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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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OMB No 1545-0052

2017

Open to Public Inspection

For calendar year 2017 or tax year beginning , and ending

Name of foundation: ASHLEY CHARITABLE FOUNDATION, LTD.

A Employer identification number: 39-1948289

Number and street (or P O box number if mail is not delivered to street address): ONE ASHLEY WAY | Room/suite

B Telephone number: 608-323-6824

City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code: ARCADIA, WI 54612

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 [X] 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: [X] 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) ▶$ 31,151,523.

J Accounting method: [X] Cash [ ] Accrual [ ] Other (specify) (Part I, column (d) must be on cash basis.)

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))

	Line	(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			N/A	
	2 Check ▶ [X] if the foundation is not required to attach Sch B				
	3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments	124,687.			STATEMENT 1
	4 Dividends and interest from securities	286,806.	286,806.		STATEMENT 2
	5a Gross rents				
	b Net rental income or (loss)				
	6a Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10	<163.>			
	b Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a 3,283,488.				
	7 Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2)		0.		
	8 Net short-term capital gain				
	9 Income modifications				
	10a Gross sales less returns and allowances				
	b Less Cost of goods sold				
	c Gross profit or (loss)				
	11 Other income				
	12 **Total.** Add lines 1 through 11	411,330.	286,806.		
Operating and Administrative Expenses	13 Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc	0.	0.		0.
	14 Other employee salaries and wages				
	15 Pension plans, employee benefits				
	16a Legal fees				
	b Accounting fees				
	c Other professional fees STMT 3	30,242.	21,075.		0.
	17 Interest				
	18 Taxes STMT 4	10,059.	59.		0.
	19 Depreciation and depletion				
	20 Occupancy				
	21 Travel, conferences, and meetings				
	22 Printing and publications				
	23 Other expenses STMT 5	10.	10.		0.
	24 **Total operating and administrative expenses.** Add lines 13 through 23	40,311.	21,144.		0.
	25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid	4,169,464.			4,169,464.
	26 **Total expenses and disbursements.** Add lines 24 and 25	4,209,775.	21,144.		4,169,464.
	27 Subtract line 26 from line 12				
	a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements	<3,798,445.>			
	b **Net investment income** (if negative, enter -0-)		265,662.		
	c **Adjusted net income** (if negative, enter -0-)			N/A	

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Part II Balance Sheets (Attached schedules and amounts in the description column should be for end-of-year amounts only)	Beginning of year (a) Book Value	End of year (b) Book Value	End of year (c) Fair Market Value
Assets			
1 Cash - non-interest-bearing			
2 Savings and temporary cash investments	21,006,660.	13,611,622.	13,611,622.
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			
7 Other notes and loans receivable ▶			
Less allowance for doubtful accounts ▶			
8 Inventories for sale or use			
9 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges		6,606.	6,606.
10a Investments - U S and state government obligations STMT 6	3,427,530.	9,460,928.	9,506,320.
b Investments - corporate stock STMT 7	1,409,910.	5,656,755.	6,325,989.
c Investments - corporate bonds STMT 8	8,407,051.	1,641,795.	1,700,986.
11 Investments - land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶			
Less accumulated depreciation ▶			
12 Investments - mortgage loans			
13 Investments - other			
14 Land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶			
Less accumulated depreciation ▶			
15 Other assets (describe ▶)			
16 **Total assets** (to be completed by all filers - see the instructions Also, see page 1, item I)	34,251,151.	30,377,706.	31,151,523.
Liabilities			
17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses			
18 Grants payable	75,000.		
19 Deferred revenue			
20 Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons			
21 Mortgages and other notes payable			
22 Other liabilities (describe ▶)			
23 **Total liabilities** (add lines 17 through 22)	75,000.	0.	
Net Assets or Fund Balances			
Foundations that follow SFAS 117, check here ▶ ☐ and complete lines 24 through 26, and lines 30 and 31.			
24 Unrestricted			
25 Temporarily restricted			
26 Permanently restricted			
Foundations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here ▶ ☒ and complete lines 27 through 31.			
27 Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds	34,176,151.	30,377,706.	
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**	34,176,151.	30,377,706.	
31 **Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances**	34,251,151.	30,377,706.	

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	34,176,151.
2 Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2	<3,798,445.>
3 Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶	3	0.
4 Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4	30,377,706.
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	30,377,706.

Part IV Capital Gains and Losses for Tax on Investment Income

	(a) List and describe the kind(s) of property sold (for example, 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				
b	SEE ATTACHED STATEMENTS			
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				
b				
c				
d				
e	3,283,488.		3,283,651.	<163.>

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

	(i) FMV as of 12/31/69	(j) Adjusted basis as of 12/31/69	(k) Excess of col (i) over col (j), if any	(l) Gains (Col (h) gain minus col (k), but not less than -0-) or Losses (from col (h))
a				
b				
c				
d				
e				<163.>

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** <163.>

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)
If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 8 **3** N/A

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 doesn't qualify under section 4940(e) Do not complete this part

1 Enter the appropriate amount in each column for each year, see the 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))
2016	1,283,020.	34,376,706.	.037322
2015	3,823,167.	39,065,968.	.097864
2014	3,694,824.	37,860,854.	.097590
2013	2,121,099.	34,066,405.	.062264
2012	2,969,842.	17,320,856.	.171460

2 Total of line 1, column (d)	2	.466500
3 Average distribution ratio for the 5-year base period - divide the total on line 2 by 5 0, or by the number of years the foundation has been in existence if less than 5 years	3	.093300
4 Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2017 from Part X, line 5	4	31,625,618.
5 Multiply line 4 by line 3	5	2,950,670.
6 Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b)	6	2,657.
7 Add lines 5 and 6	7	2,953,327.
8 Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4	8	4,169,464.

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

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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 ▶ [X] and enter 1% of Part I, line 27b	1	2,657.
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	2,657.
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	2,657.
6	Credits/Payments		
a	2017 estimated tax payments and 2016 overpayment credited to 2017 — 6a 23,323.		
b	Exempt foreign organizations - tax withheld at source — 6b 0.		
c	Tax paid with application for extension of time to file (Form 8868) — 6c 0.		
d	Backup withholding erroneously withheld — 6d 0.		
7	Total credits and payments Add lines 6a through 6d	7	23,323.
8	Enter any **penalty** for underpayment of estimated tax Check here ☐ if Form 2220 is attached	8	0.
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	20,666.
11	Enter the amount of line 10 to be **Credited to 2018 estimated tax** ▶ 20,666. **Refunded** ▶	11	0.

Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities

			Yes	No
1a	During the tax year, did the foundation attempt to influence any national, state, or local legislation or did it participate or intervene in any political campaign?	1a		X
b	Did it spend more than $100 during the year (either directly or indirectly) for political purposes? See the instructions for the definition	1b		X
	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			
c	Did the foundation file **Form 1120-POL** for this year?	1c		X
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		X
3	Has the foundation made any changes, not previously reported to the IRS, in its governing instrument, articles of incorporation, or bylaws, or other similar instruments? If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the changes	3		X
4a	Did the foundation have unrelated business gross income of $1,000 or more during the year?	4a		X
b	If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on **Form 990-T** for this year? N/A	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		X
6	Are the requirements of section 508(e) (relating to sections 4941 through 4945) satisfied either • By language in the governing instrument, or • By state legislation that effectively amends the governing instrument so that no mandatory directions that conflict with the state law remain in the governing instrument?	6	X	
7	Did the foundation have at least $5,000 in assets at any time during the year? If "Yes," complete Part II, col (c), and Part XV	7	X	
8a	Enter the states to which the foundation reports or with which it is registered See instructions ▶ WI			
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	X	
9	Is the foundation claiming status as a private operating foundation within the meaning of section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5) for calendar year 2017 or the tax year beginning in 2017? See the instructions for Part XIV If "Yes," complete Part XIV	9		X
10	Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year? If "Yes," attach a schedule listing their names and addresses	10		X

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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		X
12	Did the foundation make a distribution to a donor advised fund over which the foundation or a disqualified person had advisory privileges? If "Yes," attach statement See instructions	12		X
13	Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements for its annual returns and exemption application?	13	X	

Website address ▶ NONE

14 The books are in care of ▶ TROY MULLER Telephone no ▶608-323-6824

Located at ▶ONE ASHLEY WAY, ARCADIA, WI ZIP+4 ▶54612

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 | N/A

			Yes	No
16	At any time during calendar year 2017, did the foundation have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a bank, securities, or other financial account in a foreign country? See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114 If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country ▶	16		X

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

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

				Yes	No
1a	During the year, did the foundation (either directly or indirectly)				
	(1) Engage in the sale or exchange, or leasing of property with a disqualified person?	☐ Yes ☒ No			
	(2) Borrow money from, lend money to, or otherwise extend credit to (or accept it from) a disqualified person?	☐ Yes ☒ No			
	(3) Furnish goods, services, or facilities to (or accept them from) a disqualified person?	☐ Yes ☒ No			
	(4) Pay compensation to, or pay or reimburse the expenses of, a disqualified person?	☐ Yes ☒ No			
	(5) Transfer any income or assets to a disqualified person (or make any of either available for the benefit or use of a disqualified person)?	☐ Yes ☒ No			
	(6) Agree to pay money or property to a government official? (**Exception.** Check "No" if the foundation agreed to make a grant to or to employ the official for a period after termination of government service, if terminating within 90 days)	☐ Yes ☒ No			
b	If any answer is "Yes" to 1a(1)-(6), did any of the acts fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53 4941(d)-3 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance? See instructions	N/A	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 2017?		1c		X
2	Taxes on failure to distribute income (section 4942) (does not apply for years the foundation was a private operating foundation defined in section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5))				
a	At the end of tax year 2017, did the foundation have any undistributed income (lines 6d and 6e, Part XIII) for tax year(s) beginning before 2017?	☐ Yes ☒ No			
	If "Yes," list the years ▶ ______ , ______ , ______ , ______				
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)	N/A	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 ▶ ______ , ______ , ______ , ______				
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 2017 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 2017)	N/A	3b		
4a	Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes?		4a		X
b	Did the foundation make any investment in a prior year (but after December 31, 1969) that could jeopardize its charitable purpose that had not been removed from jeopardy before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2017?		4b		X

Part VII-B Statements Regarding Activities for Which Form 4720 May Be Required *(continued)*

			Yes	No
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 [X] 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 [X] No			
(3) Provide a grant to an individual for travel, study, or other similar purposes?	☐ Yes [X] No			
(4) Provide a grant to an organization other than a charitable, etc, organization described in section 4945(d)(4)(A)? See instructions	☐ Yes [X] 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 [X] 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	N/A	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? N/A	☐ 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 [X] No			
b Did the foundation, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?		6b		X
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 [X] No			
b If "Yes," did the foundation receive any proceeds or have any net income attributable to the transaction?	N/A	7b		

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

1 List all officers, directors, trustees, and foundation managers and their compensation.

(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
SEE STATEMENT 9		0.	0.	0.

2 Compensation of five highest-paid employees (other than those included on line 1). If none, enter "NONE."

(a) Name and address of each employee paid more than $50,000	(b) Title, and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account, other allowances
NONE				

Total number of other employees paid over $50,000 ▶ 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. 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 N/A	
2	
3	
4	

Part IX-B Summary of Program-Related Investments

Describe the two largest program-related investments made by the foundation during the tax year on lines 1 and 2	Amount
1 N/A	
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	16,224,752.
b	Average of monthly cash balances		1b	15,882,474.
c	Fair market value of all other assets		1c	
d	**Total** (add lines 1a, b, and c)		1d	32,107,226.
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	32,107,226.
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities Enter 1 1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions)		4	481,608.
5	**Net value of noncharitable-use assets.** Subtract line 4 from line 3 Enter here and on Part V, line 4		5	31,625,618.
6	**Minimum investment return** Enter 5% of line 5		6	1,581,281.

Part XI Distributable Amount (see instructions) (Section 4942(j)(3) and (j)(5) private operating foundations and certain foreign organizations, check here ▶ ☐ and do not complete this part)

1	Minimum investment return from Part X, line 6		1	1,581,281.
2a	Tax on investment income for 2017 from Part VI, line 5	2a 2,657.		
b	Income tax for 2017 (This does not include the tax from Part VI)	2b		
c	Add lines 2a and 2b		2c	2,657.
3	Distributable amount before adjustments Subtract line 2c from line 1		3	1,578,624.
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions		4	0.
5	Add lines 3 and 4		5	1,578,624.
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	1,578,624.

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	4,169,464.
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	4,169,464.
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	5	2,657.
6	**Adjusted qualifying distributions.** Subtract line 5 from line 4	6	4,166,807.

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 2016	(c) 2016	(d) 2017
1 Distributable amount for 2017 from Part XI, line 7				1,578,624.
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2017				
a Enter amount for 2016 only			0.	
b Total for prior years: ___ , ___ , ___		0.		
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2017				
a From 2012 2,111,243.				
b From 2013 435,817.				
c From 2014 1,830,556.				
d From 2015 1,894,175.				
e From 2016				
f Total of lines 3a through e	6,271,791.			
4 Qualifying distributions for 2017 from Part XII, line 4 ▶ $ 4,169,464.				
a Applied to 2016, 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 2017 distributable amount				1,578,624.
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus	2,590,840.			
5 Excess distributions carryover applied to 2017 (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	8,862,631.			
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 2016 Subtract line 4a from line 2a Taxable amount - see instr			0.	
f Undistributed income for 2017 Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1 This amount must be distributed in 2018				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 2012 not applied on line 5 or line 7	2,111,243.			
9 Excess distributions carryover to 2018. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a	6,751,388.			
10 Analysis of line 9				
a Excess from 2013 435,817.				
b Excess from 2014 1,830,556.				
c Excess from 2015 1,894,175.				
d Excess from 2016				
e Excess from 2017 2,590,840.				

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

1 a If the foundation has received a ruling or determination letter that it is a private operating foundation, and the ruling is effective for 2017, 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			
	(a) 2017	(b) 2016	(c) 2015	(d) 2014	(e) Total
2 a 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 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 , to individuals or organizations under other conditions, complete items 2a, b, c, and d

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

PLEASE SEE ATTACHED POLICY ON UNSOLICITED REQUESTS FOR FUNDS.

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

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c Any submission deadlines

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

PLEASE SEE ATTACHED POLICY ON UNSOLICITED REQUESTS FOR FUNDS.

Part XV Supplementary Information *(continued)*

3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year or Approved for Future Payment

Recipient Name and address (home or business)	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
a Paid during the year				
26.2 WITH DONNA FOUNDATION 11762 MARCO BEACH DR #6 JACKSONVILLE, FL 32224	NONE	PC	GENERAL SUPPORT	45,000.
ALZHEIMER ASSOCIATION 3313 S. PACKERLAND DRIVE, SUITE E DE PERE, WI 54115	NONE	PC	GENERAL SUPPORT	5,000.
AMERICAN HEART ASSOCIATION 4000 HOLLYWOOD BLVD, STE 170-N HOLLYWOOD, FL 33021	NONE	PC	GENERAL SUPPORT	70,000.
ARCADIA - GLENCO FIRE DEPARTMENT W MAIN ST ARCADIA, WI 54612	NONE	GOV	GENERAL SUPPORT	5,000.
ASHLEY FOR THE ARTS ONE ASHLEY WAY ARCADIA, WI 54612	NONE	PC	GENERAL SUPPORT	250,000.
Total SEE CONTINUATION SHEET(S)			▶ 3a	4,169,464.
b Approved for future payment				
NONE				
Total			▶ 3b	0.

Part XVI-A **Analysis of Income-Producing Activities**

Enter gross amounts unless otherwise indicated	Unrelated business income (a) Business code	Unrelated business income (b) Amount	Excluded by section 512, 513, or 514 (c) Exclusion code	Excluded by section 512, 513, or 514 (d) Amount	(e) Related or exempt function income
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			14	124,687.	
4 Dividends and interest from securities			14	286,806.	
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			18	<163.>	
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.		411,330.	0.

13 Total. Add line 12, columns (b), (d), and (e) 13 411,330.

(See worksheet in line 13 instructions to verify calculations)

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

Line No. ▼	Explain below how each activity for which income is reported in column (e) of Part XVI-A contributed importantly to the accomplishment of the foundation's exempt purposes (other than by providing funds for such purposes)

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

			Yes	No
1	Did the organization directly or indirectly engage in any of the following with any other organization described in section 501(c) (other than section 501(c)(3) organizations) or in section 527, relating to political organizations?			
a	Transfers from the reporting foundation to a noncharitable exempt organization of			
	(1) Cash	1a(1)		X
	(2) Other assets	1a(2)		X
b	Other transactions			
	(1) Sales of assets to a noncharitable exempt organization	1b(1)		X
	(2) Purchases of assets from a noncharitable exempt organization	1b(2)		X
	(3) Rental of facilities, equipment, or other assets	1b(3)		X
	(4) Reimbursement arrangements	1b(4)		X
	(5) Loans or loan guarantees	1b(5)		X
	(6) Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations	1b(6)		X
c	Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, other assets, or paid employees	1c		X

d If the answer to any of the above is "Yes," complete the following schedule Column (b) should always show the fair market value of the goods, other assets, or services given by the reporting foundation If the foundation received less than fair market value in any transaction or sharing arrangement, show in column (d) the value of the goods, other assets, or services received

(a) Line no	(b) Amount involved	(c) Name of noncharitable exempt organization	(d) Description of transfers, transactions, and sharing arrangements
		N/A	

2a Is the foundation directly or indirectly affiliated with, or related to, one or more tax-exempt organizations described in section 501(c) (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
N/A		

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: [signature] Date: 10/31/18 Title: Treasurer

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown below? See instr ☐ Yes ☐ No

Paid Preparer Use Only

Print/Type preparer's name	Preparer's signature	Date	Check ☐ if self-employed	PTIN
SELF PREPARED	SELF PREPARED	10/31/18		

Firm's name ▶ SELF PREPARED — Firm's EIN ▶ 39-1948289

Firm's address ▶ SELF PREPARED
SELF PREPARED, WI 54612 — Phone no 6083233377

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Part IV Capital Gains and Losses for Tax on Investment Income

	(a) List and describe the kind(s) of property sold, e g , real estate, 2-story brick warehouse, or common stock, 200 shs MLC Co	(b) How acquired P - Purchase D - Donation	(c) Date acquired (mo , day, yr)	(d) Date sold (mo , day, yr)
1a	ANHEUSER-BUSCH INBEV FRN 01/27/2017 USLIB 3MO +19	P	01/27/14	01/27/17
b	FNMA 1.25% 01/30/2017 SER BENCHMAR SR LIEN	P	01/09/12	01/30/17
c	BARCLAYS BANK PLC FRN 02/17/2017 USLIB 3MO +58.00	P	02/20/14	02/17/17
d	DUKE ENERGY PROGRESS, LLC FRN 03/06/2017 USLIB 3M	P	03/06/14	03/06/17
e	AMERICAN EXPRESS CREDIT CORP MTN 2.375% 03/24/201	P	03/26/12	03/24/17
f	U.S. TREASURY NOTE 0.625000% 05/31/2017 MN ON THE	P	05/31/12	05/31/17
g	U.S. TREASURY NOTE 2.375000% 07/31/2017 JJ ON THE	P	07/31/10	07/31/17
h	U.S. TREASURY NOTE 1.875000% 08/31/2017 FA ON THE	P	08/31/10	08/31/17
i	U.S. TREASURY NOTE 1.875000% 09/30/2017 MS OFF TH	P	09/30/10	10/02/17
j	U.S. TREASURY NOTE 1.875000% 10/31/2017 AO ON THE	P	10/31/10	10/31/17
k	CELGENE CORPORATION 2.3% 08/15/2018 USD SR LIEN	P	05/03/16	12/11/17
l	SHERWIN-WILLIAMS COMPANY (THE) 1.35% 12/15/2017 S	P	12/07/12	12/15/17
m	BRITISH AMERICAN TOBACCO PLC SPONS ADR	P	VARIOUS	10/17/17
n	REYNOLDS AMERICAN INC CMN	P	VARIOUS	07/25/17
o	CAPITAL GAINS DIVIDENDS			

	(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	150,000.		150,000.	0.
b	300,000.		302,589.	<2,589.>
c	150,000.		150,000.	0.
d	150,000.		150,000.	0.
e	115,000.		114,688.	312.
f	115,000.		114,340.	660.
g	115,000.		116,603.	<1,603.>
h	300,000.		300,086.	<86.>
i	115,000.		115,432.	<432.>
j	770,000.		767,028.	2,972.
k	250,987.		251,399.	<412.>
l	750,000.		748,470.	1,530.
m	12.			12.
n	2,473.		3,016.	<543.>
o	16.			16.

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

	(i) F M V as of 12/31/69	(j) Adjusted basis as of 12/31/69	(k) Excess of col (i) over col (j), if any	(l) Losses (from col (h)) Gains (excess of col (h) gain over col (k), but not less than "-0-")
a				0.
b				<2,589.>
c				0.
d				0.
e				312.
f				660.
g				<1,603.>
h				<86.>
i				<432.>
j				2,972.
k				<412.>
l				1,530.
m				12.
n				<543.>
o				16.

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	<163.>
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) If (loss), enter "-0-" in Part I, line 8	3	N/A

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3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year (Continuation)

Recipient Name and address (home or business)	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
ASHLEY FOR THE ARTS ONE ASHLEY WAY ARCADIA, WI 54612	NONE	PC	GENERAL SUPPORT	200,000.
ASHLEY'S ANGELS - MISSISSIPPI ONE ASHLEY WAY ARCADIA, WI 54612	NONE	PC	GENERAL SUPPORT	50,000.
BLUE ANGELS GYMNASTICS CLUB, INC. 20256 W MILL ROAD GALESVILLE, WI 54630	NONE	PC	BUILDING REPAIRS FROM FLOOD DAMAGE	1,000.
CITY OF ARCADIA 203 W MAIN STREET ARCADIA, WI 54612	NONE	GOV	COUNCIL CHAMBER IMPROVEMENTS	700.
COLORADO COUNCIL ON ECONOMIC EDUCATION 3443 S GALENA ST. #190 DENVER, CO 80231-5524	NONE	PC	GENERAL SUPPORT	25,000.
DAYTON CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL ONE CHILDREN'S PLAZA DAYTON, OH 45404-1815	NONE	PC	GENERAL SUPPORT	5,000.
FLORIDA COUNCELLOR ECONOMICS ED 501 S. DAKOTA AVE. SUITE 1 TAMPA, FL 33606	NONE	PC	GENERAL SUPPORT	12,500.
GATEWAY AREA COUNCIL 2600 QUARRY RD LA CROSSE , WI 54601	NONE	PC	SUPPORT FOR BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA	5,000.
HAMMERS ST HOPE 79 COOPER RD BLUE SPRINGS, MS 38828	NONE	PC	GENERAL SUPPORT	5,000.
ITAWAMBA COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOUNDATION 602 W HILL STREET FULTON, MS 38843-1022	NONE	PC	GENERAL SUPPORT	5,000.
Total from continuation sheets				3,794,464.

Part XV Supplementary Information

3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year (Continuation)

Recipient Name and address (home or business)	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
JEWISH FEDERATION IN THE HEART 230 OLD BRIDGE TURNPIKE SOUTH RIVER, NJ 08882-2053	NONE	PC	GENERAL SUPPORT	5,000.
LIVES UNDER CONSTRUCTION RANCH 296 BOYS RANCH ROAD LAMPE, MO 65681	NONE	PC	GENERAL SUPPORT	15,000.
LOWRY PARK ZOOLOGICAL SOCIETY 1101 WEST SLIGH AVE TAMPA, FL 33604	NONE	PC	GENERAL SUPPORT	20,000.
MAYO CLINIC 200 FIRST STREET SW ROCHESTER, MN 55905	NONE	PC	TODD AND KAREN WANEK PROGRAM FOR HYPOPLASTIC LEFT HEART SYNDROME - PHASE II TRIAL	3,263,236.
NAVAL AVIATION MUSEUM FOUNDATION INC. 1 FETTERMAN WAY PENSACOLA, FL 32508	NONE	PC	GENERAL SUPPORT	23,000.
NAVY SEAL FOUNDATION 1619 D ST VIRGINIA BEACH, VA 23455	NONE	PC	TAMPA BAY FORGMAN SWIM - SUPPORT NAVY SEAL FOUNDATION	5,000.
NORTH PONTOTOC HIGH SCHOOL 8324 HWY 15 NORTH ECRU, MS 38841	NONE	GOV	FUNDS ARE TO BE USED TOWARD NORTH PONTOTOC HIGH SCHOOL ROBOTICS PROGRAM	3,393.
SMITH GROVE VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPT INC 4155 US HIGHWAY 158 ADVANCE, NC 27006-6940	NONE	PC	FUNDS TO PURCHASE UTILITY FIRE RANGER	35,635.
TAMPA FILM INSTITUTE 701 S HOWARD AVE STE 106-432 TAMPA, FL 33606-2473	NONE	PC	GENERAL SUPPORT	15,000.
TAMPA MUSEUM OF ART 120 WEST GASPARILLA PLAZA TAMPA, FL 33602	NONE	PC	GENERAL SUPPORT	25,000.
Total from continuation sheets				

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Part XV Supplementary Information

3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year (Continuation)

Recipient Name and address (home or business)	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
UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH FLORIDA FOUNDATION, INC. 4202 E FLOWLER AVE TAMPA, FL 33620	NONE	PC	GENERAL SUPPORT	25,000.
UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN FOUNDATION 1848 UNIVERSITY AVENUE MADISON, WI 53726-4090	NONE	PC	SUPPORT WISCONSIN ROBOTICS	5,000.
UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN-EAU CLAIRE FOUNDATION INC. 105 GARFIELD AVE, PO BOX 4004 EAU CLAIRE, WI 54702-4004	NONE	PC	CONFLUENCE BUILDING FUND	25,000.
WHITEHALL SCHOOL DISTRICT 19121 HOBSON STREET WHITEHALL, WI 54773	NONE	GOV	FUNDS TO SUPPORT CREATION OF VEX AND FIRST ROBOTICS PROGRAMS	20,000.
Total from continuation sheets				

FORM 990-PF INTEREST ON SAVINGS AND TEMPORARY CASH INVESTMENTS STATEMENT 1

SOURCE	(A) REVENUE PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVESTMENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME
GS-BANK DEPOSIT INTEREST	124,687.	0.	
TOTAL TO PART I, LINE 3	124,687.	0.	

FORM 990-PF DIVIDENDS AND INTEREST FROM SECURITIES STATEMENT 2

SOURCE	GROSS AMOUNT	CAPITAL GAINS DIVIDENDS	(A) REVENUE PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST-MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME
GS-CORPORATE INTEREST	269,454.	0.	269,454.	269,454.	
GS-DIVIDENDS	17,368.	16.	17,352.	17,352.	
TO PART I, LINE 4	286,822.	16.	286,806.	286,806.	

FORM 990-PF OTHER PROFESSIONAL FEES STATEMENT 3

DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST-MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES
TRUSTEE/EXECUTOR FEES	30,242.	21,075.		0.
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 16C	30,242.	21,075.		0.

FORM 990-PF TAXES STATEMENT 4

DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST-MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES
EXCISE TAX	10,000.	0.		0.
FOREIGN TAX	59.	59.		0.
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 18	10,059.	59.		0.

FORM 990-PF — OTHER EXPENSES — STATEMENT 5

DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES
REGISTRATION	10.	10.		0.
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 23	10.	10.		0.

FORM 990-PF — U.S. AND STATE/CITY GOVERNMENT OBLIGATIONS — STATEMENT 6

DESCRIPTION	U.S. GOV'T	OTHER GOV'T	BOOK VALUE	FAIR MARKET VALUE
U.S. TREASURY NOTES	X		9,460,928.	9,506,320.
TOTAL U.S. GOVERNMENT OBLIGATIONS			9,460,928.	9,506,320.
TOTAL STATE AND MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT OBLIGATIONS				
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART II, LINE 10A			9,460,928.	9,506,320.

FORM 990-PF — CORPORATE STOCK — STATEMENT 7

DESCRIPTION	BOOK VALUE	FAIR MARKET VALUE
EQUITIES	5,656,755.	6,325,989.
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART II, LINE 10B	5,656,755.	6,325,989.

FORM 990-PF — CORPORATE BONDS — STATEMENT 8

DESCRIPTION	BOOK VALUE	FAIR MARKET VALUE
CORPORATE BONDS	1,641,795.	1,700,986.
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART II, LINE 10C	1,641,795.	1,700,986.

FORM 990-PF PART VIII - LIST OF OFFICERS, DIRECTORS TRUSTEES AND FOUNDATION MANAGERS STATEMENT 9

NAME AND ADDRESS	TITLE AND AVRG HRS/WK	COMPEN-SATION	EMPLOYEE BEN PLAN CONTRIB	EXPENSE ACCOUNT
RONALD G. WANEK 1205 SNELL ISLE BLVD NE ST PETERSBURG, FL 33704	DIRECTOR/PRESIDENT 1.00	0.	0.	0.
CHARLES H.E. VOGEL 26 ISLAND ESTATES PARKWAY PALM COAST, FL 32137	DIRECTOR/TREASURER 1.00	0.	0.	0.
TODD R. WANEK 1427 OCEANVIEW DRIVE TIERRA VERDE, FL 33715	DIRECTOR/VICE PRESIDENT 1.00	0.	0.	0.
BENJAMIN CHARLES VOGEL 9006 MAYFAIR POINTE DRIVE ORLANDO, FL 32827	DIRECTOR 1.00	0.	0.	0.
SHARI S. WAGNER 840 119TH AVE TREASURE ISLAND, FL 33706	DIRECTOR/SECRETARY 1.00	0.	0.	0.
TROY MULLER 518 WABASHA WINONA, MN 55987	ASSISTANT TREASURER 1.00	0.	0.	0.
TOTALS INCLUDED ON 990-PF, PAGE 6, PART VIII		0.	0.	0.

The Ashley Charitable Foundation, Ltd.
Policy on Unsolicited Requests for Funds

The Ashley Charitable Foundation, Ltd. will accept unsolicited requests for funds provided the requests comply with the following requirements. If a request does not comply with the procedural requirements set forth below, the request will be denied without consideration on the merits.

1. Organizations or entities requesting funds must submit a written request to:

   Lisa Gappa
   Ashley Furniture Industries, Inc.
   One Ashley Way
   Arcadia, WI 54612
   608-323-6253

2. The request should include the following information:

   a) The name of the organization or entity requesting the funds;
   b) A brief explanation of the organization (if appropriate). The explanation should convey the organizations purpose, its membership, and whom it endeavors to serve or what it attempts to accomplish.
   c) An explanation of the project or activity for which the organization is seeking funds. The explanation should include the following information:

      i) The total amount of funds or in kind donation being solicited for the project or activity;
      ii) A statement of how the funds will be used;
      iii) An explanation of the organization's fundraising plan for the project or activity.

3. Requests should not exceed one typewritten page. The request must have margins of one inch on all sides. The type may not be smaller than 10 point.

4. Requests will be accepted at any time during the year. But, those seeking funds should be aware that it takes the foundation approximately 12 weeks to process requests. So, solicitations should be submitted well in advance of the date the funds are needed.

5. The Foundation will accept requests from the following organizations:

   a) Public Charities (as defined by the Internal Revenue Code and the related Regulations), provided the organization attaches to its request

      i) A copy of the Service determination letter or IRS Publication 78 with the name of the organization highlighted; and
      ii) If the organization is treated as a Public Charity because it is publicly supported (as that term is defined by the Internal Revenue Code and the related Regulations) the organization must attach a written statement signed by an officer of the organization. The statement must contain sufficient data to assure the Foundation that its contribution will not alter the organization's publicly supported status.

   b) States; possessions of the United States; political subdivisions; the United States of America; or the District of Columbia, provided the request is being made for an exclusive public purpose.

6. Although the Foundation will accept requests from any of the organizations described above, it will accept only one request from each organization per year.