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

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Internal Revenue Service▶ Do not enter social security numbers on this form as it may be made public.
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Name of foundation Isreal D. Markley Charitable Trust		A Employer identification number 48-6287583
Number and street (or P.O. box number if mail is not delivered to street address) 2130 S. Ohio, PO Box 1280	Room/suite	B Telephone number (see instructions) 785-827-5522
City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code Salina, KS 67402-1280		C If exemption application is pending, check here ☐
G Check all that apply: ☐ Initial return ☐ Initial return of a former public charity ☐ Final return ☐ Amended return ☒ Address change ☐ Name change		D 1. Foreign organizations, check here ☐ 2. Foreign organizations meeting the 85% test, check here and attach computation ☐
H Check type of organization: ☒ Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation ☐ Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust ☐ Other taxable private foundation		E If private foundation status was terminated under section 507(b)(1)(A), check here ☐
I Fair market value of all assets at end of year (from Part II, col. (c), line 16) ▶ \$ 125,665	J Accounting method: ☒ Cash ☐ Accrual ☐ Other (specify) _____	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)				
	2 Check ☐ if the foundation is not required to attach Sch. B				
	3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments	3351	3351		
	4 Dividends and interest from securities	714	714		
	5a Gross rents				
	b Net rental income or (loss)				
	6a Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10	-4			
	b Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a				
	7 Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2)				
	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)					
12 Total. Add lines 1 through 11	4061	4065			
Operating and Administrative Expenses	13 Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc.	500			500
	14 Other employee salaries and wages				
	15 Pension plans, employee benefits				
	16a Legal fees (attach schedule)	550			550
	b Accounting fees (attach schedule)				
	c Other professional fees (attach schedule)				
	17 Interest				
	18 Taxes (attach schedule) (see instructions)	104			104
	19 Depreciation (attach schedule) and depletion				
	20 Occupancy				
	21 Travel, conferences, and meetings				
	22 Printing and publications				
	23 Other expenses (attach schedule)				
	24 Total operating and administrative expenses. Add lines 13 through 23	1154			1154
	25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid	5500			5500
26 Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 24 and 25	6654			6654	
27 Subtract line 26 from line 12:					
a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements	-2593				
b Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)		4065			
c Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -0-)					

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Part II Balance Sheets		Attached schedules and amounts in the description column should be for end-of-year amounts only. (See instructions.)			
		Beginning of year (a) Book Value	End of year (b) Book Value (c) Fair Market Value		
Assets	1	Cash—non-interest-bearing			
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments	426	2370	2370
	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)	15004	-0-	-0-
	b	Investments—corporate stock (attach schedule)	14850	15564	18374
	c	Investments—corporate bonds (attach schedule)	73505	83258	86921
	Liabilities	11	Investments—land, buildings, and equipment: basis ▶		
		Less: accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶			
12		Investments—mortgage loans			
13		Investments—other (attach schedule)	18000	18000	18000
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)	121785	119192	125665
17		Accounts payable and accrued expenses			
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-	-0-	
		Foundations that follow SFAS 117, check here ☐ and complete lines 24 through 26 and lines 30 and 31.			
	24	Unrestricted	121785	119192	
	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				
30	Total net assets or fund balances (see instructions)	121785	119192		
31	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances (see instructions)	121785	119192		

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	121785
2	Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2	-2593
3	Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶	3	
4	Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4	119192
5	Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶	5	
6	Total net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5)—Part II, column (b), line 30	6	119192

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	FHLB Mortgage Note	P	4/25/13	1/25/16
b				
c				
d				
e				
(e) Gross sales price		(f) Depreciation allowed (or allowable)	(g) Cost or other basis plus expense of sale	(h) Gain or (loss) (e) plus (f) minus (g)
a	15000		15004	-4
b				
c				
d				
e				
Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69				(i) Gains (Col. (h) gain minus col. (k), but not less than -0-) or Losses (from col. (h))
(i) F.M.V. as of 12/31/69	(j) Adjusted basis as of 12/31/69	(k) Excess of col. (i) over col. (j), if any		
a				
b				
c				
d				
e				
2	Capital gain net income or (net capital loss) { If gain, also enter in Part I, line 7 If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 7 }			-4
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			

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))
2015			
2014			
2013			
2012			
2011			
2	Total of line 1, column (d)		
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		
4	Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2016 from Part X, line 5		
5	Multiply line 4 by line 3		
6	Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b)		
7	Add lines 5 and 6		
8	Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4		

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

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	81
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	
3 Add lines 1 and 2		3	81
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	81
6 Credits/Payments:			
a 2016 estimated tax payments and 2015 overpayment credited to 2016	6a		
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		
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	81	
10 Overpayment. If line 7 is more than the total of lines 5 and 8, enter the amount overpaid	10		
11 Enter the amount of line 10 to be: Credited to 2017 estimated tax			
	Refunded	11	

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?		✓
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>		✓
c Did the foundation file Form 1120-POL for this year?		✓
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>		✓
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>		✓
4a Did the foundation have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?		✓
b If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on Form 990-T for this year?		✓
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>		✓
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?	✓	
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>	✓	
8a Enter the states to which the foundation reports or with which it is registered (see instructions) ▶ Kansas		
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>	✓	
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 2016 or the taxable year beginning in 2016 (see instructions for Part XIV)? <i>If "Yes," complete Part XIV</i>		✓
10 Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year? <i>If "Yes," attach a schedule listing their names and addresses</i>		✓

Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities (continued)

	Yes	No
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	✓
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	✓
13 Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements for its annual returns and exemption application? Website address ► NONE	13	✓
14 The books are in care of ► The Bennington State Bank Telephone no. ► 785-488-3344 Located at ► 104 Washington, Bennington, KS ZIP+4 ► 67422-0308		
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 2016, did the foundation have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a bank, securities, or other financial account in a foreign country?	16	✓
See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114. If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country ►		

Part VII-B Statements Regarding Activities for Which Form 4720 May Be Required

File Form 4720 if any item is checked in the "Yes" column, unless an exception applies.

	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)?	1b	
Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here ► ☐		
c Did the foundation engage in a prior year in any of the acts described in 1a, other than excepted acts, that were not corrected before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2016?	1c	✓
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 2016, did the foundation have any undistributed income (lines 6d and 6e, Part XIII) for tax year(s) beginning before 2016? ☐ 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	
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 2016 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 2016.)	3b	
4a Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes?	4a	✓
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 2016?	4b	✓

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 ☒ NoOrganizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here ☐ **5b****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 **6b**

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 **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	(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
The Bennington State Bank 2130 S. Ohio, PO Box 1280, Salina, KS 67402-1280	Trustee, 1.5	500		

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

Total number of other employees paid over \$50,000 ☐ **-0-**

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 Grant Scholarships to 8 local area students

5500

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

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	107068
b	Average of monthly cash balances	1b	1398
c	Fair market value of all other assets (see instructions)	1c	18000
d	Total (add lines 1a, b, and c)	1d	126466
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	126466
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities. Enter 1½% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions)	4	1897
5	Net value of noncharitable-use assets. Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter here and on Part V, line 4	5	124569
6	Minimum investment return. Enter 5% of line 5	6	6228

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	6228
2a	Tax on investment income for 2016 from Part VI, line 5 2a		
b	Income tax for 2016. (This does not include the tax from Part VI.) 2b		
c	Add lines 2a and 2b	2c	81
3	Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1	3	6147
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions	4	
5	Add lines 3 and 4	5	6147
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	6147

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	6654
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	6654
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	6654

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 2015	(c) 2015	(d) 2016
1 Distributable amount for 2016 from Part XI, line 7				6147
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2016:				
a Enter amount for 2015 only			0	
b Total for prior years: 20____, 20____, 20____		0		
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2016:				
a From 2011				
b From 2012				
c From 2013				
d From 2014				
e From 2015	1361			
f Total of lines 3a through e	1361			
4 Qualifying distributions for 2016 from Part XII, line 4: ► \$ <u>6654</u>				
a Applied to 2015, but not more than line 2a			0	
b Applied to undistributed income of prior years (Election required—see instructions)		0		
c Treated as distributions out of corpus (Election required—see instructions)	0			
d Applied to 2016 distributable amount				4061
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus	1232			
5 Excess distributions carryover applied to 2016 (If an amount appears in column (d), the same amount must be shown in column (a).)	1361			
6 Enter the net total of each column as indicated below:				
a Corpus. Add lines 3f, 4c, and 4e. Subtract line 5	1232			
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 2015. 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 2017				0
7 Amounts treated as distributions out of corpus to satisfy requirements imposed by section 170(b)(1)(F) or 4942(g)(3) (Election may be required—see instructions)	0			
8 Excess distributions carryover from 2011 not applied on line 5 or line 7 (see instructions)	0			
9 Excess distributions carryover to 2017. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a	1232			
10 Analysis of line 9:				
a Excess from 2012				
b Excess from 2013				
c Excess from 2014				
d Excess from 2015				
e Excess from 2016	1232			

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 2016, enter the date of the ruling
- b** Check box to indicate whether the foundation is a private operating foundation described in section ☐ 4942(j)(3) or ☐ 4942(j)(5)

	Tax year	Prior 3 years			(e) Total
	(a) 2016	(b) 2015	(c) 2014	(d) 2013	
2a Enter the lesser of the adjusted net income from Part I or the minimum investment return from Part X for each year listed					
b 85% of line 2a					
c Qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4 for each year listed					
d Amounts included in line 2c not used directly for active conduct of exempt activities					
e Qualifying distributions made directly for active conduct of exempt activities. Subtract line 2d from line 2c					
3 Complete 3a, b, or c for the alternative test relied upon:					
a "Assets" alternative test—enter:					
(1) Value of all assets					
(2) Value of assets qualifying under section 4942(j)(3)(B)(i)					
b "Endowment" alternative test—enter $\frac{2}{3}$ of minimum investment return shown in Part X, line 6 for each year listed					
c "Support" alternative test—enter:					
(1) Total support other than gross investment income (interest, dividends, rents, payments on securities loans (section 512(a)(5)), or royalties)					
(2) Support from general public and 5 or more exempt organizations as provided in section 4942(j)(3)(B)(iii)					
(3) Largest amount of support from an exempt organization					
(4) Gross investment income					

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

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

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:

The Isreal D. Markley Charitable Trust c/o The Bennington State Bank, PO Box 308, Bennington, Ks 67422-0308 (785) 488-3344

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

SEE ATTACHED APPLICATION

- c** Any submission deadlines:

SEE ELIGIBILITY IN ATTACHED GRANT PROCEDURE

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

SEE ELIGIBILITY IN ATTACHED GRANT PROCEDURE

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 Paid during the year				
SEE ATTACHED SCHEDULE				5500
Total			▶ 3a	5500
b Approved for future payment				
Total			▶ 3b	-0-

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			01	4065	
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				-4	
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)				4061	
13	Total. Add line 12, columns (b), (d), and (e)					

(See worksheet in line 13 instructions to verify calculations.)

13 **4061**

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

[illegible]

Part XVII Information Regarding Transfers To and Transactions and Relationships With Noncharitable Exempt Organizations

- | 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? | | Yes | No |
|---|--|-------|----|
| a | Transfers from the reporting foundation to a noncharitable exempt organization of: | | |
| (1) | Cash | 1a(1) | ✓ |
| (2) | Other assets | 1a(2) | ✓ |
| b | Other transactions: | | |
| (1) | Sales of assets to a noncharitable exempt organization | 1b(1) | ✓ |
| (2) | Purchases of assets from a noncharitable exempt organization | 1b(2) | ✓ |
| (3) | Rental of facilities, equipment, or other assets | 1b(3) | ✓ |
| (4) | Reimbursement arrangements | 1b(4) | ✓ |
| (5) | Loans or loan guarantees | 1b(5) | ✓ |
| (6) | Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations | 1b(6) | ✓ |
| c | Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, other assets, or paid employees | 1c | ✓ |
| 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. | | |

[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

**Sign
Here**

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than taxpayer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.

Signature of officer or trustee Casey B. [Signature] Date 11/25/17 Title Trustee

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

**Paid
Preparer
Use Only**

Print/Type preparer's name

Tom A. Williamson

Preparer's signature

an H. H. Thompson

Date _____

4-24-17

Check ☐ if self-employed

PTIN

d | **P00495191**

Firm's name ▶ Kennedy Berkley Yarnevich & Williamson, Chartered

Firm's EIN ► 48-0829403

Firm's address ► 119 W. Iron, PO Box 2567, Salina, KS 67402-2567

Phone no. **785-825-4674**

ISREAL D. MARKLEY CHARITABLE TRUST
48-6287583

STATEMENT OF INFORMATION
2016
FORM 990-PF

PART I, LINE 16a. – Legal Fees

Kennedy Berkley Yarnevich & Williamson, Chartered
Services rendered in connection with the preparation
and filing of 2015 Form 990-PF and attachments
and Isreal D. Markley Charitable Trust tax returns \$550.00

PART I, LINE 18 – Taxes

2015 Excise Tax on Investment Income \$ 104.00

PART II, LINE 10b – Corporate Stock (FMV)

598.62 shs Income Fund of America-F Shares \$12,960.12
402.79 shs Principal Global Diversified Income Fd.....\$ 5,413.70

PART II, LINE 10c – Corporate Bonds (FMV)

Goldman Sachs Group Senior Note \$18,348.48
General Electric Capital Corp Medium Term Note \$22,153.20
Berkshire Hathaway Inc. Del Senior Note.....\$36,426.60
HSBC USA New Fixed Senior Note.....\$ 9,993.00

PART II, LINE 13 – Investments – Other (FMV)

Certificates of Deposit..... \$18,000.00

ISREAL D. MARKLEY CHARITABLE TRUST

SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS 2016

Abby Jurgensmeier 5901 N. Leisure Rd. Salina, KS 67401	\$ 1,000.00
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Brandon Nisbeth 351 N. 140 th Rd Bennington, KS 67422	\$ 500.00
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Taylor Ragoni 590 N. 180 th Rd. Bennington, KS 67422	\$ 400.00
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Madeline Schmidt 5853 N. Bartley Dr. Salina, KS 67401	\$ 900.00
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Jayne Sloan 724 N. Parker Bennington, KS 67422	\$ 1,000.00
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Jacob Stanley 343 N. 160 th Rd. Bennington, KS 67422	\$ 400.00
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Olivia Stewart 89 Alpine Ridge. Bennington, KS 67422	\$ 450.00
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Lesley Swagerty 509 N. Struble Bennington, Ks 67422	\$ 850.00
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\$ 5,500.00

APPLICATION FOR ISREAL D. MARKLEY CHARITABLE TRUST SCHOLARSHIP

Name of Applicant _____
(Last) (First) (Middle)

Permanent Address _____

Male _____ Female _____ Birthdate _____

Father's Name _____ Occupation _____

Mother's Name _____ Occupation _____

How many in family _____ Brothers _____ Ages _____ Sisters _____ Ages _____

Approximately what was your parent's net income last year? _____

Approximately what was your own net income last year? _____

Any employment starting during high school years:

Employer _____ Approximate Date _____

Duties _____

Employer _____ Approximate Date _____

Duties _____

Employer _____ Approximate Date _____

Duties _____

Current college or school grade point average: _____

Name of College or School you will be attending: _____

Address of this College or School _____

Number of years needed to complete course _____ Course of study _____

Have you or will you receive any other scholarships, grants, or loans? _____

If answer is Yes list scholarship and grants below with amount.

Scholarship or Grant _____ Amount _____

Scholarship or Grant _____ Amount _____

Scholarship or Grant _____ Amount _____

List the approximate annual college expenses you will have. _____

List the high school activities you have participated in. _____

How have these contributed to your development as an individual? _____

ISREAL D. MARKLEY CHARITABLE TRUST
GRANT PROCEDURE

Pursuant to authority granted by the Israel D. Markley Charitable Trust, it is the intent and purpose to conduct a scholarship program and award scholarships in a manner that will meet the requirements of Section 4945(g) of the Internal Revenue Code and the income tax regulations promulgated thereunder.

The following procedure is to be used by the Israel D. Markley Charitable Trust in awarding scholarships to individuals:

1. Selection process. Scholarships will be awarded by an independent selection committee that will operate pursuant to a system of standards, procedures and follow-up designed to result in scholarships which are awarded on an objective and non-discriminatory basis and which will in every... respect meet the requirements of Section 4945(g) of the Internal Revenue Code. Any high school graduate (or its equivalent) is eligible to apply for consideration by the selection committee. In awarding scholarships the selection committee shall take into account the following:

- (a) Prior academic performance.
- (b) Entrance and aptitude tests.
- (f) Financial need.
- (d) Selection committee's determination of individual's motivation, character, ability and potential (to be determined by personal interview or otherwise).

(e) Indication from the educational institution selected by the candidate that he or she will be accepted for enrollment.

2. Condition of award. The Isreal D. Markley Charitable Trust will make the award at such time as the student is enrolled and in good standing at the educational institution he or she has chosen to attend. The only conditions of the award are as follows:

(a) The recipient's legal residence be located within a 50 mile radius of Bennington, Kansas.

(b) The school selected by the recipient must be an accredited institution of higher learning located within the State of Kansas and in all respects qualifying as an educational institution described in Section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii) of the Internal Revenue Code.

(c) The recipient must pursue in good faith an established program of "higher education" at the school he or she has chosen to attend.

In the event the student should terminate his or her enrollment, the tuition refunded in accordance with the policy of the school will be returned to the Isreal D. Markley Charitable Trust to the extent of the award granted to such student.

3. Type of award. The primary type of award will be direct tuition scholarship grants.

4. Selection committee. The selection committee shall be comprised of not less than three nor more than nine persons as determined from time to time by the Trustee of the Israel D. Markley Charitable Trust. The selection committee shall include at least one person who is actively engaged with the Bennington, Kansas public school system (USD 240) in either an administrative, teaching or policy making capacity. The remaining members of the selection committee shall be from the public at large who are understanding of the mission and goals of higher education. The selection

committee shall operate in an objective and non-discriminatory manner and shall be a wholly independent body. Accordingly, no more than one member of the selection committee may be affiliated in any manner with the same educational institution.

5. Procedure for exercising supervision of awards. The Trustee will pay the grants directly to the recipient selected to receive the award. The recipient selected must agree to use the funds to defray the recipient's expenses at an educational institution in an established higher education program. The recipient's standing at the educational institution will be subject to verification by the selection committee and must be consistent with the purposes and conditions of the award.

6. Procedure for review of awards. The Israel D. Markley Charitable Trust shall obtain reports from each educational institution involved to determine whether the recipients have performed the activities that the grants are intended to finance. These reports will include progress made by the recipient toward achieving the purposes for which the grant was made. Such reports will be obtained at least once a year. A final report will be obtained describing the grantee's accomplishments with respect to the grant and accounting for the funds received under the award. If there is any indication that all or a part of an award is not being used in furtherance of the purposes of such grant, the Trustee will investigate. While conducting its investigation, the Trustee will withhold further payments to the extent possible until any delinquent reports have been submitted in accordance with applicable income tax regulations.