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Short Form Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

2015

Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except private foundations)

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Information about Form 990-EZ and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

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A For the 2015 calendar year, or tax year beginning JUN 1, 2015 and ending MAY 31, 2016

B Check if applicable: Address change, Name change, Initial return, Final return/terminated, Amended return, Application pending. C Name of organization: MADISON COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION. D Employer identification number: 37-1104412. E Telephone number. F Group Exemption Number.

G Accounting Method: [X] Cash [] Accrual [] Other (specify). H Check [X] if the organization is not required to attach Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF).

I Website: WWW.MADCOBAR.COM. J Tax-exempt status (check only one) - [] 501(c)(3) [X] 501(c) (6) (insert no.) [] 4947(a)(1) or [] 527.

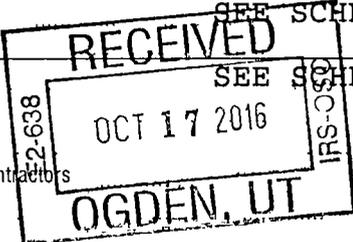
K Form of organization: [] Corporation [] Trust [X] Association [] Other.

L Add lines 5b, 6c, and 7b to line 9 to determine gross receipts. If gross receipts are \$200,000 or more, or if total assets (Part II, column (B) below) are \$500,000 or more, file Form 990 instead of Form 990-EZ. \$ 48,646.

Part I Revenue, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances (see the instructions for Part I)

Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part I [X]

Table with 21 rows and 2 columns. Row 1: Contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts received. Row 2: Program service revenue including government fees and contracts. Row 3: Membership dues and assessments. Row 4: Investment income. Row 5a: Gross amount from sale of assets other than inventory. Row 5b: Less: cost or other basis and sales expenses. Row 5c: Gain or (loss) from sale of assets other than inventory. Row 6: Gaming and fundraising events. Row 6a: Gross income from gaming. Row 6b: Gross income from fundraising events. Row 6c: Less: direct expenses from gaming and fundraising events. Row 6d: Net income or (loss) from gaming and fundraising events. Row 7a: Gross sales of inventory. Row 7b: Less: cost of goods sold. Row 7c: Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory. Row 8: Other revenue. Row 9: Total revenue. Row 10: Grants and similar amounts paid. Row 11: Benefits paid to or for members. Row 12: Salaries, other compensation, and employee benefits. Row 13: Professional fees and other payments to independent contractors. Row 14: Occupancy, rent, utilities, and maintenance. Row 15: Printing, publications, postage, and shipping. Row 16: Other expenses. Row 17: Total expenses. Row 18: Excess or (deficit) for the year. Row 19: Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year. Row 20: Other changes in net assets or fund balances. Row 21: Net assets or fund balances at end of year.



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Part V Other Information (Note the Schedule A and personal benefit contract statement requirements in the instructions for Part V) Check if the organization used Sch. O to respond to any question in this Part V

		Yes	No
33	Did the organization engage in any significant activity not previously reported to the IRS? If "Yes," provide a detailed description of each activity in Schedule O		X
34	Were any significant changes made to the organizing or governing documents? If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the amended documents if they reflect a change to the organization's name. Otherwise, explain the change on Schedule O (see instructions)		X
35a	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year from business activities (such as those reported on lines 2, 6a, and 7a, among others)?		X
35b	If "Yes" to line 35a, has the organization filed a Form 990-T for the year? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O	N/A	
35c	Was the organization a section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6) organization subject to section 6033(e) notice, reporting, and proxy tax requirements during the year? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III		X
36	Did the organization undergo a liquidation, dissolution, termination, or significant disposition of net assets during the year? If "Yes," complete applicable parts of Schedule N		X
37a	Enter amount of political expenditures, direct or indirect, as described in the instructions	37a 0.	
37b	Did the organization file Form 1120-POL for this year?		X
38a	Did the organization borrow from, or make any loans to, any officer, director, trustee, or key employee or were any such loans made in a prior year and still outstanding at the end of the tax year covered by this return?		X
38b	If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II and enter the total amount involved	38b N/A	
39	Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter:		
39a	a Initiation fees and capital contributions included on line 9	39a N/A	
39b	b Gross receipts, included on line 9, for public use of club facilities	39b N/A	
40a	Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Enter amount of tax imposed on the organization during the year under:		
	section 4911 <u>N/A</u> ; section 4912 <u>N/A</u> ; section 4955 <u>N/A</u>		
40b	b Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations. Did the organization engage in any section 4958 excess benefit transaction during the year, or did it engage in an excess benefit transaction in a prior year that has not been reported on any of its prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I		N/A
40c	c Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations. Enter amount of tax imposed on organization managers or disqualified persons during the year under sections 4912, 4955, and 4958	40c N/A	
40d	d Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations. Enter amount of tax on line 40c reimbursed by the organization	40d N/A	
40e	e All organizations. At any time during the tax year, was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction? If "Yes," complete Form 8886-T		X
41	List the states with which a copy of this return is filed	41 NONE	
42a	The organization's books are in care of <u>MADISON COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATI</u> Telephone no. <u></u> Located at <u>PO BOX 128, EDWARDSVILLE, IL</u> ZIP + 4 <u>62025</u>		
42b	b At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)?		X
42c	If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: <u></u> See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts (FBAR).		X
43	c At any time during the calendar year, did the organization maintain an office outside of the U.S.? If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: <u></u>		X
43	Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-EZ in lieu of Form 1041 - Check here <input type="checkbox"/> and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year	43 N/A	
44a	Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds during the year? If "Yes," Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ		X
44b	b Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities during the year? If "Yes," Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ		X
44c	c Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the year?		X
44d	d If "Yes" to line 44c, has the organization filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O		
45a	Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?		X
45b	b Did the organization receive any payment from or engage in any transaction with a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," Form 990 and Schedule R may need to be completed instead of Form 990-EZ (see instructions)		

	Yes	No
46 Did the organization engage, directly or indirectly, in political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I	46	X

Part VI Section 501(c)(3) organizations only

All section 501(c)(3) organizations must answer questions 47-49b and 52, and complete the tables for lines 50 and 51.

Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part VI

	Yes	No
47 Did the organization engage in lobbying activities or have a section 501(h) election in effect during the tax year? If "Yes," complete Sch. C, Part II	47	
48 Is the organization a school as described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E	48	
49 a Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization?	49a	
b If "Yes," was the related organization a section 527 organization?	49b	

50 Complete this table for the organization's five highest compensated employees (other than officers, directors, trustees and key employees) who each received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. If there is none, enter "None."

(a) Name and title of each employee	(b) Average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Reportable compensation (Forms W-2/1099-MISC)	(d) Health benefits, contributions to employee benefit plans, and deferred compensation	(e) Estimated amount of other compensation
N/A				

f Total number of other employees paid over \$100,000

51 Complete this table for the organization's five highest compensated independent contractors who each received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. If there is none, enter "None." N/A

(a) Name and business address of each independent contractor	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation

d Total number of other independent contractors each receiving over \$100,000

52 Did the organization complete Schedule A? Note: All section 501(c)(3) organizations must attach a completed Schedule A Yes No

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 officer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.

Sign Here Signature of officer DA. Weber Date 30 Sept. 2016

Type or print name and title DAVID A. WEBER, TREASURER

Paid Preparer Use Only

Print/Type preparer's name SCOTT WEBER CPA Preparer's signature Scott Weber CPA Date 09/27/16 Check if self-employed PTIN P00028120

Firm's name SCHEFFEL BOYLE Firm's EIN 37-1206530

Firm's address 143 N KANSAS ST EDWARDSVILLE, IL 62025-1770 Phone no. (618) 656-1206

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? See instructions Yes No

SCHEDULE O
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

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FORM 990-EZ, PART I, LINE 4, OTHER INVESTMENT INCOME:

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY:

AMOUNT:

INTEREST INCOME

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FORM 990-EZ, PART I, LINE 8, OTHER REVENUE:

DESCRIPTION OF OTHER REVENUE:

AMOUNT:

OTHER INCOME

5,990.

FORM 990-EZ, PART I, LINE 10, GRANTS AND ALLOCATIONS:

ACTIVITY CLASSIFICATION: CHARITABLE ORGANIZATIONS

GRANTEE NAME: LAND OF LINCOLN LEGAL ASSISTANCE FOUNDATION

GRANTEE ADDRESS: 310 EASTON STREET, SUITE 330 ALTON, IL 62002

PROPERTY DESCRIPTION: CASH

DATE OF GIFT: 05/31/16

AMOUNT GIVEN:

7,000.

ACTIVITY CLASSIFICATION: SCHOLARSHIPS

GRANTEE NAME: VARIOUS UNDER \$5,000

AMOUNT GIVEN:

10,777.

ACTIVITY CLASSIFICATION: CHARITABLE ORGANIZATIONS

GRANTEE NAME: VARIOUS

AMOUNT GIVEN:

500.

TOTAL INCLUDED ON FORM 990-EZ, LINE 10

18,277.

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FORM 990-EZ, PART I, LINE 16, OTHER EXPENSES:

<u>DESCRIPTION OF OTHER EXPENSES:</u>	<u>AMOUNT:</u>
ADVERTISING AND PROMOTION	834.
BANK SERVICE CHARGES	314.
CLE OTHER	2,023.
CONFERENCES, CONVENTIONS, AND MEETINGS	29,694.
INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY	870.
INSURANCE	2,557.
JURY COFFEE	1,381.
LUNCHEON	2,432.
MEMORIALS	1,128.
SUPPLIES	2,475.
TOTAL TO FORM 990-EZ, LINE 16	43,708.

FORM 990-EZ, PART III, PRIMARY EXEMPT PURPOSE - PROMOTE LEGAL PROFESSION
AND CULTIVATE PROFESSIONAL RELATIONSHIPS

FORM 990-EZ, PART V, INFORMATION REGARDING PERSONAL BENEFIT CONTRACTS:

THE ORGANIZATION DID NOT, DURING THE YEAR, RECEIVE ANY FUNDS, DIRECTLY,
OR INDIRECTLY, TO PAY PREMIUMS ON A PERSONAL BENEFIT CONTRACT.

THE ORGANIZATION, DID NOT, DURING THE YEAR, PAY ANY PREMIUMS, DIRECTLY,
OR INDIRECTLY, ON A PERSONAL BENEFIT CONTRACT.