse of the 5-year period (or longer period approved by the Commissioner under section 4943(c)(7)) to dispose of holdings acquired by gift or bequest; or (3) the lapse of the 10-, 15-, or 20-year first phase holding period? (Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine if the foundation had excess business holdings in 2012.) <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	3b	
4a	Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	4a	X
b	Did the foundation make any investment in a prior year (but after December 31, 1969) that could jeopardize its charitable purpose that had not been removed from jeopardy before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2012? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	4b	X

Part VIII Information About Officers, Directors, Trustees, Foundation Managers, Highly Paid Employees, and Contractors (continued)

3 Five highest-paid independent contractors for professional services. If none, enter "NONE."

(a) Name and address of each person paid more than \$50,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
NONE		

Total number of others receiving over \$50,000 for professional services ▶ 0

Part IX-A Summary of Direct Charitable Activities

List the foundation's four largest direct charitable activities during the tax year. Include relevant statistical information such as the number of organizations and other beneficiaries served, conferences convened, research papers produced, etc.	Expenses
1 CHARITABLE CONTRIBUTIONS TO 501(C)(3) ORGANIZATIONS	
	49,870.
2	
3	
4	

Part IX-B Summary of Program-Related Investments

Describe the two largest program-related investments made by the foundation during the tax year on lines 1 and 2.	Amount
1 N/A	
2	
All other program-related investments. See instructions.	
3	
Total. Add lines 1 through 3 ▶	0.

Part X Minimum Investment Return (All domestic foundations must complete this part. Foreign foundations, see instructions.)

1	Fair market value of assets not used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes:		
a	Average monthly fair market value of securities	1a	831,851.
b	Average of monthly cash balances	1b	171,318.
c	Fair market value of all other assets	1c	
d	Total (add lines 1a, b, and c)	1d	1,003,169.
e	Reduction claimed for blockage or other factors reported on lines 1a and 1c (attach detailed explanation)	1e	0.
2	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to line 1 assets	2	0.
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1d	3	1,003,169.
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities. Enter 1 1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions)	4	15,048.
5	Net value of noncharitable-use assets Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter here and on Part V, line 4	5	988,121.
6	Minimum investment return Enter 5% of line 5	6	49,406.

Part XI Distributable Amount (see instructions) (Section 4942(j)(3) and (j)(5) private operating foundations and certain foreign organizations check here and do not complete this part.)

1	Minimum investment return from Part X, line 6	1	49,406.
2a	Tax on investment income for 2012 from Part VI, line 5	2a	533.
b	Income tax for 2012 (This does not include the tax from Part VI.)	2b	
c	Add lines 2a and 2b	2c	533.
3	Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1	3	48,873.
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions	4	0.
5	Add lines 3 and 4	5	48,873.
6	Deduction from distributable amount (see instructions)	6	0.
7	Distributable amount as adjusted. Subtract line 6 from line 5. Enter here and on Part XIII, line 1	7	48,873.

Part XII Qualifying Distributions (see instructions)

1	Amounts paid (including administrative expenses) to accomplish charitable, etc., purposes:		
a	Expenses, contributions, gifts, etc. - total from Part I, column (d), line 26	1a	51,770.
b	Program-related investments - total from Part IX-B	1b	0.
2	Amounts paid to acquire assets used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes	2	
3	Amounts set aside for specific charitable projects that satisfy the:		
a	Suitability test (prior IRS approval required)	3a	
b	Cash distribution test (attach the required schedule)	3b	
4	Qualifying distributions. Add lines 1a through 3b. Enter here and on Part V, line 8, and Part XIII, line 4	4	51,770.
5	Foundations that qualify under section 4940(e) for the reduced rate of tax on net investment income. Enter 1% of Part I, line 27b	5	0.
6	Adjusted qualifying distributions. Subtract line 5 from line 4	6	51,770.

Note The amount on line 6 will be used in Part V, column (b), in subsequent years when calculating whether the foundation qualifies for the section 4940(e) reduction of tax in those years.

Part XIII Undistributed Income (see instructions)

	(a) Corpus	(b) Years prior to 2011	(c) 2011	(d) 2012
1 Distributable amount for 2012 from Part XI, line 7				48,873.
2 Undistributed Income, if any, as of the end of 2012				
a Enter amount for 2011 only			0.	
b Total for prior years:		0.		
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2012:				
a From 2007	5,171.			
b From 2008	12,474.			
c From 2009	12,462.			
d From 2010	10,217.			
e From 2011	6,927.			
f Total of lines 3a through e	47,251.			
4 Qualifying distributions for 2012 from Part XII, line 4: ▶ \$ 51,770.				
a Applied to 2011, but not more than line 2a			0.	
b Applied to undistributed income of prior years (Election required - see instructions)		0.		
c Treated as distributions out of corpus (Election required - see instructions)	0.			
d Applied to 2012 distributable amount				48,873.
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus	2,897.			
5 Excess distributions carryover applied to 2012 (If an amount appears in column (d), the same amount must be shown in column (a))	0.			0.
6 Enter the net total of each column as indicated below:				
a Corpus Add lines 3f, 4c, and 4e Subtract line 5	50,148.			
b Prior years' undistributed income. Subtract line 4b from line 2b		0.		
c Enter the amount of prior years' undistributed income for which a notice of deficiency has been issued, or on which the section 4942(a) tax has been previously assessed		0.		
d Subtract line 6c from line 6b. Taxable amount - see instructions		0.		
e Undistributed income for 2011. Subtract line 4a from line 2a. Taxable amount - see instr.			0.	
f Undistributed income for 2012. Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1. This amount must be distributed in 2013				0.
7 Amounts treated as distributions out of corpus to satisfy requirements imposed by section 170(b)(1)(F) or 4942(g)(3)	0.			
8 Excess distributions carryover from 2007 not applied on line 5 or line 7	5,171.			
9 Excess distributions carryover to 2013. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a	44,977.			
10 Analysis of line 9:				
a Excess from 2008	12,474.			
b Excess from 2009	12,462.			
c Excess from 2010	10,217.			
d Excess from 2011	6,927.			
e Excess from 2012	2,897.			

Part XIV Private Operating Foundations (see instructions and Part VII-A, question 9)

N/A

1 a If the foundation has received a ruling or determination letter that it is a private operating foundation, and the ruling is effective for 2012, enter the date of the ruling ▶

b Check box to indicate whether the foundation is a private operating foundation described in section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5)

	Tax year		Prior 3 years		(e) Total
	(a) 2012	(b) 2011	(c) 2010	(d) 2009	
2 a Enter the lesser of the adjusted net income from Part I or the minimum investment return from Part X for each year listed					
b 85% of line 2a					
c Qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4 for each year listed					
d Amounts included in line 2c not used directly for active conduct of exempt activities					
e Qualifying distributions made directly for active conduct of exempt activities.					
3 Subtract line 2d from line 2c					
Complete 3a, b, or c for the alternative test relied upon:					
a "Assets" alternative test - enter:					
(1) Value of all assets					
(2) Value of assets qualifying under section 4942(j)(3)(B)(i)					
b "Endowment" alternative test - enter 2/3 of minimum investment return shown in Part X, line 6 for each year listed					
c "Support" alternative test - enter:					
(1) Total support other than gross investment income (interest, dividends, rents, payments on securities loans (section 512(a)(5)), or royalties)					
(2) Support from general public and 5 or more exempt organizations as provided in section 4942(j)(3)(B)(iii)					
(3) Largest amount of support from an exempt organization					
(4) Gross investment income					

Part XV Supplementary Information (Complete this part only if the foundation had \$5,000 or more in assets at any time during the year-see instructions.)

1 **Information Regarding Foundation Managers:**

a List any managers of the foundation who have contributed more than 2% of the total contributions received by the foundation before the close of any tax year (but only if they have contributed more than \$5,000). (See section 507(d)(2).)

NONE

b List any managers of the foundation who own 10% or more of the stock of a corporation (or an equally large portion of the ownership of a partnership or other entity) of which the foundation has a 10% or greater interest.

NONE

2 **Information Regarding Contribution, Grant, Gift, Loan, Scholarship, etc., Programs:**

Check here if the foundation only makes contributions to preselected charitable organizations and does not accept unsolicited requests for funds. If the foundation makes gifts, grants, etc. (see instructions) to individuals or organizations under other conditions, complete items 2a, b, c, and d.

a The name, address, and telephone number or e-mail of the person to whom applications should be addressed:

JAMES AKERS, 312-475-1131
840 N. LAKE SHORE DR. #403, CHICAGO, IL 60611

b The form in which applications should be submitted and information and materials they should include:

IN WRITING

c Any submission deadlines:

NONE

d Any restrictions or limitations on awards, such as by geographical areas, charitable fields, kinds of institutions, or other factors:

NONE

Part XV Supplementary Information (continued)

3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year or Approved for Future Payment				
Recipient	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
Name and address (home or business)				
a Paid during the year				
ADAPTIVE SPORTS CENTER PO BOX 1639 CRESTED BUTTE, CO 81224	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	TO SERVE THE COMMUNITY	200.
AGILITY ANGELS PO BOX 352376 TOLEDO, OH 43635	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	TO HELP THOSE WITH MEDICAL PROBLEMS	36.
ALMOST HOME KIDS 211 E. GRAND AVE CHICAGO, IL 60611	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	TO HELP CHILDREN IN NEED	50.
AMERICAN BRAIN TUMOR ASSOC 8550 W. BRYN MAWR AVE CHICAGO, IL 60631	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	TO PROMOTE MEDICAL RESEARCH	64.
AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY PO BOX 4378 CHICAGO, IL 60680	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	TO FIGHT CANCER	25.
Total	SEE CONTINUATION SHEET(S)			49,870.
b Approved for future payment				
NONE				
Total				0.

THE AKERS FOUNDATION

Part IV Capital Gains and Losses for Tax on Investment Income

(a) List and describe the kind(s) of property sold, e.g., real estate, 2-story brick warehouse; or common stock, 200 shs. MLC Co.	(b) How acquired P - Purchase D - Donation	(c) Date acquired (mo., day, yr.)	(d) Date sold (mo., day, yr.)
1a 300 UNITS DCP MIDSTREAM PARTNERS	P	10/23/12	11/15/12
b 2200 UNITS EAGLE ROCK ENERGY PARTNERS	P	01/10/12	11/15/12
c 350 UNITS TEEKAY LNG PARTNERS	P	09/24/12	11/15/12
d 2100 UNITS INERGY LP	P	10/12/11	09/19/12
e PROSHARES ULTRASHORT SEC 1256			
f PROSHARES SHORT S&P 500	P	11/23/11	02/01/12
g AEROVIRONMENT INC	P	07/08/11	03/07/12
h STANDARD&POORS DEP RCPT	P	02/01/12	03/06/12
i CALL WPRT	P	05/17/12	02/06/12
j CELLCOM ISRAEL	P	11/11/11	05/14/12
k MARKET VECTR JR GOLD	P	09/08/10	05/15/12
l WESTPORT INNOVATIONS	P	02/08/12	05/17/12
m CHIMERA INVESTMENT	P	10/25/11	06/21/12
n TELEFONICA SPAIN ADR	P	10/12/11	05/29/12
o ISHARES SILVER TR	P	03/03/09	06/28/12

(e) Gross sales price	(f) Depreciation allowed (or allowable)	(g) Cost or other basis plus expense of sale	(h) Gain or (loss) (e) plus (f) minus (g)
a 11,923.		13,881.	-1,958.
b 18,609.		23,410.	-4,801.
c 12,027.		13,753.	-1,726.
d 37,969.		45,239.	-7,270.
e		3,634.	-3,634.
f 86,403.		100,537.	-14,134.
g 17,903.		25,719.	-7,816.
h 87,361.		86,709.	652.
i 848.		82.	766.
j 11,204.		23,896.	-12,692.
k 27,365.		49,381.	-22,016.
l 13,630.		24,049.	-10,419.
m 21,111.		25,519.	-4,408.
n 12,671.		25,736.	-13,065.
o 93,737.		46,045.	47,692.

Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69

(i) F.M.V. as of 12/31/69	(j) Adjusted basis as of 12/31/69	(k) Excess of col. (i) over col. (j), if any	(l) Losses (from col (h)) Gains (excess of col (h) gain over col. (k), but not less than "-0-")
a			-1,958.
b			-4,801.
c			-1,726.
d			-7,270.
e			-3,634.
f			-14,134.
g			-7,816.
h			652.
i			766.
j			-12,692.
k			-22,016.
l			-10,419.
m			-4,408.
n			-13,065.
o			47,692.

2 Capital gain net income or (net capital loss) { If gain, also enter in Part I, line 7 If (loss), enter "-0-" in Part I, line 7 }	2	
3 Net short-term capital gain or (loss) as defined in sections 1222(5) and (6): If gain, also enter in Part I, line 8, column (c). If (loss), enter "-0-" in Part I, line 8 }	3	

Part IV Capital Gains and Losses for Tax on Investment Income

(a) List and describe the kind(s) of property sold, e.g., real estate, 2-story brick warehouse; or common stock, 200 shs MLC Co.	(b) How acquired P - Purchase D - Donation	(c) Date acquired (mo., day, yr.)	(d) Date sold (mo., day, yr.)
1a SPROTT PHYSICAL SILVER	P	11/02/10	07/12/12
b VEOLIA ENVIRONMENT	P	08/27/11	07/09/12
c PROSHARES ULTRASHORT S&P 500	P	03/06/12	08/07/12
d TELEFONICA SPAIN ADR	P	10/12/11	05/29/12
e FRANCE TELECOM ADR	P	10/12/11	09/19/12
f HYFLUX LIMITED	P	08/31/11	09/19/12
g HIBBETT SPORTS	P	09/19/12	11/15/12
h PROSHARES ULTRA NASDAQ	P	06/20/12	11/15/12
i APPLE INC	P	11/29/12	12/06/12
j FREEPORT MCMRAN CPR & GLD	P	08/16/12	12/05/12
k FIRST INDUSRIAL REALTY	P	09/17/09	12/21/12
l PROSHARES TR	P	11/15/12	11/29/12
m CAPITAL GAINS DIVIDENDS			
n			
o			

(e) Gross sales price	(f) Depreciation allowed (or allowable)	(g) Cost or other basis plus expense of sale	(h) Gain or (loss) (e) plus (f) minus (g)
a 104,986.		100,965.	4,021.
b 19,491.		28,115.	-8,624.
c 74,786.		86,757.	-11,971.
d 20,507.		38,607.	-18,100.
e 18,003.		25,709.	-7,706.
f 18,006.		23,844.	-5,838.
g 11,338.		12,847.	-1,509.
h 22,408.		23,247.	-839.
i 20,903.		23,817.	-2,914.
j 25,409.		28,619.	-3,210.
k 11,525.		6,019.	5,506.
l 43,877.		49,426.	-5,549.
m 354.			354.
n			
o			

Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69

(i) F.M.V. as of 12/31/69	(j) Adjusted basis as of 12/31/69	(k) Excess of col (i) over col. (j), if any	(l) Losses (from col. (h)) Gains (excess of col. (h) gain over col (k), but not less than "-0-")
a			4,021.
b			-8,624.
c			-11,971.
d			-18,100.
e			-7,706.
f			-5,838.
g			-1,509.
h			-839.
i			-2,914.
j			-3,210.
k			5,506.
l			-5,549.
m			354.
n			
o			

2 Capital gain net income or (net capital loss) (If gain, also enter in Part I, line 7 If (loss), enter "-0-" in Part I, line 7)	2	-111,208.
3 Net short-term capital gain or (loss) as defined in sections 1222(5) and (6): If gain, also enter in Part I, line 8, column (c). If (loss), enter "-0-" in Part I, line 8	3	N/A

Part XV Supplementary Information

3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year (Continuation)

Recipient Name and address (home or business)	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
AMERICAN CIVIL LIBERTIES UNION 2966 WOODWARD AVENUE DETROIT, MI 48201	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	TO SERVE THE COMMUNITY	1,000.
AMERICAN HEART ASSOCIATION 7272 GREENVILLE AVE DALLAS, TX 75231	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	TO PROMOTE MEDICAL RESEARCH	200.
ANSHE EMET DAY SCHOOL 3751 N. BROADWAY CHICAGO, IL 60613	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	TO PROMOTE EDUCATION	1,000.
ART INSTITUTE OF CHICAGO 111 S. MICHIGAN AVE. CHICAGO, IL 60603	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	TO PROMOTE THE ARTS	125.
B'NAI TIKVAH 1448 WILMOT RD. DEERFIELD, IL 60015	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	RELIGIOUS INSTITUTION	3,810.
BRANDEIS UNIVERSITY 415 SOUTH ST WALTHAM, MA 02454	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	TO PROMOTE HIGHER EDUCATION	10,000.
BRIGHT PINK 400 N STATE ST STE 230 CHICAGO, IL 60654	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	TO PROMOTE MEDICAL RESEARCH	250.
CARA PROGRAM 237 S. DES PLAINES ST CHICAGO, IL 60661	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	TO HELP THE COMMUNITY	500.
CENTER FOR ENRICHED LIVING 280 SAUNDERS RD RIVERWOODS, IL 60015	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	TO PROMOTE HEALTHY LIVING	100.
CHICAGO BASKET BRIGADE 4051 KEENEY ST SKOKIE, IL 60076	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	TO HELP FEED THOSE IN NEED	95.
Total from continuation sheets				49,495.

Part XV Supplementary Information

3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year (Continuation)

Recipient Name and address (home or business)	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
CHICAGO COALITION FOR THE HOMELESS 70 E LAKE STREET STE 700 CHICAGO, IL 60601	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	TO HELP THOSE IN NEED	1,000.
CHICAGO SYMPHONY 220 S MICHIGAN AVE CHICAGO, IL 60604	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	TO PROMOTE THE ARTS	100.
CONGREGATION ETZ CHAYIM 3853 WOODLEY RD. TOLEDO, OH 43606	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	RELIGIOUS INSTITUTION	618.
CRESTED BUTTE LAND TRUST PO BOX 2224 CRESTED BUTTE, CO 81224	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	TO PROTECT THE ENVIRONMENT	250.
DISPUTE RESOLUTION CENTER 110 N FOURTH AVE. ANN ARBOR, MI 48104	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	TO SERVE THE COMMUNITY	1,000.
ECOLOGY CENTER 339 E LIBERTY #300 ANN ARBOR, MI 48104	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	TO PRESERVE THE ENVIRONMENT	1,000.
FANCONI ANEMIA FUND 1801 WILLAMETTE ST EUGENE, OR 97401	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	TO PROMOTE MEDICAL RESEARCH	100.
GIGI'S PLAYHOUSE 3948 N LINCOLN CHICAGO, IL 60613	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	TO PROMOTE THE ARTS	250.
GIRLS GROUP 2445 NEWPORT ANN ARBOR, MI 48103	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	TO SUPPORT WOMEN'S INITIATIVES	3,500.
GRANT PARK ORCHESTRAL ASSOC 205 E. RANDOLPH ST CHICAGO, IL 60601	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	TO SERVE THE COMMUNITY	280.
Total from continuation sheets				

Part XV Supplementary Information

3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year (Continuation)

Recipient Name and address (home or business)	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
GREATER CHICAGO FOOD DEPOSITORY 4100 W. ANN LURIE PLACE CHICAGO, IL 60632	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	TO HELP THOSE IN NEED	1,000.
GREENHILLS SCHOOL 850 GREENHILLS DR ANN ARBOR, MI 48105	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	TO PROMOTE EDUCATION	1,500.
GROWING HOPE P.O. BOX 980129 YPSILANTI, MI 48098	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	TO HELP THOSE IN NEED	1,000.
HAND IN HAND PO BOX 80102 PORTLAND, OR 97280	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	TO HELP THOSE IN NEED	1,000.
HARVARD UNIVERSITY 124 MT. AUBURN ST. CAMBRIDGE, MA 02138	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	FOR HIGHER EDUCATION	1,000.
HUB PO BOX 77000 DETROIT, MI 48277	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	TO HELP THE COMMUNITY	500.
JEWISH UNITED FUND OF CHICAGO 30 S WELLS ST. CHICAGO, IL 60606	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	TO SERVE THE COMMUNITY	1,000.
LAKEVIEW PANTRY 3831 N BROADWAY CHICAGO, IL 60613	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	TO FEED THE NEEDY	100.
LIDDY SHRIVER SARCOMA INIT 12 BETHEA DR OSSINING, NY 10562	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	TO FIGHT ILLNESS	25.
MOTE MARINE LABORATORY 1600 KEN THOMPSON PKWY SARASOTA, FL 34236	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	TO PROMOTE MARINE RESEARCH	160.
Total from continuation sheets				

Part XV Supplementary Information

3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year (Continuation)

Recipient Name and address (home or business)	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
NAMI 3803 N. FAIRFAX DR ARLINGTON, VA 22201	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	TO HELP THOSE WITH MENTAL ILLNESS	25.
NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW 357 E CHICAGO AVE 4TH FLOOR CHICAGO, IL 60611	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION	2,000.
ORCHARDS CHILDRENS SERVICES 30715 SOUTHFIELD RD SOUTHFIELD, MI 48076	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	TO HELP CHILDREN IN NEED	3,500.
PLANNED PARENTHOOD PO BOX 3673 ANN ARBOR, MI 48106	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	WOMEN'S HEALTH CARE	1,500.
SAFE HOUSE 4100 CLARK RD YPSILANTI, MI 48105	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	TO HELP PROTECT WOMEN AND CHILDREN	500.
SHALVA P.O. BOX 46375 CHICAGO, IL 60646	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	TO HELP THOSE IN NEED	250.
SOAR 244 E. PEARSON #101 CHICAGO, IL 60611	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	TO SERVE THE COMMUNITY	100.
SOLOMON SCHECTER DAY SCHOOL 3210 DUNDEE RD. NORTHBROOK, IL 60062	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	TO PROMOTE EDUCATION	1,982.
TEMPLE ADATH OR 10200 W. STATE RD 84 DAVIE, FL 33324	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	RELIGIOUS INSTITUTION	200.
TEMPLE BETH ISRAEL 567 BAY ISLES RD LONGBOAT KEY, FL 34228	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	RELIGIOUS INSTITUTION	135.
Total from continuation sheets				

Part XV Supplementary Information

3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year (Continuation)				
Recipient	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
Name and address (home or business)				
TEMPLE BETH SHOLOM 1050 S. TUTTLE AVE SARASOTA, FL 34237	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	RELIGIOUS INSTITUTION	36.
TEMPLE SHOLOM 3480 N. LAKESHORE DR. CHICAGO, IL 60657	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	RELIGIOUS INSTITUTION	3,850.
THE TEMPLE-SHOMER EMUNIM 6453 SYLVANIA AVE SYLVANIA, OH 43560	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	RELIGIOUS INSTITUTION	500.
UNITED SYNAGOGUE 601 SKOKIE BLVD NORTHBROOK, IL 60062	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	RELIGIOUS INSTITUTION	108.
US HOLOCAUST MUSEUM PO BOX 1852 HIGHLAND PARK, IL 60035	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	MUSEUM	950.
VEAHAVTA 3145 CLARK RD #401 YPSILANTI, MI 48197	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	TO PROMOTE RELIGION	1,000.
WEIZMAN INSTITUTE 180 N. STETSON STREET CHICAGO, IL 60601	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	HOLOCAUST REMEBERANCE	360.
WOMENS AMERICAN ORT 75 MAIDEN LANE, 10TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10038	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	TO HELP THOSE IN NEED	36.
Total from continuation sheets				

FORM 990-PF INTEREST ON SAVINGS AND TEMPORARY CASH INVESTMENTS STATEMENT 1

SOURCE	AMOUNT
MERRILL LYNCH	73.
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART I, LINE 3, COLUMN A	73.

FORM 990-PF DIVIDENDS AND INTEREST FROM SECURITIES STATEMENT 2

SOURCE	GROSS AMOUNT	CAPITAL GAINS DIVIDENDS	COLUMN (A) AMOUNT
DIVIDENDS IN PARTNERSHIPS	140.	0.	140.
INTEREST IN PARTNERSHIPS	211.	0.	211.
MERRILL LYNCH DIVIDENDS	33,083.	0.	33,083.
TOTAL TO FM 990-PF, PART I, LN 4	33,434.	0.	33,434.

FORM 990-PF OTHER INCOME STATEMENT 3

DESCRIPTION	(A) REVENUE PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVESTMENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME
PARTNERSHIP INCOME	-3,044.	-3,044.	
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART I, LINE 11	-3,044.	-3,044.	

FORM 990-PF ACCOUNTING FEES STATEMENT 4

DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVESTMENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES
ACCOUNTING FEES	3,400.	1,700.		1,700.
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 16B	3,400.	1,700.		1,700.

FORM 990-PF	OTHER PROFESSIONAL FEES			STATEMENT 5
DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES
INVESTMENT ADVISORY FEE	150.	150.		0.
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 16C	150.	150.		0.

FORM 990-PF	TAXES			STATEMENT 6
DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES
FOREIGN TAXES	1,586.	1,586.		0.
OHIO FEES	200.	0.		200.
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 18	1,786.	1,586.		200.

FORM 990-PF	OTHER INCREASES IN NET ASSETS OR FUND BALANCES	STATEMENT 7
DESCRIPTION		AMOUNT
NON-TAXABLE DISTRIBUTIONS TO ADJUST BASIS OF INVESTMENTS		8,952. 5,647.
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART III, LINE 3		14,599.

FORM 990-PF	CORPORATE STOCK		STATEMENT 8
DESCRIPTION	BOOK VALUE	FAIR MARKET VALUE	
MERRILL LYNCH EQUITIES	166,259.	195,553.	
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART II, LINE 10B	166,259.	195,553.	

FORM 990-PF CORPORATE BONDS STATEMENT 9

DESCRIPTION	BOOK VALUE	FAIR MARKET VALUE
MERRILL LYNCH BONDS	65,580.	118,368.
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART II, LINE 10C	65,580.	118,368.

FORM 990-PF OTHER INVESTMENTS STATEMENT 10

DESCRIPTION	VALUATION METHOD	BOOK VALUE	FAIR MARKET VALUE
MERRILL LYNCH MUTUAL FUNDS	COST	377,230.	399,752.
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART II, LINE 13		377,230.	399,752.

Application for Extension of Time To File an Exempt Organization Return

▶ 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 **X**

• 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.

Electronic filing (e-file). You can electronically file Form 8868 if you need a 3-month automatic extension of time to file (6 months for a corporation required to file Form 990-T), or an additional (not automatic) 3-month extension of time. You can electronically file Form 8868 to request an extension of time to file any of the forms listed in Part I or Part II with the exception of Form 8870, Information Return for Transfers Associated With Certain Personal Benefit Contracts, which must be sent to the IRS in paper format (see instructions). For more details on the electronic filing of this form, visit www.irs.gov/efile and click on e-file for Charities & Nonprofits.

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.

Type or print	Name of exempt organization or other filer, see instructions. THE AKERS FOUNDATION	Employer identification number (EIN) or 34-6549129
File by the due date for filing your return. See instructions	Number, street, and room or suite no. If a P.O. box, see instructions. 840 N LAKE SHORE DRIVE, NO. 403	Social security number (SSN)
	City, town or post office, state, and ZIP code. For a foreign address, see instructions. CHICAGO, IL 60611	

Enter the Return code for the return that this application is for (file a separate application for each return) 0 4

Application Is For	Return Code	Application Is For	Return Code
Form 990 or Form 990-EZ	01	Form 990-T (corporation)	07
Form 990-BL	02	Form 1041-A	08
Form 4720 (individual)	03	Form 4720	09
Form 990-PF	04	Form 5227	10
Form 990-T (sec. 401(a) or 408(a) trust)	05	Form 6069	11
Form 990-T (trust other than above)	06	Form 8870	12

JAMES AKERS

• The books are in the care of ▶ **840 N LAKE SHORE DRIVE APT. 403 - CHICAGO, IL 60611**

Telephone No. ▶ **312-475-1131** 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 is for

1 I request an automatic 3-month (6 months for a corporation required to file Form 990-T) extension of time until **AUGUST 15, 2013**, to file the exempt organization return for the organization named above. The extension is for the organization's return for:
 ▶ calendar year **2012** or
 ▶ tax year beginning _____, and ending _____

2 If the tax year entered in line 1 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	\$ 533.
3b If this application is for Form 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter any refundable credits and estimated tax payments made. Include any pror year overpayment allowed as a credit.	3b	\$ 2,400.
3c Balance due. Subtract line 3b from line 3a. Include your payment with this form, if required, by using EFTPS (Electronic Federal Tax Payment System). See instructions.	3c	\$ 0.

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.

LHA For Privacy Act and Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see instructions.