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

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For calendar year **2015** or tax year beginning **2015**, and ending **20**

Name of foundation
BOOTH FOUNDATION THE

Number and street (or P.O. box number if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite
50 CONGRESS ST. STE 832

City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code
BOSTON, MA 02109-4017

A Employer identification number
04-6019938

B Telephone number (see instructions)
617-523-6800

C If exemption application is pending, check here

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

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

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

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

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

I Fair market value of all assets at end of year (from Part II, col. (c), line 16) **\$ 223,350.**

J Accounting method: Cash Accrual
 Other (specify) _____
 (Part I, column (d) must be on cash basis)

Part I Analysis of Revenue and Expenses (The total of amounts in columns (b), (c), and (d) may not necessarily equal the amounts in column (a) (see instructions))		(a) Revenue and expenses per books	(b) Net investment income	(c) Adjusted net income	(d) Disbursements for charitable purposes (cash basis only)
Revenue	1 Contributions, gifts, grants, etc., received (attach schedule)				
	2 Check <input type="checkbox"/> if the foundation is not required to attach Sch. B.				
	3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments				
	4 Dividends and interest from securities	6,325.	6,325.		STMT 1
	5a Gross rents				
	b Net rental income or (loss)				
	6a Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10	6,902.			
	b Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a	21,396.			
	7 Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2)		6,902.		
	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)	417.			STMT 2	
12 Total. Add lines 1 through 11	13,644.	13,227.			
Operating and Administrative Expenses	13 Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc.				
	14 Other employee salaries and wages		NONE	NONE	
	15 Pension plans, employee benefits		NONE	NONE	
	16a Legal fees (attach schedule)				
	b Accounting fees (attach schedule) STMT 3	925.	383.	NONE	542.
	c Other professional fees (attach schedule) STMT 4	107.	59.		48.
	17 Interest				
	18 Taxes (attach schedule) (see instructions) STMT 5	237.	93.		
	19 Depreciation (attach schedule) and depletion				
	20 Occupancy				
	21 Travel, conferences, and meetings		NONE	NONE	
	22 Printing and publications		NONE	NONE	
	23 Other expenses (attach schedule) STMT 6	82.	47.		35.
	24 Total operating and administrative expenses. Add lines 13 through 23	1,351.	582.	NONE	625.
	25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid	16,996.			16,996.
26 Total expenses and disbursements Add lines 24 and 25	18,347.	582.	NONE	17,621.	
27 Subtract line 26 from line 12					
a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements	-4,703.				
b Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)		12,645.			
c Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -0-)					

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Part II Balance Sheets		Attached schedules and amounts in the description column should be for end-of-year amounts only (See instructions)	Beginning of year	End of year	
			(a) Book Value	(b) Book Value	(c) Fair Market Value
Assets	1	Cash - non-interest-bearing	4,845.	1,854.	1,854.
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments	24,786.	2,025.	2,025.
	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 ▶	NONE		
	8	Inventories for sale or use			
	9	Prepaid expenses and deferred charges			
	10a	Investments - U S and state government obligations (attach schedule)	19,972.	39,924.	40,018.
	b	Investments - corporate stock (attach schedule)	107,557.	109,654.	179,453.
	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 ▶)				
16	Total assets (to be completed by all filers - see the instructions. Also, see page 1, item I)	157,160.	153,457.	223,350.	
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)		NONE		
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"/>				
	check here and complete lines 27 through 31.				
	27	Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds	157,160.	153,457.	
	28	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg, and equipment fund			
29	Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds				
30	Total net assets or fund balances (see instructions)	157,160.	153,457.		
31	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances (see instructions)	157,160.	153,457.		

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	157,160.
2	Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2	-4,703.
3	Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ OUTSIDE CHECKING ACCOUNT OUTSTANDING	3	1,150.
4	Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4	153,607.
5	Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ SEE STATEMENT 9	5	150.
6	Total net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5) - Part II, column (b), line 30	6	153,457.

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 PUBLICLY TRADED SECURITIES				
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 21,396.		14,494.	6,902.	
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			6,902.	
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	6,902.
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 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))
2014	37,621.	252,604.	0.148933
2013	11,863.	255,113.	0.046501
2012	16,554.	235,562.	0.070274
2011	16,653.	239,008.	0.069675
2010	21,365.	234,801.	0.090992
2 Total of line 1, column (d)			2 0.426375
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 0.085275
4 Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2015 from Part X, line 5			4 235,571.
5 Multiply line 4 by line 3			5 20,088.
6 Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b)			6 126.
7 Add lines 5 and 6			7 20,214.
8 Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4 If line 8 is equal to or greater than line 7, check the box in Part VI, line 1b, and complete that part using a 1% tax rate. See the Part VI instructions.			8 17,621.

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

Table with 11 rows for excise tax calculations. Includes sub-rows 6a-6d for credits and payments. Total tax due is 109.

Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities

Table with 10 rows for activity statements. Includes Yes/No columns. Activities include political campaign influence, unrelated business income, and state registration.

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 Yes No 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 Yes No X
13 Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements for its annual returns and exemption application? Website address N/A 13 Yes No X
14 The books are in care of NICHOLS & PRATT, LLP Telephone no (617) 523-6800 Located at 50 CONGRESS STREET, BOSTON, MA ZIP+4 02109
15 Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-PF in lieu of Form 1041 - Check here 15
16 At any time during calendar year 2015, 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? 16 Yes No X
See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114. 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)
(1) Engage in the sale or exchange, or leasing of property with a disqualified person? Yes X No
(2) Borrow money from, lend money to, or otherwise extend credit to (or accept it from) a disqualified person? Yes X No
(3) Furnish goods, services, or facilities to (or accept them from) a disqualified person? Yes X No
(4) Pay compensation to, or pay or reimburse the expenses of, a disqualified person? Yes X 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 X 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 X 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)? 1b
Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here
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 2015? 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 2015, did the foundation have any undistributed income (lines 6d and 6e, Part XIII) for tax year(s) beginning before 2015? Yes X 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 X
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 X No
b If "Yes," did it have excess business holdings in 2015 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 2015) 3b
4a Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes? 4a X
b Did the foundation make any investment in a prior year (but after December 31, 1969) that could jeopardize its charitable purpose that had not been removed from jeopardy before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2015? 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 propoganda, 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)? Yes No

Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here

c If the answer is "Yes" to question 5a(4), does the foundation claim exemption from the tax because it maintained expenditure responsibility for the grant? Yes No

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

6a Did the foundation, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract? Yes No

b Did the foundation, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract? Yes No

If "Yes" to 6b, file Form 8870

7a At any time during the tax year, was the foundation a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction? Yes No

b If "Yes," did the foundation receive any proceeds or have any net income attributable to the transaction? Yes No

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
JAMES R NICHOLS NICHOLS & PRATT, LLP 50 CONGRESS ST, BOSTON, MA 02109	TRUSTEE	-0-	-0-	-0-
RALPH D BOOTH, JR C/O NICHOLS & PRATT 50 CONGRESS ST., BOSTON, MA 02109	TRUSTEE	-0-	-0-	-0-
BETSY J BOOTH C/O NICHOLS & PRATT 50 CONGRESS ST., BOSTON, MA 02109	TRUSTEE	-0-	-0-	-0-

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

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

Total number of other employees paid over \$50,000 **NONE**

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		NONE
Total number of others receiving over \$50,000 for professional services		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 NONE	
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 NONE		
2		
All other program-related investments See instructions 3 NONE		
Total. Add lines 1 through 3		

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

1	Fair market value of assets not used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes:		
a	Average monthly fair market value of securities	1a	203,158.
b	Average of monthly cash balances	1b	33,380.
c	Fair market value of all other assets (see instructions).	1c	2,620.
d	Total (add lines 1a, b, and c)	1d	239,158.
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	NONE
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1d	3	239,158.
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities. Enter 1 1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions).	4	3,587.
5	Net value of noncharitable-use assets. Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter here and on Part V, line 4	5	235,571.
6	Minimum investment return. Enter 5% of line 5	6	11,779.

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	11,779.
2a	Tax on investment income for 2015 from Part VI, line 5	2a	253.
b	Income tax for 2015. (This does not include the tax from Part VI.)	2b	
c	Add lines 2a and 2b	2c	253.
3	Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1	3	11,526.
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions	4	NONE
5	Add lines 3 and 4	5	11,526.
6	Deduction from distributable amount (see instructions).	6	NONE
7	Distributable amount as adjusted. Subtract line 6 from line 5. Enter here and on Part XIII, line 1	7	11,526.

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	17,621.
b	Program-related investments - total from Part IX-B	1b	
2	Amounts paid to acquire assets used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes	2	NONE
3	Amounts set aside for specific charitable projects that satisfy the:		
a	Suitability test (prior IRS approval required)	3a	NONE
b	Cash distribution test (attach the required schedule)	3b	NONE
4	Qualifying distributions. Add lines 1a through 3b. Enter here and on Part V, line 8, and Part XIII, line 4	4	17,621.
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	N/A
6	Adjusted qualifying distributions. Subtract line 5 from line 4	6	17,621.

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 2014	(c) 2014	(d) 2015
1 Distributable amount for 2015 from Part XI, line 7				11,526.
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2015				
a Enter amount for 2014 only.			NONE	
b Total for prior years 20 <u>13</u> , 20 <u> </u> , 20 <u> </u>		NONE		
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2015.				
a From 2010	9,760.			
b From 2011	4,835.			
c From 2012	4,906.			
d From 2013	NONE			
e From 2014	25,275.			
f Total of lines 3a through e	44,776.			
4 Qualifying distributions for 2015 from Part XII, line 4. ▶ \$ <u>17,621.</u>				
a Applied to 2014, but not more than line 2a			NONE	
b Applied to undistributed income of prior years (Election required - see instructions)		NONE		
c Treated as distributions out of corpus (Election required - see instructions)	NONE			
d Applied to 2015 distributable amount.				11,526.
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus.	6,095.			
5 Excess distributions carryover applied to 2015. (If an amount appears in column (d), the same amount must be shown in column (a))	NONE			NONE
6 Enter the net total of each column as indicated below:				
a Corpus. Add lines 3f, 4c, and 4e. Subtract line 5	50,871.			
b Prior years' undistributed income Subtract line 4b from line 2b.		NONE		
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		NONE		
d Subtract line 6c from line 6b. Taxable amount - see instructions		NONE		
e Undistributed income for 2014. Subtract line 4a from line 2a. Taxable amount - see instructions			NONE	
f Undistributed income for 2015. Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1 This amount must be distributed in 2016.				NONE
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)	NONE			
8 Excess distributions carryover from 2010 not applied on line 5 or line 7 (see instructions)	9,760.			
9 Excess distributions carryover to 2016. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a	41,111.			
10 Analysis of line 9				
a Excess from 2011	4,835.			
b Excess from 2012	4,906.			
c Excess from 2013	NONE			
d Excess from 2014	25,275.			
e Excess from 2015	6,095.			

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

NOT APPLICABLE

1a If the foundation has received a ruling or determination letter that it is a private operating foundation, and the ruling is effective for 2015, enter the date of the ruling ▶

b Check box to indicate whether the foundation is a private operating foundation described in section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5)

	Tax year	Prior 3 years			(e) Total
	(a) 2015	(b) 2014	(c) 2013	(d) 2012	
2a Enter the lesser of the adjusted net income from Part I or the minimum investment return from Part X for each year listed					
b 85% of line 2a					
c Qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4 for each year listed					
d Amounts included in line 2c not used directly for active conduct of exempt activities					
e Qualifying distributions made directly for active conduct of exempt activities Subtract line 2d from line 2c					
3 Complete 3a, b, or c for the alternative test relied upon					
a "Assets" alternative test - enter					
(1) Value of all assets					
(2) Value of assets qualifying under section 4942(j)(3)(B)(i)					
b "Endowment" alternative test - enter 2/3 of minimum investment return shown in Part X, line 6 for each year listed					
c "Support" alternative test - enter					
(1) Total support other than gross investment income (interest, dividends, rents, payments on securities loans (section 512(a)(5)), or royalties)					
(2) Support from general public and 5 or more exempt organizations as provided in section 4942(j)(3)(B)(iii)					
(3) Largest amount of support from an exempt organization					
(4) Gross investment income					

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

1 Information Regarding Foundation Managers:

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

N/A

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

N/A

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

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

a The name, address, and telephone number or e-mail address of the person to whom applications should be addressed:

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

c Any submission deadlines:

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

Part XV Supplementary Information (continued)

3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year or Approved for Future Payment

Recipient Name and address (home or business)	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
<p>a Paid during the year</p> <p>SEE STATEMENT 20</p>				16,996.
Total ▶ 3a				16,996.
<p>b Approved for future payment</p>				
Total ▶ 3b				

Part XVI-A Analysis of Income-Producing Activities

Enter gross amounts unless otherwise indicated.

Table with 5 main columns: (a) Business code, (b) Amount, (c) Exclusion code, (d) Amount, (e) Related or exempt function income. Rows include Program service revenue, Membership dues, Interest on savings, Dividends, Net rental income, Gain or loss from sales, and Subtotal.

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

Table with 2 columns: Line No. and Explain below how each activity for which income is reported in column (e) of Part XVI-A contributed importantly to the accomplishment of the foundation's exempt purposes.

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

DESCRIPTION	REVENUE AND EXPENSES PER BOOKS	NET INVESTMENT INCOME
ABBOTT LABS	72.	72.
AUTOMATIC DATA PROCESSING INC	294.	294.
BHP BILLITON LTD SPONS ADR	232.	232.
CATERPILLAR INC	294.	294.
CISCO SYSTEMS INC	103.	103.
COCA COLA CO	462.	462.
EMERSON ELEC CO	283.	283.
EXXONMOBIL CORP	288.	288.
GENERAL ELECTRIC CORP	552.	552.
INTEL CORP	96.	96.
JOHNSON & JOHNSON	590.	590.
JOHNSON CONTROLS INC	52.	52.
KINDER MORGAN INC	193.	193.
LINER TECHNOLOGY CORP	60.	60.
MERCK & CO INC	270.	270.
FEDERATED US TREASURY CASH RSV FD-I	1.	1.
NOVARTIS AG SPONSORED ADR	267.	267.
PEPSICO INC	272.	272.
PRAXAIR INC	172.	172.
PROCTER & GAMBLE CO	461.	461.
QUALCOMM INC	93.	93.
SCHLUMBERGER LTD	190.	190.
STATE STREET CORP	96.	96.
SYSCO CORP	240.	240.
U.S. TREASURY NOTES 5.125% 5/15/16	513.	513.
U.S. TREASURY NOTES 0.250% 7/15/15	25.	25.
UNITED TECHNOLOGIES CORP	154.	154.
TOTAL	6,325.	6,325.

FORM 990PF, PART I - OTHER INCOME

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DESCRIPTION	REVENUE AND EXPENSES PER BOOKS
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IRS REFUND	417.
TOTALS	----- 417. =====

FORM 990PF, PART I - ACCOUNTING FEES
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DESCRIPTION	REVENUE AND EXPENSES PER BOOKS	NET INVESTMENT INCOME	ADJUSTED NET INCOME	CHARITABLE PURPOSES
TAX PREPARATION FEE (NON-ALLOC	925.	383.		542.
TOTALS	925.	383.	NONE	542.

FORM 990PF, PART I - OTHER PROFESSIONAL FEES

DESCRIPTION	REVENUE AND EXPENSES PER BOOKS	NET INVESTMENT INCOME	CHARITABLE PURPOSES
INVESTMENT MGMT FEES-SUBJECT T	107.	59.	48.
TOTALS	107.	59.	48.

FORM 990PF, PART I - TAXES
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DESCRIPTION -----	REVENUE AND EXPENSES PER BOOKS -----	NET INVESTMENT INCOME -----
FOREIGN TAXES	93.	93.
FEDERAL ESTIMATES - PRINCIPAL	144.	
TOTALS	237.	93.
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FORM 990PF, PART I - OTHER EXPENSES

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DESCRIPTION	REVENUE AND EXPENSES PER BOOKS	NET INVESTMENT INCOME	CHARITABLE PURPOSES
MA FILING FEE	35.		35.
ADR FEE	2.	2.	
CHECKING FEE	45.	45.	
TOTALS	82.	47.	35.

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FORM 990PF, PART II - U.S. AND STATE OBLIGATIONS
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DESCRIPTION -----	ENDING BOOK VALUE -----	ENDING FMV ---
USTN DTD 5/15/2006 5.125% 5/15	9,991.	10,170.
USTN DTD 7/15/2014 .875% 7/15/	10,006.	9,983.
USTN DTD 11/30/2013 1.250% 11/	10,013.	9,983.
USTN DTD 10/31/2012 1.250% 10/	9,914.	9,882.
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TOTALS	39,924.	40,018.
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FORM 990PF, PART II - CORPORATE STOCK
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DESCRIPTION	ENDING BOOK VALUE	ENDING FMV
JOHNSON CONTROLS INC	1,544.	1,975.
COCA COLA CO	10,205.	15,036.
PEPSICO INC	4,599.	9,992.
PROCTER & GAMBLE CO	5,371.	13,897.
SYSCO CORP	1,913.	4,100.
EXXONMOBIL CORP	3,855.	7,795.
SCHLUMBERGER LTD	4,320.	6,975.
STATE STREET CORP	2,594.	4,977.
JOHNSON & JOHNSON	8,627.	20,544.
MERCK & CO INC	9,864.	7,923.
NOVAARTIS AG SPONSORED ADR	5,306.	8,604.
CATERPILLAR INC	4,271.	6,796.
EMERSON ELEC CO	4,463.	7,175.
FASTENAL CO	4,003.	4,082.
GENERAL ELECTRIC CORP	7,885.	18,690.
UNITED TECHNOLOGIES CORP	2,998.	5,764.
AUTOMATIC DATA PROCESSING INC	6,307.	12,708.
CISCO SYSTEMS INC	2,396.	3,394.
INTEL CORP	2,514.	3,445.
LINEAR TECHNOLOGY CORP	1,399.	2,124.
QUALCOMM INC	3,109.	2,499.
BHP BILLITON LTD SPONS ADR	4,342.	2,576.
PRAXAIR INC	3,387.	6,144.
KINDER MORGAN	4,382.	2,238.
TOTALS	109,654.	179,453.

FORM 990PF, PART III - OTHER DECREASES IN NET WORTH OR FUND BALANCES

DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT
PRIOR YEAR ADJUSTMENT	98.
ACCRUED INTEREST DT 15 EFF 16	50.
ROUNDING	2.
TOTAL	150.

RECIPIENT NAME:
A SAFE PLACE
RELATIONSHIP:
NONE
PURPOSE OF GRANT:
SUPPORT
FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:
PUBLIC CHARITY
AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 250.

RECIPIENT NAME:
APPALACHIAN MOUNTAIN TEEN PROJECT
ADDRESS:
P.O. BOX 1597 85 BAY ST.
WOLFEBORO, NH 03894
RELATIONSHIP:
NONE
PURPOSE OF GRANT:
SUPPORT
FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:
PUBLIC FOUNDATION
AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 500.

RECIPIENT NAME:
BARNSTORMERS THEATRE
ADDRESS:
104 MAIN ST
TAMWORTH, NH 03886
RELATIONSHIP:
NONE
PURPOSE OF GRANT:
SUPPORT
FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:
PUBLIC CHARITY
AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 250.

RECIPIENT NAME:
CASA OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
ASSOCIATION
ADDRESS:
P.O. BOX 1327
MANCHESTER, NH 03105-1327
RELATIONSHIP:
NONE
PURPOSE OF GRANT:
SUPPORT
FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:
PUBLIC CHARITY
AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 250.

RECIPIENT NAME:
KINGSWOOD YOUTH CENTER
ADDRESS:
P.O. BOX 697
WOLFBORO FALLS, NH 03896
RELATIONSHIP:
NONE
PURPOSE OF GRANT:
SUPPORT
FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:
PUBLIC CHARITY
AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 500.

RECIPIENT NAME:
LAKES REGION CONSERVATION TRUST
ADDRESS:
156 DANE RD
CENTER HARBOR, NH 03226
RELATIONSHIP:
NONE
PURPOSE OF GRANT:
SUPPORT
FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:
PUBLIC CHARITY
AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 500.

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RECIPIENT NAME:
LEE CHURCH CONGREGATIONAL
ADDRESS:
17 MAST RD (RT 155)
LEE, NH 03861
RELATIONSHIP:
NONE
PURPOSE OF GRANT:
SUPPORT
FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:
PUBLIC CHARITY
AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 500.

RECIPIENT NAME:
LIGHTHOUSE KIDS
RELATIONSHIP:
NONE
PURPOSE OF GRANT:
SUPPORT
FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:
PUBLIC CHARITY
AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 100.

RECIPIENT NAME:
NH BOAT MUSEUM
ADDRESS:
397 CENTER ST.
WOLFEBORO FALLS, NH 03896
RELATIONSHIP:
NONE
PURPOSE OF GRANT:
SUPPORT
FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:
PUBLIC CHARITY
AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 100.

RECIPIENT NAME:
NH FARM MUSEUM
ADDRESS:
P.O. BOX 664 RT.125 PLUMMER'S RIDGE
MILTON, NH 03851
RELATIONSHIP:
NONE
PURPOSE OF GRANT:
SUPPORT
FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:
PUBLIC CHARITY
AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 250.

RECIPIENT NAME:
NH PUBLIC RADIO
ADDRESS:
2 PILLSBURY RD. 6TH FLOOR
CONCORD, NH 03301
RELATIONSHIP:
NONE
PURPOSE OF GRANT:
SUPPORT
FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:
PUBLIC CHARITY
AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 250.

RECIPIENT NAME:
NH PUBLIC TV
ADDRESS:
268 MAST RD.
DURHAM, NH 03824
RELATIONSHIP:
NONE
PURPOSE OF GRANT:
SUPPORT
FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:
PUBLIC CHARITY
AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 250.

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RECIPIENT NAME:
 OSSIPEE CHILDREN'S FUND
ADDRESS:
 P.O. BOX 685
 CTR OSSIPEE, NH 03814
RELATIONSHIP:
 NONE
PURPOSE OF GRANT:
 SUPPORT
FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:
 PUBLIC CHARITY
AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 1,000.

RECIPIENT NAME:
 SOCIETY FOR THE
 PROTECTION OF NH FORESTS
ADDRESS:
 54 PORTSMOUTH ST.
 CONCORD, NH 03301
RELATIONSHIP:
 NONE
PURPOSE OF GRANT:
 SUPPORT
FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:
 PUBLIC CHARITY
AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 500.

RECIPIENT NAME:
 STONEWALL FARM
ADDRESS:
 242 CHESTERFIELD RD
 KEENE, NH 03431
RELATIONSHIP:
 NONE
PURPOSE OF GRANT:
 SUPPORT
FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:
 PUBLIC CHARITY
AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 300.

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RECIPIENT NAME:
VILLAGE PLAYERS
RELATIONSHIP:
NONE
PURPOSE OF GRANT:
SUPPORT
FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:
PUBLIC CHARITY
AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 500.

RECIPIENT NAME:
VNA HOSPICE
RELATIONSHIP:
NONE
PURPOSE OF GRANT:
SUPPORT
FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:
PUBLIC CHARITY
AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 250.

RECIPIENT NAME:
WEDCO-TRAC
RELATIONSHIP:
NONE
PURPOSE OF GRANT:
SUPPORT
FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:
PUBLIC CHARITY
AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 250.

RECIPIENT NAME:
WOLFEBORO AREA CHILDREN'S
CENTER
ADDRESS:
180 SOUTH MAIN ST.
WOLFEBORO, NH 03894-4401
RELATIONSHIP:
NONE
PURPOSE OF GRANT:
SUPPORT
FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:
PUBLIC CHARITY
AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 250.

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RECIPIENT NAME:
WOLFEBORO AREA MEALS ON WHEELS
RELATIONSHIP:
NONE
PURPOSE OF GRANT:
SUPPORT
FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:
PUBLIC CHARITY
AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 250.

RECIPIENT NAME:
WOLFEBORO AREA RECREATION
ASSOCIATION WARA -NICK
RELATIONSHIP:
NONE
PURPOSE OF GRANT:
SUPPORT
FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:
PUBLIC CHARITY
AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 500.

RECIPIENT NAME:
CASTLE PRESERVATION SOCIETY
RELATIONSHIP:
NONE
PURPOSE OF GRANT:
SUPPORT
FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:
PUBLIC CHARITY
AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 250.

RECIPIENT NAME:
GREAT WATERS MUSIC FESTIVAL
ADDRESS:
58 NORTH MAIN ST.
WOLFEBORO, NH 03894
RELATIONSHIP:
NONE
PURPOSE OF GRANT:
SUPPORT
FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:
PUBLIC CHARITY
AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 250.

RECIPIENT NAME:
L.I.F.E. MINISTRIES FOOD PANTRY
ADDRESS:
228 SOUTH MAIN ST.
WOLFEBORO, NH 03894-4411
RELATIONSHIP:
NONE
PURPOSE OF GRANT:
SUPPORT
FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:
PUBLIC CHARITY
AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 250.

RECIPIENT NAME:
LOON PRESERVATION COMMITTEE
RELATIONSHIP:
NONE
PURPOSE OF GRANT:
SUPPORT
FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:
PUBLIC CHARITY
AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 500.

RECIPIENT NAME:
NH AGRICULTURE IN THE CLASSROOM
ADDRESS:
295 SHEEP DAVIS RD.
CONCORD, NH 03301
RELATIONSHIP:
NONE
PURPOSE OF GRANT:
SUPPORT
FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:
PUBLIC CHARITY
AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 500.

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RECIPIENT NAME:
UNH FOUNDATION- DR TOM FAIRCHILD
RELATIONSHIP:
NONE
PURPOSE OF GRANT:
SUPPORT
FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:
PUBLIC CHARITY
AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 500.

RECIPIENT NAME:
HUGGINS HOSPITAL
RELATIONSHIP:
NONE
PURPOSE OF GRANT:
SUPPORT
FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:
PUBLIC CHARITY
AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 100.

RECIPIENT NAME:
FRIENDS OF THE LIBBY MUSEUM
RELATIONSHIP:
NONE
PURPOSE OF GRANT:
SUPPORT
FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:
PUBLIC CHARITY
AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 100.

RECIPIENT NAME:
RAILS TO TRAILS CONSERVANCY
RELATIONSHIP:
NONE
PURPOSE OF GRANT:
SUPPORT PROGRAM
FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:
PUBLIC CHARITY
AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 100.

RECIPIENT NAME:
SQUAM LAKES SCIENCE CENTER
RELATIONSHIP:
NONE
PURPOSE OF GRANT:
SUPPORT
FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:
PUBLIC CHARITY
AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 250.

RECIPIENT NAME:
CHILDREN'S LITERACY FOUNDATION
RELATIONSHIP:
NONE
PURPOSE OF GRANT:
SUPPORT
FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:
PUBLIC CHARITY
AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 500.

RECIPIENT NAME:
FRIENDS OF MUSIC
RELATIONSHIP:
NONE
PURPOSE OF GRANT:
SUPPORT
FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:
PUBLIC CHARITY
AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 100.

RECIPIENT NAME:
FRIENDS OF THE WOLFEBORO LIBRARY
ADDRESS:
259 SOUTH MAIN ST.
WOLFEBORO, NH 03894
RELATIONSHIP:
NONE
PURPOSE OF GRANT:
SUPPORT
FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:
PUBLIC CHARITY
AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 100.

RECIPIENT NAME:
 NH LAKES ASSOCIATION
 ADDRESS:
 14 HORSESHOE POND LN
 CONCORD, NH 03301
 RELATIONSHIP:
 NONE
 PURPOSE OF GRANT:
 SUPPORT
 FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:
 PUBLIC CHARITY
 AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 150.

RECIPIENT NAME:
 END 68 HOURS OF HUNGER
 AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 546.

RECIPIENT NAME:
 MAKE A WISH
 AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 150.

RECIPIENT NAME:
 FRIENDS OF WOLFEBORO COMMUNITY BANDSTAND
 AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 150.

RECIPIENT NAME:
 LAKES REGION CURLING ASSOCIATION
 AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 4,000.

RECIPIENT NAME:
 4-H FOUNDATION OF NH
 RELATIONSHIP:
 NONE
 PURPOSE OF GRANT:
 SUPPORT
 FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT:
 PUBLIC CHARITY
 AMOUNT OF GRANT PAID 1,000.

TOTAL GRANTS PAID: 16,996.
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FEDERAL FOOTNOTES

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