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Return of Private Foundation

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

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2014

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For calendar year 2014 or tax year beginning , 2014, and ending , 20

Name of foundation
THE BIRCHROCK FOUNDATION

Number and street (or P O box number if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite
C/O THE AYCO COMPANY, L.P. - NTG PO BOX 15014

City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code
ALBANY, NY 12212-5014

A Employer identification number
 04-3424527

B Telephone number (see instructions)
 (518) 640-5000

C If exemption application is pending, check here

D 1 Foreign organizations, check here
 2 Foreign organizations meeting the 85% test, check here and attach computation

E If private foundation status was terminated under section 507(b)(1)(A), check here

F If the foundation is in a 60-month termination under section 507(b)(1)(B), check here

G Check all that apply
 Initial return Initial return of a former public charity
 Final return Amended return
 Address change Name change

H Check type of organization Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation
 Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust Other taxable private foundation

I Fair market value of all assets at end of year (from Part II, col (c), line 16) **\$ 4,662,155.**

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)
1	Contributions, gifts, grants, etc. received (attach schedule)				
2	Check <input 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	30,131.	30,131.		ATCH 1
5a	Gross rents				
b	Net rental income or (loss)				
6a	Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10	-10,545.			
b	Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a	-10,545.			
7	Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2)				
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) (attach schedule)				
11	Other income (attach schedule) ATCH. 2	3,321.	-1,026.		
12	Total. Add lines 1 through 11	22,907.	29,105.		
13	Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc.	0			
14	Other employee salaries and wages				
15	Pension plans, employee benefits				
16a	Legal fees (attach schedule)				
b	Accounting fees (attach schedule)				
c	Other professional fees (attach schedule)				
17	Interest. ATCH 3.	5,273.	5,273.		
18	Taxes (attach schedule) (see instructions) [4]	2,245.	2,245.		
19	Depreciation (attach schedule) and depletion				
20	Occupancy				
21	Travel, conferences, and meetings				
22	Printing and publications				
23	Other expenses (attach schedule) ATCH 5.	69,905.	66,521.		
24	Total operating and administrative expenses. Add lines 13 through 23.	77,423.	74,039.		
25	Contributions, gifts, grants paid	271,290.			271,290.
26	Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 24 and 25	348,713.	74,039.		271,290.
27	Subtract line 26 from line 12				
a	Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements	-325,806.			
b	Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)		0		
c	Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -0-)				

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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			
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments	80,818.	154,627.	154,627.
	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)	3,073.	5,038.	ATCH 6 5,092.
	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			
	10 a	Investments - U S and state government obligations (attach schedule)			
	b	Investments - corporate stock (attach schedule)			
	c	Investments - corporate bonds (attach schedule)			
	11	Investments - land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶ Less accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶			
	12	Investments - mortgage loans			
	13	Investments - other (attach schedule) ATCH 7	3,777,913.	3,726,333.	4,502,436.
	14	Land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶ Less accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶			
15	Other assets (describe ▶)	350,000.			
16	Total assets (to be completed by all filers - see the instructions Also, see page 1, item I)	4,211,804.	3,885,998.	4,662,155.	
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 ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>				
	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, . . . ▶ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>				
	check here 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	4,211,804.	3,885,998.		
30	Total net assets or fund balances (see instructions)	4,211,804.	3,885,998.		
31	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances (see instructions)	4,211,804.	3,885,998.		

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 4,211,804.
2	Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2 -325,806.
3	Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶	3
4	Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4 3,885,998.
5	Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶	5
6	Total net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5) - Part II, column (b), line 30	6 3,885,998.

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 PART IV SCHEDULE				
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				
b				
c				
d				
e				
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				
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	-10,545.
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	{ If gain, also enter in Part I, line 8, column (c) (see instructions) If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 8 }		3	0

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))
2013	366,616.	4,574,631.	0.080141
2012	282,567.	4,587,727.	0.061592
2011	512,857.	4,881,427.	0.105063
2010	458,850.	5,213,976.	0.088004
2009	415,913.	4,845,710.	0.085831
2 Total of line 1, column (d)			2 0.420631
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 0.084126
4 Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2014 from Part X, line 5			4 4,673,186.
5 Multiply line 4 by line 3			5 393,136.
6 Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b)			6
7 Add lines 5 and 6			7 393,136.
8 Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4 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			8 271,290.

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	0
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	
3	Add lines 1 and 2	3	0
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	0
6	Credits/Payments:		
a	2014 estimated tax payments and 2013 overpayment credited to 2014	6a	24,904.
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	24,904.
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	24,904.
11	Enter the amount of line 10 to be Credited to 2015 estimated tax <input type="checkbox"/> 24,904. Refunded <input type="checkbox"/>	11	

Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities

	Yes	No
1a		X
1b		X
1c		X
2		X
3		X
4a		X
4b		
5		X
6	X	
7	X	
8a		
8b	X	
9		X
10		X

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).
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)
13 Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements for its annual returns and exemption application? Website address N/A
14 The books are in care of THE AYCO COMPANY - NTG Telephone no (518) 640-5000 Located at P.O BOX 15014 ALBANY, NY ZIP+4 12212-5014
15 Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-PF in lieu of Form 1041 - Check here
16 At any time during calendar year 2014, 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? 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.

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 X
(2) Borrow money from, lend money to, or otherwise extend credit to (or accept it from) a disqualified person? Yes No X
(3) Furnish goods, services, or facilities to (or accept them from) a disqualified person? X Yes No
(4) Pay compensation to, or pay or reimburse the expenses of, a disqualified person? Yes No X
(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 X
(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 X
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)? 1b X
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 2014? 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 2014, did the foundation have any undistributed income (lines 6d and 6e, Part XIII) for tax year(s) beginning before 2014? Yes No X
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
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 X
b If "Yes," did it have excess business holdings in 2014 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 2014) 3b
4a Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes? 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 2014? 4b X

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 4945(d)(4)(A)? (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? Yes No **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? Yes No **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
ATCH 8		0	0	0

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.

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 ▶

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 PLEASE NOTE, THE FOUNDATION IS NOT INVOLVED IN ANY DIRECT CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES. ITS PRIMARY PURPOSE IS TO SUPPORT, BY CONTRIBUTIONS, OTHER CHARITABLE ORGANIZATIONS EXEMPT	
2 UNDER INTERNAL REVENUE CODE SECTION 501 (C) (3) .	
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 NONE	
2	
All other program-related investments See instructions	
3 NONE	
Total. Add lines 1 through 3 ▶	

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	
b	Average of monthly cash balances	1b	329,227.
c	Fair market value of all other assets (see instructions)	1c	4,415,124.
d	Total (add lines 1a, b, and c)	1d	4,744,351.
e	Reduction claimed for blockage or other factors reported on lines 1a and 1c (attach detailed explanation)	1e	
2	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to line 1 assets	2	
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1d	3	4,744,351.
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities Enter 1 1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions)	4	71,165.
5	Net value of noncharitable-use assets. Subtract line 4 from line 3 Enter here and on Part V, line 4	5	4,673,186.
6	Minimum investment return. Enter 5% of line 5	6	233,659.

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	233,659.
2a	Tax on investment income for 2014 from Part VI, line 5	2a	
b	Income tax for 2014 (This does not include the tax from Part VI)	2b	
c	Add lines 2a and 2b	2c	
3	Distributable amount before adjustments Subtract line 2c from line 1	3	233,659.
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions	4	
5	Add lines 3 and 4	5	233,659.
6	Deduction from distributable amount (see instructions)	6	
7	Distributable amount as adjusted Subtract line 6 from line 5 Enter here and on Part XIII, line 1	7	233,659.

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	271,290.
b	Program-related investments - total from Part IX-B	1b	
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	271,290.
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	0
6	Adjusted qualifying distributions. Subtract line 5 from line 4	6	271,290.

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 2013	(c) 2013	(d) 2014
1 Distributable amount for 2014 from Part XI, line 7				233,659.
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2014				
a Enter amount for 2013 only				
b Total for prior years 20 12 , 20 11 , 20 10				
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2014				
a From 2009 173,627.				
b From 2010 203,198.				
c From 2011 268,786.				
d From 2012 59,439.				
e From 2013 142,618.				
f Total of lines 3a through e	847,668.			
4 Qualifying distributions for 2014 from Part XII, line 4 ▶ \$ 271,290.				
a Applied to 2013, but not more than line 2a				
b Applied to undistributed income of prior years (Election required - see instructions).				
c Treated as distributions out of corpus (Election required - see instructions)				
d Applied to 2014 distributable amount				233,659.
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus	37,631.			
5 Excess distributions carryover applied to 2014 (If an amount appears in column (d), the same amount must be shown in column (a))				
6 Enter the net total of each column as indicated below:				
a Corpus Add lines 3f, 4c, and 4e Subtract line 5	885,299.			
b Prior years' undistributed income Subtract line 4b from line 2b				
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				
d Subtract line 6c from line 6b Taxable amount - see instructions				
e Undistributed income for 2013 Subtract line 4a from line 2a Taxable amount - see instructions				
f Undistributed income for 2014 Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1 This amount must be distributed in 2015				
7 Amounts treated as distributions out of corpus to satisfy requirements imposed by section 170(b)(1)(F) or 4942(g)(3) (Election may be required - see instructions)				
8 Excess distributions carryover from 2009 not applied on line 5 or line 7 (see instructions)	173,627.			
9 Excess distributions carryover to 2015. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a	711,672.			
10 Analysis of line 9				
a Excess from 2010 203,198.				
b Excess from 2011 268,786.				
c Excess from 2012 59,439.				
d Excess from 2013 142,618.				
e Excess from 2014 37,631.				

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

NOT APPLICABLE

1a If the foundation has received a ruling or determination letter that it is a private operating foundation, and the ruling is effective for 2014, 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) 2014	(b) 2013	(c) 2012	(d) 2011	
2a 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 Subtract line 2d from line 2c					
3 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)(ii)					
(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))

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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 address of the person to whom applications should be addressed

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

c Any submission deadlines

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

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
<p>a Paid during the year</p> <p>ATCH 9</p>				
Total				▶ 3a 271,290.
b Approved for future payment				
Total				▶ 3b

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

- 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... a Transfers from the reporting foundation to a noncharitable exempt organization of (1) Cash (2) Other assets b Other transactions (1) Sales of assets to a noncharitable exempt organization (2) Purchases of assets from a noncharitable exempt organization (3) Rental of facilities, equipment, or other assets (4) Reimbursement arrangements (5) Loans or loan guarantees (6) Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations c Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, other assets, or paid employees d If the answer to any of the above is "Yes," complete the following schedule

Table with 4 columns: (a) Line no, (b) Amount involved, (c) Name of noncharitable exempt organization, (d) Description of transfers, transactions, and sharing arrangements. Row 1 contains N/A.

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 [X] No

Table with 3 columns: (a) Name of organization, (b) Type of organization, (c) Description of relationship. All cells are empty.

Sign Here Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than taxpayer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge. Signature of officer or trustee: [Signature] Date: 11-12-15 Title: Trustee

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown below (see instructions)? [X] Yes [] No

Paid Preparer Use Only Print/Type preparer's name: DAVID OPPEDISANO Preparer's signature: [Signature] Date: 11/10/15 Check [] if self-employed PTIN: P00227629 Firm's name: THE AYCO COMPANY, LP Firm's EIN: 33-1187432 Firm's address: PO BOX 15014 ALBANY, NY 12212-5014 Phone no: 518-640-5000

FORM 990-PF - PART IV
CAPITAL GAINS AND LOSSES FOR TAX ON INVESTMENT INCOME

Kind of Property		Description				P or D	Date acquired	Date sold
Gross sale price less expenses of sale	Depreciation allowed/ allowable	Cost or other basis	FMV as of 12/31/69	Adj basis as of 12/31/69	Excess of FMV over adj basis		Gain or (loss)	
		TOTAL SHORT-TERM COMMON TRUST FUND AND PARTNERSHIP, S CORPORATION, AND OTHER ESTATES OR TRUST GAIN OR LOSS					-19,981.	
		TOTAL LONG-TERM COMMON TRUST FUND AND PARTNERSHIP, S CORPORATION, AND OTHER ESTATES OR TRUST GAIN OR LOSS					9,436.	
TOTAL GAIN(LOSS)							<u>-10,545.</u>	

ATTACHMENT 1

FORM 990PF, PART I - DIVIDENDS AND INTEREST FROM SECURITIES

<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>REVENUE AND EXPENSES PER BOOKS</u>	<u>NET INVESTMENT INCOME</u>
FIRST REPUBLIC	23.	23.
HIGH VISTA II LP INTEREST	15,011.	15,011.
HIGH VISTA II LP DIVIDENDS	15,097.	15,097.
TOTAL	<u>30,131.</u>	<u>30,131.</u>

ATTACHMENT 2

FORM 990PF, PART I - OTHER INCOME

<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>REVENUE AND EXPENSES PER BOOKS</u>	<u>NET INVESTMENT INCOME</u>
OTHER PORTFOLIO INCOME HIGH VISTA K-1	-2,505.	-2,505.
OTHER INCOME HIGH VISTA K-1	-2,980.	-2,980.
TAX EXEMPT INCOME HIGH VISTA K-1	4,347.	
ORDINARY BUSINESS INCOME/LOSS HIGH VISTA	-6,272.	-6,272.
RENTAL INCOME/LOSS HIGH VISTA	-407.	-407.
ROYALTIES HIGH VISTA K-1	2,379.	2,379.
SECTION 1231 GAIN	8,759.	8,759.
	<u>3,321.</u>	<u>-1,026.</u>
TOTALS		

ATTACHMENT 3

FORM 990PF, PART I - INTEREST EXPENSE

<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>REVENUE AND EXPENSES PER BOOKS</u>	<u>NET INVESTMENT INCOME</u>
INVESTMENT INTEREST	5,273.	5,273.
TOTALS	<u>5,273.</u>	<u>5,273.</u>

ATTACHMENT 4

FORM 990PF, PART I - TAXES

<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>REVENUE AND EXPENSES PER BOOKS</u>	<u>NET INVESTMENT INCOME</u>
FOREIGN TAXES	2,245.	2,245.
TOTALS	<u>2,245.</u>	<u>2,245.</u>

ATTACHMENT 5

FORM 990PF, PART I - OTHER EXPENSES

<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>REVENUE AND EXPENSES PER BOOKS</u>	<u>NET INVESTMENT INCOME</u>
OTHER PORT DED HIGH VISTA	11.	11.
OTHER PORT DED 2% HIGH VISTA	57,194.	57,194.
OTHER DEDUCTIONS HIGH VISTA	2,030.	2,030.
SECTION 59(E)2)EX. HIGH VISTA	7,286.	7,286.
NONDEDUCTIBLE HIGH VISTA	404.	
TAX PREP FEES	2,900.	
STATE FILING FEES	70.	
SECTION 179 HIGH VISTA	10.	
	<u>TOTALS</u>	<u>66,521.</u>

FORM 990PF, PART II - RECEIVABLES DUE FROM OFFICERS, ETC.

BORROWER: LAWRENCE J LASSER
 ORIGINAL AMOUNT: 3,073.
 DATE OF NOTE: 12/31/2013
 REPAYMENT TERMS: AS SOON AS POSSIBLE
 PURPOSE OF LOAN: PAYMENT OF EXPENSES FOR A DISQUALIFIED PERSON
 DESCRIPTION AND FMV OF CONSIDERATION: CASH \$5,092

BEGINNING BALANCE DUE	3,073.
ENDING BALANCE DUE	<u>5,038.</u>
ENDING FAIR MARKET VALUE	<u>5,092.</u>
TOTAL BEGINNING RECEIVABLES DUE FROM OFFICERS, ETC.	<u>3,073.</u>
TOTAL ENDING BOOK - RECEIVABLES DUE FROM OFFICERS, ETC.	<u>5,038.</u>
TOTAL ENDING FMV - RECEIVABLES DUE FROM OFFICERS, ETC.	<u>5,092.</u>

ATTACHMENT 7

FORM 990PF, PART II - OTHER INVESTMENTS

<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>ENDING BOOK VALUE</u>	<u>ENDING FMV</u>
HIGH VISTA II LP	3,726,333.	4,502,436.
TOTALS	<u>3,726,333.</u>	<u>4,502,436.</u>

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FORM 990PF, PART VIII - LIST OF OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, AND TRUSTEES

ATTACHMENT 8

<u>NAME AND ADDRESS</u>	<u>TITLE AND AVERAGE HOURS PER WEEK DEVOTED TO POSITION</u>	<u>COMPENSATION</u>	<u>CONTRIBUTIONS TO EMPLOYEE BENEFIT PLANS</u>	<u>EXPENSE ACCT AND OTHER ALLOWANCES</u>
LAWRENCE J. LASSER C/O THE AYCO COMPANY, L.P. - NTG PO P.O. BOX 15014 ALBANY, NY 12212-5014	MANAGER - AS NEEDED	0	0	0
MICHELLE LASSER C/O THE AYCO COMPANY, L.P. - NTG PO P.O. BOX 15014 ALBANY, NY 12212-5014	MANAGER - AS NEEDED	0	0	0
ETHAN LASSER C/O THE AYCO COMPANY, L.P. - NTG PO P.O. BOX 15014 ALBANY, NY 12212-5014	MANAGER - AS NEEDED	0	0	0
GRAND TOTALS		0	0	0

FORM 990EF, PART XV - GRANTS AND CONTRIBUTIONS PAID DURING THE YEAR

ATTACHMENT 9

RELATIONSHIP TO SUBSTANTIAL CONTRIBUTOR

AND

FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT

PURPOSE OF GRANT OR CONTRIBUTION

AMOUNT

RECIPIENT NAME AND ADDRESS

(SEE ATTACHED)

NONE
501 (C) (3)

FOR GENERAL PURPOSES

271,279

FROM HIGH VISTA K-1

NONE
501 (C) (3)

FOR GENERAL PURPOSES

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TOTAL CONTRIBUTIONS PAID

271,290

The Birchrock Foundation
EIN: 04-3424527
For the year ended December 31, 2014

Date	Recipient	Amount
01/14/14	122 Center for the Study of Art	100 00
01/15/14	121 James Beard Foundation, New York, NY	6,075 00
01/17/14	124 The Winnebago Alumni Association, Rockville, VA	250 00
02/13/14	125 KucetekiLa Foundation, New York, NY	1,000 00
02/20/14	125 Williams College, Williamstown, MA	2,500 00
03/03/14	127 A R T Theater, Cambridge, MA	1,000 00
03/05/14	128 Temple Beth Elohim, Brooklyn, NY	75 00
03/25/14	129 90 9 WBUR, Boston, MA	300 00
04/07/14	131 The Second Step, Newtonville, MA	410 00
04/07/14	132 Trustees of Boston University, Boston, MA	100 00
04/07/14	133 Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York, NY	5,000 00
04/07/14	134 Schools That Can, New York, NY	600 00
04/07/14	135 Boston Arts Academy Foundation, Boston, MA	500 00
04/16/14	137 The Olana Partnership, Hudson, NY	1,000 00
04/21/14	138 James Beard Foundation, New York, NY	1,275 00
05/16/14	144 Waldoborough Historical Society, Waldoborough, ME	500 00
05/21/14	143 Mary Byron Foundation, Louisville, KY	500 00
05/21/14	148 Party in the Park - Emerald Necklace Conservancy, Boston, MA	450 00
05/23/14	146 Lower East Side Tenement Museum, New York, NY	30,000 00
05/28/14	140 Columbia Children's Gala Office of Development, New York, NY	1,630 00
06/02/14	141 Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center, Boston, MA	10,000 00
06/02/14	142 Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center, Boston, MA	1,000 00
06/03/14	139 Women for Women, Washington, DC	5,000 00
06/06/14	147 Theatre In Asylum	250 00
06/23/14	150 Sheriff's Meadow Foundation, Vineyard Haven, MA	1,100 00
07/01/14	152 Yale University, New Haven, CT	50,000 00
07/03/14	151 Whitney Museum of American Art, New York, NY	50,000 00
07/24/14	154 Jewish Vocational Services, East Orange, NJ	100 00
07/28/14	149 Northwestern University	1,000 00
07/30/14	153 Temple Beth Elohim, Brooklyn, NY	4,055 00
09/12/14	160 Temple Israel Of Boston, Boston, MA	3,250 00
09/15/14	158 Adas Yeshuron Synagogue, Rockland, ME	650 00
09/18/14	161 Council on Foreign Relations, New York, NY	1,905 00
09/22/14	156 Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center, Boston, MA	5,000 00
09/22/14	157 Whitney Museum of American Art, New York, NY	9,515 00
09/26/14	163 Williams College, Williamstown, MA	1,500 00
09/29/14	164 WGBH, Boston, MA	250 00
10/02/14	159 Martha's Vineyard Hebrew Center, Vineyard Haven, MA	1,075 00
10/02/14	168 James Beard Foundation, New York, NY	1,200 00
10/06/14	165 The Second Step, Newtonville, MA	2,500 00
10/08/14	167 AJC Boston, Boston, MA	2,500 00
10/14/14	166 Alzheimer Association , New York, NY	2,500 00
10/22/14	169 National MS Society, New York, NY	100 00
10/29/14	1286 New Hope for Women	6,250 00
11/13/14	174 Combined Jewish Philanthropies, Boston, MA	20,000 00
11/14/14	175 Lower East Side Tenement Museum, New York, NY	20,000 00
11/17/14	171 Center for the study for Art in Rural America, Canton, OH	5,000 00
12/01/14	170 Flannel Shirt Fund, Brunswick, ME	500 00
12/01/14	172 BTU School Strive For 25, Boston, MA	50 00
12/08/14	178 Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York, NY	8,714 00
12/31/14	180 Temple Beth Elohim, Brooklyn, NY	500 00
12/31/14	182 American Friends Musee d'Orsay, New York, NY	2,300 00
12/31/14	179 Temple Shalom of Newton, West Newton, MA	250 00
Total		271,279 00

All contributions were made to the general purpose fund of public charitable organizations that were classified under section 501©(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

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FORM 990-PF, PART XVI-A - ANALYSIS OF OTHER REVENUE

ATTACHMENT 10

<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>BUSINESS CODE</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>	<u>EXCLUSION CODE</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>	<u>RELATED OR EXEMPT FUNCTION INCOME</u>
OTHER PORTFOLIO INCOME			14	-2,505.	
OTHER INCOME			14	-2,980.	
ORDINARY BUSINESS INCOME/LOSS			14	-6,272.	
RENTAL INCOME/LOSS HIGH VISTA			16	-407.	
ROYALTIES			15	2,379.	
TAX EXEMPT INCOME			14	4,347.	
SECTION 1231 GAIN			14	8,759.	
TOTALS				<u>3,321.</u>	