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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

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2015

Open to Public Inspection

For calendar year 2015, or tax year beginning 01-01-2015, and ending 12-31-2015

Name of foundation THE CLAUDE BENNETT FAMILY FOUNDATION		A Employer identification number 58-2052917	
Number and street (or P O box number if mail is not delivered to street address) PO BOX 130804		B Telephone number (see instructions) (205) 945-4687	
City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code BIRMINGHAM, AL 352130804		C If exemption application is pending, check here <input type="checkbox"/>	
G Check all that apply <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return of a former public charity <input type="checkbox"/> Final return <input type="checkbox"/> Amended return <input type="checkbox"/> Address change <input type="checkbox"/> Name change		D 1. Foreign organizations, check here <input type="checkbox"/> 2. Foreign organizations meeting the 85% test, check here and attach computation <input type="checkbox"/>	
H Check type of organization <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation <input type="checkbox"/> Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust <input type="checkbox"/> Other taxable private foundation		E If private foundation status was terminated under section 507(b)(1)(A), check here <input type="checkbox"/>	
I Fair market value of all assets at end of year (from Part II, col. (c), line 16) ▶ \$ 1,426,555		F If the foundation is in a 60-month termination under section 507(b)(1)(B), check here <input type="checkbox"/>	
J Accounting method <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cash <input type="checkbox"/> Accrual <input type="checkbox"/> 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))		Revenue and expenses per books (a)	Net investment income (b)	Adjusted net income (c)	Disbursements for charitable purposes (d) (cash basis only)
Revenue	1 Contributions, gifts, grants, etc , received (attach schedule)				
	2 Check <input checked="" 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	31,839	31,839		
	5a Gross rents				
	b Net rental income or (loss) _____				
	6a Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10	140,847			
	b Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a 489,847				
	7 Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2) . . .		140,847		
	8 Net short-term capital gain				
	9 Income modifications				
	10a Gross sales less returns and allowances				
Operating and Administrative Expenses	b Less Cost of goods sold				
	c Gross profit or (loss) (attach schedule)				
	11 Other income (attach schedule)	239	239		
	12 Total.Add lines 1 through 11	172,925	172,925		
	13 Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc	24,000	0		24,000
	14 Other employee salaries and wages				
	15 Pension plans, employee benefits				
	16a Legal fees (attach schedule).	8,004	2,801		5,203
	b Accounting fees (attach schedule).	9,212	4,606		4,606
	c Other professional fees (attach schedule)	17,774	17,774		0
	17 Interest				
	18 Taxes (attach schedule) (see instructions) . . .	3,696	3,696		0
	19 Depreciation (attach schedule) and depletion . .				
	20 Occupancy				
	21 Travel, conferences, and meetings.				
	22 Printing and publications				
	23 Other expenses (attach schedule).	98	0		98
	24 Total operating and administrative expenses. Add lines 13 through 23	62,784	28,877		33,907
	25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid	45,100			45,100
	26 Total expenses and disbursements.Add lines 24 and 25	107,884	28,877		79,007
	27 Subtract line 26 from line 12				
	a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements	65,041			
	b Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)		144,048		
	c Adjusted net income(if negative, enter -0-) . . .				

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		24,907	31,242	31,242
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments				
	3	Accounts receivable ▶ _____ Less allowance for doubtful accounts ▶ _____				
	4	Pledges receivable ▶ _____ Less allowance for doubtful accounts ▶ _____				
	5	Grants receivable				
	6	Receivables due from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons (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				
	10a	Investments—U S and state government obligations (attach schedule)				
	b	Investments—corporate stock (attach schedule)	1,081,862	1,298,866	1,287,600	
	c	Investments—corporate bonds (attach schedule)	183,986	70,299	57,985	
	11	Investments—land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶ _____ Less accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶ _____				
	12	Investments—mortgage loans.				
	13	Investments—other (attach schedule)	99,924	55,313	49,728	
	14	Land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶ _____ 8,162 Less accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶ _____ 8,162				
15	Other assets (describe ▶ _____)					
16	Total assets(to be completed by all filers—see the instructions Also, see page 1, item I)	1,390,679	1,455,720	1,426,555		
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)	0	0		
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"/> and complete lines 27 through 31.					
	27	Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds	1,390,679	1,455,720		
	28	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg , and equipment fund	0	0		
	29	Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds	0	0		
30	Total net assets or fund balances(see instructions)	1,390,679	1,455,720			
31	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances(see instructions)	1,390,679	1,455,720			

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	1,390,679
2	Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2	65,041
3	Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ _____	3	0
4	Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4	1,455,720
5	Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ _____	5	0
6	Total net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5)—Part II, column (b), line 30	6	1,455,720

Part IV

Capital Gains and Losses for Tax on Investment Income

List and describe the kind(s) of property sold (e g , real estate, (a) 2-story brick warehouse, or common stock, 200 shs MLC Co)		How acquired P—Purchase (b) D—Donation	Date acquired (c) (mo , day, yr)	Date sold (d) (mo , day, yr)
1 a	MORGAN STANLEY (ACCT# 634 105776 560)		2013-12-31	2015-12-17
b	MORGAN STANLEY (ACCT# 634 105776 560)		2015-04-10	2015-12-17
c	CAPITAL GAINS DIVIDENDS	P		
d				
e				

(e) Gross sales price	Depreciation allowed (f) (or allowable)	Cost or other basis (g) plus expense of sale	Gain or (loss) (h) (e) plus (f) minus (g)
a 353,474		341,211	12,263
b 3,156		7,789	-4,633
c 133,217			133,217
d			
e			

Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69			Gains (Col (h) gain minus col (k), but not less than -0-) or (l) Losses (from col (h))
(i) F M V as of 12/31/69	Adjusted basis (j) as of 12/31/69	Excess of col (i) (k) over col (j), if any	
a			12,263
b			-4,633
c			133,217
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	140,847
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 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	67,171	1,619,795	0 041469
2013	75,337	1,535,580	0 049061
2012	78,982	1,456,311	0 054234
2011	73,943	1,486,586	0 049740
2010	62,582	1,479,243	0 042307

2	Total of line 1, column (d).	2	0 236811
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 047362
4	Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2015 from Part X, line 5.	4	1,517,876
5	Multiply line 4 by line 3.	5	71,890
6	Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b).	6	1,440
7	Add lines 5 and 6.	7	73,330
8	Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4.	8	79,007

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

Part VI

Excise Tax Based on Investment Income (Section 4940(a), 4940(b), 4940(e), or 4948—see page 18 of the instructions)

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

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

1,440

4

Subtitle A (income) tax (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only. Others enter -0-)

4

0

5

Tax based on investment income. Subtract line 4 from line 3. If zero or less, enter -0-

5

1,440

6

Credits/Payments

a

2015 estimated tax payments and 2014 overpayment credited to 2015

6a

2,240

b

Exempt foreign organizations—tax withheld at source

6b

c

Tax paid with application for extension of time to file (Form 8868).

6c

d

Backup withholding erroneously withheld

6d

7

Total credits and payments. Add lines 6a through 6d.

7

2,240

8

Enter any **penalty** for underpayment of estimated tax. Check here ☐ if Form 2220 is attached.

8

9

Tax due. If the total of lines 5 and 8 is more than line 7, enter **amount owed**

9

10

Overpayment. If line 7 is more than the total of lines 5 and 8, enter the **amount overpaid**.

10

800

11

Enter the amount of line 10 to be **Credited to 2015 estimated tax** ☒ 800 **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 intervene in any political campaign?

1a

No

b

Did it spend more than \$100 during the year (either directly or indirectly) for political purposes (see Instructions for definition)?
If the answer is "Yes" to 1a or 1b, attach a detailed description of the activities and copies of any materials published or distributed by the foundation in connection with the activities.

1b

No

c

Did the foundation file **Form 1120-POL** for this year?

1c

No

d

Enter the amount (if any) of tax on political expenditures (section 4955) imposed during the year:
(1) On the foundation ☒ \$ 0 (2) On foundation managers ☒ \$ 0

e

Enter the reimbursement (if any) paid by the foundation during the year for political expenditure tax imposed on foundation managers ☒ \$ 0

2

Has the foundation engaged in any activities that have not previously been reported to the IRS?
If "Yes," attach a detailed description of the activities.

2

No

3

Has the foundation made any changes, not previously reported to the IRS, in its governing instrument, articles of incorporation, or bylaws, or other similar instruments? *If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the changes*

3

No

4a

Did the foundation have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?

4a

No

b

If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on **Form 990-T** for this year?

4b

5

Was there a liquidation, termination, dissolution, or substantial contraction during the year?
If "Yes," attach the statement required by General Instruction T.

5

No

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?

6

Yes

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.*

7

Yes

8a

Enter the states to which the foundation reports or with which it is registered (see instructions):
☒ AL

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.*

8b

Yes

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)?
If "Yes," complete Part XIV

9

No

10

Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year? *If "Yes," attach a schedule listing their names and addresses.*

10

No

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		No
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		No
13	Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements for its annual returns and exemption application? Website address ▶N/A	13	Yes	
14	The books are in care of ▶STEVE HENDRICKSTelephone no ▶(205) 871-1210 Located at ▶3049 MASSEY ROAD BIRMINGHAM ALZIP+4 ▶35216			
15	Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-PF in lieu of Form 1041 —Check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/> 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 instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts (FBAR) If "Yes", enter the name of the foreign country ▶	16	Yes	No

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? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No			
	(2) Borrow money from, lend money to, or otherwise extend credit to (or accept it from) a disqualified person? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No			
	(3) Furnish goods, services, or facilities to (or accept them from) a disqualified person? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No			
	(4) Pay compensation to, or pay or reimburse the expenses of, a disqualified person? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No			
	(5) Transfer any income or assets to a disqualified person (or make any of either available for the benefit or use of a disqualified person)? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No			
	(6) Agree to pay money or property to a government official? (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). <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 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)? <input type="checkbox"/> Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here. ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>	1b		
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		No
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? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 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		
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? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 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? (<i>Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine if the foundation had excess business holdings in 2015.</i>)	3b		
4a	Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes?	4a		No
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		No

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)?

5b

Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here.

☒

c

If the answer is "Yes" to question 5a(4), does the foundation claim exemption from the tax because it maintained expenditure responsibility for the grant?

☐ 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?

6b

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?

7b

Part VIII

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

1

List all officers, directors, trustees, foundation managers and their compensation (see instructions).

(a) Name and address	Title, and average hours per week (b) devoted to position	(c) Compensation (If not paid, enter -0-)	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	Expense account, (e) other allowances
HAROLD I APOLINSKY 2311 HIGHLAND AVENUE SOUTH BIRMINGHAM, AL 35205	TRUSTEE 4 00	0	0	0
CLARK BENNETT 5124 BULRUSH COURT FORT COLLINS, CO 80525	TRUSTEE 6 00	8,000	0	0
J MILLER PIGGOTT 4 RIDGE DRIVE BIRMINGHAM, AL 35213	TRUSTEE 6 00	8,000	0	0
KATHERINE BENNETT O' LEARY 644 CAMDEN RIDGE BIRMINGHAM, AL 35226	TRUSTEE 6 00	8,000	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	Title, and average hours per week (b) devoted to position	(c) Compensation	Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation (d)	Expense account, (e) other allowances
NONE				

Total

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

0

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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. 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
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	1,512,940
b	Average of monthly cash balances.	1b	28,051
c	Fair market value of all other assets (see instructions).	1c	0
d	Total (add lines 1a, b, and c).	1d	1,540,991
e	Reduction claimed for blockage or other factors reported on lines 1a and 1c (attach detailed explanation).	1e	0
2	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to line 1 assets.	2	0
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1d.	3	1,540,991
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities Enter 1 1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions).	4	23,115
5	Net value of noncharitable-use assets. Subtract line 4 from line 3 Enter here and on Part V, line 4	5	1,517,876
6	Minimum investment return. Enter 5% of line 5.	6	75,894

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	75,894
2a	Tax on investment income for 2015 from Part VI, line 5.	2a	1,440
b	Income tax for 2015 (This does not include the tax from Part VI).	2b	
c	Add lines 2a and 2b.	2c	1,440
3	Distributable amount before adjustments Subtract line 2c from line 1.	3	74,454
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions.	4	0
5	Add lines 3 and 4.	5	74,454
6	Deduction from distributable amount (see instructions).	6	0
7	Distributable amount as adjusted Subtract line 6 from line 5 Enter here and on Part XIII, line 1.	7	74,454

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	79,007
b	Program-related investments—total from Part IX-B.	1b	0
2	Amounts paid to acquire assets used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc , purposes.	2	
3	Amounts set aside for specific charitable projects that satisfy the		
a	Suitability test (prior IRS approval required).	3a	
b	Cash distribution test (attach the required schedule).	3b	
4	Qualifying distributions. Add lines 1a through 3b Enter here and on Part V, line 8, and Part XIII, line 4	4	79,007
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	1,440
6	Adjusted qualifying distributions. Subtract line 5 from line 4.	6	77,567

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				74,454
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2015				
a Enter amount for 2014 only.			78,036	
b Total for prior years 20____, 20____, 20____		0		
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 ▶ \$ 79,007				
a Applied to 2014, but not more than line 2a			78,036	
b Applied to undistributed income of prior years (Election required—see instructions).		0		
c Treated as distributions out of corpus (Election required—see instructions).	0			
d Applied to 2015 distributable amount.				971
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus	0			
5 Excess distributions carryover applied to 2015 (If an amount appears in column (d), the same amount must be shown in column (a).)	0			0
6 Enter the net total of each column as indicated below:				
a Corpus Add lines 3f, 4c, and 4e Subtract line 5	0			
b Prior years' undistributed income Subtract line 4b from line 2b.		0		
c Enter the amount of prior years' undistributed income for which a notice of deficiency has been issued, or on which the section 4942(a) tax has been previously assessed.		0		
d Subtract line 6c from line 6b Taxable amount—see instructions		0		
e Undistributed income for 2014 Subtract line 4a from line 2a Taxable amount—see instructions			0	
f Undistributed income for 2016 Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1 This amount must be distributed in 2015.				73,483
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 (see instructions). . .	0			
9 Excess distributions carryover to 2016. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a.	0			
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.				

Part XIV

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

1a

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

b

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

☐ 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	Tax year	Prior 3 years			(e) Total
		(a) 2015	(b) 2014	(c) 2013	(d) 2012	
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 organization had \$5,000 or more in assets at any time during the year—see instructions.)

1

Information Regarding Foundation Managers:

a

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

b

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

2

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

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

a

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

HAROLD I APOLINSKY
2311 HIGHLAND AVENUE SOUTH
BIRMINGHAM,AL 35205
(205) 930-5122

b

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

THE CLAUDE BENNETT FAMILY FOUNDATION BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA #58-2052917 STATEMENT CONCERNING DONATIONS AND GRANTS (A)APPLICATIONS SHOULD BE ADDRESSED TO THE FOUNDATION, 2222 ARLINGTON AVENUE SOUTH, BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA 35205, ATTENTION HAROLD I APOLINSKY (B)APPLICATIONS SHOULD BE SUBMITTED IN WRITING, IDENTIFY THE APPLICANT, AFFIRM THAT THE APPLICANT IS AN ORGANIZATION DESCRIBED IN SECTION 501 (C) (3) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE, SHOULD GIVE THE ORGANIZATION'S TAX EXEMPT NUMBER, STATE THE PURPOSE FOR WHICH THE GIFT WILL BE USED, THE PRIOR EXPERIENCE OF THE APPLICANT IN CARRYING OUT SUCH PURPOSE, THE APPLICANT'S PLAN FOR, AND PERSONNEL TO BE USED IN, CARRYING OUT SUCH PURPOSE AND SHOULD ATTACH A FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF THE APPLICANT FOR THE CURRENT AND THE PRECEDING TWO YEARS

c

Any submission deadlines

NONE APPLICATIONS ARE RECEIVED FROM TIME TO TIME AND CONSIDERED WHEN FUNDS ARE AVAILABLE

d

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

DONATIONS AND GRANTS ARE RESTRICTED TO RELIGIOUS OR CHARITABLE OR EDUCATIONAL PURPOSES AND TO DONEES WITHIN THE RESTRICTION OF IRC SECTION 501(C)(3)

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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)				
<div>a Paid during the year</div> See Additional Data Table				
Total			3a	45,100
<div>b Approved for future payment</div>				
Total			3b	0

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. . . .			14	31,839	
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	239	
8	Gain or (loss) from sales of assets other than inventory			18	140,847	
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		172,925	0
13	Total. Add line 12, columns (b), (d), and (e). (See worksheet in line 13 instructions to verify calculations)			13		172,925

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

Recipient	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
Name and address (home or business)				
a Paid during the year				
ALABAMA SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA 3621 6TH AVE SOUTH BIRMINGHAM,AL 35222	NONE	PUBLIC CHARTIY	CHARITY	5,000
ALZHEIMER'S OF CENTRAL ALABAMA PO BOX 2273 BIRMINGHAM,AL 35201	NONE	PUBLIC CHARTIY	CHARITY	6,000
BIRMINGHAM AIDS OUTREACH 205 32ND ST SOUTH 101 BIRMINGHAM,AL 35233	NONE	PUBLIC CHARTIY	CHARITY	1,050
CAHABA VALLEY HEALTH CARE 4515 SOUTHLAKE PKWY STE 150 BIRMINGHAM,AL 35244	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	CHARITY	250
CHILDHAVEN 316 BROADWAY SEATTLE,WA 981225325	NONE	PUBLIC CHARTIY	CHARITY	1,000
CUMBERLAND SCHOOL OF LAW 800 LAKESHORE DRIVE BIRMINGHAM,AL 35229	NONE	PUBLIC CHARTIY	CHARITY	100
DEVELOPMENT IN GARDENING 1286 UNIVERSITY AVE 119 SAN DIEGO,CA 92103	NONE	PUBLIC CHARTIY	CHARITY	400
MCCOY ADULT DAY CARE CENTER 730 8TH AVENUE WEST BIRMINGHAM,AL 35204	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	CHARITY	250
MEALS ON WHEELS 3712 4TH AVE S BIRMINGHAM,AL 35222	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	CHARITY	1,500
PENGUIN PROJECT 1401 E WASHINGTON ST EAST PEORIA,IL 61611	NONE	PUBLIC CHARTIY	CHARITY	1,000
PERENITY FLOWER MINISTRY 2761 SMYER CIRCLE BIRMINGHAM,AL 35216	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	CHARITY	250
RHODES COLLEGE 2000 N PARKWAY MEMPHIS,TN 38112	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	CHARITY	100
SERVE 68 242 CONIFER STREET FORT COLLINS,CO 80524	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	CHARITY	1,500
SOUTH HIGHLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH 2035 HIGHLAND AVE SOUTH BIRMINGHAM,AL 35205	NONE	PUBLIC CHARTIY	CHARITY	8,850
ST LUKES EPISCOPAL CHURCH 3736 MONTROSE ROAD BIRMINGHAM,AL 35213	NONE	PUBLIC CHARTIY	CHARITY	1,500
Total				45,100

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

Recipient	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
Name and address (home or business)				
a <i>Paid during the year</i>				
ST MARTINS IN THE PINES CHURCH 4949 MONTEVALLO ROAD BIRMINGHAM,AL 35210	NONE	PUBLIC CHARTIY	CHARITY	500
UNIVERSITY OF ALABAMA SCHOOL OF SOCIAL WORK BOX 870314 TUSCALOOSA,AL 354870314	NONE	PUBLIC CHARTIY	CHARITY	1,000
WILD ANIMAL SANCTUARY 1946 COUNTY ROAD 53 KEENESBURG,CO 80643	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	CHARITY	3,000
COLORADO STATE UNIVERSITY FOUNDATION - KIDS DO IT ALL 410 UNIVERSITY SERVICES CENTER FORT COLLINS,CO 80523	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	CHARITY	2,100
DENVER ZOO 2300 STEELE STREET DENVER,CO 802054899	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	CHARITY	4,000
GENESIS PROJECT 400 SOUTH LINK LANE FORT COLLINS,CO 80524	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	CHARITY	2,000
GREATER BIRMINGHAM MINISTRIES 2304 12TH AVENUE NORTH BIRMINGHAM,AL 35234	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	CHARITY	500
LARIMER COUNTY FOOD BANK 1301 BLUE SPRUCE DRIVE FORT COLLINS,CO 80524	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	CHARITY	3,000
TRINITY COMMONS 1170 11TH AVENUE SOUTH BIRMINGHAM,AL 35205	NONE	PUBLIC CHARITY	CHARITY	250
Total			3a	45,100

TY 2015 Accounting Fees Schedule

Name: THE CLAUDE BENNETT FAMILY FOUNDATION

EIN: 58-2052917

Category	Amount	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
ACCOUNTING FEES	9,212	4,606		4,606

TY 2015 Investments Corporate Bonds Schedule

Name: THE CLAUDE BENNETT FAMILY FOUNDATION

EIN: 58-2052917

Name of Bond	End of Year Book Value	End of Year Fair Market Value
CG HIGH YIELD INVESTMENTS	70,299	57,985

TY 2015 Investments Corporate Stock Schedule**Name:** THE CLAUDE BENNETT FAMILY FOUNDATION**EIN:** 58-2052917

Name of Stock	End of Year Book Value	End of Year Fair Market Value
CG EMERGING MARKETS INVESTMENTS	186,041	139,569
CG INT'L EQUITY INVESTMENTS	234,737	215,320
CG LARGE CAP GROWTH INVESTMENTS	365,932	386,901
CG SMALL CAP GROWTH INVESTMENTS	146,870	143,508
CG LARGE CAP VALUE INVESTMENTS	123,166	173,769
CG SMALL CAP VALUE INVESTMENTS	87,371	78,152
CG CORE FIXED INCOME FUND	51,576	47,208
TRAK MM INVESTMENTS	103,173	103,173

TY 2015 Investments - Other Schedule**Name:** THE CLAUDE BENNETT FAMILY FOUNDATION**EIN:** 58-2052917

Category/ Item	Listed at Cost or FMV	Book Value	End of Year Fair Market Value
KAYNE ANDERSON ENERGY	AT COST	0	0
KAYNE ANDERSON MLP INVT CO	AT COST	0	0
ISHARES COMEX GOLD TRUST	AT COST	0	0
COHEN & STEERS REAL EST SECS C	AT COST	30,148	26,146
VOYA GLOBAL REAL ESTATE	AT COST	25,165	23,582

TY 2015 Legal Fees Schedule

Name: THE CLAUDE BENNETT FAMILY FOUNDATION

EIN: 58-2052917

Category	Amount	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
LEGAL FEES	8,004	2,801		5,203

TY 2015 Other Expenses Schedule

Name: THE CLAUDE BENNETT FAMILY FOUNDATION

EIN: 58-2052917

Description	Revenue and Expenses per Books	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
MISCELLANEOUS	98	0		98

TY 2015 Other Income Schedule

Name: THE CLAUDE BENNETT FAMILY FOUNDATION

EIN: 58-2052917

Description	Revenue And Expenses Per Books	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income
MORGAN STANLEY OTHER INCOME	239	239	239

TY 2015 Other Professional Fees Schedule

Name: THE CLAUDE BENNETT FAMILY FOUNDATION

EIN: 58-2052917

Category	Amount	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
MUTUAL FUND ADVISORY FEES	17,774	17,774		0

TY 2015 Taxes Schedule

Name: THE CLAUDE BENNETT FAMILY FOUNDATION

EIN: 58-2052917

Category	Amount	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
TAXES	3,696	3,696		0