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Return of Private Foundation

Form 990-PF

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

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2014

Open to Public Inspection

For calendar year 2014 or tax year beginning SEP 1, 2014, and ending AUG 31, 2015

Name of foundation
V. V. COOKE FOUNDATION CORPORATION

Number and street (or P.O. box number if mail is not delivered to street address)
P.O. BOX 7664

City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code
LOUISVILLE, KY 40257

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

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

I Fair market value of all assets at end of year (from Part II, col (c), line 16)
\$ 6,091,246. (Part I, column (d) must be on cash basis)

J Accounting method:
☒ Cash
☐ Accrual
☐ Other (specify)

A Employer identification number
61-6033714

B Telephone number
(502) 241-0303

C If exemption application is pending, check here ☐

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

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

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

Part I Analysis of Revenue and Expenses (The total of amounts in columns (b), (c), and (d) may not necessarily equal the amounts in column (a))		(a) Revenue and expenses per books	(b) Net investment income	(c) Adjusted net income	(d) Disbursements for charitable purposes (cash basis only)
Revenue	1 Contributions, gifts, grants, etc., received			N/A	
	2 Check ☒ if the foundation is not required to attach Sch. B				
	3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments	43.	43.		STATEMENT 1
	4 Dividends and interest from securities	127,534.	127,534.		STATEMENT 2
	5a Gross rents				
	b Net rental income or (loss)				
	6a Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10	78,019.			
	b Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a				
	7 Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2)		78,019.		
	8 Net short-term capital gain				
	9 Income modifications				
	10a Gross sales less returns and allowances				
Operating and Administrative Expenses	b Less Cost of goods sold				
	c Gross profit or (loss)				
	11 Other income	117,969.	117,969.		STATEMENT 3
	12 Total. Add lines 1 through 11	323,565.	323,565.		
	13 Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc.	0.	0.		0.
	14 Other employee salaries and wages	10,801.	216.		10,585.
	15 Pension plans, employee benefits	6,000.	120.		5,880.
	16a Legal fees				
	b Accounting fees	1,050.	0.		1,050.
	c Other professional fees	9,059.	9,059.		0.
	17 Interest				
	18 Taxes	29,179.	28,554.		625.
	19 Depreciation and depletion				
	20 Occupancy	2,700.	270.		2,430.
	21 Travel, conferences, and meetings	200.	0.		200.
	22 Printing and publications				
	23 Other expenses	53,795.	45,451.		8,345.
	24 Total operating and administrative expenses. Add lines 13 through 23	112,784.	83,670.		29,115.
	25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid	178,140.			178,140.
	26 Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 24 and 25	290,924.	83,670.		207,255.
	27 Subtract line 26 from line 12:				
	a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements	32,641.			
	b Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)		239,895.		
	c Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -0-)			N/A	

Part II Balance Sheets		Attached schedules and amounts in the description column should be for end of year amounts only		Beginning of year	End of year	
		(a) Book Value	(b) Book Value	(c) Fair Market Value		
Assets	1	Cash - non-interest-bearing		560,359.	511,718.	511,718.
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments				
	3	Accounts receivable ▶				
		Less: allowance for doubtful accounts ▶				
	4	Pledges receivable ▶				
		Less: allowance for doubtful accounts ▶				
	5	Grants receivable				
	6	Receivables due from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons				
	7	Other notes and loans receivable ▶				
		Less: allowance for doubtful accounts ▶				
	8	Inventories for sale or use				
	9	Prepaid expenses and deferred charges				
	10a	Investments - U.S. and state government obligations STMT 8	12,479.	11,167.	11,167.	
	b	Investments - corporate stock STMT 9	4,109,713.	3,902,343.	4,135,744.	
	c	Investments - corporate bonds STMT 10	1,013,999.	1,264,249.	1,276,682.	
	11	Investments - land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶				
	Less: accumulated depreciation ▶					
12	Investments - mortgage loans					
13	Investments - other STMT 11	345,653.	155,848.	155,935.		
14	Land, buildings, and equipment: basis ▶					
	Less: accumulated depreciation ▶					
15	Other assets (describe ▶)					
16	Total assets (to be completed by all filers - see the instructions. Also, see page 1, item I)	6,042,203.	5,845,325.	6,091,246.		
Liabilities	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses	180.			
	18	Grants payable				
	19	Deferred revenue				
	20	Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons				
	21	Mortgages and other notes payable				
	22	Other liabilities (describe ▶)				
	23	Total liabilities (add lines 17 through 22)	180.	0.		
Net Assets or Fund Balances		Foundations that follow SFAS 117, check here ▶ ☐				
		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 ▶ ☒				
		and complete lines 27 through 31				
	27	Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds	0.	0.		
28	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg, and equipment fund	0.	0.			
29	Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds	6,042,023.	5,845,325.			
30	Total net assets or fund balances	6,042,023.	5,845,325.			
31	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances	6,042,203.	5,845,325.			

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	6,042,023.
2	Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2	32,641.
3	Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶	3	0.
4	Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4	6,074,664.
5	Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ UNREALIZED LOSSES	5	229,339.
6	Total net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5) - Part II, column (b), line 30	6	5,845,325.

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 INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT ACCOUNTS				VARIOUS	VARIOUS
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			78,019.		
b					
c					
d					
e					
Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69			(i) Gains (Col. (h) gain minus col. (k), but not less than -0-) or Losses (from col. (h))		
(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			
a			78,019.		
b					
c					
d					
e					
2 Capital gain net income or (net capital loss) { If gain, also enter in Part I, line 7 If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 7 }			2	78,019.	
3 Net short-term capital gain or (loss) as defined in sections 1222(5) and (6): If gain, also enter in Part I, line 8, column (c). If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 8			3	N/A	

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

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

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

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

☐ Yes ☒ No

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

1 Enter the appropriate amount in each column for each year; see the instructions before making any entries.

(a) Base period years Calendar year (or tax year beginning in)	(b) Adjusted qualifying distributions	(c) Net value of noncharitable-use assets	(d) Distribution ratio (col. (b) divided by col. (c))
2013	214,394.	5,586,915.	.038374
2012	214,520.	4,893,532.	.043837
2011	228,890.	4,470,450.	.051201
2010	236,213.	4,801,306.	.049198
2009	217,879.	4,337,721.	.050229
2 Total of line 1, column (d)			2 .232839
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 .046568
4 Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2014 from Part X, line 5			4 5,686,188.
5 Multiply line 4 by line 3			5 264,794.
6 Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b)			6 2,399.
7 Add lines 5 and 6			7 267,193.
8 Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4			8 207,255.

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

Part VI Excise Tax Based on Investment Income (Section 4940(a), 4940(b), 4940(e), or 4948 - see instructions)

1a Exempt operating foundations described in section 4940(d)(2), check here ☐ and enter "N/A" on line 1. Date of ruling or determination letter: _____ (attach copy of letter if necessary-see instructions)		1	4,798.
b Domestic foundations that meet the section 4940(e) requirements in Part V, check here ☐ and enter 1% of Part I, line 27b		2	0.
c All other domestic foundations enter 2% of line 27b. Exempt foreign organizations enter 4% of Part I, line 12, col. (b).		3	4,798.
2 Tax under section 511 (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only. Others enter -0-)		4	0.
3 Add lines 1 and 2		5	4,798.
4 Subtitle A (income) tax (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only. Others enter -0-)			
5 Tax based on investment income. Subtract line 4 from line 3. If zero or less, enter -0-			
6 Credits/Payments:			
a 2014 estimated tax payments and 2013 overpayment credited to 2014	6a 16,800.		
b Exempt foreign organizations - tax withheld at source	6b		
c Tax paid with application for extension of time to file (Form 8868)	6c 6,500.		
d Backup withholding erroneously withheld	6d		
7 Total credits and payments. Add lines 6a through 6d		7	23,300.
8 Enter any penalty for underpayment of estimated tax. Check here ☐ 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	18,502.
11 Enter the amount of line 10 to be: Credited to 2015 estimated tax ☐ 4,800. Refunded ☐		11	13,702.

Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities

	Yes	No
1a During the tax year, did the foundation attempt to influence any national, state, or local legislation or did it participate or intervene in any political campaign?		X
1b Did it spend more than \$100 during the year (either directly or indirectly) for political purposes (see instructions for the definition)? If the answer is "Yes" to 1a or 1b, attach a detailed description of the activities and copies of any materials published or distributed by the foundation in connection with the activities		X
1c Did the foundation file Form 1120-POL for this year?		X
d Enter the amount (if any) of tax on political expenditures (section 4955) imposed during the year: (1) On the foundation. ☐ \$ 0. (2) On foundation managers. ☐ \$ 0.		
e Enter the reimbursement (if any) paid by the foundation during the year for political expenditure tax imposed on foundation managers. ☐ \$ 0.		
2 Has the foundation engaged in any activities that have not previously been reported to the IRS? If "Yes," attach a detailed description of the activities		X
3 Has the foundation made any changes, not previously reported to the IRS, in its governing instrument, articles of incorporation, or bylaws, or other similar instruments? If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the changes		X
4a Did the foundation have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?		X
b If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on Form 990-T for this year?		
5 Was there a liquidation, termination, dissolution, or substantial contraction during the year? If "Yes," attach the statement required by General Instruction T		X
6 Are the requirements of section 508(e) (relating to sections 4941 through 4945) satisfied either: • By language in the governing instrument, or • By state legislation that effectively amends the governing instrument so that no mandatory directions that conflict with the state law remain in the governing instrument?	X	
7 Did the foundation have at least \$5,000 in assets at any time during the year? If "Yes," complete Part II, col. (c), and Part XV	X	
8a Enter the states to which the foundation reports or with which it is registered (see instructions) ☐ KY		
b If the answer is "Yes" to line 7, has the foundation furnished a copy of Form 990-PF to the Attorney General (or designate) of each state as required by General Instruction G? If "No," attach explanation	X	
9 Is the foundation claiming status as a private operating foundation within the meaning of section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5) for calendar year 2014 or the taxable year beginning in 2014 (see instructions for Part XIV)? If "Yes," complete Part XIV		X
10 Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year? If "Yes," attach a schedule listing their names and addresses		X

N/A

Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities (continued)

11	At any time during the year, did the foundation, directly or indirectly, own a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," attach schedule (see instructions)	11		X
12	Did the foundation make a distribution to a donor advised fund over which the foundation or a disqualified person had advisory privileges? If "Yes," attach statement (see instructions)	12		X
13	Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements for its annual returns and exemption application? Website address ► <u>N/A</u>	13	X	
14	The books are in care of ► <u>CARL M. THOMAS</u> Telephone no. ► <u>(502) 241-0303</u> Located at ► <u>P.O. BOX 7664, LOUISVILLE, KY</u> ZIP+4 ► <u>40257</u>			
15	Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-PF in lieu of Form 1041 - Check here and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year	15	N/A	
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? ☐ Yes ☒ No		
	(2) Borrow money from, lend money to, or otherwise extend credit to (or accept it from) a disqualified person? ☐ Yes ☒ No		
	(3) Furnish goods, services, or facilities to (or accept them from) a disqualified person? ☐ Yes ☒ No		
	(4) Pay compensation to, or pay or reimburse the expenses of, a disqualified person? ☐ Yes ☒ 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 ☒ 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 ☒ 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	N/A
c	Did the foundation engage in a prior year in any of the acts described in 1a, other than excepted acts, that were not corrected before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2014?	1c	X
2	Taxes on failure to distribute income (section 4942) (does not apply for years the foundation was a private operating foundation defined in section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5)):		
a	At the end of tax year 2014, did the foundation have any undistributed income (lines 6d and 6e, Part XIII) for tax year(s) beginning before 2014? ☐ Yes ☒ No If "Yes," list the years ►		
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	N/A
c	If the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) are being applied to any of the years listed in 2a, list the years here. ►		
3a	Did the foundation hold more than a 2% direct or indirect interest in any business enterprise at any time during the year? ☐ Yes ☒ No		
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	N/A
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)?

N/A

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?

N/A

☐ Yes ☐ No

If "Yes," attach the statement required by Regulations section 53.4945-5(d)

6a Did the foundation, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?

☐ Yes ☒ No

6b

b Did the foundation, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?

X

If "Yes" to 6b, file Form 8870

7a At any time during the tax year, was the foundation a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?

☐ Yes ☒ No

b If "Yes," did the foundation receive any proceeds or have any net income attributable to the transaction?

N/A

7b

Part VIII Information About Officers, Directors, Trustees, Foundation Managers, Highly Paid Employees, and Contractors

1 List all officers, directors, trustees, foundation managers and their compensation.

(a) Name and address	(b) Title, and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation (If not paid, enter -0-)	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account, other allowances
SEE STATEMENT 12		0.	0.	0.

2 Compensation of five highest-paid employees (other than those included on line 1). If none, enter "NONE."

(a) Name and address of each employee paid more than \$50,000	(b) Title, and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account, other allowances
NONE				

Total number of other employees paid over \$50,000

0

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	5,705,777.
b	Average of monthly cash balances	1b	67,003.
c	Fair market value of all other assets	1c	
d	Total (add lines 1a, b, and c)	1d	5,772,780.
e	Reduction claimed for blockage or other factors reported on lines 1a and 1c (attach detailed explanation)	1e	0.
2	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to line 1 assets	2	0.
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1d	3	5,772,780.
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities. Enter 1 1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions)	4	86,592.
5	Net value of noncharitable-use assets. Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter here and on Part V, line 4	5	5,686,188.
6	Minimum investment return. Enter 5% of line 5	6	284,309.

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	284,309.
2a	Tax on investment income for 2014 from Part VI, line 5	2a	4,798.
b	Income tax for 2014. (This does not include the tax from Part VI.)	2b	
c	Add lines 2a and 2b	2c	4,798.
3	Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1	3	279,511.
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions	4	0.
5	Add lines 3 and 4	5	279,511.
6	Deduction from distributable amount (see instructions)	6	0.
7	Distributable amount as adjusted. Subtract line 6 from line 5. Enter here and on Part XIII, line 1	7	279,511.

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	207,255.
b	Program-related investments - total from Part IX-B	1b	0.
2	Amounts paid to acquire assets used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes	2	
3	Amounts set aside for specific charitable projects that satisfy the:		
a	Suitability test (prior IRS approval required)	3a	
b	Cash distribution test (attach the required schedule)	3b	
4	Qualifying distributions. Add lines 1a through 3b. Enter here and on Part V, line 8, and Part XIII, line 4	4	207,255.
5	Foundations that qualify under section 4940(e) for the reduced rate of tax on net investment income. Enter 1% of Part I, line 27b	5	0.
6	Adjusted qualifying distributions. Subtract line 5 from line 4	6	207,255.

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				279,511.
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2014				
a Enter amount for 2013 only			0.	
b Total for prior years.		0.		
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2014:				
a From 2009	1,437.			
b From 2010	692.			
c From 2011	7,271.			
d From 2012				
e From 2013				
f Total of lines 3a through e	9,400.			
4 Qualifying distributions for 2014 from Part XII, line 4: ► \$	207,255.			
a Applied to 2013, but not more than line 2a			0.	
b Applied to undistributed income of prior years (Election required - see instructions)		0.		
c Treated as distributions out of corpus (Election required - see instructions)	0.			
d Applied to 2014 distributable amount				207,255.
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus	0.			
5 Excess distributions carryover applied to 2014 (If an amount appears in column (d), the same amount must be shown in column (a).)	9,400.			9,400.
6 Enter the net total of each column as indicated below:				
a Corpus Add lines 3f, 4c, and 4e Subtract line 5	0.			
b Prior years' undistributed income. Subtract line 4b from line 2b		0.		
c Enter the amount of prior years' undistributed income for which a notice of deficiency has been issued, or on which the section 4942(a) tax has been previously assessed		0.		
d Subtract line 6c from line 6b. Taxable amount - see instructions		0.		
e Undistributed income for 2013. Subtract line 4a from line 2a. Taxable amount - see instr.			0.	
f Undistributed income for 2014 Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1. This amount must be distributed in 2015				62,856.
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)	0.			
8 Excess distributions carryover from 2009 not applied on line 5 or line 7	0.			
9 Excess distributions carryover to 2015 Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a	0.			
10 Analysis of line 9.				
a Excess from 2010				
b Excess from 2011				
c Excess from 2012				
d Excess from 2013				
e Excess from 2014				

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

Recipient Name and address (home or business)	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
a <i>Paid during the year</i>				
SCHEDULE ATTACHED	NONE	N/A	UNRESTRICTED	178,140.
Total				▶ 3a 178,140.
b <i>Approved for future payment</i>				
NONE				
Total				▶ 3b 0.

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

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

b If "Yes," complete the following schedule.		
(a) Name of organization	(b) Type of organization	(c) Description of relationship
N/A		

Sign Here	Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than taxpayer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.			May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown below (see instr.)? ☒ Yes ☐ No
	 Signature of officer or trustee	2/25/16 Date	 Title	

Paid Preparer Use Only	Print/Type preparer's name	Preparer's signature	Date	Check ☐ if self-employed	PTIN
	FAITH CRUMP		2/22/16		P00744911
	Firm's name ▶ DEAN DORTON ALLEN FORD, PLLC			Firm's EIN ▶ 27-3858252	
	Firm's address ▶ 500 W. JEFFERSON STREET, SUITE 1400 LOUISVILLE, KY 40202			Phone no. (502) 589-6050	

FORM 990-PF INTEREST ON SAVINGS AND TEMPORARY CASH INVESTMENTS STATEMENT 1

SOURCE	(A) REVENUE PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVESTMENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME
INTEREST BEARING CHECKING AND CERTIFICATES OF DEPOSITS	2.	2.	
INTEREST INCOME	41.	41.	
TOTAL TO PART I, LINE 3	43.	43.	

FORM 990-PF DIVIDENDS AND INTEREST FROM SECURITIES STATEMENT 2

SOURCE	GROSS AMOUNT	CAPITAL GAINS DIVIDENDS	(A) REVENUE PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME
ANNUITIES	115,319.	0.	115,319.	115,319.	
EQUITY ACCOUNTS	9,924.	0.	9,924.	9,924.	
FIXED INCOME ACCOUNTS	2,291.	0.	2,291.	2,291.	
TO PART I, LINE 4	127,534.	0.	127,534.	127,534.	

FORM 990-PF OTHER INCOME STATEMENT 3

DESCRIPTION	(A) REVENUE PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME
INSURANCE INCOME	117,969.	117,969.	
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART I, LINE 11	117,969.	117,969.	

FORM 990-PF	ACCOUNTING FEES	STATEMENT	4
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DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES
ACCOUNTING	1,050.	0.		1,050.
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 16B	1,050.	0.		1,050.

FORM 990-PF	OTHER PROFESSIONAL FEES	STATEMENT	5
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DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES
INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT FEES	9,059.	9,059.		0.
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 16C	9,059.	9,059.		0.

FORM 990-PF	TAXES	STATEMENT	6
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DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES
EXCISE TAX ON INVESTMENT INCOME	28,541.	28,541.		0.
PAYROLL TAXES	638.	13.		625.
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 18	29,179.	28,554.		625.

FORM 990-PF	OTHER EXPENSES	STATEMENT	7
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DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES
POSTAGE AND OFFICE EXPENSE	714.	0.		714.
INSURANCE	48,946.	44,052.		4,895.
TELEPHONE	2,824.	282.		2,542.
DUES AND SUBSCRIPTIONS	1,021.	919.		102.
INTERNET FEES	220.	198.		22.

REPAIRS	70.	0.	70.
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 23	53,795.	45,451.	8,345.

FORM 990-PF	U.S. AND STATE/CITY GOVERNMENT OBLIGATIONS	STATEMENT	8
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DESCRIPTION	U.S. GOV'T	OTHER GOV'T	BOOK VALUE	FAIR MARKET VALUE
U.S. GOVERNMENT OBLIGATIONS	X		11,167.	11,167.
TOTAL U.S. GOVERNMENT OBLIGATIONS			11,167.	11,167.
TOTAL STATE AND MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT OBLIGATIONS				
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART II, LINE 10A			11,167.	11,167.

FORM 990-PF	CORPORATE STOCK	STATEMENT	9
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DESCRIPTION	BOOK VALUE	FAIR MARKET VALUE
CORPORATE STOCK	3,902,343.	4,135,744.
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART II, LINE 10B	3,902,343.	4,135,744.

FORM 990-PF	CORPORATE BONDS	STATEMENT	10
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DESCRIPTION	BOOK VALUE	FAIR MARKET VALUE
CORPORATE BONDS	1,264,249.	1,276,682.
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART II, LINE 10C	1,264,249.	1,276,682.

FORM 990-PF	OTHER INVESTMENTS	STATEMENT	11
DESCRIPTION	VALUATION METHOD	BOOK VALUE	FAIR MARKET VALUE
ANNUITY CONTRACTS	COST	0.	0.
LIFE INSURANCE POLICIES	COST	154,435.	154,435.
ALTERNATIVE ACCOUNTS	COST	1,413.	1,500.
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART II, LINE 13		155,848.	155,935.

FORM 990-PF	PART VIII - LIST OF OFFICERS, DIRECTORS TRUSTEES AND FOUNDATION MANAGERS	STATEMENT	12
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NAME AND ADDRESS	TITLE AND AVRG HRS/WK	COMPEN- SATION	EMPLOYEE BEN PLAN CONTRIB	EXPENSE ACCOUNT
JANE C. CROSS P.O. BOX 7664 LOUISVILLE, KY 40257	DIRECTOR 0.00	0.	0.	0.
JENNIFER CROSS P.O. BOX 7664 LOUISVILLE, KY 40257	DIRECTOR 0.00	0.	0.	0.
ROBERT L. HOOK, III P.O. BOX 7664 LOUISVILLE, KY 40257	DIRECTOR 0.00	0.	0.	0.
TRUDI C. COOKE P.O. BOX 7664 LOUISVILLE, KY 40257	DIRECTOR 0.00	0.	0.	0.
JOE D. CROSS, JR. P.O. BOX 7664 LOUISVILLE, KY 40257	VICE PRESIDENT 0.00	0.	0.	0.
FRANK P. HILLIARD P.O. BOX 7664 LOUISVILLE, KY 40257	SECRETARY/TREASURER 0.00	0.	0.	0.
ROBERT L. HOOK, JR. P.O. BOX 7664 LOUISVILLE, KY 40257	PRESIDENT 0.00	0.	0.	0.

V. V. COOKE FOUNDATION CORPORATION

61-6033714

CARL M. THOMAS	EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR			
P.O. BOX 7664	0.00	0.	0.	0.
LOUISVILLE, KY 40257				

TOTALS INCLUDED ON 990-PF, PAGE 6, PART VIII	0.	0.	0.
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FORM 990-PF

GRANT APPLICATION SUBMISSION INFORMATION
PART XV, LINES 2A THROUGH 2D

STATEMENT 13

NAME AND ADDRESS OF PERSON TO WHOM APPLICATIONS SHOULD BE SUBMITTED

CARL M. THOMAS, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR
P.O. BOX 7664
LOUISVILLE, KY 40257

TELEPHONE NUMBER

(502) 241-0303

FORM AND CONTENT OF APPLICATIONS

EIGHT COPIES OF THE APPLICATION ARE REQUIRED TOGETHER WITH A SINGLE COPY OF
THE APPLICANT'S IRS 501(C)(3) LETTER.

ANY SUBMISSION DEADLINES

MID JANUARY, APRIL, JULY, AND OCTOBER

RESTRICTIONS AND LIMITATIONS ON AWARDS

GRANTS ARE LIMITED TO 501(C)(3) ORGANIZATIONS LOCATED PRIMARILY IN THE
LOUISVILLE, KY AREA AND GRANT PURPOSES MUST BE RELIGIOUS, EDUCATIONAL,
CIVIC OR HUMANITARIAN IN NATURE. 509(A)(3) ORGANIZATIONS DO NOT QUALIFY
FOR OUR GRANTS.

GRANTS PAID FISCAL YEAR ENDING AUGUST 31, 2015

PAYEE	AMOUNT
Alice Lloyd College	\$2,000
Americana Community Center	\$2,500
Dare to Care	\$1,000
KIDS Center	\$2,640
National Stem Cell	\$10,000
Younger Women's Club	\$5,000
BSA-Lincoln Heritage Council	\$2,500
Cabbage Patch	\$10,000
Family Scholar House	\$1,000
Family & Children's Place	\$2,000
Fund for the Arts	\$3,000
Georgetown College	\$10,000
Heuser Hearing & Language Academy	\$1,000
Lighthouse Promise	\$1,000
Operation Parent	\$1,000
Sunrise Children's Services	\$15,000
YMCA Safe Place	\$1,000
St. George's Scholar Institute	\$1,000
Senior Care Experts	\$1,000
YMCA Greater Louisville	\$1,500
Bluegrass Center for Autism	\$2,500
SUB-TOTAL	\$76,640

PAYEE	AMOUNT
Dorman Pre-School	\$1,500
Louisville Public Library	\$1,200
Norton Healthcare	\$1,000
Christ Church United Methodist	\$12,000
Hosparus	\$5,000
SOHS	\$1,000
SOHS Choir	\$1,150
UK	\$2,500
UVA-Jefferson Scholars	\$5,000
St. Mary's Episcopal Church	\$2,150
SUB-TOTAL	\$32,500

PAYEE	AMOUNT
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Walnut Street Baptist Church	\$10,000
St. Francis in the Fields	\$4,000
Southeast Area Ministries	\$500
JCPS-Wilder Elementary	\$1,000
JCPS-Brown School	\$3,500
Walnut Street Baptist Church	\$2,500
Salvation Tabernacle	\$1,000
Chapman University-DOC	\$1,500
Peace Education Program	\$3,000
Kentuckiana Children's Center	\$2,000
Caringbridge	\$500
St. Vincent dePaul	\$1,000
Volunteers of America	\$1,000
Walnut Street Baptist Church	\$2,500

SUB-TOTAL

\$34,000

PAYEE	AMOUNT
YMCA	\$1,000
Columbia College	\$2,000
Hazelden Foundation	\$1,000
Hollins University	\$1,000
Dare to Care-Spencer Cty Elementary	\$1,000
KET	\$1,000
FFTA-West End Children's Choir	\$500
Berry Center	\$500
Jackson, NH Public Library	\$250
Butler County, KY Public Library	\$250
JCPS-Crosby MS	\$500
JCPS-duPont Manual HS PTSA	\$500
Twisted Pink	\$500
The Community Pre-School	\$1,500
Broadway Baptist-Music Program	\$12,000
Coalition for the Homeless	\$500
Zoom Group	\$500
Home of the Innocents	\$500
First United Methodist Church-VA	\$500
Duke Divinity School	\$1,000
Duke Divinity School Annual Fund	\$1,000
Blacknall Presbyterian Church	\$500
Wake Forest Baptist Medical Center	\$500
Caringbridge	\$500
V Foundation Run Across VA	\$1,000
Center for Christian Study-UVA	\$500
Summerbridge	\$1,000

St. George's Community Center	\$500
Curry School of Education Foundation	\$500
IV Christian Fellowship/USA-UVA Greek	\$500
Broadway Baptist Church	\$1,000
YMCA Greater Louisville	\$1,000

TOTAL	\$35,000
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TOTAL	\$178,140
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