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Form **990-PF**Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service**Return of Private Foundation**

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

OMB No 1545-0052

2015

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For calendar year 2015 or tax year beginning , and ending

Name of foundation Ellice & Rosa McDonald Foundation			A Employer identification number 51-0348090	
Number and street (or P.O. box number if mail is not delivered to street address) 3801 Kennett Pike Bldg C Suite 101		Room/suite		
City or town Wilmington		State DE	ZIP code 19807	
Foreign country name		Foreign province/state/county		Foreign postal code
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) ▶ \$ 31,434,512		J Accounting method. ☒ Cash ☐ Accrual ☐ Other (specify) _____		
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) (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)	1,715,641			
2 Check ☐ if the foundation is not required to attach Sch. B				
3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments				
4 Dividends and interest from securities	731,695	603,849		
5a Gross rents				
b Net rental income or (loss)				
6a Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10	1,399,097			
b Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a 12,467,747				
7 Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2)		1,399,097		
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)	30,850	30,850		
12 Total. Add lines 1 through 11	3,877,283	2,033,796	0	
Operating and Administrative Expenses				
13 Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc.				
14 Other employee salaries and wages				
15 Pension plans, employee benefits				
16a Legal fees (attach schedule)				
b Accounting fees (attach schedule)	9,325	9,325		
c Other professional fees (attach schedule)	242,897	242,897		
17 Interest				
18 Taxes (attach schedule) (see instructions)	12,970			
19 Depreciation (attach schedule) and depletion				
20 Occupancy	6,141	6,141		
21 Travel, conferences, and meetings				
22 Printing and publications				
23 Other expenses (attach schedule)	339	339		
24 Total operating and administrative expenses. Add lines 13 through 23	271,672	258,702	0	0
25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid	1,430,000			1,430,000
26 Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 24 and 25	1,701,672	258,702	0	1,430,000
27 Subtract line 26 from line 12				
a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements	2,175,611			
b Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)		1,775,094		
c Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -0-)			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	20,105	106,300	106,300
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments	4,160,926	6,610,413	6,610,413
	3 Accounts receivable ▶			
	Less: allowance for doubtful accounts ▶			
	4 Pledges receivable ▶			
	Less: allowance for doubtful accounts ▶			
	5 Grants receivable			
	6 Receivables due from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons (attach schedule) (see instructions)			
	7 Other notes and loans receivable (attach schedule) ▶			
	Less: allowance for doubtful accounts ▶			
	8 Inventories for sale or use			
	9 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges	2,684		
	10a Investments—U.S. and state government obligations (attach schedule)	3,403,170	1,664,753	1,596,262
	b Investments—corporate stock (attach schedule)	15,812,925	15,435,373	17,769,151
	c Investments—corporate bonds (attach schedule)	3,530,146	5,295,092	5,352,386
Liabilities	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)	26,929,956	29,111,931	31,434,512
	17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses		24,818	
	18 Grants payable			
Net Assets or Fund Balances	19 Deferred revenue			
	20 Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons			
	21 Mortgages and other notes payable (attach schedule)			
	22 Other liabilities (describe ▶)			
	23 Total liabilities (add lines 17 through 22)	0	24,818	
	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			
	28 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg, and equipment fund			
	29 Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds	26,929,956	29,087,113	
	30 Total net assets or fund balances (see instructions)	26,929,956	29,087,113	
	31 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances (see instructions)	26,929,956	29,111,931	

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	26,929,956
2 Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2	2,175,611
3 Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶	3	
4 Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4	29,105,567
5 Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ <u>Prior Yr Basis Adjustment</u>	5	18,454
6 Total net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5)—Part II, column (b), line 30	6	29,087,113

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	Morgan Stanley Attached Short Term	P		
b	Morgan Stanley Attached Long term	P		
c	Morgan Stanley Attached Long Term	P		
d	FHLB	P		4/30/2015
e	Capital Gains Distributions			

(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 2,250,148		2,467,531	-217,383
b 6,839,817		5,445,521	1,394,296
c 3,088,155		2,870,598	217,557
d 285,000		285,000	0
e			4,627

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

(i) FMV as of 12/31/69	(j) Adjusted basis as of 12/31/69	(k) Excess of col (i) over col (j), if any	(l) Gains (Col (h) gain minus col (k), but not less than -0-) or Losses (from col (h))
a			-217,383
b			1,394,296
c			217,557
d			0
e			4,627

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	1,399,097
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	-217,383

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

(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	120,000	4,547,423	0.026389
2013	120,000	2,001,535	0.059954
2012	120,000	1,926,334	0.062294
2011	118,584	1,852,535	0.064012
2010	119,315	1,806,898	0.066033

2 Total of line 1, column (d)	2	0.278682
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	0.055736
4 Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2015 from Part X, line 5	4	31,594,011
5 Multiply line 4 by line 3	5	1,760,924
6 Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b)	6	21,412
7 Add lines 5 and 6	7	1,782,336
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	1,430,000

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)			
b	Domestic foundations that meet the section 4940(e) requirements in Part V, check here ☐ and enter 1% of Part I, line 27b	1	34,997	
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	0	
3	Add lines 1 and 2	3	34,997	
4	Subtitle A (income) tax (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only. Others enter -0-)	4		
5	Tax based on investment income. Subtract line 4 from line 3. If zero or less, enter -0-	5	34,997	
6	Credits/Payments			
a	2015 estimated tax payments and 2014 overpayment credited to 2015	6a	35,684	
b	Exempt foreign organizations—tax withheld at source	6b		
c	Tax paid with application for extension of time to file (Form 8868)	6c	10,000	
d	Backup withholding erroneously withheld	6d		
7	Total credits and payments. Add lines 6a through 6d	7	45,684	
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	0	
10	Overpayment. If line 7 is more than the total of lines 5 and 8, enter the amount overpaid	10	10,687	
11	Enter the amount of line 10 to be: Credited to 2016 estimated tax 11,304 Refunded	11	0	

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
b Did it spend more than \$100 during the year (either directly or indirectly) for political purposes (see Instructions for the definition)? <i>If the answer is "Yes" to 1a or 1b, attach a detailed description of the activities and copies of any materials published or distributed by the foundation in connection with the activities</i>		X
c 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: \$ (2) On foundation managers: \$		
e Enter the reimbursement (if any) paid by the foundation during the year for political expenditure tax imposed on foundation managers: \$		
2 Has the foundation engaged in any activities that have not previously been reported to the IRS? <i>If "Yes," attach a detailed description of the activities</i>		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? <i>If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the changes</i>		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?	N/A	
5 Was there a liquidation, termination, dissolution, or substantial contraction during the year? <i>If "Yes," attach the statement required by General Instruction T.</i>		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? <i>If "Yes," complete Part II, col. (c), and Part XV</i>	X	
8a Enter the states to which the foundation reports or with which it is registered (see instructions) DE		
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 <i>General Instruction G</i> ? <i>If "No," attach explanation</i>	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 2015 or the taxable year beginning in 2015 (see instructions for Part XIV)? <i>If "Yes," complete Part XIV</i>		X
10 Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year? <i>If "Yes," attach a schedule listing their names and addresses</i>		X

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 ► N/A	13	X	
14	The books are in care of ► John T. Fay Telephone no ► Located at ► 3801 Kennett Pike Bldg C Suite 101 Wilmington DE ZIP+4 ► 19807			
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			
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? See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114. 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 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 ☒ No If "Yes," list the years ► 20____, 20____, 20____, 20____		
b	Are there any years listed in 2a for which the foundation is not applying the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) (relating to incorrect valuation of assets) to the year's undistributed income? (If applying section 4942(a)(2) to all years listed, answer "No" and attach statement—see instructions.)	2b	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 ► 20____, 20____, 20____, 20____		
3a	Did the foundation hold more than a 2% direct or indirect interest in any business enterprise at any time during the year? ☐ Yes ☐ 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	X
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 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)? ☐ 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

5b	N/A	
6b		X
7b		X

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
Gregory Inskip, Esq 1313 North Market Wilmington, DE 19081	Pres	0		
John T. Fay, CPA 3801 Kennett Pike Wilmington, DE 19807	Sec Treas	0		
H. Murray Sawyer 1013 Centre Road, Suite 404 Wilmington, DE 19805	V. Pres	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				

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

Part VIII Information About Officers, Directors, Trustees, Foundation Managers, Highly Paid Employees, and Contractors *(continued)***3 Five highest-paid independent contractors for professional services (see instructions). If none, enter "NONE."**

(a) Name and address of each person paid more than \$50,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
NONE		

Total number of others receiving over \$50,000 for professional services

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	
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	
2	
All other program-related investments. See instructions.	
3	
Total. Add lines 1 through 3	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	25,815,617
b	Average of monthly cash balances	1b	6,259,521
c	Fair market value of all other assets (see instructions)	1c	
d	Total (add lines 1a, b, and c)	1d	32,075,138
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	
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1d	3	32,075,138
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities. Enter 1 1/2 % of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions)	4	481,127
5	Net value of noncharitable-use assets. Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter here and on Part V, line 4	5	31,594,011
6	Minimum investment return. Enter 5% of line 5	6	1,579,701

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	1,579,701
2a	Tax on investment income for 2015 from Part VI, line 5	2a	34,997
b	Income tax for 2015 (This does not include the tax from Part VI)	2b	
c	Add lines 2a and 2b	2c	34,997
3	Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1	3	1,544,704
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions	4	
5	Add lines 3 and 4	5	1,544,704
6	Deduction from distributable amount (see instructions)	6	
7	Distributable amount as adjusted. Subtract line 6 from line 5. Enter here and on Part XIII, line 1	7	1,544,704

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	1,430,000
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	
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	1,430,000
5	Foundations that qualify under section 4940(e) for the reduced rate of tax on net investment income. Enter 1% of Part I, line 27b (see instructions)	5	
6	Adjusted qualifying distributions. Subtract line 5 from line 4	6	1,430,000

Note. The amount on line 6 will be used in Part V, column (b), in subsequent years when calculating whether the foundation qualifies for the section 4940(e) reduction of tax in those years

Part XIII Undistributed Income (see instructions)

	(a) Corpus	(b) Years prior to 2014	(c) 2014	(d) 2015
1 Distributable amount for 2015 from Part XI, line 7				1,544,199
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2015:				
a Enter amount for 2014 only			46,857	
b Total for prior years 20____, 20____, 20____				
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2015:				
a From 2010				
b From 2011				
c From 2012				
d From 2013				
e From 2014				
f Total of lines 3a through e	0			
4 Qualifying distributions for 2015 from Part XII, line 4 ▶ \$ 1,430,000				
a Applied to 2014, but not more than line 2a			46,857	
b Applied to undistributed income of prior years (Election required—see instructions)				
c Treated as distributions out of corpus (Election required—see instructions)				
d Applied to 2015 distributable amount				1,383,143
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus				
5 Excess distributions carryover applied to 2015 (If an amount appears in column (d), the same amount must be shown in column (a))				
6 Enter the net total of each column as indicated below:				
a Corpus Add lines 3f, 4c, and 4e Subtract line 5	0			
b Prior years' undistributed income Subtract line 4b from line 2b		0		
c Enter the amount of prior years' undistributed income for which a notice of deficiency has been issued, or on which the section 4942(a) tax has been previously assessed				
d Subtract line 6c from line 6b Taxable amount—see instructions				
e Undistributed income for 2014 Subtract line 4a from line 2a. Taxable amount—see instructions			0	
f Undistributed income for 2015 Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1 This amount must be distributed in 2016				161,056
7 Amounts treated as distributions out of corpus to satisfy requirements imposed by section 170(b)(1)(F) or 4942(g)(3) (Election may be required—see instructions)				
8 Excess distributions carryover from 2010 not applied on line 5 or line 7 (see instructions)				
9 Excess distributions carryover to 2016. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a				
10 Analysis of line 9				
a Excess from 2011				
b Excess from 2012				
c Excess from 2013				
d Excess from 2014				
e Excess from 2015				

N/A

- 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)

- 2a** Enter the lesser of the adjusted net income from Part I or the minimum investment return from Part X for each year listed _____.

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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))

None

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

None

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

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

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

John T. Fay 3801 Kennett Pike Suite 101 Wilmington, DE 19807

- b** The form in which applications should be submitted and information and materials they should include:

Letter Request and Pamphlet

- c** Any submission deadlines:

None

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

Mid-Atlantic Area: 501(c)(3) entities

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

Recipient	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
Name and address (home or business)				
a <i>Paid during the year</i> See attached			Provide Financial Assistanc	1,430,000
Total			▶ 3a	1,430,000
b <i>Approved for future payment</i> See attached			Provide Financial Assistanc	1,430,000
Total			▶ 3b	1,430,000

Part XVI-A Analysis of Income-Producing Activities

Enter gross amounts unless otherwise indicated

Enter gross amounts unless otherwise indicated		Unrelated business income		Excluded by section 512, 513, or 514		(e) Related or exempt function income (See instructions)
		(a) Business code	(b) Amount	(c) Exclusion code	(d) Amount	
1	Program service revenue:					
a						
b						
c						
d						
e						
f						
g	Fees and contracts from government agencies					
2	Membership dues and assessments					
3	Interest on savings and temporary cash investments					
4	Dividends and interest from securities				731,695	
5	Net rental income or (loss) from real estate:					
a	Debt-financed property					
b	Not debt-financed property					
6	Net rental income or (loss) from personal property					
7	Other investment income					
8	Gain or (loss) from sales of assets other than inventory				1,399,097	
9	Net income or (loss) from special events					
10	Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory					
11	Other revenue: a					
b						
c						
d						
e						
12	Subtotal. Add columns (b), (d), and (e)		0		2,130,792	0
13	Total. Add line 12, columns (b), (d), and (e)				13	2,130,792

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

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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
	(2) Other assets	1a
b	Other transactions	
	(1) Sales of assets to a noncharitable exempt organization	1b
	(2) Purchases of assets from a noncharitable exempt organization	1b
	(3) Rental of facilities, equipment, or other assets	1b
	(4) Reimbursement arrangements	1b
	(5) Loans or loan guarantees	1b
	(6) Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations	1b
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.	

	Yes	No
1a(1)		X
1a(2)		X
1b(1)		X
1b(2)		X
1b(3)		X
1b(4)		X
1b(5)		X
1b(6)		X
1c		X

[illegible]

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
Glencoe Foundation	501(c)(3)	2 common officers, Sharing rental space

correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than taxpayer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.

		
Signature of officer or trustee	Date	Title

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

Print/Type preparer's name

Preparer's signature

Date

Check ☐ if self-employed

PTIN

Firm's name

Firm's EIN ▶

Firm's address ►

Phone no

Schedule B
(Form 990, 990-EZ,
or 990-PF)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Schedule of Contributors

▶ Attach to Form 990, Form 990-EZ, or Form 990-PF.

Information about Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

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2015

Name of the organization

Ellice & Rosa McDonald Foundation

Employer identification number

51-0348090

Organization type (check one).

Filers of:

Section:

Form 990 or 990-EZ

☐ 501(c)() (enter number) organization

☐ 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust **not** treated as a private foundation

☐ 527 political organization

Form 990-PF

☒ 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation

☐ 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust treated as a private foundation

☐ 501(c)(3) taxable private foundation

Check if your organization is covered by the **General Rule** or a **Special Rule**.

Note. Only a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization can check boxes for both the General Rule and a Special Rule. See instructions.

General Rule

- ☒ For an organization filing Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF that received, during the year, contributions totaling \$5,000 or more (in money or property) from any one contributor. Complete Parts I and II. See instructions for determining a contributor's total contributions.

Special Rules

- ☐ For an organization described in section 501(c)(3) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that met the 33 1/3 % support test of the regulations under sections 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi), that checked Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ), Part II, line 13, 16a, or 16b, and that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of the greater of (1) \$5,000 or (2) 2% of the amount on (i) Form 990, Part VIII, line 1h, or (ii) Form 990-EZ, line 1. Complete Parts I and II.
- ☐ For an organization described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of more than \$1,000 *exclusively* for religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals. Complete Parts I, II, and III.
- ☐ For an organization described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, contributions *exclusively* for religious, charitable, etc., purposes, but no such contributions totaled more than \$1,000. If this box is checked, enter here the total contributions that were received during the year for an *exclusively* religious, charitable, etc., purpose. Do not complete any of the parts unless the **General Rule** applies to this organization because it received *nonexclusively* religious, charitable, etc., contributions totaling \$5,000 or more during the year. ▶ \$ _____

Caution. An organization that is not covered by the General Rule and/or the Special Rules does not file Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF), but it **must** answer "No" on Part IV, line 2, of its Form 990, or check the box on line H of its Form 990-EZ or on its Form 990-PF, Part I, line 2, to certify that it does not meet the filing requirements of Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF).

Name of organization

Ellice & Rosa McDonald Foundation

Employer identification number

51-0348090

Part I Contributors (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part I if additional space is needed.

(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
1	Estate of Ellice McDonald 915 Westover Dr Wilmington DE 19807 Foreign State or Province Foreign Country	\$ 1,715,641	Person ☒ Payroll ☐ Noncash ☐ (Complete Part II for noncash contributions)
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Part I, Line 6 (990-PF) - Gain/Loss from Sale of Assets Other Than Inventory

Amount		Totals										Cost or Other Basis, Expenses, Depreciation and Adjustments		Net Gain or Loss	
Long Term CG Distributions		Capital Gains/Losses										Depreciation and Adjustments		Net Gain or Loss	
Short Term CG Distributions		Other sales										Depreciation and Adjustments		Net Gain or Loss	
4,627		0										11,068,650		1,399,097	
0		0										0		0	
Description	CUSIP #	Check "X" to include in Part IV	Purchaser	Check "X" if Purchaser is a Business	Acquisition Method	Date Acquired	Date Sold	Gross Sales Price	Cost or Other Basis	Valuation Method	Expense of Sale and Cost of Improvements	Depreciation	Adjustments	Net Gain or Loss	
1 Morgan Stanley Attached		X			P			2,250,148	2,467,531					-217,383	
2 Morgan Stanley Attached		X			P			6,839,817	5,445,521					1,394,296	
3 Morgan Stanley Attached		X			P			3,088,155	2,870,598					217,557	
4 Morgan Stanley Attached		X			P			285,000	285,000					0	

Part I, Line 10 (990-PF) - Gross Profit

		0	0	0
Inventory Type		Gross Sales Less Returns and Allowances	Cost of Goods Sold	Gross Profit or Loss
1				0

Part I, Line 11 (990-PF) - Other Income

		30,850	30,850	0
Description		Revenue and Expenses per Books	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income
1	Partnership Income	30,850	30,850	

Part I, Line 16a (990-PF) - Legal Fees

		0	0	0	0
Description		Revenue and Expenses per Books	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes (Cash Basis Only)
1					0

Part I, Line 16b (990-PF) - Accounting Fees

		9,325	9,325	0	0
Description		Revenue and Expenses per Books	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes (Cash Basis Only)
1	Accounting Fees	9,325	9,325		0

Part I, Line 16c (990-PF) - Other Professional Fees

		242,897	242,897	0	0
Description		Revenue and Expenses per Books	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes (Cash Basis Only)
1	Advisory Fees	242,897	242,897		0

Part I, Line 18 (990-PF) - Taxes

		12,970	0	0	0
Description		Revenue and Expenses per Books	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
1	Excise Tax	8,000			
2	Foreign Tax	4,945			
3	Franchise Tax	25			

Part II, Line 10a (990-PF) - Investments - U.S. and State Government Obligations

Description	Num Shares/ Face Value	Federal		State/Local		FMV End of Year	FMV End of Year	State/Local Obligation
		Book Value Beg. of Year	Book Value End of Year	0	1,664,753			
1 Municipals		3,403,170	1,664,753	0	0	1,596,262	0	

Part II, Line 10b (990-PF) - Investments - Corporate Stock

		15,812,925		15,435,373		0		17,769,151	
		Book Value		Book Value		FMV		FMV	
		Beg. of Year		End of Year		Beg. of Year		End of Year	
Description		Num Shares/ Face Value		End of Year		End of Year		End of Year	
1	Stock			15,812,925		11,941,669		14,399,486	
2	ETF's					3,493,704		3,369,665	

Part II, Line 10c (990-PF) - Investments - Corporate Bonds

		3,530,146		5,295,092		0		5,352,386	
		Book Value		Book Value		FMV		FMV	
		Beg of Year		End of Year		Beg of Year		End of Year	
1	Corporate Fixed	3,530,146		5,295,092				5,352,386	

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**Grants by Ellice & Rosa McDonald Foundation, Inc.
for Year 2015**

MOSTLY MAJOR GRANTS

<u>Grantee</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Check No.</u>
Delaware Museum of Natural History	\$200,000.00	392
Easter Seals of Delaware & Maryland Eastern Shore	\$100,000.00	394
Rotary Club of Wilmington Services Foundation	\$20,000.00	395
St. Michaels School and Nursery, Inc.	\$200,000.00	396
East Side Charter Community Learning Foundation	\$300,000.00	397
Faithful Friends	\$80,000.00	405
Habitat for Humanity (Endowment)	\$200,000.00	407
Habitat for Humanity (Truck)	\$30,000.00	408
TOTAL MAJOR GRANTS	\$1,130,000.00	

OTHER GRANTS

<u>Grantee</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Check No.</u>
Faithful Friends Animal Society	\$20,000.00	390
Faithful Friends Animal Society	\$5,000.00	406
Delaware Museum of Natural History	\$30,000.00	393
East Side Charter Community Learning Center Foundation	\$15,000.00	398
UNC Library f/b/o Ellice and Rosa Library Excellence Fund	\$35,000.00	399
Epilepsy Foundation of Delaware, Inc.	\$10,000.00	400

<u>Grantee</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Check No.</u>
Friendship House, Inc.	\$15,000.00	401
Boys and Girls Clubs of Delaware, Inc.	\$10,000.00	402
Boys and Girls Clubs of Delaware	\$10,000.00	409
Ministry of Caring, Inc.	\$15,000.00	403
Delaware Wild Lands	\$25,000.00	404
Nativity Preparatory School of Wilmington	\$15,000.00	410
Urban Promise of Wilmington Delaware	\$10,000.00	412
Amistad Mission	\$10,000.00	413
Delaware KIDS Fund	\$10,000.00	414
Food Bank of Delaware	\$25,000.00	415
Sunday Breakfast Mission	\$30,000.00	416
Conservation Fund	\$10,000.00	419
TOTAL OTHER GRANTS	\$300,000.00	
 TOTAL GRANTS 2015	 \$1,430,000.00	

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