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Return of Private Foundation

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

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2013

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For calendar year 2013 or tax year beginning

, and ending

Name of foundation BESSON/COOPER FUND, INC.		A Employer identification number 45-4076695
Number and street (or P.O. box number if mail is not delivered to street address) 9529 NIGHTSONG LN	Room/suite	B Telephone number 410-685-5512
City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code COLUMBIA, MD 21046		C If exemption application is pending, check here <input type="checkbox"/>
G Check all that apply: <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return <input type="checkbox"/> Final return <input type="checkbox"/> Address change <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return of a former public charity <input type="checkbox"/> Amended return <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) \$ 4,947,519.	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 (The total of amounts in columns (b), (c), and (d) may not necessarily equal the amounts in column (a))		(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					
4 Dividends and interest from securities		174,799.	174,799.		STATEMENT 1
5a Gross rents					
b Net rental income or (loss)					
6a Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10		-37,187.			
b Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a 1,560,036.					
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					
12 Total. Add lines 1 through 11		137,612.	174,799.		
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 2		2,134.	2,134.		0.
c Other professional fees STMT 3		17,730.	17,730.		0.
17 Interest					
18 Taxes STMT 4		2,748.	0.		0.
19 Depreciation and depletion					
20 Occupancy					
21 Travel, conferences, and meetings		3,463.	3,463.		0.
22 Printing and publications					
23 Other expenses STMT 5		17,712.	17,712.		0.
24 Total operating and administrative expenses. Add lines 13 through 23		43,787.	41,039.		0.
25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid		265,869.			265,869.
26 Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 24 and 25		309,656.	41,039.		265,869.
27 Subtract line 26 from line 12:					
a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements		-172,044.			
b Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)			133,760.		
c Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -0-)				N/A	

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Part II Balance Sheets		Beginning of year	End of year	
			(a) Book Value	(b) Book Value
Assets	1 Cash - non-interest-bearing			
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments	146,442.	591,299.	591,299.
	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			
	c Investments - corporate bonds STMT 6	4,893,378.	4,277,827.	4,351,024.
	11 Investments - land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶ Less accumulated depreciation ▶			
	12 Investments - mortgage loans			
	13 Investments - other			
	14 Land, buildings, and equipment: basis ▶ Less accumulated depreciation ▶			
Liabilities	15 Other assets (describe STATEMENT 7)	6,546.	5,196.	5,196.
	16 Total assets (to be completed by all filers - see the instructions. Also, see page 1, item 1)	5,046,366.	4,874,322.	4,947,519.
	17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses			
	18 Grants payable			
	19 Deferred revenue			
	20 Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons			
Net Assets or Fund Balances	21 Mortgages and other notes payable			
	22 Other liabilities (describe ▶)			
	23 Total liabilities (add lines 17 through 22)	0.	0.	
	Foundations that follow SFAS 117, check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 24 through 26 and lines 30 and 31			
	24 Unrestricted			
	25 Temporarily restricted			
Net Assets or Fund Balances	26 Permanently restricted Foundations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here ▶ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 27 through 31.			
	27 Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds	0.	0.	
	28 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg., and equipment fund	0.	0.	
	29 Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds	5,046,366.	4,874,322.	
	30 Total net assets or fund balances	5,046,366.	4,874,322.	
	31 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances	5,046,366.	4,874,322.	

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	5,046,366.
2 Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2	-172,044.
3 Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶	3	0.
4 Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4	4,874,322.
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	4,874,322.

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 CHARLES SCHWAB - ST		VARIOUS	VARIOUS
b CHARLES SCHWAB - LT		VARIOUS	VARIOUS
c SECTION 1231 LOSS FROM PTP		VARIOUS	VARIOUS
d NET LONG TERM GAIN FROM PTP		VARIOUS	VARIOUS
e CAPITAL GAINS DIVIDENDS			

(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 407,995.		431,947.	-23,952.
b 1,126,934.		1,165,007.	-38,073.
c		269.	-269.
d 476.			476.
e 24,631.			24,631.

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) Gains (Col. (h) gain minus col. (k), but not less than -0-) or Losses (from col. (h))
a			-23,952.
b			-38,073.
c			-269.
d			476.
e			24,631.

2 Capital gain net income or (net capital loss)	<div> <div>If gain, also enter in Part I, line 7</div> <div>If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 7</div> </div>	2	-37,187.
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))
2012	87,143.	4,974,799.	.017517
2011	0.	0.	.000000
2010			
2009			
2008			

2 Total of line 1, column (d)	2	.017517
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	.008759
4 Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2013 from Part X, line 5	4	4,996,636.
5 Multiply line 4 by line 3	5	43,766.
6 Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b)	6	1,338.
7 Add lines 5 and 6	7	45,104.
8 Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4	8	265,869.

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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> and enter 1% of Part I, line 27b		1	1,338.
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	1,338.
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	1,338.
6 Credits/Payments:			
a 2013 estimated tax payments and 2012 overpayment credited to 2013	6a	1,360.	
b Exempt foreign organizations - tax withheld at source	6b		
c Tax paid with application for extension of time to file (Form 8868)	6c		
d Backup withholding erroneously withheld	6d		
7 Total credits and payments. Add lines 6a through 6d	7	1,360.	
8 Enter any penalty for underpayment of estimated tax. Check here <input type="checkbox"/> 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	22.	
11 Enter the amount of line 10 to be: Credited to 2014 estimated tax <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Refunded <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	11	0.	

Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities

	Yes	No
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?		X
1b Did it spend more than \$100 during the year (either directly or indirectly) for political purposes (see instructions for the definition)? 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		X
c Did the foundation file Form 1120-POL for this year?		X
d Enter the amount (if any) of tax on political expenditures (section 4955) imposed during the year: (1) On the foundation. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$ 0. (2) On foundation managers. <input checked="" 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$ 0.		
2 Has the foundation engaged in any activities that have not previously been reported to the IRS? If "Yes," attach a detailed description of the activities		X
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? If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the changes		X
4a Did the foundation have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?		X
b If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on Form 990-T for this year?		
5 Was there a liquidation, termination, dissolution, or substantial contraction during the year? If "Yes," attach the statement required by General Instruction T.		X
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?	X	
7 Did the foundation have at least \$5,000 in assets at any time during the year? If "Yes," complete Part II, col. (c), and Part XV	X	
8a Enter the states to which the foundation reports or with which it is registered (see instructions) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MD		
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? If "No," attach explanation	X	
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)? If "Yes," complete Part XIV		X
10 Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year? If "Yes," attach a schedule listing their names and addresses		X

N/A

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>DAVID A. GOLDNER</u> Telephone no. ► <u>410-685-5512</u> Located at ► <u>36 S CHARLES ST, STE 1800, BALTIMORE, MD</u> ZIP+4 ► <u>21201</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 <u>N/A</u>			
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? 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	<u>N/A</u>	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 2013?		1c
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? If "Yes," list the years ►	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
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.)	<u>N/A</u>	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 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? (Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine if the foundation had excess business holdings in 2013.)	<u>N/A</u>	3b
4a Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes?		4a
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

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)?

☐ 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)?

N/A

5b

Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here

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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?

N/A

☐ 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

X

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?

N/A

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.

(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
REBECCA L. BESSON	PRESIDENT/TR			
36 S. CHARLES ST. STE 1800				
BALTIMORE, MD 21201	0.00	0.	0.	0.
STUART COOPER	VICE PRESIDENT			
36 S. CHARLES ST. STE 1800				
BALTIMORE, MD 21201	0.00	0.	0.	0.
DAVID A. GOLDNER	SECRETARY			
36 S. CHARLES ST. STE 1800				
BALTIMORE, MD 21201	0.00	0.	0.	0.

2 Compensation of five highest-paid employees (other than those included on line 1). 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

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."

[illegible]

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

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Part IX-A	Summary of Direct Charitable Activities
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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	N/A	
2		
3		
4		

Part IX-B	Summary of Program-Related Investments
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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.

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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	4,841,636.
b	Average of monthly cash balances	1b	231,091.
c	Fair market value of all other assets	1c	
d	Total (add lines 1a, b, and c)	1d	5,072,727.
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	5,072,727.
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities. Enter 1 1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions)	4	76,091.
5	Net value of noncharitable-use assets Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter here and on Part V, line 4	5	4,996,636.
6	Minimum investment return. Enter 5% of line 5	6	249,832.

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	249,832.
2a	Tax on investment income for 2013 from Part VI, line 5	2a	1,338.
b	Income tax for 2013. (This does not include the tax from Part VI.)	2b	
c	Add lines 2a and 2b	2c	1,338.
3	Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1	3	248,494.
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions	4	0.
5	Add lines 3 and 4	5	248,494.
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	248,494.

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	265,869.
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	265,869.
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	1,338.
6	Adjusted qualifying distributions. Subtract line 5 from line 4	6	264,531.

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				248,494.
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2013				
a Enter amount for 2012 only			159,614.	
b Total for prior years:		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: ▶ \$ 265,869.				
a Applied to 2012, but not more than line 2a			159,614.	
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				106,255.
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 instr.			0.	
f Undistributed income for 2013. Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1. This amount must be distributed in 2014				142,239.
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 2008 not applied on line 5 or line 7	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				

N/A

- b** Check box to indicate whether the foundation is a private operating foundation described in section

☐ 4942(j)(3) or ☐ 4942(j)(5)

- [illegible]

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).)

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.

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 address of the person to whom applications should be addressed:

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

N/A

- c Any submission deadlines:

N/A

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

N/A

Part XV Supplementary Information (continued)**3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year or Approved for Future Payment**

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
a Paid during the year				
AMERICAN VISIONARY ART MUSEUM 800 KEY HIGHWAY BALTIMORE, MD 21230	NONE	PUBLIC	GENERAL	2,500.
ANGUILLA ANIMAL RESCUE CORP 4883 PGA BLVD. UNIT 303 PALM BEACH GARDENS, FL 33418	NONE	PUBLIC	GENERAL	6,000.
APERTURE FOUNDATION 547 WEST 27TH STREET 4TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10001	NONE	PUBLIC	GENERAL	41,190.
ASPCA 424 EAST 92ND STREET NEW YORK, NY 10128	NONE	PUBLIC	GENERAL	5,000.
THE BALTIMORE MUSEUM OF ART 10 ART MUSEUM DRIVE BALTIMORE, MD 21218	NONE	PUBLIC	GENERAL	5,000.
Total	SEE CONTINUATION SHEET(S)			3a 265,869.
b Approved for future payment				
NONE				
Total				3b 0.

Enter gross amounts unless otherwise indicated.

(See worksheet in line 13 instructions to verify calculations.)

Line No. ▼	Explain below how each activity for which income is reported in column (e) of Part XVI-A contributed importantly to the accomplishment of the foundation's exempt purposes (other than by providing funds for such purposes).

[illegible]

Part XVII Information Regarding Transfers To and Transactions and Relationships With Noncharitable Exempt Organizations


- | | | Yes | No |
|----------|--|--------------|----------|
| 1 | Did the organization directly or indirectly engage in any of the following with any other organization described in section 501(c) of the Code (other than section 501(c)(3) organizations) or in section 527, relating to political organizations? | | |
| a | Transfers from the reporting foundation to a noncharitable exempt organization of: | | |
| | (1) Cash | 1a(1) | X |
| | (2) Other assets | 1a(2) | X |
| b | Other transactions: | | |
| | (1) Sales of assets to a noncharitable exempt organization | 1b(1) | X |
| | (2) Purchases of assets from a noncharitable exempt organization | 1b(2) | X |
| | (3) Rental of facilities, equipment, or other assets | 1b(3) | X |
| | (4) Reimbursement arrangements | 1b(4) | X |
| | (5) Loans or loan guarantees | 1b(5) | X |
| | (6) Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations | 1b(6) | X |
| c | Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, other assets, or paid employees | 1c | X |
| d | If the answer to any of the above is "Yes," complete the following schedule. Column (b) should always show the fair market value of the goods, other assets, or services given by the reporting foundation. If the foundation received less than fair market value in any transaction or sharing arrangement, show in column (d) the value of the goods, other assets, or services received. | | |

[illegible]

- 2a** Is the foundation directly or indirectly affiliated with, or related to, one or more tax-exempt organizations described in section 501(c) of the Code (other than section 501(c)(3)) or in section 527? ☐ Yes ☒ No
- b** If "Yes," complete the following schedule.

(a) Name of organization	(b) Type of organization	(c) Description of relationship
N/A		

and belief, this true, correct, and complete Declaration of preparer (other than taxpayer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge

 3-26-14 Manager

Signature of officer or trustee Date Title

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown below (see instr. 7)?

☒ Yes ☐ No

Paid Preparer Use Only	Print/Type preparer's name	Preparer's signature	Date	Check <input type="checkbox"/> if self-employed	PTIN
	REID T. ROBERTS	REID T. ROBERTS	03/24/14		P00525984
	Firm's name ▶ GROSS, MENDELSON & ASSOCIATES, P.A.			Firm's EIN ▶ 52-0982413	
	Firm's address ▶ 36 SOUTH CHARLES ST., 18TH FLOOR BALTIMORE, MD 21201			Phone no. 410-685-5512	

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
BASS MUSEUM OF ART 2100 COLLINS AVENUE MIAMI BEACH, FL 33139	NONE	PUBLIC	GENERAL	5,000.
DAYS END FARM HORSE RESCUE, INC. 1372 WOODBINE ROAD WOODBINE, MD 21797	NONE	PUBLIC	GENERAL	15,000.
DOCTORS WITHOUT BORDERS 333 7TH AVENUE 2ND FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10001	NONE	PUBLIC	GENERAL	5,000.
GODDARD COLLEGE 123 PITKIN ROAD PLAINFIELD, VT 05667	NONE	PUBLIC	GENERAL	3,500.
HABITAT FOR HUMANITY 121 HABITAT STREET AMERICUS, GA 31709	NONE	PUBLIC	GENERAL	5,000.
HEIFER INTERNATIONAL 1 WORLD AVENUE LITTLE ROCK, AR 72202	NONE	PUBLIC	GENERAL	5,000.
PREPARE FOR SUCCESS COMMUNITY ACTION COUNCIL 6751 COLUMBIA GATEWAY DRIVE BOX 226 COLUMBIA, MD 21046	NONE	PUBLIC	GENERAL	5,000.
INTERNATIONAL CENTER FOR PHOTOGRAPHY 1133 AVE OF THE AMERICAS #1A NEW YORK, NY 10036	NONE	PUBLIC	GENERAL	3,500.
MARYLAND FOOD BANK 2200 HALETHORPE FARMS ROAD HALETHORPE, MD 21227	NONE	PUBLIC	GENERAL	5,000.
MARYLAND INSTITUTE COLLEGE OF ART 1300 WEST MOUNT ROYAL AVENUE BALTIMORE, MD 21217	NONE	PUBLIC	GENERAL	75,679.
Total from continuation sheets				206,179.

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
MARYLAND SPCA 3300 FALLS ROAD BALTIMORE, MD 21211	NONE	PUBLIC	GENERAL	10,000.
MUSEUM OF CONTEMPORARY ART NORTH MIAMI 770 NE 125TH STREET NORTH MIAMI, FL 33132	NONE	PUBLIC	GENERAL	2,500.
PEREZ ART MUSEUM MIAMI 1103 BISCAYNE BLVD. MIAMI, FL 33132	NONE	PUBLIC	GENERAL	5,000.
PLANNED PARENTHOOD FEDERATION OF AMERICA 434 WEST 33RD STREET NEW YORK, NY 10001	NONE	PUBLIC	GENERAL	5,000.
POLICE UNITY TOUR, INC. P.O. BOX 381 HOCKESSIN, DE 19707	NONE	PUBLIC	GENERAL	1,000.
SOLOMON GUGGENHEIM FOUNDATION 1071 FIFTH AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10128	NONE	PUBLIC	GENERAL	5,000.
SAVAGE VOLUNTEER FIRE COMPANY 8925 LINCOLN STREET 6 SAVAGE, MD 20763	NONE	PUBLIC	GENERAL	1,000.
SHARE OUR STRENGTH NO KID HUNGRY 1030 15TH ST NW, 11TH FL WEST WASHINGTON, DC 20005	NONE	PUBLIC	GENERAL	5,000.
SMILE TRAIN 41 MADISON AVENUE 28TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10010	NONE	PUBLIC	GENERAL	5,000.
SMITHSONIAN 1000 JEFFERSON DR SW WASHINGTON, DC 20004	NONE	PUBLIC	GENERAL	5,000.
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
BARNES FOUNDATION 2025 BENJAMIN FRANKLIN PKWY PHILADELPHIA, PA 19130	NONE	PUBLIC	GENERAL	1,000.
THE MUSEUM OF MODERN ART 11 W 53RD ST NEW YORK, NY 10019	NONE	PUBLIC	GENERAL	6,000.
TUPELO LEE HUMANE SOCIETY 2400 S GLOSTER ST TUPELO, MS 38801	NONE	PUBLIC	GENERAL	1,000.
THE WALTERS ART MUSEUM 600 NORTH CHARLES STREET BALTIMORE, MD 21201	NONE	PUBLIC	GENERAL	2,500.
UNICEF 125 MAIDEN LANE NEW YORK, NY 10038	NONE	PUBLIC	GENERAL	5,000.
UNIVERSITY OF BALTIMORE 1420 N CHARLES ST BALTIMORE, MD 21201	NONE	PUBLIC	GENERAL	1,000.
WASHINGTON COLLEGE 300 WASHINGTON AVENUE CHESTERTOWN, MD 21620	NONE	PUBLIC	GENERAL	7,500.
WHITNEY MUSEUM OF ART 945 MADISON AVENUE MANHATTAN, NY 10021	NONE	PUBLIC	GENERAL	10,000.
Total from continuation sheets				

FORM 990-PF	DIVIDENDS AND INTEREST FROM SECURITIES				STATEMENT 1
SOURCE	GROSS AMOUNT	CAPITAL GAINS DIVIDENDS	(A) REVENUE PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVESTMENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME
CHARLES SCHWAB	198,304.	24,631.	173,673.	173,673.	
ENERGY TRANSFER PARTNERS	1,126.	0.	1,126.	1,126.	
TO PART I, LINE 4	199,430.	24,631.	174,799.	174,799.	

FORM 990-PF	ACCOUNTING FEES				STATEMENT 2
DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVESTMENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES	
ACCOUNTING FEES	2,134.	2,134.		0.	
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 16B	2,134.	2,134.		0.	

FORM 990-PF	OTHER PROFESSIONAL FEES				STATEMENT 3
DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVESTMENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES	
INVESTMENTS FEES	17,730.	17,730.		0.	
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 16C	17,730.	17,730.		0.	

FORM 990-PF	TAXES				STATEMENT 4
DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVESTMENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES	
EXCISE TAX	2,748.	0.		0.	
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 18	2,748.	0.		0.	

FORM 990-PF	OTHER EXPENSES			STATEMENT	5
DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES	
ENBRIDGE ENERGY - K-1 DEDUCTION	13,432.	13,432.			0.
ENERGY TRANSFER - K-1 DEDUCTION	4,280.	4,280.			0.
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 23	17,712.	17,712.			0.

FORM 990-PF	CORPORATE BONDS		STATEMENT	6
DESCRIPTION	BOOK VALUE	FAIR MARKET VALUE		
DOMESTIC EQUITY	1,227,260.	1,425,802.		
DOMESTIC FIXED INCOME	1,050,030.	976,306.		
INTER. US FIXED INCOME	1,350,030.	1,296,657.		
SPECIALTY FIXED INCOME	150,030.	151,338.		
ULTRA SHORT FIXED INCOME	500,477.	500,921.		
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART II, LINE 10C	4,277,827.	4,351,024.		

FORM 990-PF	OTHER ASSETS		STATEMENT	7
DESCRIPTION	BEGINNING OF YR BOOK VALUE	END OF YEAR BOOK VALUE	FAIR MARKET VALUE	
DIVIDENDS RECEIVABLE	6,546.	5,196.	5,196.	
TO FORM 990-PF, PART II, LINE 15	6,546.	5,196.	5,196.	

FORM 990-PF

PART XV - LINE 1A
LIST OF FOUNDATION MANAGERS

STATEMENT 8

NAME OF MANAGER

REBECCA L. BESSON

STUART COOPER