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Form 990-PF

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Return of Private Foundation

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

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2014

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For calendar year 2014, or tax year beginning 01-01-2014 , and ending 12-31-2014

Name of foundation MJ O'BRIEN FAMILY FOUNDATION		A Employer identification number 36-6843491	
% PETER O'BRIEN		B Telephone number (see instructions) (847) 328-3354	
Number and street (or P O box number if mail is not delivered to street address) 2530 CRAWFORD AVE Suite 108		C If exemption application is pending, check here ► <input type="checkbox"/>	
City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code EVANSTON, IL 60201		D 1. Foreign organizations, check here ► <input type="checkbox"/> 2. Foreign organizations meeting the 85% test, check here and attach computation ► <input type="checkbox"/>	
G Check all that apply 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 <input type="checkbox"/>		E If private foundation status was terminated under section 507(b)(1)(A), check here ► <input type="checkbox"/>	
H Check type of organization Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust <input type="checkbox"/> Other taxable private foundation <input type="checkbox"/>		F If the foundation is in a 60-month termination under section 507(b)(1)(B), check here ► <input type="checkbox"/>	
I Fair market value of all assets at end of year (from Part II, col. (c), line 16) ► \$ 761,005	J Accounting method Cash <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Accrual <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) _____	(Part I, column (d) must be on cash basis.)	

Part I Analysis of Revenue and Expenses (The total of amounts in columns (b), (c), and (d) may not necessarily equal the amounts in column (a) (see instructions))		(a) Revenue and expenses per books	(b) Net investment income	(c) Adjusted net income	(d) Disbursements for charitable purposes (cash basis only)
Revenue	1 Contributions, gifts, grants, etc , received (attach schedule)	0			
	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.	15,794	15,794		
	5a Gross rents				
	b Net rental income or (loss) _____				
	6a Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10	8,120			
	b Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a 88,078				
	7 Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2)		8,120		
	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	23,914	23,914		
Operating and Administrative Expenses	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)	3,520	0	0	0
	c Other professional fees (attach schedule)	5,827	5,827		
	17 Interest				
	18 Taxes (attach schedule) (see instructions)	188	188		
	19 Depreciation (attach schedule) and depletion				
	20 Occupancy				
	21 Travel, conferences, and meetings				
	22 Printing and publications				
	23 Other expenses (attach schedule)				
	24 Total operating and administrative expenses.				
	Add lines 13 through 23	9,535	6,015	0	0
	25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid	55,000			55,000
	26 Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 24 and 25	64,535	6,015	0	55,000
	27 Subtract line 26 from line 12				
	a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements	-40,621			
	b Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)		17,899		
	c Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -0-)				

	Part III 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		48,435	62,938	62,938
	3 Accounts receivable ►				
	Less allowance for doubtful accounts ►				
	4 Pledges receivable ►				
	Less allowance for doubtful accounts ►				
	5 Grants receivable				
	6 Receivables due from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons (attach schedule) (see instructions)				
	7 Other notes and loans receivable (attach schedule) ►				
	Less allowance for doubtful accounts ►				
	8 Inventories for sale or use				
	9 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges				
	10a Investments—U S and state government obligations (attach schedule)				
	b Investments—corporate stock (attach schedule)		172,177	147,761	400,957
	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)				
	14 Land, buildings, and equipment basis ►				
	Less accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ►				
	15 Other assets (describe ► _____)	320,143	289,435	297,110	
	16 Total assets (to be completed by all filers—see the instructions Also, see page 1, item I)	540,755	500,134	761,005	
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	
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, check here ► <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>				
	and complete lines 27 through 31.				
	27 Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds				
	28 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg , and equipment fund				
	29 Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds	540,755	500,134		
	30 Total net assets or fund balances (see instructions)	540,755	500,134		
	31 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances (see instructions)	540,755	500,134		

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	540,755
2	Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2	-40,621
3	Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ►	3	
4	Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4	500,134
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	500,134

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)
1 a	300 SHS NOBLE CORPORATION PLC	P	2012-02-23	2014-05-19
b	5,000 SHS PIMCO FDS PAC INV MGMT SER HIGH YIELD FD INSTL CL	P	2008-08-29	2014-11-18
c	250 SHS TARGET CORP COMMON STOCK	P		2014-05-19
d	300 SHS WHOLE FOODS MARKET INC COMMON STOCK	P	2012-02-23	2014-05-19
e	CAPITAL GAIN DIVIDENDS	P		
(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 9,063		11,643	-2,580	
b 47,600		43,899	3,701	
c 14,560		12,383	2,177	
d 11,292		12,033	-741	
e			5,563	
Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69				
(i) FMV 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			-2,580	
b			3,701	
c			2,177	
d			-741	
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	8,120
3 Net short-term capital gain or (loss) as defined in sections 1222(5) and (6)	{ If gain, also enter in Part I, line 8, column (c) (see instructions) If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 8 }		3	

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

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

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

Was the foundation liable for the section 4942 tax on the distributable amount of any year in the base period?

 Yes No

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

1 Enter the appropriate amount in each column for each year, see 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	50,000	741,913	0 067393
2012	104,354	713,574	0 146241
2011	115,337	696,027	0 165708
2010	81,729	708,540	0 115348
2009	93,100	681,358	0 136639
2 Total of line 1, column (d).			2 0 631329
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 126266
4 Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2014 from Part X, line 5.			4 775,387
5 Multiply line 4 by line 3.			5 97,905
6 Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b).			6 179
7 Add lines 5 and 6.			7 98,084
8 Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4.			8 55,000

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

Part VI Excise Tax Based on Investment Income (Section 4940(a), 4940(b), 4940(e), or 4948—see page 18 of the instructions)

1a	Exempt operating foundations described in section 4940(d)(2), check here <input type="checkbox"/> and enter "N/A" on line 1		
Date of ruling or determination letter _____ (attach copy of letter if necessary—see instructions)		1	358
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		
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	358
4	Subtitle A (income) tax (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only Others enter -0-)	4	
5	Tax based on investment income. Subtract line 4 from line 3 If zero or less, enter -0-	5	358
6	Credits/Payments		
a	2014 estimated tax payments and 2013 overpayment credited to 2014	6a	2,918
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	2,918
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	2,560
11	Enter the amount of line 10 to be Credited to 2015 estimated tax <input type="checkbox"/> 2,560 Refunded <input type="checkbox"/>	11	

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?	1a	No
1b	Did it spend more than \$100 during the year (either directly or indirectly) for political purposes (see Instructions for definition)?	1b	No
<i>If the answer is "Yes" to 1a or 1b, attach a detailed description of the activities and copies of any materials published or distributed by the foundation in connection with the activities.</i>			
1c	Did the foundation file Form 1120-POL for this year?	1c	No
d	Enter the amount (if any) of tax on political expenditures (section 4955) imposed during the year (1) On the foundation <input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____ (2) On foundation managers <input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____		
e	Enter the reimbursement (if any) paid by the foundation during the year for political expenditure tax imposed on foundation managers <input type="checkbox"/> \$ _____		
2	Has the foundation engaged in any activities that have not previously been reported to the IRS? <i>If "Yes," attach a detailed description of the activities.</i>	2	No
3	Has the foundation made any changes, not previously reported to the IRS, in its governing instrument, articles of incorporation, or bylaws, or other similar instruments? <i>If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the changes</i>	3	No
4a	Did the foundation have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?	4a	No
b	If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on Form 990-T for this year?	4b	
5	Was there a liquidation, termination, dissolution, or substantial contraction during the year? <i>If "Yes," attach the statement required by General Instruction T.</i>	5	No
6	Are the requirements of section 508(e) (relating to sections 4941 through 4945) satisfied either • By language in the governing instrument, or • By state legislation that effectively amends the governing instrument so that no mandatory directions that conflict with the state law remain in the governing instrument?	6	Yes
7	Did the foundation have at least \$5,000 in assets at any time during the year? <i>If "Yes," complete Part II, col. (c), and Part XV.</i>	7	Yes
8a	Enter the states to which the foundation reports or with which it is registered (see instructions) <input type="checkbox"/> IL		
b	If the answer is "Yes" to line 7, has the foundation furnished a copy of Form 990-PF to the Attorney General (or designate) of each state as required by General Instruction G? <i>If "No," attach explanation.</i>	8b	Yes
9	Is the foundation claiming status as a private operating foundation within the meaning of section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5) for calendar year 2014 or the taxable year beginning in 2014 (see instructions for Part XIV)? <i>If "Yes," complete Part XIV</i>	9	No
10	Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year? <i>If "Yes," attach a schedule listing their names and addresses.</i>	10	No

Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities (continued)

11	At any time during the year, did the foundation, directly or indirectly, own a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," attach schedule (see instructions).	11		No
12	Did the foundation make a distribution to a donor advised fund over which the foundation or a disqualified person had advisory privileges? If "Yes," attach statement (see instructions)	12		No
13	Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements for its annual returns and exemption application? Website address ►	13	Yes	

14 The books are in care of ► PETER O'BRIEN Telephone no ► (847) 328-3354
Located at ► 2530 CRAWFORD SUITE 108 EVANSTON IL ZIP +4 ► 60201

15 Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-PF in lieu of **Form 1041** —Check here ► 15 and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year ►

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 instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts (FBAR). If "Yes", enter the name of the foreign country ►

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

File Form 4720 if any item is checked in the "Yes" column, unless an exception applies.

1a	During the year did the foundation (either directly or indirectly)		Yes	No
	(1) Engage in the sale or exchange, or leasing of property with a disqualified person? ► 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? ► Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No			
	(3) Furnish goods, services, or facilities to (or accept them from) a disqualified person? ► Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No			
	(4) Pay compensation to, or pay or reimburse the expenses of, a disqualified person? ► 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)? ► 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). ► 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. ►	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?	1c	No	
2	Taxes on failure to distribute income (section 4942) (does not apply for years the foundation was a private operating foundation defined in section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5))			
a	At the end of tax year 2014, did the foundation have any undistributed income (lines 6d and 6e, Part XIII) for tax year(s) beginning before 2014? ► Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No If "Yes," list the years ► 20____, 20____, 20____, 20____			
b	Are there any years listed in 2a for which the foundation is not applying the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) (relating to incorrect valuation of assets) to the year's undistributed income? (If applying section 4942(a)(2) to all years listed, answer "No" and attach statement—see instructions)	2b		
c	If the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) are being applied to any of the years listed in 2a, list the years here ► 20____, 20____, 20____, 20____			
3a	Did the foundation hold more than a 2% direct or indirect interest in any business enterprise at any time during the year? ► Yes <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).	3b		
4a	Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes?	4a	No	
b	Did the foundation make any investment in a prior year (but after December 31, 1969) that could jeopardize its charitable purpose that had not been removed from jeopardy before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2014?	4b	No	

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

5a	During the year did the foundation pay or incur any amount to			
	(1) Carry on propaganda, or otherwise attempt to influence legislation (section 4945(e))?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
	(2) Influence the outcome of any specific public election (see section 4955), or to carry on, directly or indirectly, any voter registration drive?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
	(3) Provide a grant to an individual for travel, study, or other similar purposes?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
	(4) Provide a grant to an organization other than a charitable, etc , organization described in section 4945(d)(4)(A)? (see instructions).	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 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?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 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?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
	<i>If "Yes," attach the statement required by Regulations section 53.4945–5(d).</i>			
6a	Did the foundation, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
b	Did the foundation, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?		6b	No
7a	At any time during the tax year, was the foundation a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No			
b	If yes, did the foundation receive any proceeds or have any net income attributable to the transaction?		7b	

Part VIII Information About Officers, Directors, Trustees, Foundation Managers, Highly Paid Employees, and Contractors**1 List all officers, directors, trustees, foundation managers and their compensation (see instructions).**

(a) Name and address	(b) Title, and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation (If not paid, enter -0-)	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account, other allowances
FRANCES M O'BRIEN	TRUSTEE	0	0	0
2530 CRAWFORD AVE EVANSTON, IL 60201	1 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
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".

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 740,496
b	Average of monthly cash balances.	1b 46,699
c	Fair market value of all other assets (see instructions).	1c 0
d	Total (add lines 1a, b, and c).	1d 787,195
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 0
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1d.	3 787,195
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities Enter 1 1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions).	4 11,808
5	Net value of noncharitable-use assets. Subtract line 4 from line 3 Enter here and on Part V, line 4	5 775,387
6	Minimum investment return. Enter 5% of line 5.	6 38,769

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 38,769
2a	Tax on investment income for 2014 from Part VI, line 5.	2a 358
b	Income tax for 2014 (This does not include the tax from Part VI).	2b
c	Add lines 2a and 2b.	2c 358
3	Distributable amount before adjustments Subtract line 2c from line 1.	3 38,411
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions.	4
5	Add lines 3 and 4.	5 38,411
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 38,411

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 55,000
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 0
3	Amounts set aside for specific charitable projects that satisfy the	
a	Suitability test (prior IRS approval required).	3a 0
b	Cash distribution test (attach the required schedule).	3b 0
4	Qualifying distributions. Add lines 1a through 3b Enter here and on Part V, line 8, and Part XIII, line 4	4 55,000
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
6	Adjusted qualifying distributions. Subtract line 5 from line 4.	6 55,000

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				38,411
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2014			0	
a Enter amount for 2013 only.			0	
b Total for prior years 2012, 2011, 2010		0		
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2014				
a From 2009.	59,164			
b From 2010.	46,844			
c From 2011.	80,862			
d From 2012.	68,967			
e From 2013.	13,107			
f Total of lines 3a through e.	268,944			
4 Qualifying distributions for 2014 from Part XII, line 4 ► \$ 55,000			0	
a Applied to 2013, but not more than line 2a			0	
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.			38,411	
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus	16,589			
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:	285,533			
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.				
d Subtract line 6c from line 6b Taxable amount—see instructions.		0		
e Undistributed income for 2013 Subtract line 4a from line 2a Taxable amount—see instructions.			0	
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).	59,164			
9 Excess distributions carryover to 2015. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a.	226,369			
10 Analysis of line 9				
a Excess from 2010.	46,844			
b Excess from 2011.	80,862			
c Excess from 2012.	68,967			
d Excess from 2013.	13,107			
e Excess from 2014.	16,589			

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. <input type="text"/>			
b	Check box to indicate whether the organization is a private operating foundation described in section <input type="checkbox"/> 4942(j)(3) or <input type="checkbox"/> 4942(j)(5)			
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 organization 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 email 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	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
Name and address (home or business)				
a Paid during the year See Additional Data Table				
Total			► 3a	55,000
b Approved for future payment				
Total			► 3b	

Part XVI-A Analysis of Income-Producing Activities

Enter gross amounts unless otherwise indicated

Enter gross amounts unless otherwise indicated	Unrelated business income		Excluded by section 512, 513, or 514		(e) Related or exempt function income (See instructions)
	(a) Business code	(b) Amount	(c) Exclusion code	(d) Amount	
1 Program service revenue					
a _____					
b _____					
c _____					
d _____					
e _____					
f _____					
g Fees and contracts from government agencies					
2 Membership dues and assessments.					
3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments					
4 Dividends and interest from securities.					
5 Net rental income or (loss) from real estate					
a Debt-financed property.					
b Not debt-financed property.					
6 Net rental income or (loss) from personal property.					
7 Other investment income.					
8 Gain or (loss) from sales of assets other than inventory					
9 Net income or (loss) from special events					
10 Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory.					
11 Other revenue a _____					
b _____					
c _____					
d _____					
e _____					
12 Subtotal Add columns (b), (d), and (e).					
13 Total. Add line 12, columns (b), (d), and (e).					13 _____
(See worksheet in line 13 instructions to verify calculations)					

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

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)	No
(2) Other assets.	1a(2)	No
b Other transactions		
(1) Sales of assets to a noncharitable exempt organization.	1b(1)	No
(2) Purchases of assets from a noncharitable exempt organization.	1b(2)	No
(3) Rental of facilities, equipment, or other assets.	1b(3)	No
(4) Reimbursement arrangements.	1b(4)	No
(5) Loans or loan guarantees.	1b(5)	No
(6) Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations.	1b(6)	No
c Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, other assets, or paid employees.	1c	No

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.

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

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.

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Signature of officer or trustee

Date

Title

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown below (see instr.)? Yes No

Paid Preparer Use Only	Print/Type preparer's name Gerard R Fellows	Preparer's Signature	Date	Check if self-employed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	PTIN P00104518
	Firm's name ► Gould & Ratner LLP			Firm's EIN ►	
	Firm's address ► 222 N LaSalle St Ste 800 Chicago, IL 606011086				
				Phone no	(847) 328-3354

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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				
CATHOLIC CHARITIES 721 N LASALLE CHICAGO, IL 60654	N/A	PC	SUPPORT THE FINANCIAL NEEDS OF SCHOOLS, PARISHES, AND PROGRAMS IN THE CHICAGO ARCHDIOCESE	5,000
THE ARTIST IN ALL - MISERICORDIA 6300 NORTH RIDGE CHICAGO, IL 60660	N/A	PC	GENERAL WELFARE	5,000
NORTH SHORE UNIVERSITY HEALTH SYSTEM FOUNDATION 1033 UNIVERSITY PLACE SUITE 450 EVANSTON, IL 60201	N/A	PC	SUPPORT COMMUNITY HEALTHCARE NEEDS	1,000
THE NIGHT MINISTRY 4711 N RAVENSWOOD CHICAGO, IL 606404407	N/A	PC	PROVIDE SERVICES FOR CHICAGO'S HOMELESS YOUTH AND PRIMARY HEALTHCARE/OUTREACH SERVICES FOR CHICAGO'S UNDERSERVED AND AT-RISK POPULATIONS	5,000
NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY 2020 RIDGE AVENUE EVANSTON, IL 60208	N/A	PC	PROVIDE FUNDING FOR NEED-BASED SCHOLARSHIPS, FACULTY RECRUITMENT, ACADEMIC INNOVATIONS, AND FACILITY IMPROVEMENTS	10,000
CONNECTIONS FOR THE HOMELESS 2010 DEWEY AVENUE EVANSTON, IL 60201	N/A	PC	PROVIDE HOUSING, EMPLOYMENT, AND SUPPORT SERVICES TO THE HOMELESS	3,000
EVANSTON COMMUNITY FOUNDATION 1560 SHERMAN AVE SUITE 535 EVANSTON, IL 60201	N/A	PC	GENERAL WELFARE	5,000
EVAN SCHOLAR FOUNDATION ONE BRIAR ROAD GOLF, IL 60029	N/A	PC	PROVIDE EDUCATIONAL ASSISTANCE	5,000
GREATER CHICAGO FOOD DEPOSITORY 4100 WANN LURIE PLACE CHICAGO, IL 60632	N/A	PC	TO FUND CHILD NUTRITION PROGRAMS	1,000
UNITED WAY OF DOOR COUNTY PO BOX 223 STURGEON BAY, WI 54235	N/A	PC	GENERAL SUPPORT	1,000
NORTHLIGHT THEATER 9501 SKOKIE BLVD SKOKIE, IL 60077	N/A	PC	PROGRAM SUPPORT	5,000
DOOR COUNTY LAND TRUST PO BOX 65 STURGEON BAY, WI 54235	N/A	PC	LAND PRESERVATION	1,000
OVER THE RAINBOW FOUNDATION 2040 BROWN AVENUE EVANSTON, IL 60201	N/A	PC	PROVIDE BARRIER FREE HOUSING SOLUTIONS FOR PEOPLE WITH PHYSICAL DISABILITIES	3,000
MISERICORDIA FAMILY ASSOCIATION 6300 NORTH RIDGE CHICAGO, IL 60660	N/A	PC	GENERAL WELFARE	5,000
Total			► 3a	55,000

Form 8949

Sales and Other Dispositions of Capital Assets

2014

Attachment
Sequence No **12A**

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

- **Information about Form 8949 and its separate instructions is at www.irs.gov/form8949**
 - **File with your Schedule D to list your transactions for lines 1b, 2, 3, 8b, 9, and 10 of Schedule D.**

Social security number or taxpayer identification number

36-684349:

Before you check Box A, B, or C below, check whether you received any Form(s) 1099-B or substitute statement(s) from your broker. A substitute statement will have the same information as Form 1099-B. Either may show your basis (usually your cost) even if your broker did not report it to the IRS. Brokers must report basis to the IRS for most stock you bought in 2011 or later (and for certain debt instruments you bought in 2014 or later).

Part I Short-Term. Transactions involving capital assets you held 1 year or less are short term. For long-term transactions, see page 2.

Note. You may aggregate all short-term transactions reported on Form(s) 1099-B showing basis was reported to the IRS and for which NO adjustments or codes are required. Enter the total directly on Schedule D, line 1a; you are not required to report these transactions on Form 8949 (see instructions).

You must check Box A, B, or C below. Check only one box. If more than one box applies for your short-term transactions, complete a separate Form 8949, page 1, for each applicable box. If you have more short-term transactions than will fit on this page for one or more of the boxes, complete as many forms with the same box checked as you need.

- (A)** Short-term transactions reported on Form(s) 1099-B showing basis was reported to the IRS (see **Note** above)
- (B)** Short-term transactions reported on Form(s) 1099-B showing basis was **not** reported to the IRS
- (C)** Short-term transactions not reported to you on Form 1099-B

2 Totals Add the amounts in columns (d), (e), (g), and (h) (subtract negative amounts) Enter each total here and include on your Schedule D, **line 1b** (if **Box A** above is checked), **line 2** (if **Box B** above is checked), or **line 3** (if **Box C** above is checked).

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Note. If you checked Box A above but the basis reported to the IRS was incorrect, enter in column (e) the basis as reported to the IRS, and enter an adjustment in column (g) to correct the basis. See *Column (g)* in the separate instructions for how to figure the amount of the adjustment.

Name(s) shown on return Name and SSN or taxpayer identification no. not required if shown on other side
M. L. O'BRIEN FAMILY FOUNDATION

Social security number or taxpayer identification number
36-6843491

Before you check Box D, E, or F below, check whether you received any Form(s) 1099-B or substitute statement(s) from your broker. A substitute statement will have the same information as Form 1099-B. Either may show your basis (usually your cost) even if your broker did not report it to the IRS. Brokers must report basis to the IRS for most stock you bought in 2011 or later (and for certain debt instruments you bought in 2014 or later).

Part II Long-Term. Transactions involving capital assets you held more than 1 year are long term. For short-term transactions, see page 1.

Note. You may aggregate all long-term transactions reported on Form(s) 1099-B showing basis was reported to the IRS and for which NO adjustments or codes are required. Enter the total directly on Schedule D, line 8a; you are not required to report these transactions on Form 8949 (see instructions).

You must check Box D, E, or F below. Check only one box. If more than one box applies for your long-term transactions, complete a separate Form 8949, page 2, for each applicable box. If you have more long-term transactions than will fit on this page for one or more of the boxes, complete as many forms with the same box checked as you need.

(D) Long-term transactions reported on Form(s) 1099-B showing basis was reported to the IRS (see Note above)

◻ (E) Long-term transactions reported on Form(s) 1099-B showing basis was **not** reported to the IRS

(F) Long-term transactions not reported to you on Form 1099-B

2 Totals Add the amounts in columns (d), (e), (g), and (h) (subtract negative amounts) Enter each total here and include on your Schedule D, **line 8b** (if **Box D** above is checked), **line 9** (if **Box E** above is checked), or **line 10** (if **Box F** above is checked)

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Note. If you checked Box D above but the basis reported to the IRS was incorrect, enter in column (e) the basis as reported to the IRS, and enter an adjustment in column (g) to correct the basis. See *Column (g)* in the separate instructions for how to figure the amount of the adjustment.

TY 2014 Accounting Fees Schedule

Name: MJ O'BRIEN FAMILY FOUNDATION

EIN: 36-6843491

Category	Amount	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
TAX PREPARATION	3,520			

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TY 2014 Depreciation Schedule

Name: MJ O'BRIEN FAMILY FOUNDATION

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TY 2014 Investments Corporate Stock Schedule

Name: MJ O'BRIEN FAMILY FOUNDATION

EIN: 36-6843491

Name of Stock	End of Year Book Value	End of Year Fair Market Value
PEPSICO - 200 SHS	12,994	18,912
CATERPILLAR INC - 200 SHS	15,660	18,306
AMAZON.COM INC - 60 SHS	10,705	18,621
COSTCO WHOLESALE CORP - 150 SH	7,341	21,263
ILLINOIS TOOL WORKS - 400 SHS	12,325	37,880
FEDERATED INVESTORS - 600 SHS	11,856	19,758
EXXON MOBIL CORP. - 200 SHS	7,189	18,490
GILEAD SCIENCES INC - 600 SHS	11,967	56,556
GOOGLE INC CL A - 60 SHS	13,703	31,600
GOOGLE INC CLASS C - 60 SHS	13,667	32,093
APPLE INC - 420 SHS	5,095	46,360
TARGET CORP - 250 SHS	0	0
YUM BRANDS INC - 200 SHS	7,296	14,570
JP MORGAN CHASE - 400 SHS	11,051	25,032
MCKESSON CORP - 200 SHS	6,912	41,516
WHOLE FOODS MKT INC - 150 SHS	0	0

TY 2014 Other Assets Schedule

Name: MJ O'BRIEN FAMILY FOUNDATION**EIN:** 36-6843491

Description	Beginning of Year - Book Value	End of Year - Book Value	End of Year - Fair Market Value
FRANKLIN FLOAT RATE DLY	64,120	64,120	62,370
NOBLE CORP	11,643	0	0
LAZARD EMERGING MKTS PORTFOLIO	43,455	43,455	34,380
PIMCO HIGH YIELD FUND	43,899	0	0
HARBOR INTERNATIONAL FUND	28,320	42,960	45,346
ISHARES BARCLAY TIPS BOND FUND	23,027	23,027	22,402
ISHARES IBOXX INV GRD BOND FD	50,486	50,486	53,735
TOUCHSTONE SANDS CAP INSTL GR	34,740	45,270	55,625
JPMORGAN ALERIAN MLP INDEX FD	19,840	19,840	22,975
DIVIDEND/INT RECEIVABLE	613	277	277

TY 2014 Other Income Schedule

Name: MJ O'BRIEN FAMILY FOUNDATION**EIN:** 36-6843491

Description	Revenue And Expenses Per Books	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income
CLASS ACTION SETTLEMENT			

TY 2014 Other Professional Fees Schedule

Name: MJ O'BRIEN FAMILY FOUNDATION**EIN:** 36-6843491

Category	Amount	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
ADVISORY FEES	5,827	5,827		

TY 2014 Taxes Schedule

Name: MJ O'BRIEN FAMILY FOUNDATION**EIN:** 36-6843491

Category	Amount	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
FOREIGN TAX	188	188		