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Form

990-PF

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Return of Private Foundation

or Section 4947(a)(1) Trust Treated as Private Foundation

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For calendar year 2013, or tax year beginning 01-01-2013 , and ending 12-31-2013

Name of foundation THE MICHAEL T SHERMAN FOUNDATION #95-602840		A Employer identification number 27-3842131	
Number and street (or P O box number if mail is not delivered to street address) HEMENWAY BARNES PO BOX 961209		B Telephone number (see instructions) (617) 227-7940	
City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code BOSTON, MA 021961209		C If exemption application is pending, check here ☐	
G Check all that apply ☐ Initial return ☐ Final return ☐ Address change ☐ Initial return of a former public charity ☐ Amended return ☐ Name change		D 1. Foreign organizations, check here ☐ 2. Foreign organizations meeting the 85% test, check here and attach computation ☐	
H Check type of organization ☒ Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation ☐ Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust ☐ Other taxable private foundation		E If private foundation status was terminated under section 507(b)(1)(A), check here ☐	
I Fair market value of all assets at end of year (from Part II, col. (c), line 16) ☒ \$ 2,097,964		F If the foundation is in a 60-month termination under section 507(b)(1)(B), check here ☐	
J Accounting method ☒ Cash ☐ Accrual ☐ Other (specify) _____ (Part I, column (d) must be on cash basis.)			

Part I Analysis of Revenue and Expenses (The total of amounts in columns (b), (c), and (d) may not necessarily equal the amounts in column (a) (see instructions))		(a) Revenue and expenses per books	(b) Net investment income	(c) Adjusted net income	(d) Disbursements for charitable purposes (cash basis only)
Revenue	1 Contributions, gifts, grants, etc , received (attach schedule)				
	2 Check ☒ if the foundation is not required to attach Sch B				
	3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments				
	4 Dividends and interest from securities.	42,659	42,659		
	5a Gross rents				
	b Net rental income or (loss) _____				
	6a Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10	-478			
	b Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a 360,781				
	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				
Operating and Administrative Expenses	c Gross profit or (loss) (attach schedule)				
	11 Other income (attach schedule)	132	0		
	12 Total. Add lines 1 through 11	42,313	42,659		
	13 Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc	21,354	19,354		2,000
	14 Other employee salaries and wages				
	15 Pension plans, employee benefits				
	16a Legal fees (attach schedule)	3,668	0		3,668
	b Accounting fees (attach schedule)	1,700	1,700		0
	c Other professional fees (attach schedule)				
	17 Interest				
	18 Taxes (attach schedule) (see instructions)	80	0		0
	19 Depreciation (attach schedule) and depletion . . .				
	20 Occupancy				
	21 Travel, conferences, and meetings				
	22 Printing and publications				
	23 Other expenses (attach schedule)	45	10		35
	24 Total operating and administrative expenses. Add lines 13 through 23	26,847	21,064		5,703
	25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid	80,000			80,000
	26 Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 24 and 25	106,847	21,064		85,703
	27 Subtract line 26 from line 12				
	a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements	-64,534			
	b Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)		21,595		
	c Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -0-)				

Part II Balance Sheets		Attached schedules and amounts in the description column should be for end-of-year amounts only (See instructions)	Beginning of year	End of year	
			(a) Book Value	(b) Book Value	(c) Fair Market Value
Assets	1	Cash—non-interest-bearing	128		
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments	96,117	25,591	25,591
	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 (attach schedule) (see instructions)			
	7	Other notes and loans receivable (attach schedule) ▶ _____ 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 (attach schedule)			
	b	Investments—corporate stock (attach schedule)	1,203,642	☒ 1,238,705	1,666,547
	c	Investments—corporate bonds (attach schedule).	462,967	☒ 359,442	355,963
	11	Investments—land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶ _____ Less accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶ _____			
	12	Investments—mortgage loans			
	13	Investments—other (attach schedule)	0	☒ 50,373	49,863
	14	Land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶ _____ Less accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶ _____			
	15	Other assets (describe ▶ _____)			
	16	Total assets (to be completed by all filers—see the instructions Also, see page 1, item I)	1,762,854	1,674,111	2,097,964
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 (attach schedule)			
	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 ▶ ☐ and complete lines 24 through 26 and lines 30 and 31.			
	24	Unrestricted			
	25	Temporarily restricted			
	26	Permanently restricted			
		Foundations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here ▶ ☒ and complete lines 27 through 31.			
	27	Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds	1,762,854	1,674,111	
	28	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg , and equipment fund	0	0	
	29	Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds	0	0	
	30	Total net assets or fund balances (see page 17 of the instructions)	1,762,854	1,674,111	
	31	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances (see page 17 of the instructions)	1,762,854	1,674,111	

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	1,762,854
2	Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2	-64,534
3	Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ _____	3	0
4	Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4	1,698,320
5	Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ ☒ _____	5	24,209
6	Total net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5)—Part II, column (b), line 30	6	1,674,111

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	See Additional Data Table			
b				
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	See Additional Data Table		
b			
c			
d			
e			

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	See Additional Data Table		
b			
c			
d			
e			

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	-478
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) (see instructions) If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 8		3	

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 page 18 of 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))
2012	50,432	1,837,415	0 027447
2011	35	819,344	0 000043
2010	0	1	0 000000
2009			
2008			

2	Total of line 1, column (d).	2	0 027490
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	0 009163
4	Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2013 from Part X, line 5.	4	1,965,725
5	Multiply line 4 by line 3.	5	18,012
6	Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b).	6	216
7	Add lines 5 and 6.	7	18,228
8	Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4.	8	85,703

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 page 18 of the instructions)		
1a Exempt operating foundations described in section 4940(d)(2), check here ☐ 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 ☒ and enter 1% of Part I, line 27b	1	216
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	216
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	216
6 Credits/Payments		
a 2013 estimated tax payments and 2012 overpayment credited to 2013	6a	80
b Exempt foreign organizations—tax withheld at source	6b	
c Tax paid with application for extension of time to file (Form 8868)	6c	300
d Backup withholding erroneously withheld	6d	
7 Total credits and payments. Add lines 6a through 6d.	7	380
8 Enter any penalty for underpayment of estimated tax. Check here ☐ if Form 2220 is attached	8	
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	164
11 Enter the amount of line 10 to be Credited to 2014 estimated tax 164 Refunded	11	0

Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities			
1a During the tax year, did the foundation attempt to influence any national, state, or local legislation or did it participate or intervene in any political campaign?	1a	Yes	No
b Did it spend more than \$100 during the year (either directly or indirectly) for political purposes (see page 19 of the instructions for definition)? <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>	1b		No
c Did the foundation file Form 1120-POL for this year?.	1c		No
d Enter the amount (if any) of tax on political expenditures (section 4955) imposed during the year: (1) On the foundation ☐ \$ 0 (2) On foundation managers ☐ \$ 0			
e Enter the reimbursement (if any) paid by the foundation during the year for political expenditure tax imposed on foundation managers ☐ \$ 0			
2 Has the foundation engaged in any activities that have not previously been reported to the IRS? <i>If "Yes," attach a detailed description of the activities.</i>	2		No
3 Has the foundation made any changes, not previously reported to the IRS, in its governing instrument, articles of incorporation, or bylaws, or other similar instruments? <i>If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the changes</i>	3		No
4a Did the foundation have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?.	4a		No
b If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on Form 990-T for this year?.	4b		
5 Was there a liquidation, termination, dissolution, or substantial contraction during the year? <i>If "Yes," attach the statement required by General Instruction T.</i>	5		No
6 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?	6	Yes	
7 Did the foundation have at least \$5,000 in assets at any time during the year? <i>If "Yes," complete Part II, col. (c), and Part XV.</i>	7	Yes	
8a Enter the states to which the foundation reports or with which it is registered (see instructions) ☒ MA			
b 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? <i>If "No," attach explanation.</i>	8b	Yes	
9 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 2013 or the taxable year beginning in 2013 (see instructions for Part XIV)? <i>If "Yes," complete Part XIV</i>	9		No
10 Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year? <i>If "Yes," attach a schedule listing their names and addresses.</i>	10		No

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		No
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		No
13	Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements for its annual returns and exemption application?	13	Yes	
Website address ▶N/A				
14	The books are in care of ▶HEMENWAY BARNES LLP Telephone no ▶(617) 227-7940			
	Located at ▶60 STATE STREET BOSTON MA ZIP +4 ▶021091899			
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		
16	At any time during calendar year 2013, 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?	16	Yes	No
	See instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22.1 If "Yes", enter the name of the foreign country ▶			

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? ☐ Yes ☒ No			
	(2) Borrow money from, lend money to, or otherwise extend credit to (or accept it from) a disqualified person?. ☐ Yes ☒ No			
	(3) Furnish goods, services, or facilities to (or accept them from) a disqualified person? ☐ Yes ☒ No			
	(4) Pay compensation to, or pay or reimburse the expenses of, a disqualified person? ☒ Yes ☐ 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)?. ☐ Yes ☒ 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). ☐ Yes ☒ 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 page 20 of the instructions)?. . . Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here. ▶ ☐	1b		No
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 2013?.	1c		No
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 2013, did the foundation have any undistributed income (lines 6d and 6e, Part XIII) for tax year(s) beginning before 2013?. ☐ Yes ☒ No			
	If "Yes," list the years ▶ 20____, 20____, 20____, 20____			
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).	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 ▶ 20____, 20____, 20____, 20____			
3a	Did the foundation hold more than a 2% direct or indirect interest in any business enterprise at any time during the year?. ☐ Yes ☒ No			
b	If "Yes," did it have excess business holdings in 2013 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? (<i>Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine if the foundation had excess business holdings in 2013.</i>).	3b		
4a	Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes?	4a		No
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 2013?	4b		No

Part VII-B

Statements Regarding Activities for Which Form 4720 May Be Required (continued)

5a

During the year did the foundation pay or incur any amount to

(1) Carry on propaganda, or otherwise attempt to influence legislation (section 4945(e))?

☐ Yes ☒ No

(2) Influence the outcome of any specific public election (see section 4955), or to carry on, directly or indirectly, any voter registration drive?

☐ Yes ☒ No

(3) Provide a grant to an individual for travel, study, or other similar purposes?

☐ Yes ☒ No

(4) Provide a grant to an organization other than a charitable, etc , organization described in section 509(a)(1), (2), or (3), or section 4940(d)(2)? (see instructions).

☐ Yes ☒ No

(5) Provide for any purpose other than religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals?

☐ Yes ☒ No

b

If any answer is "Yes" to 5a(1)–(5), did **any** of the transactions fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4945 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance (see instructions)?

5b

Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here.

☒

c

If the answer is "Yes" to question 5a(4), does the foundation claim exemption from the tax because it maintained expenditure responsibility for the grant?

☐ Yes ☐ No

If "Yes," attach the statement required by Regulations section 53.4945–5(d).

6a

Did the foundation, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?

☐ Yes ☒ No

b

Did the foundation, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?

6b

No

If "Yes" to 6b, file Form 8870.

7a

At any time during the tax year, was the foundation a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?

☐ Yes ☒ No

b

If yes, did the foundation receive any proceeds or have any net income attributable to the transaction?

7b

Part VIII

Information About Officers, Directors, Trustees, Foundation Managers, Highly Paid Employees, and Contractors

1

List all officers, directors, trustees, foundation managers and their compensation (see instructions).

(a) Name and address	(b) Title, and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation (If not paid, enter -0-)	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account, other allowances
See Additional Data Table				

2

Compensation of five highest-paid employees (other than those included on line 1—see instructions). If none, enter "NONE."

(a) Name and address of each employee paid more than \$50,000	(b) Title, and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account, other allowances
NONE				

Total number of other employees paid over \$50,000.

0

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Part VIII

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

3 Five highest-paid independent contractors for professional services (see instructions). 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	
2	
3	
4	

Part IX-B

Summary of Program-Related Investments (see instructions)

Describe the two largest program-related investments made by the foundation during the tax year on lines 1 and 2	Amount
1	
2	
All other program-related investments. See page 24 of the 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	1,886,867
b	Average of monthly cash balances.	1b	108,793
c	Fair market value of all other assets (see instructions).	1c	0
d	Total (add lines 1a, b, and c).	1d	1,995,660
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	1,995,660
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities Enter 1 1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions).	4	29,935
5	Net value of noncharitable-use assets. Subtract line 4 from line 3 Enter here and on Part V, line 4	5	1,965,725
6	Minimum investment return. Enter 5% of line 5.	6	98,286

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	98,286
2a	Tax on investment income for 2013 from Part VI, line 5.	2a	216
b	Income tax for 2013 (This does not include the tax from Part VI).	2b	
c	Add lines 2a and 2b.	2c	216
3	Distributable amount before adjustments Subtract line 2c from line 1.	3	98,070
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions.	4	0
5	Add lines 3 and 4.	5	98,070
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	98,070

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	85,703
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	85,703
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 (see instructions).	5	216
6	Adjusted qualifying distributions. Subtract line 5 from line 4.	6	85,487
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 2012	(c) 2012	(d) 2013
1 Distributable amount for 2013 from Part XI, line 7				98,070
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2013				
a Enter amount for 2012 only.			76,230	
b Total for prior years 20__, 20__, 20__		0		
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2013				
a From 2008.				
b From 2009.				
c From 2010.				
d From 2011.				
e From 2012.				
f Total of lines 3a through e.	0			
4 Qualifying distributions for 2013 from Part XII, line 4 ▶ \$ 85,703				
a Applied to 2012, but not more than line 2a			76,230	
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 2013 distributable amount.				9,473
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus	0			
5 Excess distributions carryover applied to 2013 (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	0			
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 2012 Subtract line 4a from line 2a Taxable amount—see instructions			0	
f Undistributed income for 2013 Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1 This amount must be distributed in 2014				88,597
7 Amounts treated as distributions out of corpus to satisfy requirements imposed by section 170(b)(1)(F) or 4942(g)(3) (see instructions).	0			
8 Excess distributions carryover from 2008 not applied on line 5 or line 7 (see instructions). . . .	0			
9 Excess distributions carryover to 2014. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a	0			
10 Analysis of line 9				
a Excess from 2009. . . .				
b Excess from 2010. . . .				
c Excess from 2011. . . .				
d Excess from 2012. . . .				
e Excess from 2013. . . .				

Part XIV

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Enter the lesser of the adjusted net income from Part I or the minimum investment return from Part X for each year listed

85% of line 2a

Qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4 for each year listed

Amounts included in line 2c not used directly for active conduct of exempt activities

Qualifying distributions made directly for active conduct of exempt activities Subtract line 2d from line 2c

Complete 3a, b, or c for the alternative test relied upon

"Assets" alternative test—enter

(1) Value of all assets

(2) Value of assets qualifying under section 4942(j)(3)(B)(i)

"Endowment" alternative test— enter 2/3 of minimum investment return shown in Part X, line 6 for each year listed.

"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

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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 See Additional Data Table				
Total			3a	80,000
b Approved for future payment				
Total			3b	0

Enter gross amounts unless otherwise indicated

Part XVI-B Relationship of Activities to the Accomplishment of Exempt Purposes

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(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)
200 SHS ABBVIE INC	P	2012-01-25	2013-01-23
100 SHS 3M CO	P	2012-02-22	2013-01-23
100 SHS 3M CO	P	2012-05-23	2013-01-23
200 SHS CANADIAN NATIONAL RAILWAY CO	P	2012-05-23	2013-01-23
200 SHS TEVA PHARMACEUTICAL INDS LTD ADR	P	2012-01-25	2013-01-23
200 SHS TEVA PHARMACEUTICAL INDS LTD ADR	P	2012-02-22	2013-01-23
300 SHS PORTLAND GENERAL ELECTRIC CO	P	2012-01-25	2013-01-23
400 SHS PORTLAND GENERAL ELECTRIC CO	P	2012-02-22	2013-01-23
100 SHS 3M CO	P	2011-10-28	2013-01-23
300 SHS PORTLAND GENERAL ELECTRIC CO	P	2011-10-28	2013-01-23
150 SHS TEVA PHARMACEUTICAL INDS LTD ADR	P	2011-10-28	2013-04-24
400 SHS ENCANA CORP	P	2011-10-28	2013-04-24
400 SHS ENCANA CORP	P	2012-05-23	2013-04-24
200 SHS TEVA PHARMACEUTICAL INDS LTD ADR	P	2012-02-22	2013-04-24
200 SHS DEVON ENERGY CORP	P	2012-04-11	2013-04-24
300 SHS DEVON ENERGY CORP	P	2012-02-22	2013-04-24
75000 UNITS KRAFT FOODS 2 625% 5/5/13	P	2012-02-22	2013-05-08
75000 UNITS COVIDIEN INTL FIN SA 1 875% 6/15/13	P	2012-07-12	2013-06-17
100 SHS EMERSON ELECTRIC CO	P	2012-02-22	2013-08-07
50 SHS TEVA PHARMACEUTICAL INDS LTD ADR	P	2011-10-28	2013-08-07
300 SHS TEVA PHARMACEUTICAL INDS LTD ADR	P	2012-05-23	2013-08-07
12 SHS MALLINCRODT PLC	P	2012-10-02	2013-09-20
12 SHS MALLINCRODT PLC	P	2012-05-23	2013-09-20
25 SHS MALLINCRODT PLC	P	2012-01-25	2013-09-20
25 SHS MALLINCRODT PLC	P	2011-10-28	2013-09-20
100 SHS DEERE & CO	P	2011-10-28	2013-10-23
200 SHS MERCK & CO INC	P	2011-10-28	2013-10-23
200 SHS MERCK & CO INC	P	2012-01-25	2013-10-23
200 SHS MICROSOFT CORP	P	2012-04-11	2013-10-23
CAPITAL GAINS DIVIDENDS	P		

Form 990PF Part IV - Capital Gains and Losses for Tax on Investment Income - Columns e - h

(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)
7,432		5,702	1,730
9,929		8,793	1,136
9,929		8,325	1,604
18,687		16,014	2,673
7,582		9,176	-1,594
7,582		8,920	-1,338
8,451		7,401	1,050
11,267		9,975	1,292
9,929		8,119	1,810
8,451		7,365	1,086
5,706		6,300	-594
7,357		8,924	-1,567
7,357		8,000	-643
7,608		8,920	-1,312
10,668		13,700	-3,032
16,002		22,419	-6,417
75,000		76,912	-1,912
75,000		76,087	-1,087
6,169		5,176	993
1,938		2,100	-162
11,631		11,526	105
542		537	5
543		475	68
1,085		884	201
1,085		856	229
8,381		7,885	496
9,312		6,970	2,342
9,312		7,720	1,592
6,758		6,078	680
88			88

Form 990PF Part IV - Capital Gains and Losses for Tax on Investment Income - Columns i - l

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	
			1,730
			1,136
			1,604
			2,673
			-1,594
			-1,338
			1,050
			1,292
			1,810
			1,086
			-594
			-1,567
			-643
			-1,312
			-3,032
			-6,417
			-1,912
			-1,087
			993
			-162
			105
			5
			68
			201
			229
			496
			2,342
			1,592
			680
			88

Form 990PF Part VIII Line 1 - List all officers, directors, trustees, foundation managers and their compensation

(a) Name and address	(b) Title, and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation (If not paid, enter -0-)	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account, other allowances
ARTHUR B PAGE	TRUSTEE 0 50	9,677	0	0
HEMENWAY BARNES LLP 60 STATE STREET BOSTON,MA 02109				
NANCY B GARDINER	TRUSTEE 0 01	9,677	0	0
HEMENWAY BARNES LLP 60 STATE STREET BOSTON,MA 02109				
MICHAEL T SHERMAN	TRUSTEE 0 50	0	0	0
46 SHEPARD STREET 31 CAMBRIDGE,MA 021381521				
MARK MCCLOSKEY	TRUSTEE 0 20	1,000	0	0
10757 NORTH 74TH STREET 2028 SCOTTSDALE,AZ 85260				
LEE BODOCK	TRUSTEE 0 20	1,000	0	0
276 WEST WYOMING MELROSE,MA 02176				

Form 990PF Part XV Line 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				
AMERICA'S VETDOGS THE VETERANS K9 CORPS INC 371 EAST JERICHO TURNPIKE SMITHTOWN,NY 11787	N/A	PUBLIC CHARITY	GENERAL PURPOSE	3,200
AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY PO BOX 22718 OKLAHOMA CITY,OK 73123	N/A	PUBLIC CHARITY	GENERAL PURPOSE	5,000
CENTER FOR CITIZEN LEADERSHIP DBA THE MISSION CONTINUES 1141 S 7TH STREET ST LOUIS,MO 63104	N/A	PUBLIC CHARITY	GENERAL PURPOSE	4,000
CROTCHED MOUNTAIN FOUNDATION ONE VERNEY DRIVE GREENFIELD,NH 03047	N/A	PUBLIC CHARITY	GENERAL PURPOSE	2,400
GREENPEACE FUND INC 702 H STREET NW STE 300 WASHINGTON,DC 20001	N/A	PUBLIC CHARITY	GENERAL PURPOSE	2,100
IRAQ AND AFGHANISTAN VETERANS OF AMERICA INC AKA IAVA 292 MADISON AVENUE 10TH FLOOR NEWYORK,NY 10017	N/A	PUBLIC CHARITY	GENERAL PURPOSE	4,000
MASSACHUSETTS GENERAL HOSPITAL 55 FRUIT STREET BOSTON,MA 02114	N/A	PUBLIC CHARITY	RED SOX FOUNDATION & MGH HOME BASE PROGRAM	4,000
MATHPOWER 13 LAKE HALL NORTHEASTERN UNIVERSIT 360 HUNTINGTON AVENUE BOSTON,MA 02115	N/A	PUBLIC CHARITY	GENERAL PURPOSE	4,000
NAMI DBA NATIONAL ALLIANCE ON MENTAL ILLNESS 3803 N FAIRFAX DRIVE STE 100 ARLINGTON,VA 22203	N/A	PUBLIC CHARITY	GENERAL PURPOSE	4,800
PERKINS SCHOOL FOR THE BLIND 175 NORTH BEACON STREET WATERTOWN,MA 02472	N/A	PUBLIC CHARITY	GENERAL PURPOSE	4,000
PETS FOR VETS INC 409 BLACK DIAMOND DRIVE WILMINGTON,NC 28411	N/A	PUBLIC CHARITY	GENERAL PURPOSE	3,200
PHOENIX CHILDRENS HOSPITAL 1919 EAST THOMAS ROAD PHOENIX,AZ 85016	N/A	PUBLIC CHARITY	GENERAL PURPOSE	4,800
SMILE TRAIN INC 41 MADISON AVENUE 28TH FLOOR NEWYORK,NY 10010	N/A	PUBLIC CHARITY	GENERAL PURPOSE	3,200
THE GREATER BOSTON FOOD BANK INC 70 SOUTH BAY AVENUE BOSTON,MA 02118	N/A	PUBLIC CHARITY	GENERAL PURPOSE	2,500
THE PARISH OF THE EPIPHANY FOR THE HAITI MISSION 70 CHURCH STREET WINCHESTER,MA 01890	N/A	PUBLIC CHARITY	GENERAL PURPOSE	3,200
Total  3a				80,000

Form 990PF Part XV Line 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 <i>Paid during the year</i>				
TRAVIS ROY FOUNDATION HEMENWAY BARNES LLP 60 STATE STREET BOSTON,MA 02109	N/A	PRIVATE OPERATING FO	GENERAL PURPOSE	12,000
UNITED WAY OF MASSACHUSETTS BAY AND MERRIMACK VALLEY 51 SLEEPER STREET BOSTON,MA 02210	N/A	PUBLIC CHARITY	GENERAL PURPOSE	6,400
WOUNDED WARRIOR PROJECT INC 4899 BELFORT ROAD STE 300 JACKSONVILLE,FL 32256	N/A	PUBLIC CHARITY	GENERAL PURPOSE	4,000
YEAR UP INC 93 SUMMER STREET 5TH FLOOR BOSTON,MA 02110	N/A	PUBLIC CHARITY	GENERAL PURPOSE	3,200
Total ▶ 3a				80,000

TY 2013 Accounting Fees Schedule**Name:** THE MICHAEL T SHERMAN FOUNDATION #95-602840**EIN:** 27-3842131

Category	Amount	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
HEMENWAY & BARNES LLP - TAX PREPARATION FEE	1,700	1,700		0

**TY 2013 Investments Corporate
Bonds Schedule****Name:** THE MICHAEL T SHERMAN FOUNDATION #95-602840**EIN:** 27-3842131

Name of Bond	End of Year Book Value	End of Year Fair Market Value
HEWLETT PACKARD CO 1.55% 5/30/14	75,386	75,274
HEWLETT PACKARD CO 2.625% 12/9/14	77,715	76,246
JUNIPER NETWORKS INC 3.1% 3/15/16	78,525	77,233
LABORATORY CORP AMER HLDGS 2.2% 8/23/17	49,475	50,163
SYMANTEC CORP 2.75% 9/15/15	78,341	77,047

**TY 2013 Investments Corporate
Stock Schedule**

Name: THE MICHAEL T SHERMAN FOUNDATION #95-602840
EIN: 27-3842131

Name of Stock	End of Year Book Value	End of Year Fair Market Value
3M CO	1,229	1,403
ABBOTT LABS	27,111	30,664
APTARGROUP INC	18,224	23,732
AUTOMATED DATA PROCESSING	43,522	64,639
CAMBRIDGE BANCORP	27,740	32,008
CANADIAN NATIONAL RAILWAY CO	15,556	22,808
CHEVRON CORP	42,967	49,964
CISCO SYSTEMS INC	37,966	47,103
CORNING INC	26,075	35,640
COVIDIEN PLC COM SHS	27,728	40,860
CVS CAREMARK CORP	33,300	57,256
DOMINION RESOURCES INC V A NEW	21,162	25,876
EMC CORP	37,660	37,725
EMERSON ELECTRIC CO	29,949	42,108
EXXON MOBIL CORP	41,053	50,600
FISERV INC	25,104	35,430
GLAXO SMITHKLINE PLC ADR	38,629	42,712
HELMERICH & PAYNE INC	33,782	50,448
HOME DEPOT INC	22,986	32,936
INTEL CORP	38,467	38,933
IPG PHOTONICS CORP	24,411	31,044
JOHNSON & JOHNSON	535	32,057
JOHNSON CONTROLS INC	27,737	51,300
LABORATORY CORP AMER HLDGS	26,182	27,411
MICROSOFT CORP	32,380	41,151
MONSANTO CO NEW	26,064	34,965
NATIONAL GRID PLC	20,228	26,128
NESTLE S A SPONSORED ADR	41,801	51,397
NOVARTIS AG ADR	45,396	64,304
NOVO NORDISK A/S ADR	19,973	32,333

Name of Stock	End of Year Book Value	End of Year Fair Market Value
NXP SEMICONDUCTORS	20,250	45,930
ONEOK INC NEW	16,483	24,872
ORACLE CORP	38,055	49,738
PEPSICO INC	39,547	49,764
PROCTER & GAMBLE CO	45,612	56,987
QUALCOMM INC	39,958	44,550
ROCHE HLDG LTD NEW	20,578	28,020
ROCKWELL AUTOMATION	36,320	47,264
SCHLUMBERGER LTD	43,025	54,066
TARGET CORP	19,338	18,981
UNITED TECHNOLOGIES	31,361	45,520
XILINX INC	33,261	45,920

TY 2013 Investments - Other Schedule

Name: THE MICHAEL T SHERMAN FOUNDATION #95-602840

EIN: 27-3842131

Category / Item	Listed at Cost or FMV	Book Value	End of Year Fair Market Value
VANGUARD SHORT TERM CORPORATE ETF	AT COST	50,373	49,863

TY 2013 Legal Fees Schedule

Name: THE MICHAEL T SHERMAN FOUNDATION #95-602840

EIN: 27-3842131

Category	Amount	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
HEMENWAY & BARNES LLP - LEGAL FEES	3,668	0		3,668

TY 2013 Other Decreases Schedule**Name:** THE MICHAEL T SHERMAN FOUNDATION #95-602840**EIN:** 27-3842131

Description	Amount
BOOK/TAX ADJUSTMENT	24,208
ROUNDING	1

TY 2013 Other Expenses Schedule

Name: THE MICHAEL T SHERMAN FOUNDATION #95-602840

EIN: 27-3842131

Description	Revenue and Expenses per Books	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
COMMONWEALTH OF MA - FORM PC ANNUAL REPORT FILING FEE	35	0		35
BANK SERVICE FEE	10	10		0

TY 2013 Other Income Schedule

Name: THE MICHAEL T SHERMAN FOUNDATION #95-602840

EIN: 27-3842131

Description	Revenue And Expenses Per Books	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income
2012 FEDERAL EXCISE TAX OVERPAYMENT	132	0	132

TY 2013 Taxes Schedule

Name: THE MICHAEL T SHERMAN FOUNDATION #95-602840

EIN: 27-3842131

Category	Amount	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
2012 FEDERAL EXCISE TAX OVERPAYMENT APPLIED TO 2013	80	0		0