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## Form **990-PF**.

OMB No 1545-0052

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

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•	Nar	ne of	foundation	<del></del>			A Employer identification	on number
	ф	HE	TAILWIND FOU	NDATTON			20-863016	9
			and street (or P O box number if m		address)	Room/suite	B Telephone number	<u> </u>
	4	5	N.E. LOOP 410	)	,	265	210-375-0	765
			own, state or province, count		ostal code		C If exemption application is	
	-		ANTONIO, TX	78216	<b>304.</b>		o il exemption application is	portaing, criscol flate
				itial return	Initial return of a fo	ormer public charity	D 1. Foreign organization	ns, check here
			Fi	nal return	Amended return	•		
			· Ac	ddress change	Name change		Foreign organizations no check here and attach in the check here.	neeting the 85% test, computation
	H C	heck	type of organization:	Section 501(c)(3) ex	empt private foundation		E If private foundation st	atus was terminated
		Se	ction 4947(a)(1) nonexempt	charitable trust	Other taxable private founda	ation	under section 507(b)(	
	I Fa	ır ma	arket value of all assets at end	l of year   J Account	ng method: X Cash	Accrual	F If the foundation is in a	60-month termination
			Part II, col (c), line 16)		her (specify)		under section 507(b)(	1)(B), check here $ ightharpoonup$
					mn (d) must be on cash	basis.)		
	Pa	rt I	Analysis of Revenue and E (The total of amounts in columns necessarily equal the amounts ii	xpenses s (b), (c), and (d) may not	(a) Revenue and expenses per books	(b) Net investment	(c) Adjusted net	(d) Disbursements for charitable purposes
						income	income	(cash basis only)
		1	Contributions, gifts, grants,		3,527.		N/A	
		2	Check X if the foundation is a					
		3	Interest on savings and temporar cash investments		46 226	46 226		OMA MENTENTO 1
		4	Dividends and interest from	securities	46,326.	46,326	•	STATEMENT 1
			Gross rents  Net rental income or (loss)					
			Net gain or (loss) from sale of ass		-120,450.			
	ne	b	Gross sales price for all	941,092.	120,430.			
	Revenue	7	assets on line 6a  Capital gain net income (from Pari			0		
	æ	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)					
		11	Other income		-119.	-119		STATEMENT 2
		12	Total. Add lines 1 through 1	1	-70,716.	46,207		
		13	Compensation of officers, directo		0.	0	•	0.
		14	Other employee salaries and	= -				
Г	S	-15- 	Pension plans, employee be	nefits	=			
	nses		Egal fees VED	Cmvm 2	2 527	0		3,527.
10	у кре		Accounting fees Other-professional fees	STMT 3	3,527.		•	3,341.
18	AUU9 nistrative Expen	171	Other-professional fees Of Interest		29,096.	29,096		0.
1	ativ		Taxes	STMT 4	7.	7		0.
اه	istr	ື່ດ	Depreciation and depletion	DIMI 4		<b>/</b>		
2016	౼౼		Occupancy					
	Ad	21	Travel, conferences, and me	etings				
	73	22	Printing and publications					
		23	Other expenses	STMT 5	3,444.	3,444	•	0.
	Operating		Total operating and admini	strative				
~	per		expenses. Add lines 13 thro	ough 23	36,074.	32,547	•	3,527.
	0	25	Contributions, gifts, grants p	paid	0.		ļ	0.
Ž		26	Total expenses and disburs	sements.		:-		2 52-
8			Add lines 24 and 25		36,074.	32,547	•	3,527.
SCANNED NAY		27	Subtract line 26 from line 12		100 700			
(C)			Excess of revenue over expenses		-106,790.	13,660		
			Net investment income (if ne			13,000	N/A	<del>                                     </del>
		C	Adjusted net income (if negating	tive, enter -U-)				_ I

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Part II Balance Sheets Attached schedules and amounts in the description column should be for end of year amounts only			Beginning of year	End o		
	art	column should be for end-of-year amounts only	(a) Book Value	(b) Book Value	(c) Fair Market Value	
	1					
,	1	Savings and temporary cash investments	2,916.	20,860.	20,860.	
	3	Accounts receivable -				
	١.	Less: allowance for doubtful accounts				
	4	Pledges receivable				
	_	Less: allowance for doubtful accounts ►  Grants receivable				
	1 .	Receivables due from officers, directors, trustees, and other				
	°	disqualified persons				
	٦,	Other notes and loans receivable				
		Less; allowance for doubtful accounts				
Ø	8	Inventories for sale or use		-		
Assets		Prepaid expenses and deferred charges	6,499.	6,170.	6,170.	
Ą		Investments - U.S. and state government obligations	•			
	b	Investments - corporate stock STMT 6	1,390,755.	1,625,057.	2,284,884.	
	c	Investments - corporate bonds				
	11	Investments - land, buildings, and equipment basis				
		Less accumulated depreciation				
	12	Investments - mortgage loans				
	13	Investments - other STMT 7	1,477,206.	1,118,305.	1,242,788.	
	14	Land, buildings, and equipment: basis				
		Less accumulated depreciation	0.000	1 004	1 004	
	1	Other assets (describe STATEMENT 8)	2,039.	1,904.	1,904.	
	16	Total assets (to be completed by all filers - see the	2 070 415	2 772 206	2 556 606	
	47	Instructions. Also, see page 1, item I)	2,879,415.	2,772,296.	3,556,606.	
	18	Accounts payable and accrued expenses  Grants payable				
<b>"</b> A	19	Deferred revenue				
Liabilities	20	Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons				
ig	21	Mortgages and other notes payable	820,000.	820,000.	STATEMENT 9	
Ë	I	Other liabilities (describe )				
_	23	Total liabilities (add lines 17 through 22)	820,000.	820,000.		
-		Foundations that follow SFAS 117, check here				
<b>/</b> 0		and complete lines 24 through 26 and lines 30 and 31.				
čě	24	Unrestricted				
alan	25	Temporarily restricted				
Net Assets or Fund Balances	26	Permanently restricted				
Ĕ		Foundations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here				
卢		and complete lines 27 through 31.	ا م	0.		
ts	27	Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds	0.	0.		
SSE	28	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg., and equipment fund	2,059,415.	1,952,296.		
et A	29	Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds  Total net assets or fund balances	2,059,415.	1,952,296.		
Ž	30	Total net assets of folio balances	2,033,413.	<u> </u>		
	31	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances	2,879,415.	2,772,296.		
_					· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
<u> </u>	art	Analysis of Changes in Net Assets or Fund Ba	<u>-</u>			
1	Tota	net assets or fund balances at beginning of year - Part II, column (a), line 3	0			
	(mus	st agree with end-of-year figure reported on prior year's return)		1	2,059,415.	
2		r amount from Part I, line 27a		2	-106,790.	
3		r increases not included in line 2 (itemize)		3	1.052.625	
4		lines 1, 2, and 3	700VE M1V 5175	4	1,952,625.	
5		eases not included in line 2 (itemize) > 2014 FEDERAL IN		5	329. 1,952,296.	
6	Tota	net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5) - Part II, col	umm (u), mie 30		Form <b>990-PF</b> (2015)	

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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 (c) Date acquired (mo., day, yr.)

(d) Date sold (mo., day, yr.)

b PUBLICLY TRADED SECURITIES
b PUBLICLY TRADED PARTNERSHIP
c FROM K-1 US NATURAL GAS FUND

 (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
 795,067.
 847,723.
 -52,656

 b
 146,025.
 205,888.
 -59,863

 c
 -7,931

Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69

(i) F.M.V. as of 12/31/69

(j) Adjusted basis as of 12/31/69

(k) Excess of col. (i) over col. (j), if any

(l) Gains (Col. (h) gain minus col. (k), but not less than -0-) or Losses (from col. (h))

-52,656

-59,863

-7,931

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

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

Part V | Qualification Under Section 4940(e) for Reduced Tax on Net Inv

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.

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

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

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

(a) Base period years (c) Net value of noncharitable-use assets Adjusted qualifying distributions Calendar year (or tax year beginning in) 272,708. 4,009,679 2014 17,033. <u>3,628,955</u>. 2013 2,520. <u>3,694,588</u> 2012 3,569,206. 33,865. 2011  $\overline{1}37.772$ 945,537 2010

2 Total of line 1, column (d)

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

Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2015 from Part X, line 5

5 Multiply line 4 by line 3

6 Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b)

7 Add lines 5 and 6

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.

3 .076843
4 3,876,302.
5 297,867.
6 137.
7 298,004.
8 3,527.

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Part VI   Excise Tax Based on Investment Income (Section 4940(a), 4940(b), 4940(e), o	<u>r 4948</u>	- see ın	stru	ctioi	าร)
1a Exempt operating foundations described in section 4940(d)(2), check here Land enter "N/A" on line 1.					
Date of ruling or determination letter: (attach copy of letter if necessary-see instructions)					
b Domestic foundations that meet the section 4940(e) requirements in Part V, check here ▶ ☐ and enter 1%	1			2	<u>73.</u>
of Part I, line 27b					
c All other domestic foundations enter 2% of line 27b. Exempt foreign organizations enter 4% of Part I, line 12, col. (b).					
2 Tax under section 511 (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only. Others enter -0-)	2				<u>0.</u>
3 Add lines 1 and 2	3_			2	<u>73.</u>
4 Subtitle A (income) tax (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only. Others enter -0-)	4	<del>                                     </del>			0.
5 Tax based on investment income. Subtract line 4 from line 3. If zero or less, enter -0-	5			<u>2</u>	<u>73.</u>
6 Credits/Payments:					
a 2015 estimated tax payments and 2014 overpayment credited to 2015 6a 6, 170	<b>)</b> .				
b Exempt foreign organizations - tax withheld at source 6b					
c Tax paid with application for extension of time to file (Form 8868)					
d Backup withholding erroneously withheld 6d					
7 Total credits and payments. Add lines 6a through 6d	7			6,1	<u>70.</u>
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	T			
10 Overpayment. If line 7 is more than the total of lines 5 and 8, enter the amount overpaid	▶ 10	T		5,8	<u>97.</u>
11 Enter the amount of line 10 to be: Credited to 2016 estimated tax > 5,897. Refunded	▶ 11				0.
Part VII-A   Statements Regarding Activities					
1a During the tax year, did the foundation attempt to influence any national, state, or local legislation or did it participate or interv	ene in			Yes	No
any political campaign?			1a		X
b Did it spend more than \$100 during the year (either directly or indirectly) for political purposes (see instructions for the defini	lion)?	Ī	1b	-	X
If the answer is "Yes" to 1a or 1b, attach a detailed description of the activities and copies of any materials publ					
distributed by the foundation in connection with the activities.					
c Did the foundation file Form 1120-POL for this year?			1c		Х
d Enter the amount (if any) of tax on political expenditures (section 4955) imposed during the year:		Ī			
	o.				
e Enter the reimbursement (if any) paid by the foundation during the year for political expenditure tax imposed on foundation	<del></del>				
managers. ▶ \$ 0.					
2 Has the foundation engaged in any activities that have not previously been reported to the IRS?			2		х
If "Yes," attach a detailed description of the activities.					
3 Has the foundation made any changes, not previously reported to the IRS, in its governing instrument, articles of incorporation	n, or	ŀ			
bylaws, or other similar instruments? If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the changes	,	ŀ	3		X_
4a Did the foundation have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?		Ī	4a		Х
b If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on Form 990-T for this year?	1	N/A	4b		
5 Was there a liquidation, termination, dissolution, or substantial contraction during the year?			5		Х
If "Yes," attach the statement required by General Instruction T		Ī			
6 Are the requirements of section 508(e) (relating to sections 4941 through 4945) satisfied either:		ŀ			
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 legislation.	tate law	l			
remain in the governing instrument?		İ	6	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	Ī	7	X	
7 Did the following the cast outst outst outst out any time during the year 7.7 Test outst out the		Ī			
8a Enter the states to which the foundation reports or with which it is registered (see instructions)					
TX					
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		ľ	8b	X	
to the second of	calendar	ļ	<b>-</b> -		
year 2015 or the taxable year beginning in 2015 (see instructions for Part XIV)? If "Yes," complete Part XIV			9		x
10 Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year? It "Yes," attach a schedule listing their names and addresses		ļ	10		X
10 Did diff persons decome substantial contributors during the tax years in 165, attach a seriodele learning most finance and accretions	-	Forr		)-PF	(2015)

had not been removed from jeopardy before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2015?

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Part VII-B   Statements Regarding Activities for Which	ch Form 4720 May Be	Required (contin	ued)	
5a During the year did the foundation pay or incur any amount to:				
(1) Carry on propaganda, or otherwise attempt to influence legislation (se	ction 4945(e))?	Y	es 🗓 No	
(2) Influence the outcome of any specific public election (see section 495)	5); or to carry on, directly or indir	ectly,		
any voter registration drive?		Y	es 🗶 No	
(3) Provide a grant to an individual for travel, study, or other similar purpo	oses?	Y	es X No	
(4) Provide a grant to an organization other than a charitable, etc., organization			_	
4945(d)(4)(A)? (see instructions)		Y	es X No	
(5) Provide for any purpose other than religious, charitable, scientific, liter	rary, or educational purposes, or			
the prevention of crueity to children or animals?	,,, ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, ,		es X No	
b If any answer is "Yes" to 5a(1)-(5), did any of the transactions fail to qualify	under the exceptions described			
section 53.4945 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance (see in	·	gaa	N/A	5b
Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance che				
c If the answer is "Yes" to question 5a(4), does the foundation claim exempti		nined		
expenditure responsibility for the grant?		1/A 🖂 Y	es 🔲 No	
If "Yes," attach the statement required by Regulations section 53.4		.,		
6a Did the foundation, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly				
a personal benefit contract?	, to pay promismo on	□ v	es X No	
<ul><li>b Did the foundation, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, or</li></ul>	n a narconal hanafit contract?	· · · · · ·		Sb X
If "Yes" to 6b, file Form 8870	ir a personal benefit contract.		<u> </u>	11
7a At any time during the tax year, was the foundation a party to a prohibited to	tay chalter transaction?		es X No	.   _
		T	·	7b
Part VIII Information About Officers, Directors, Tru		nagers Highly		
Paid Employees, and Contractors	ustees, Foundation ivid	anayers, mgm	y	
1 List all officers, directors, trustees, foundation managers and th	neir compensation.			
		(c) Compensation	(d) Contributions to	(e) Expense account, other
(a) Name and address	(b) Title, and average hours per week devoted to position	(If not paid, enter -0-)	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	account, other allowances
WARREN W. TICHENOR	DIRECTOR	enter-0-)	compensation	unowanoco
45 N.E. LOOP 410, SUITE #265	DIRECTOR			
SAN ANTONIO, TX 78216	0.00	0.	0.	0.
RHONDA E. TICHENOR	DIRECTOR	† ·	0.	<u> </u>
45 N.E. LOOP 410, SUITE #265	DIRECTOR			
SAN ANTONIO, TX 78216	0.00	0.	0.	0.
ADRIANA G. MATOUK	SECRETARY	0.	0.	<u> </u>
45 N.E. LOOP 410, SUITE #265	SECKEIAKI			
		0.	0.	0.
SAN ANTONIO, TX 78216	0.00 DIRECTOR	"	- 0.	
WARREN W. TICHENOR II	DIRECTOR			
45 N.E. LOOP 410, SUITE #265	0.00	0.	0.	0
SAN ANTONIO, TX 78216  2 Compensation of five highest-paid employees (other than those				0.
	(b) Title, and average		(d) Contributions to	(e) Expense account, other
(a) Name and address of each employee paid more than \$50,000	hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred	account, other allowances
MONTE	devoted to position	<del></del>	compensation	dilowanico
NONE	-			
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Table number of other employees paid over \$50,000	<u> </u>		<u></u>	0
Total number of other employees paid over \$50,000				000 DE (00 (5)

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Part VIII Information About Officers, Directors, Trustees, Foundation Managers, Highl Paid Employees, and Contractors (continued)	У		
Five highest-paid independent contractors for professional services. If none, enter "NONE."			
(a) Name and address of each person paid more than \$50,000 (b) Type of ser	vice	(c) Compen	sation
NONE			
ATOMA			
		_	
		<del> </del>	
<del></del>			
	<del></del>	<del></del>	
	<del></del>	<del> </del>	
Fotal number of others receiving over \$50,000 for professional services		<b>&gt;</b>	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	
N/A			
N/A			
·			
	<del></del>		
<u> </u>			
Part IX-B Summary of Program-Related Investments			
Describe the two largest program-related investments made by the foundation during the tax year on lines 1 and 2.		Amount	
N/A			
All other program-related investments. See instructions.			
Total, Add lines 1 through 3			0.
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<u> </u>	art X Minimum Investment Return (All domestic foundations	must complete this pa	rt. Foreign four	ndations,	see instructions )	
<del>_</del> 1	Fair market value of assets not used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charital	ble, etc., purposes:				
	Average monthly fair market value of securities			1a	3,915	,440.
-	Average of monthly cash balances			1b		,502.
	Fair market value of all other assets			1c		,390.
-	Total (add lines 1a, b, and c)			1d	3,935	
	Reduction claimed for blockage or other factors reported on lines 1a and					·
Ī	1c (attach detailed explanation)	1e	0.			
2	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to line 1 assets			2		0.
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1d			3	3,935	
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities. Enter 1 1/2% of line 3 (for greater amour	nt, see instructions)		4		,030.
5	Net value of noncharitable-use assets Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter here and o	· ·		5	3,876	
6	Minimum investment return Enter 5% of line 5	, -		6		,815.
P	art XI Distributable Amount (see instructions) (Section 4942(j)(3)		g foundations an	d certain		
	foreign organizations check here   and do not complete this par	t.)				
1	Minimum investment return from Part X, line 6	1 1		1	193	<u>,815.</u>
2a	Tax on investment income for 2015 from Part VI, line 5	2a	273.			
b	Income tax for 2015. (This does not include the tax from Part VI.)	2b				
C	Add lines 2a and 2b	-	-	2c		273.
3	Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1			3	193	,542.
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions			4		0.
5	Add lines 3 and 4			5	193	,542.
6	Deduction from distributable amount (see instructions)			6		0.
7_	Distributable amount as adjusted. Subtract line 6 from line 5. Enter here and on Pai	rt XIII, line 1		7	193	<u>,542.</u>
P	art XII Qualifying Distributions (see instructions)					
_	Annual and trade described as a facility of the second sec					
1	Amounts paid (including administrative expenses) to accomplish charitable, etc., pu	irposes:		4.	2	<b>527</b>
a	Expenses, contributions, gifts, etc total from Part I, column (d), line 26			1a	3	,527. 0.
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 charita	able, etc., purposes		2		
3	Amounts set aside for specific charitable projects that satisfy the:					
	Suitability test (prior IRS approval required)			3a		
	Cash distribution test (attach the required schedule)	and Dark VIII. See . 4		3b	2	,527.
4	Qualifying distributions. Add lines 1a through 3b. Enter here and on Part V, line 8,			4		,341.
5	Foundations that qualify under section 4940(e) for the reduced rate of tax on net inv	resunent		_		0
	income. Enter 1% of Part I, line 27b			6	2	<u>0.</u> ,527.
6	Adjusted qualifying distributions. Subtract line 5 from line 4	baa aalalabaa usbasbaa	the foundation :			, 541.
	Note. The amount on line 6 will be used in Part V, column (b), in subsequent years	when calculating whether	trie toundation (	quaimes for	uie secuon	
	4940(e) reduction of tax in those years.					

Part XIII Undistributed Income (see instructions)

	(a) Corpus	(b) Years prior to 2014	(c) 2014	( <b>d)</b> 2015
1 Distributable amount for 2015 from Part XI,	Corpus	rears prior to 2014	2014	2015
line 7				193,542.
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2015				173,344.
a Enter amount for 2014 only			0.	
b Total for prior years:			3.0	
		0.		
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2015:				_
a From 2010 167,751.				
<b>b</b> From 2011				
c From 2012				
d From 2013				
e From 2014 72,553.				
f Total of lines 3a through e	240,304.			
4 Qualifying distributions for 2015 from				
Part XII, line 4: ►\$ 3,527.				
a Applied to 2014, 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	0.			
(Election required - see instructions)  d Applied to 2015 distributable amount				3,527.
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus	0.			3,34/•
5 Excess distributions carryover applied to 2015	190,015.			190,015.
(if an amount appears in column (d), the same amount must be shown in column (a))	130,013.			170,013.
6 Enter the net total of each column as indicated below:				
2 Corpus Add lines 3f, 4c, and 4e Subtract line 5	50,289.			
b Prior years' undistributed income. Subtract	3072031			
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 2014. Subtract line				
4a from line 2a. Taxable amount - see instr.			0.	
f Undistributed income for 2015. Subtract				
lines 4d and 5 from line 1. This amount must				0
be distributed in 2016				0.
7 Amounts treated as distributions out of corpus to satisfy requirements imposed by				
section 170(b)(1)(F) or 4942(g)(3) (Election				
may be required - see instructions)	0.			
8 Excess distributions carryover from 2010				
not applied on line 5 or line 7	0.			
9 Excess distributions carryover to 2016.				
Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a	50,289.			
10 Analysis of line 9:				
a Excess from 2011				
b Excess from 2012				
c Excess from 2013				
d Excess from 2014 50,289.				
e Excess from 2015				Co 000 DE (00/2)
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Part XIV Private Operating F	oundations (see ins		I-A. question 9)	N/A	SUIDS Fage I
1 a If the foundation has received a ruling of		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	1 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4	M/A	<del></del>
foundation, and the ruling is effective fo					
<b>b</b> Check box to indicate whether the found			in section	4942(j)(3) or 4	942(j)(5)
2 a Enter the lesser of the adjusted net	Tax year	1 Tourisation described	Prior 3 years	1012())(0) 01 1	J42())(0)
income from Part I or the minimum	(a) 2015	<b>(b)</b> 2014	(c) 2013	(d) 2012	(e) Total
investment return from Part X for	(0) 2010	(5) 20 11	(6) 20 10	(4) 23 12	(0) 10:0:
each year listed b 85% of line 2a			<del></del>	-	
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			_		
c Qualifying distributions from Part XII,			1		
line 4 for each year listed		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			
d Amounts included in line 2c not	i				
used directly for active conduct of					
exempt activities  e Qualifying distributions made directly					
for active conduct of exempt activities.			1		}
Subtract line 2d from line 2c 3 Complete 3a, b, or c for the			<u> </u>		
alternative test relied upon:					
a "Assets" alternative test - enter:					
(1) Value of all assets		<del></del>	-		<del> </del>
(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					1
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 Info			if the foundation	had \$5,000 or m	ore in assets
at any time during t	he year-see instru	ıctions.)			
1 Information Regarding Foundation	n Managers:				
a List any managers of the foundation wh			ributions received by the	foundation before the clo	se of any tax
year (but only if they have contributed n	nore than \$5,000). (See se	ction 507(d)(2).)			
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b List any managers of the foundation wh			(or an equally large portion	on of the ownership of a p	artnership or
other entity) of which the foundation has	s a 10% or greater interest	•			
NONE	<del></del>				
2 Information Regarding Contributi					
Check here <b>X</b> if the foundation of the foundation makes gifts, grants, etc.					
	<u> </u>				u u.
a The name, address, and telephone num	ber or e-mail address of th	e person to whom appli	cations should be addres	ised:	
	<del></del>				<del></del>
<b>b</b> The form in which applications should b	e submitted and information	on and materials they st	nould include:		
c Any submission deadlines:					
d Any restrictions or limitations on awards	s such as hy neographical	areas, charitable fields	kinds of institutions or o	other factors:	
u Any resultations of minitations on awaits	o, outin as by geographical	a. July orial luvio licius,	or mondatorio, or c		
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3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Ye	ar or Approved for Future I	Payment		
Recipient	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
Name and address (home or business)	or substantial contributor	recipient		
a Paid during the year				
NONE				
<u> </u>				
Total		1	<u>▶ 3a</u>	0.
b Approved for future payment				
NO.				
NONE				
		l	<u> </u>	
Total			<u>▶ 3b</u>	0.

Part XVI-A	Analysis	of Income	-Producing	Activities
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Enter gross amounts unless otherwise indicated.	Unrelated b	usiness income	Excluded t	by section 512, 513, or 514	(e)
	(a) Business	(b)	(c) Exclu-	(d)	Related or exempt
1 Program service revenue:	code	Amount	sion	Amount	function income
a					
b					
c	_				
d					
e	_				
f	_				
g Fees and contracts from government agencies					
2 Membership dues and assessments		<u> </u>			
3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments					
4 Dividends and interest from securities			14	46,326.	
5 Net rental income or (loss) from real estate:					
a Debt-financed property					
b Not debt-financed property					
6 Net rental income or (loss) from personal					
property					
7 Other investment income			14	-119.	
8 Gain or (loss) from sales of assets other than inventory			18	-120,450.	
9 Net income or (loss) from special events					
O Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory					
1 Other revenue:				i	
a					
b	_				
c	_				
d			_   _		
e	_		_		
2 Subtotal. Add columns (b), (d), and (e)			0.	-74,243.	
13 Total. Add line 12, columns (b), (d), and (e)				13	-74,24
(See worksheet in line 13 instructions to verify calculations.	)				

Line No.	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 (other than by providing funds for such purposes).
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## 20-8630169 Form 990-PF (2015) THE TAILWIND FOUNDATION Page 13 Part XVII Information Regarding Transfers To and Transactions and Relationships With Noncharitable **Exempt Organizations** No Yes 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: 1a(1) (2) Other assets 1a(2) **b** Other transactions: (1) Sales of assets to a noncharitable exempt organization 1b(1) (2) Purchases of assets from a noncharitable exempt organization 1b(2) (3) Rental of facilities, equipment, or other assets 1b(3) (4) Reimbursement arrangements 1b(4) (5) Loans or loan guarantees 1b(5) X (6) Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations 16(6) c Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, other assets, or paid employees 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. (a) Line no (b) Amount involved (c) Name of noncharitable exempt organization (d) Description of transfers, transactions, and sharing arrangements N/A 2a Is the foundation directly or indirectly affiliated with, or related to, one or more tax-exempt organizations described Yes X No in section 501(c) of the Code (other than section 501(c)(3)) or in section 527? b If "Yes," complete the following schedule. (a) Name of organization (b) Type of organization (c) Description of relationship N/A

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 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 shown below (see instr.)

Signature of officer or trustee

Date

Title

Paid Preparer Use Only	Print/Type preparer's name MICHELLE JOHNSON, CPA	Preparer's signature Tohnson, CPA	Date 4/20116	Check X If self- employed	PTIN P00008920
	Firm's name ► GOLDIN PEISER & PEISER, LLP			Firm's EIN ► 75-2515294	
	Firm's address ► 16800 N. DA DALLAS, TX	ALLAS PARKWAY, #240 75248-1991		Phone no. (S	972) 818-5300

FORM 990-PF DIV	/IDENDS /	AND INTER	EST FROM SE	CURITIES	STA	TEMENT	1
	GROSS JRCE AMOUNT DI		REVENU		VEST-		
US BANK	16,326.		0. 46,3	26. 46	,326.		
TO PART I, LINE 4	16,326.	0. 46		46,326.			
FORM 990-PF		OTHER I	NCOME		STA	TEMENT	2
DESCRIPTION			(A) REVENUE PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVE: MENT INC		(C) ADJUSTE: ET INCO	
OTHER INCOME - US NATURA	AL GAS F	UND	-119	• -:	119.		
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PA	ART I, L	INE 11	-119	:	119.		
FORM 990-PF		ACCOUNTI	NG FEES		STA'	TEMENT	3
FORM 990-PF  DESCRIPTION		ACCOUNTI (A) KPENSES ER BOOKS	NG FEES (B) NET INVEST MENT INCOM		red (	TEMENT (D) CHARITA	BLE
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FORM 990-PF	OTHER EXPENSES			STATEMENT	5	
	(A) (B) EXPENSES NET INV PER BOOKS MENT IN			(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOM		
BANK, BROKER & TRUST FUND FEES	3,444.	3,4	444.			
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 23	3,444. 3,444. 3,444.		144.			0.
FORM 990-PF	CORPORAT	E STOCK			STATEMENT	6
DESCRIPTION			воо	K VALUE	FAIR MARKE	T
APPLE INC STOCK BANK OF AMERICA CORP STOCK J P MORGAN CHASE & CO STOCK MGM RESORTS INTERNATIONAL STOC SALESFORCE COM INC STOCK BAIDU COM ADR STOCK WELLS FARGO CO STOCK ZIOPHARM ONCOLOGY INC STOCK INTREXON CORPORATION STOCK TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART II,		- -	1	955,953. 0. 0. 63,989. 3,457. 158,309. 228,390. 21,496. 193,463. ,625,057.	1,550,7 149,1 9,6 214,1 254,5 13,9 92,6	0. 0. 11. 43. 82. 68. 03. 81.
FORM 990-PF	OTHER INV	ESTMENTS			STATEMENT	7
DESCRIPTION  MIDCAP SPDR TRUST SER 1 EQUITY SPDR GOLD TRUST FUND MARKET VECTORS JR GOLD MINER E	FUND (	LUATION ETHOD COST COST	ВОО	X VALUE 247,617. 728,858.	FAIR MARKE VALUE 482,1 743,6	68. 00.
FUND UNITED STATES NATURAL GAS FUND	,	COST -		141,830.	17,0	20. 0.
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART II, LINE 13			1	,118,305.	1,242,7	88.

FORM 990-PF	OTHER ASSETS	STATEMENT 8	
. DESCRIPTION	BEGINNING OF YR BOOK VALUE	END OF YEAR BOOK VALUE	FAIR MARKET VALUE
INTEREST/DIVIDEND RECEIVABLE	2,039.	1,904.	1,904.
TO FORM 990-PF, PART II, LINE 15	2,039.	1,904.	1,904.

FORM 990-	PF	OTI	HER NOT	ES AND LOANS	PAYABLE	STATEMENT	
•							
LENDER'S NAME			TERMS OF REPAYMENT		SECURITY PROVIDED BY BORROWE		
U.S. BANK	K, N.A.	MC	-		TERM NOTE SECU	RED BY U.S.	
DATE OF NOTE	MATURITY DATE	ORIGI LOAN AN		INTEREST RATE	PURPOSE OF LOAN		
12/21/10 11/01/16 820,000. 3.50%			3.50%	CHARITABLE CONTRIBUTION - PAYMENT OF PLEDGE			
RELATIONS	SHIP OF LEND	ER					
N/A	-	-		-			
DESCRIPTI	ON OF CONSI	DERATION			FMV OF CONSIDERATION	BALANCE DUE	
CASH & SE	CURITIES				0.	820,000	
TOTAL TO	FORM 990_DF	' ኮልዩጥ ፐገ	LINE	21, COLUMN I	B	820,000	