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Form 990-PF

Return of Private Foundation

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

2014

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For calendar year 2014, or tax year beginning 07-01-2014, and ending 06-30-2015

Name of foundation: EDWARD S SPRAGUE FOUNDATION. A Employer identification number: 36-6070124. B Telephone number: (312) 419-8484. G Check all that apply: Initial return, Final return, Address change. H Check type of organization: Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation. I Fair market value of all assets at end of year: \$ 2,154,278. J Accounting method: Cash.

Table with 5 columns: (a) Revenue and expenses per books, (b) Net investment income, (c) Adjusted net income, (d) Disbursements for charitable purposes. Rows include Revenue (1-12) and Operating and Administrative Expenses (13-26). Total revenue: 191,340. Total expenses: 158,413. Excess of revenue: 32,927. Net investment income: 191,340. Adjusted net income: 31,476.

Attached schedules and amounts in the description column should be for end-of-year amounts only (See instructions)

<b>Part II Balance Sheets</b>		Beginning of year			End of year		
		(a) Book Value	(b) Book Value	(c) Fair Market Value	(a) Book Value	(b) Book Value	(c) Fair Market Value
<b>Assets</b>	<b>1</b>	Cash—non-interest-bearing . . . . .	15,451	15,320	15,320	15,320	
	<b>2</b>	Savings and temporary cash investments . . . . .	103,875	139,954	139,968	139,968	
	<b>3</b>	Accounts receivable ▶ _____ Less allowance for doubtful accounts ▶ _____					
	<b>4</b>	Pledges receivable ▶ _____ Less allowance for doubtful accounts ▶ _____					
	<b>5</b>	Grants receivable . . . . .					
	<b>6</b>	Receivables due from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons (attach schedule) (see instructions) . . . . .					
	<b>7</b>	Other notes and loans receivable (attach schedule) ▶ _____ Less allowance for doubtful accounts ▶ _____					
	<b>8</b>	Inventories for sale or use . . . . .					
	<b>9</b>	Prepaid expenses and deferred charges . . . . .					
	<b>10a</b>	Investments—U S and state government obligations (attach schedule)					
	<b>b</b>	Investments—corporate stock (attach schedule) . . . . .	961,524 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	1,126,695	1,961,275	1,961,275	
	<b>c</b>	Investments—corporate bonds (attach schedule) . . . . .					
	<b>11</b>	Investments—land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶ _____ Less accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶ _____					
	<b>12</b>	Investments—mortgage loans . . . . .					
	<b>13</b>	Investments—other (attach schedule) . . . . .	39,487 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	19,896	37,715	37,715	
	<b>14</b>	Land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶ _____ Less accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶ _____					
<b>15</b>	Other assets (describe ▶ _____)						
<b>16</b>	<b>Total assets</b> (to be completed by all filers—see the instructions Also, see page 1, item I)	1,120,337	1,301,865	2,154,278	2,154,278		
<b>Liabilities</b>	<b>17</b>	Accounts payable and accrued expenses . . . . .					
	<b>18</b>	Grants payable . . . . .					
	<b>19</b>	Deferred revenue . . . . .					
	<b>20</b>	Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons					
	<b>21</b>	Mortgages and other notes payable (attach schedule) . . . . .					
	<b>22</b>	Other liabilities (describe ▶ _____)					
	<b>23</b>	<b>Total liabilities</b> (add lines 17 through 22) . . . . .	0	0			
<b>Net Assets or Fund Balances</b>	<b>Foundations that follow SFAS 117, check here</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>and complete lines 24 through 26 and lines 30 and 31.</b>						
	<b>24</b>	Unrestricted . . . . .					
	<b>25</b>	Temporarily restricted . . . . .					
	<b>26</b>	Permanently restricted . . . . .					
	<b>Foundations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>and complete lines 27 through 31.</b>						
	<b>27</b>	Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds . . . . .	0	0			
	<b>28</b>	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg, and equipment fund	0	0			
<b>29</b>	Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds	1,120,337	1,301,865				
<b>30</b>	<b>Total net assets or fund balances</b> (see instructions) . . . . .	1,120,337	1,301,865				
<b>31</b>	<b>Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances</b> (see instructions) . . . . .	1,120,337	1,301,865				

**Part III Analysis of Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances**

<b>1</b>	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) . . . . .	<b>1</b>	1,120,337
<b>2</b>	Enter amount from Part I, line 27a . . . . .	<b>2</b>	32,927
<b>3</b>	Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ _____ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<b>3</b>	148,601
<b>4</b>	Add lines 1, 2, and 3 . . . . .	<b>4</b>	1,301,865
<b>5</b>	Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ _____	<b>5</b>	0
<b>6</b>	Total net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5)—Part II, column (b), line 30 . . . . .	<b>6</b>	1,301,865

**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)
<b>1a</b> See Additional Data Table			
<b>b</b>			
<b>c</b>			
<b>d</b>			
<b>e</b>			

(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)
<b>a</b> See Additional Data Table			
<b>b</b>			
<b>c</b>			
<b>d</b>			
<b>e</b>			

Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69			(l) Gains (Col (h) gain minus col (k), but not less than -0-) or Losses (from col (h))
(i) FMV as of 12/31/69	(j) Adjusted basis as of 12/31/69	(k) Excess of col (i) over col (j), if any	
<b>a</b> See Additional Data Table			
<b>b</b>			
<b>c</b>			
<b>d</b>			
<b>e</b>			

<b>2</b> 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 }	<b>2</b>	155,476
<b>3</b> 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 . . . . .		<b>3</b>	-28,418

**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	15,760	1,957,279	0.008052
2012	95,300	1,830,629	0.052059
2011	89,500	1,878,672	0.047640
2010	106,000	1,736,092	0.061057
2009	86,130	1,594,636	0.054012
<b>2</b> Total of line 1, column (d).			<b>2</b> 0.222820
<b>3</b> 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 . . . . .			<b>3</b> 0.044564
<b>4</b> Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2014 from Part X, line 5. . . . .			<b>4</b> 2,121,081
<b>5</b> Multiply line 4 by line 3. . . . .			<b>5</b> 94,524
<b>6</b> Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b). . . . .			<b>6</b> 1,913
<b>7</b> Add lines 5 and 6. . . . .			<b>7</b> 96,437
<b>8</b> Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4. . . . .			<b>8</b> 154,025

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)**

<b>1a</b>	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>b</b>	Domestic foundations that meet the section 4940(e) requirements in Part V, check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and enter 1% of Part I, line 27b . . . . .	<b>1</b>	1,913
<b>c</b>	All other domestic foundations enter 2% of line 27b Exempt foreign organizations enter 4% of Part I, line 12, col (b)		
<b>2</b>	Tax under section 511 (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only Others enter -0-)	<b>2</b>	0
<b>3</b>	Add lines 1 and 2. . . . .	<b>3</b>	1,913
<b>4</b>	Subtitle A (income) tax (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only Others enter -0-)	<b>4</b>	0
<b>5</b>	<b>Tax based on investment income.</b> Subtract line 4 from line 3 If zero or less, enter -0- . . . . .	<b>5</b>	1,913
<b>6</b>	Credits/Payments		
<b>a</b>	2014 estimated tax payments and 2013 overpayment credited to 2014	<b>6a</b>	840
<b>b</b>	Exempt foreign organizations—tax withheld at source . . . . .	<b>6b</b>	
<b>c</b>	Tax paid with application for extension of time to file (Form 8868) . . . . .	<b>6c</b>	
<b>d</b>	Backup withholding erroneously withheld . . . . .	<b>6d</b>	
<b>7</b>	Total credits and payments Add lines 6a through 6d. . . . .	<b>7</b>	840
<b>8</b>	Enter any <b>penalty</b> for underpayment of estimated tax Check here <input type="checkbox"/> if Form 2220 is attached	<b>8</b>	
<b>9</b>	<b>Tax due.</b> If the total of lines 5 and 8 is more than line 7, enter <b>amount owed</b> . . . . .	<b>9</b>	1,073
<b>10</b>	<b>Overpayment.</b> If line 7 is more than the total of lines 5 and 8, enter the <b>amount overpaid</b> . . . . .	<b>10</b>	
<b>11</b>	Enter the amount of line 10 to be <b>Credited to 2015 estimated tax</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Refunded</b> <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>11</b>	

**Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities**

	Yes	No
<b>1a</b> 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? . . . . .		No
<b>b</b> Did it spend more than \$100 during the year (either directly or indirectly) for political purposes (see Instructions for definition)? . . . . . <i>If the answer is "Yes" to 1a or 1b, attach a detailed description of the activities and copies of any materials published or distributed by the foundation in connection with the activities.</i>		No
<b>c</b> Did the foundation file <b>Form 1120-POL</b> for this year? . . . . .		No
<b>d</b> Enter the amount (if any) of tax on political expenditures (section 4955) imposed during the year <b>(1)</b> On the foundation <input type="checkbox"/> \$ <u>0</u> <b>(2)</b> On foundation managers <input type="checkbox"/> \$ <u>0</u>		
<b>e</b> Enter the reimbursement (if any) paid by the foundation during the year for political expenditure tax imposed on foundation managers <input type="checkbox"/> \$ <u>0</u>		
<b>2</b> 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>		No
<b>3</b> 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> . . . . .		No
<b>4a</b> Did the foundation have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year? . . . . .		No
<b>b</b> If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on <b>Form 990-T</b> for this year? . . . . .		
<b>5</b> Was there a liquidation, termination, dissolution, or substantial contraction during the year? . . . . . <i>If "Yes," attach the statement required by General Instruction T.</i>		No
<b>6</b> 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? . . . . .	Yes	
<b>7</b> 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> . . . . .	Yes	
<b>8a</b> Enter the states to which the foundation reports or with which it is registered (see instructions) <input type="checkbox"/> IL _____		
<b>b</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>	Yes	
<b>9</b> 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> . . . . .	Yes	
<b>10</b> Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year? <i>If "Yes," attach a schedule listing their names and addresses.</i> . . . . .		No

**Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities (continued)**

<b>11</b>	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).	<b>11</b>		<b>No</b>
<b>12</b>	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)	<b>12</b>		<b>No</b>
<b>13</b>	Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements for its annual returns and exemption application? Website address <b>N/A</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>Yes</b>	
<b>14</b>	The books are in care of <b>EDWARD S SPRAGUE FOUNDATION</b> Telephone no <b>(312) 419-8484</b> Located at <b>1726 WEST WOLFRAM CHICAGO IL</b> ZIP +4 <b>60657</b>			
<b>15</b>	Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-PF in lieu of <b>Form 1041</b> —Check here <input type="checkbox"/> and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year . . . . . <b>15</b>			
<b>16</b>	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	<b>16</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>

**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.			<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>
<b>1a</b>	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? ( <b>Exception.</b> 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>1b</b>	If any answer is "Yes" to 1a(1)–(6), did <b>any</b> 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)? <input type="checkbox"/> Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here. <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>1b</b>		
<b>1c</b>	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? . . . . .	<b>1c</b>		<b>No</b>
<b>2</b>	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))			
<b>a</b>	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? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No If "Yes," list the years <b>20__ , 20__ , 20__ , 20__</b>			
<b>b</b>	Are there any years listed in 2a for which the foundation is <b>not</b> 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 <b>all</b> years listed, answer "No" and attach statement—see instructions ). . . . .	<b>2b</b>		
<b>c</b>	If the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) are being applied to <b>any</b> of the years listed in 2a, list the years here <b>20__ , 20__ , 20__ , 20__</b>			
<b>3a</b>	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>b</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? ( <i>Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine if the foundation had excess business holdings in 2014.</i> ) . . . . .	<b>3b</b>		
<b>4a</b>	Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes?	<b>4a</b>		<b>No</b>
<b>b</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?	<b>4b</b>		<b>No</b>



**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		
<b>Total</b> number of others receiving over \$50,000 for professional services. . . . .		0

**Part IX-A Summary of Direct Charitable Activities**

List the foundation's four largest direct charitable activities during the tax year. Include relevant statistical information such as the number of organizations and other beneficiaries served, conferences convened, research papers produced, etc.	Expenses
<b>1</b> PROVIDE GIFTS AND GRANTS TO EDUCATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS	0
<b>2</b> PROVIDE GIFTS AND GRANTS TO HEALTHCARE ORGANIZATIONS	0
<b>3</b> PROVIDE GIFTS AND GRANTS TO ANIMAL CARE ORGANIZATIONS	0
<b>4</b> PROVIDE GIFTS AND GRANTS TO ENVIRONMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS	0

**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
<b>1</b>	
<b>2</b>	
All other program-related investments. See instructions.	
<b>3</b>	
<b>Total.</b> Add lines 1 through 3 . . . . .	0

**Part X Minimum Investment Return** (All domestic foundations must complete this part. Foreign foundations, see instructions.)

<b>1</b>	Fair market value of assets not used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc , purposes		
<b>a</b>	Average monthly fair market value of securities. . . . .	<b>1a</b>	2,034,859
<b>b</b>	Average of monthly cash balances. . . . .	<b>1b</b>	118,523
<b>c</b>	Fair market value of all other assets (see instructions). . . . .	<b>1c</b>	0
<b>d</b>	<b>Total</b> (add lines 1a, b, and c). . . . .	<b>1d</b>	2,153,382
<b>e</b>	Reduction claimed for blockage or other factors reported on lines 1a and 1c (attach detailed explanation). . . . .	<b>1e</b>	0
<b>2</b>	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to line 1 assets. . . . .	<b>2</b>	0
<b>3</b>	Subtract line 2 from line 1d. . . . .	<b>3</b>	2,153,382
<b>4</b>	Cash deemed held for charitable activities Enter 1 1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions). . . . .	<b>4</b>	32,301
<b>5</b>	<b>Net value of noncharitable-use assets.</b> Subtract line 4 from line 3 Enter here and on Part V, line 4	<b>5</b>	2,121,081
<b>6</b>	<b>Minimum investment return.</b> Enter 5% of line 5. . . . .	<b>6</b>	106,054

**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.)

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

**Part XII Qualifying Distributions** (see instructions)

<b>1</b>	Amounts paid (including administrative expenses) to accomplish charitable, etc , purposes		
<b>a</b>	Expenses, contributions, gifts, etc —total from Part I, column (d), line 26. . . . .	<b>1a</b>	154,025
<b>b</b>	Program-related investments—total from Part IX-B. . . . .	<b>1b</b>	0
<b>2</b>	Amounts paid to acquire assets used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc , purposes. . . . .	<b>2</b>	
<b>3</b>	Amounts set aside for specific charitable projects that satisfy the		
<b>a</b>	Suitability test (prior IRS approval required). . . . .	<b>3a</b>	
<b>b</b>	Cash distribution test (attach the required schedule). . . . .	<b>3b</b>	
<b>4</b>	<b>Qualifying distributions.</b> Add lines 1a through 3b Enter here and on Part V, line 8, and Part XIII, line 4	<b>4</b>	154,025
<b>5</b>	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). . . . .	<b>5</b>	1,913
<b>6</b>	<b>Adjusted qualifying distributions.</b> Subtract line 5 from line 4. . . . .	<b>6</b>	152,112

**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
<b>1</b> Distributable amount for 2014 from Part XI, line 7				
<b>2</b> Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2014				
<b>a</b> Enter amount for 2013 only. . . . .				
<b>b</b> Total for prior years 20___, 20___, 20___				
<b>3</b> Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2014				
<b>a</b> From 2009. . . . .				
<b>b</b> From 2010. . . . .				
<b>c</b> From 2011. . . . .				
<b>d</b> From 2012. . . . .				
<b>e</b> From 2013. . . . .				
<b>f</b> <b>Total</b> of lines 3a through e. . . . .				
<b>4</b> Qualifying distributions for 2014 from Part XII, line 4 ► \$ _____				
<b>a</b> Applied to 2013, but not more than line 2a				
<b>b</b> Applied to undistributed income of prior years (Election required—see instructions). . . . .				
<b>c</b> Treated as distributions out of corpus (Election required—see instructions). . . . .				
<b>d</b> Applied to 2014 distributable amount. . . . .				
<b>e</b> Remaining amount distributed out of corpus				
<b>5</b> Excess distributions carryover applied to 2014 <i>(If an amount appears in column (d), the same amount must be shown in column (a).)</i>				
<b>6</b> <b>Enter the net total of each column as indicated below:</b>				
<b>a</b> Corpus Add lines 3f, 4c, and 4e Subtract line 5				
<b>b</b> Prior years' undistributed income Subtract line 4b from line 2b. . . . .				
<b>c</b> 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. . . . .				
<b>d</b> Subtract line 6c from line 6b Taxable amount—see instructions . . . . .				
<b>e</b> Undistributed income for 2013 Subtract line 4a from line 2a Taxable amount—see instructions . . . . .				
<b>f</b> Undistributed income for 2014 Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1 This amount must be distributed in 2015 . . . . .				
<b>7</b> 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) . . . . .				
<b>8</b> Excess distributions carryover from 2009 not applied on line 5 or line 7 (see instructions) . . . . .				
<b>9</b> <b>Excess distributions carryover to 2015.</b> Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a . . . . .				
<b>10</b> Analysis of line 9				
<b>a</b> Excess from 2010. . . . .				
<b>b</b> Excess from 2011. . . . .				
<b>c</b> Excess from 2012. . . . .				
<b>d</b> Excess from 2013. . . . .				
<b>e</b> Excess from 2014. . . . .				

**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 organization is a private operating foundation described in section  4942(j)(3) or  4942(j)(5)

	Tax year				(e) Total
	(a) 2014	(b) 2013	(c) 2012	(d) 2011	
<b>2a</b> Enter the lesser of the adjusted net income from Part I or the minimum investment return from Part X for each year listed . . . . .	31,476	25,915	22,838	18,019	98,248
<b>b</b> 85% of line 2a . . . . .	26,755	22,028	19,412	15,316	83,511
<b>c</b> Qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4 for each year listed . . . . .	154,025	15,760	95,300	89,500	354,585
<b>d</b> Amounts included in line 2c not used directly for active conduct of exempt activities . . . . .	0	0	0	0	0
<b>e</b> Qualifying distributions made directly for active conduct of exempt activities Subtract line 2d from line 2c . . . . .	154,025	15,760	95,300	89,500	354,585
<b>3</b> Complete 3a, b, or c for the alternative test relied upon					
<b>a</b> "Assets" alternative test—enter					
<b>(1)</b> Value of all assets . . . . .					0
<b>(2)</b> Value of assets qualifying under section 4942(j)(3)(B)(i) . . . . .					0
<b>b</b> "Endowment" alternative test— enter 2/3 of minimum investment return shown in Part X, line 6 for each year listed. . . . .	70,703	65,243	15,225	12,013	163,184
<b>c</b> "Support" alternative test—enter					
<b>(1)</b> Total support other than gross investment income (interest, dividends, rents, payments on securities loans (section 512(a)(5)), or royalties) . . . . .					0
<b>(2)</b> Support from general public and 5 or more exempt organizations as provided in section 4942(j)(3)(B)(iii). . . . .					0
<b>(3)</b> Largest amount of support from an exempt organization . . . . .					0
<b>(4)</b> Gross investment income . . . . .					0

**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) )
- b** List any managers of the foundation who own 10% or more of the stock of a corporation (or an equally large portion of the ownership of a partnership or other entity) of which the foundation has a 10% or greater interest

**2 Information Regarding Contribution, Grant, Gift, Loan, Scholarship, etc., Programs:**

Check here  if the foundation only makes contributions to preselected charitable organizations and does not accept unsolicited requests for funds. If the foundation makes gifts, grants, etc. (see instructions) to individuals or organizations under other conditions, complete items 2a, b, c, and d

- a** The name, address, and telephone number or e-mail address of the person to whom applications should be addressed
- JENNIE O'BRIEN  
1726 W WOLFRAM  
CHICAGO, IL 60657  
(773) 294-2894
- 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)				
<b>a</b> <i>Paid during the year</i> See Additional Data Table				
<b>Total . . . . .</b>				<b>▶ 3a</b> 154,025
<b>b</b> <i>Approved for future payment</i>				
<b>Total . . . . .</b>				<b>▶ 3b</b> 0





**Form 990PF Part IV - Capital Gains and Losses for Tax on Investment Income - Columns a - d**

(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.)
535 COVIDIEN PLC		2013-04-18	2014-07-29
200 VANGUARD FTSE ALL WO X-US SC		2010-12-22	2014-07-29
1000 DRESSER RAND GROUP INC		2012-05-18	2014-10-23
1600 FMC TECHNOLOGIES INC		2007-03-29	2014-10-23
560 FMC TECHNOLOGIES INC		2009-07-06	2014-10-23
725 CAMERON INTL CORP		2013-11-06	2014-10-20
1200 CATERPILLAR INC		2015-11-10	2014-12-24
70000 GOLDMAN SACHS CD		2007-11-27	2014-12-05
700 NATIONAL OILWELL VARCO		2012-05-18	2014-12-24
GOOGLE INC - CASH IN LIEU		2009-11-06	2015-05-04

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

(e) Gross sales price	(f) Depreciation allowed (or allowable)	(g) Cost or other basis plus expense of sale	(h) Gain or (loss) (e) plus (f) minus (g)
46,269		32,555	13,714
21,784		19,591	2,193
80,946		45,697	35,249
87,130		26,939	60,191
30,496		10,041	20,455
41,647		39,800	1,847
111,615		65,234	46,381
70,000		70,000	0
46,310		40,718	5,592
119			119

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

Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69			(l) Gains (Col (h) gain minus col (k), but not less than -0-) or Losses (from col (h))
(i) FMV as of 12/31/69	(j) Adjusted basis as of 12/31/69	(k) Excess of col (i) over col (j), if any	
			13,714
			2,193
			35,249
			60,191
			20,455
			1,847
			46,381
			0
			5,592
			119

**Form 990PF Part IV - Capital Gains and Losses for Tax on Investment Income - Columns a - d**

<b>(a)</b> 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>(b)</b> How acquired P—Purchase D—Donation	<b>(c)</b> Date acquired (mo , day, yr )	<b>(d)</b> Date sold (mo , day, yr )
400 EMERGE ENERGY SERVICES		2014-10-27	2015-05-04
365 LINCOLN ELEC HLDGS		2014-10-27	2015-05-04
1100 TRINITY IND		2014-10-23	2015-05-04

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

<b>(e)</b> Gross sales price	<b>(f)</b> Depreciation allowed (or allowable)	<b>(g)</b> Cost or other basis plus expense of sale	<b>(h)</b> Gain or (loss) (e) plus (f) minus (g)
15,158		35,023	-19,865
24,187		24,842	-655
31,228		40,973	-9,745

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

Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69			<b>(l)</b> Gains (Col (h) gain minus col (k), but not less than -0-) <b>or</b> Losses (from col (h))
<b>(i)</b> F M V as of 12/31/69	<b>(j)</b> Adjusted basis as of 12/31/69	<b>(k)</b> Excess of col (i) over col (j), if any	
			-19,865
			-655
			-9,745

**Form 990PF Part XV Line 3 - Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year or Approved for Future Payment**

Recipient	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
Name and address (home or business)				
<b>a</b> <i>Paid during the year</i>				
CARDINAL BERNARDIN EARLY CHILD 1651 W DIVERSEY PARKWAY CHICAGO,IL 60657		PC	EDUCATION GRANT	600
CARDINAL BERNARDIN EARLY CHILD 1651 W DIVERSEY PARKWAY CHICAGO,IL 60657		PC	EDUCATION GRANT	75
FRIENDS OF BURLEY 1630 W BARRY AVE CHICAGO,IL 60657		PC	EDUCATION GRANT	1,200
FRIENDS OF THE RIVER 411 S WELLS ST 800 CHICAGO,IL 60607		PC	ENVIRONMENTAL GRANT	2,000
CONCERN WORLDWIDE 332 S MICHIGAN AVE 630 CHICAGO,IL 60604		PC	DEVELOPMENT & EDUCATION FOR IMPOVERISHED NATIONS	150
ASSN HOUSE OF CHICAGO 1116 NORTH KEDZIE AVE CHICAGO,IL 60651		PC	HOME FOR THE POOR & SERVICES	15,000
CHICAGO LIGHTHOUSE FOR THE BLIND 1850 WEST ROOSEVELT ROAD CHICAGO,IL 60608		PC	EDUCATION & SERVICES FOR THE DISABLED	15,000
DEBORAH'S PLACE 2822 WEST JACKSON CHICAGO,IL 60612		PC	HOMLESS SHELTER & SERVICES FOR WOMEN	10,000
EMBARC INC PO BOX 221450 CHICAGO,IL 60622		PC	EDUCATION	10,000
LAMBS FARM 14245 W ROCKLAND ROAD CHICAGO,IL 60048		PC	EDUCATION & SERVICES FOR THE DISABLED	15,000
LYDIA HOME ASSOCIATION 4300 W IRVING PARK ROAD CHICAGO,IL 60641		PC	HOMLESS CHILDRENS SHELTER & SERVICES	15,000
MIDTOWN EDUCATION FUND 718 S LOOMIS ST CHICAGO,IL 60607		PC	EDUCATION	15,000
MISERACORDIA HEART OF MERCY 6300 N RIDGE CHICAGO,IL 60660		PC	EDUCATION & SERVICES FOR THE DISABLED	15,000
SHRINERS HOSPITAL FOR CHILDREN 2211 NORTH OAK PARK AVENUE CHICAGO,IL 60707		PC	CHILDRENS MEDICAL HOSPITAL - HEALTH	15,000
THE HADLEY SCHOOL FOR THE BLIND 700 ELM STREET WINNETKA,IL 60093		PC	EDUCATION & SERVICES FOR THE DISABLED	15,000
<b>Total . . . . .</b>			<b>3a</b>	154,025

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Name and address (home or business)				
<b>a</b> <i>Paid during the year</i>				
UNION LEAGUE CIVIC AND ARTS FUND 700 ELM STREET CHICAGO,IL 60604		PC	ART SCHOLORSHIPS	10,000
<b>Total . . . . .</b>				<b>3a</b> 154,025

## TY 2014 Accounting Fees Schedule

**Name:** EDWARD S SPRAGUE FOUNDATION

**EIN:** 36-6070124

Category	Amount	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
TAX PREP FEES	2,695	0	2,695	0

**TY 2014 Investments Corporate  
Stock Schedule****Name:** EDWARD S SPRAGUE FOUNDATION**EIN:** 36-6070124

<b>Name of Stock</b>	<b>End of Year Book Value</b>	<b>End of Year Fair Market Value</b>
AIRGAS INC	27,768	47,601
APPLE INC	36,878	149,256
BAXTER INTL INC	24,772	24,476
BLACKROCK INC	66,609	84,765
BRISTOL MEYERS SQUIBB	15,428	44,915
C.R. BARD INC.	37,021	129,732
CND ENERGY SVCS & TECH CP	14,982	11,200
ENERGY TRANS EQTY LP	28,860	32,085
FEDEX CORP.	52,649	153,360
GENERAC HLDGS INC COM	71,437	55,650
GOOGLE INC	43,689	82,723
GREENBRIER COS INC	34,775	26,470
HONEYWELL INTL INC	63,877	130,522
LYONDELLBASELL NV CL-A	60,152	74,016
MARKWEST ENERGY PARTNERS LP	86,876	70,475
MASTERCARD INC CL A	36,816	65,436
NATL FUEL GAS	39,931	32,390
NOW INC	4,579	3,484
PLAINS GP HOLDINGS LP SHS	31,044	25,840
QUINTILES TRANSNATIONAL HOLDING	59,909	72,610
STERICYCLE	12,338	66,955
STERIS CORPORATION	40,016	42,853
UNITED PARCEL SER INC	68,082	58,145
W.W. GRAINGER INC.	51,919	343,143
WALT DISNEY CO HOLDINGS	25,344	25,681
WESCO INTERNATIONAL	26,781	34,320
WILLIAMS CO INC	64,163	73,172

**TY 2014 Investments - Other Schedule**

**Name:** EDWARD S SPRAGUE FOUNDATION

**EIN:** 36-6070124

<b>Category / Item</b>	<b>Listed at Cost or FMV</b>	<b>Book Value</b>	<b>End of Year Fair Market Value</b>
ETF'S ISHARES DJ US MEDICAL INDEX	AT COST	19,896	37,715

## TY 2014 Other Income Schedule

**Name:** EDWARD S SPRAGUE FOUNDATION

**EIN:** 36-6070124

Description	Revenue And Expenses Per Books	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income
MORGAN STANLEY	7,261	7,261	7,261

**TY 2014 Other Increases Schedule****Name:** EDWARD S SPRAGUE FOUNDATION**EIN:** 36-6070124

<b>Description</b>	<b>Amount</b>
DIFFERENCES IN BOOK VALUE/FMV OF ASSETS SOLD	148,601

# TY 2014 Taxes Schedule

**Name:** EDWARD S SPRAGUE FOUNDATION

**EIN:** 36-6070124

Category	Amount	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
FEDERAL TAXES	1,693	0	1,693	0