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Form **990-PF**

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

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Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

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For calendar year 2014 or tax year beginning , and ending

Name of foundation Edelson Foundation, Inc.		A Employer identification number 36-4328987
Number and street (or P O box number if mail is not delivered to street address) 849 West Fullerton	Room/suite	B Telephone number (see instructions)
City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code Chicago IL 60614		C If exemption application is pending, check here <input type="checkbox"/>
G Check all that apply: <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return of a former public charity <input type="checkbox"/> Final return <input type="checkbox"/> Amended return <input type="checkbox"/> Address change <input type="checkbox"/> Name change		D 1. Foreign organizations, check here <input type="checkbox"/> 2. Foreign organizations meeting the 85% test, check here and attach computation <input type="checkbox"/>
H Check type of organization <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation <input type="checkbox"/> Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust <input type="checkbox"/> Other taxable private foundation		E If private foundation status was terminated under section 507(b)(1)(A), check here <input type="checkbox"/>
I Fair market value of all assets at end of year (from Part II, col. (c), line 16) ▶ \$ 665,741	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, 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> if the foundation is not required to attach Sch B				
3	Interest on savings and temporary cash investments	337	337		
4	Dividends and interest from securities	16,529	16,529		
5a	Gross rents				
b	Net rental income or (loss)				
6a	Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10 Stmt 1	8,073			
b	Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a 10,068				
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) (attach schedule)				
11	Other income (attach schedule)				
12	Total. Add lines 1 through 11	24,939	16,866		
13	Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc	0			
14	Other employee salaries and wages				
15	Pension plans, employee benefits				
16a	Legal fees (attach schedule) See Stmt 2	614			
b	Accounting fees (attach schedule) Stmt 3	2,845	2,845		
c	Other professional fees (attach schedule)				
17	Interest				
18	Taxes (attach schedule) (see instructions) Stmt 4	317	317		
19	Depreciation (attach schedule) and depletion				
20	Occupancy				
21	Travel, conferences, and meetings				
22	Printing and publications				
23	Other expenses (att. sch) Stmt 5	37			37
24	Total operating and administrative expenses. Add lines 13 through 23	3,813	3,162	0	37
25	Contributions, gifts, grants paid	34,075			34,075
26	Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 24 and 25	37,888	3,162	0	34,112
27	Subtract line 26 from line 12				
a	Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements	-12,949			
b	Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)		13,704		
c	Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -0-)			0	

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Operating and Administrative Expenses

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	13,822	3,373	
	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 (att. schedule) ▶ Less allowance for doubtful accounts ▶	0		
	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) See Stmt 6	415,986	443,667	665,741
	c	Investments – corporate bonds (attach schedule)			
	11	Investments – land, buildings, and equipment. basis ▶ Less accumulated depreciation (attach sch) ▶			
	12	Investments – mortgage loans			
	13	Investments – other (attach schedule)			
	14	Land, buildings, and equipment. basis ▶ Less accumulated depreciation (attach sch) ▶			
15	Other assets (describe ▶)				
16	Total assets (to be completed by all filers – see the instructions Also, see page 1, item I)	429,808	447,040	665,741	
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. ▶ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>				
	24	Unrestricted	429,808	447,040	
	25	Temporarily restricted			
	26	Permanently restricted			
	Foundations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here and complete lines 27 through 31. ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>				
	27	Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds			
	28	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg., and equipment fund			
29	Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds				
30	Total net assets or fund balances (see instructions)	429,808	447,040		
31	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances (see instructions)	429,808	447,040		

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	429,808
2	Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2	-12,949
3	Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ See Statement 7	3	30,181
4	Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4	447,040
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	447,040

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 N/A			
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)	2	
{ If gain, also enter in Part I, line 7 If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 7 }		
3 Net short-term capital gain or (loss) as defined in sections 1222(5) and (6)	3	
If gain, also enter in Part I, line 8, column (c) (see instructions) If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 8 }		

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	25,300	520,015	0.048652
2012	45,561	456,149	0.099882
2011	19,302	385,319	0.050094
2010	12,875	300,066	0.042907
2009	11,571	246,127	0.047012

2 Total of line 1, column (d)	2	0.288547
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	0.057709
4 Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2014 from Part X, line 5	4	636,692
5 Multiply line 4 by line 3	5	36,743
6 Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b)	6	137
7 Add lines 5 and 6	7	36,880
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	34,112

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	274
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	274
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	274
6	Credits/Payments:		
a	2014 estimated tax payments and 2013 overpayment credited to 2014	6a	
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	
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	274
10	Overpayment. If line 7 is more than the total of lines 5 and 8, enter the amount overpaid	10	
11	Enter the amount of line 10 to be Credited to 2015 estimated tax <input type="checkbox"/> 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	N/A	
5		X
6	N/A	
7	X	
8a		
8b	X	
9		X
10		X

Stmt 8

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 ▶ N/A	13	X	
14	The books are in care of ▶ Roberta Edelson 849 W. Fullerton Located at ▶ Chicago IL ZIP+4 ▶ 60614 Telephone no ▶ 773-865-2513			
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 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? See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114, (formerly TD F 90-22 1) If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country ▶	16	Yes	No X

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

File Form 4720 if any item is checked in the "Yes" column, unless an exception applies.		Yes	No
1a	During the year did the foundation (either directly or indirectly):		
(1)	Engage in the sale or exchange, or leasing of property with a disqualified person? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
(2)	Borrow money from, lend money to, or otherwise extend credit to (or accept it from) a disqualified person? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
(3)	Furnish goods, services, or facilities to (or accept them from) a disqualified person? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
(4)	Pay compensation to, or pay or reimburse the expenses of, a disqualified person? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
(5)	Transfer any income or assets to a disqualified person (or make any of either available for the benefit or use of a disqualified person)? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
(6)	Agree to pay money or property to a government official? (Exception. Check "No" if the foundation agreed to make a grant to or to employ the official for a period after termination of government service, if terminating within 90 days) <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
b	If any answer is "Yes" to 1a(1)-(6), did any of the acts fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4941(d)-3 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance (see instructions)? Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/> N/A	1b	
c	Did the foundation engage in a prior year in any of the acts described in 1a, other than excepted acts, that were not corrected before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2014? N/A	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 2014, did the foundation have any undistributed income (lines 6d and 6e, Part XIII) for tax year(s) beginning before 2014? If "Yes," list the years ▶ 20 , 20 , 20 , 20 <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) N/A	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? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
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) N/A	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)?
 Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here
 N/A **5b**

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?
 If "Yes," attach the statement required by Regulations section 53.4945–5(d)
 N/A Yes No

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

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 (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
Roberta Edelson 849 W Fullerton Chicago IL 60614	Director, Pr 0.00	0	0	0
Sheldon Edelson 849 W Fullerton Chicago IL 60614	Director, Vi 0.00	0	0	0
Marcia Festen 1936 W Newport Chicago IL 60657	Director 0.00	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 **0**

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 N/A	
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 N/A	
2	
All other program-related investments See instructions	
3	
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	629,019
b	Average of monthly cash balances	1b	17,369
c	Fair market value of all other assets (see instructions)	1c	0
d	Total (add lines 1a, b, and c)	1d	646,388
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	646,388
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities. Enter 1½% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions)	4	9,696
5	Net value of noncharitable-use assets. Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter here and on Part V, line 4	5	636,692
6	Minimum investment return. Enter 5% of line 5	6	31,835

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	31,835
2a	Tax on investment income for 2014 from Part VI, line 5	2a	274
b	Income tax for 2014 (This does not include the tax from Part VI)	2b	
c	Add lines 2a and 2b	2c	274
3	Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1	3	31,561
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions	4	
5	Add lines 3 and 4	5	31,561
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	31,561

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	34,112
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	34,112
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	34,112

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				31,561
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2014				
a Enter amount for 2013 only				
b Total for prior years 20____, 20____, 20____				
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2014				
a From 2009				
b From 2010				
c From 2011				
d From 2012				22,855
e From 2013				
f Total of lines 3a through e	22,855			
4 Qualifying distributions for 2014 from Part XII, line 4 ▶ \$ 34,112				
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				31,561
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus	2,551			
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	25,406			
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				0
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)				
9 Excess distributions carryover to 2015. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a	25,406			
10 Analysis of line 9				
a Excess from 2010				
b Excess from 2011				
c Excess from 2012				22,855
d Excess from 2013				
e Excess from 2014				2,551

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

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)

	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)(iii)					
(3) Largest amount of support from an exempt organization					
(4) Gross investment income					

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

1 Information Regarding Foundation Managers:

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

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
N/A

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
N/A

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	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 Statement 9				34,075
Total			▶ 3a	34,075
b Approved for future payment N/A				
Total			▶ 3b	

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Statement 1 - Form 990-PF, Part I, Line 6a - Sale of Assets

Whom Sold	Description	Date Acquired	Date Sold	Sale Price	How Received	Cost	Expense	Depreciation	Net Gain / Loss
200 AES TR Convert Sec		8/09/02	6/04/14	\$ 10,059	Purchase	1,956	\$	\$	8,103
Frac Shr New Media Invest		2/21/14	2/21/14		Purchase	5			-5
Frac Shr Newcastle Investment		10/15/07	8/19/14		Purchase	34			-25
Total				\$ 10,068		\$ 1,995	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 8,073

Statement 2 - Form 990-PF, Part I, Line 16a - Legal Fees

Description	Total	Net Investment	Adjusted Net	Charitable Purpose
Indirect Legal Fees	\$ 614	\$	\$	\$
Total	\$ 614	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0

Statement 3 - Form 990-PF, Part I, Line 16b - Accounting Fees

Description	Total	Net Investment	Adjusted Net	Charitable Purpose
Return Preparation Fees	\$ 2,845	\$ 2,845	\$	\$
Total	\$ 2,845	\$ 2,845	\$ 0	\$ 0

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Statement 4 - Form 990-PF, Part I, Line 18 - Taxes

Description	Total	Net Investment	Adjusted Net	Charitable Purpose
Franchise Tax	15	15		
Annual Filing Fee	10	10		
Federal Income Tax	292			
Total	317	317	0	0

Statement 5 - Form 990-PF, Part I, Line 23 - Other Expenses

Description	Total	Net Investment	Adjusted Net	Charitable Purpose
Expenses				
New Checks	37			
Total	37	0	0	37

Statement 6 - Form 990-PF, Part II, Line 10b - Corporate Stock Investments

Description	Beginning of Year	End of Year	Basis of Valuation	Fair Market Value
AES Tr III Pfd	\$ 10,067		Cost	
Apple (700)	40,653	40,653	Cost	77,266
Aqua America Inc (1666 shrs)	15,968	15,968	Cost	44,482
Chubb Corp (400 Shrs)	11,626	11,626	Cost	41,388
Coca Cola (1000 shrs)	20,871	20,871	Cost	42,220
Dow Chemical Co (500)	16,906	16,906	Cost	22,805
Dow Chemical Co (500 shrs)	21,385	21,385	Cost	22,805
Duke Energy (600 shrs)	9,260	9,260	Cost	16,708
Exelon Corp (500)	19,178	19,178	Cost	18,540
Freport-McMoran Cooper (600)	20,552	20,552	Cost	14,016
General Electric (300 shrs)	14,988	14,988	Cost	7,581
Intel Corp (600 shrs)	16,919	16,919	Cost	21,774
Lowes Co, Inc	17,661	17,661	Cost	41,280
New Media Investment Grp	1,771	1,771	Cost	3,403

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Statement 6 - Form 990-PF, Part II, Line 10b - Corporate Stock Investments (continued)

Description	Beginning of Year	End of Year	Basis of Valuation	Fair Market Value
New Senior Investment Grp	\$ 13,780	\$ 6,001	Cost	\$ 5,478
New Residential Invt Corp	20,358	13,780	Cost	12,770
Newcastle Investment Corp	16,987	17,386	Cost	1,495
Northern Trust Co (400)	34,560	16,987	Cost	26,960
Oracle Corp (1000)	14,304	34,560	Cost	44,970
Oracle Corp (1050)	29,584	14,304	Cost	47,218
Plum Creek Timber (800)	24,416	29,584	Cost	34,232
Spectra Energy	25,963	24,416	Cost	36,300
Starbucks (500)	415,986	25,963	Cost	41,025
Starbucks (500)	415,986	32,948	Cost	41,025
Total	\$ 415,986	\$ 443,667		\$ 665,741

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<u>Description</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Pr Per Adjust-Starbucks Unrec'd	\$ 32,985
Adjustment -Pr Yr Costs	<u>-2,804</u>
Total	<u>\$ 30,181</u>

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Statement 8 - Form 990-PF, Part VII-A, Line 10 - Substantial Contributors

<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>City, State, Zip</u>
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Sheldon & Roberta Edelson 849 W. Fullerton,	Chicago IL 60614	
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Statement 9 - Form 990-PF, Part XV, Line 3a - Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year

Name	Address	Relationship	Status	Purpose	Amount
ACLU	New York NY 10004	None	125 Broad St, 18th Floor	Public Chari Exempt Function	1,500
Anti-Cruelty Society	Chicago IL 60654	None	157 W Grand Avenue	Public Chari Exempt Function	2,000
Airedale Rescue	Watkinsville GA 30677	None	3001 Salem Rd	Public Chari Exempt Function	500
ASPCA	New York NY 10128	None	424 E 92nd St	Public Chari Exempt Function	2,000
Best Friends Animals Society	Kanab UT 84741	None	5001 Angel Canyon Rd	Public Chari Exempt Function	2,000
Chicago Tribune Charities	Chicago IL 60611	None	435 N Michigan Avenue	Public Chari Exempt Function	1,500
Four Corners Equine Rescue	Pueblo CO 81008	None	P O Box 9077	Public Chari Exempt Function	1,000
Humane Society of the United States	Washington DC 20037	None	2100 L Street, NW	Public Chari Exempt Function	2,000
Humaine Society International	Washington DC 20037	None	2100 L St NW	Public Chari Exempt Function	1,000
Jewish National Fund	New York NY 10021	None	42 East 69th Street	Public Chari Exempt Function	1,000
Jewish United Fund	Chicago IL 60606	None	30 South Wells Street	Public Chari Exempt Function	1,000
Lincoln Park Zoo	Chicago IL 60614	None	P.O. Box 14903	Public Chari Exempt Function	2,000
Nature Conservancy	Albert Lea MN 56007	None	P O Box 6014	Public Chari Exempt Function	1,075

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Statement 9 - Form 990-PF, Part XV, Line 3a - Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year (continued)

Name		Address		Relationship	Status	Purpose	Amount	
Address		Address						
PAWS Chicago	Chicago IL 60609	1110 W. 35th St	Public Chari	Exempt Function		2,000		
Performing Animal Welfare Society	Galt CA 95632	P.O. Box 849	Public Chari	Exempt Function		1,000		
PETA	Norfolk VA 23510	501 Front St	Public Chari	Exempt Function		4,000		
Planned Parenthood	New York NY 10001	434 W 33rd St	Public Chari	Exempt Function		2,000		
Simon Weisenthal Center	Los Angeles CA 90035	1399 South Roxbury Dr	Public Chari	Exempt Function		500		
The Elephant Sanctuary	Hohenwald TN 38462	P.O. Box 393	Public Chari	Exempt Function		2,000		
The Gorilla Foundation	Redwood City CA 94061	1733 Woodside Rd, Ste 330	Public Chari	Exempt Function		2,000		
World Wildlife Fund	Washington DC 20090	1250 24th St, NW	Public Chari	Exempt Function		2,500		
WTTW II	Chicago IL 60625	5400 N. St Louis Ave	Public Chari	Exempt Function		500		
Total							<u>34,075</u>	