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OMB No 1545-0052

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

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Nar	ne of	foundation						A Employer identification	number
		1	•					,r	
C	ER.	ES FOUNDATIO	ON					91-2170962	
Nun	ber a	nd street (or P O box number i	if mail is not delivered to st	reet a	ddress)		Room/suite	B Telephone number	16.80
1	86	06 RELIANT I	ORTUE ·					301-926-47	60
		own, state or province, cou		10.00	etal code			C If exemption application is p	
-				ni po	Stat Code			• it exemption application is p	ending, check here
			l	1				<u></u>	
G C	heck	all that apply:	Initial return •		Initial return of a fo	rmer public o	harity ,	D 1. Foreign organizations	s, check here
		<u></u>	Final return		Amended return		•	2 Favoran experimentano mo	ation the 9504 test
			Address change		X Name change			2 Foreign organizations me check here and attach co	mputation Lest,
H C	heck	type of organization:	X Section 501(c)(3) exe			E If private foundation sta	tus was terminated	
] Se	ction 4947(a)(1) nonexem	• –		Other taxable private founda	ition .		under section 507(b)(1)	
I Fa		rket value of all assets at			g method: X Cash	Accr	ual	F If the foundation is in a	
		art II, col (c), line 16)	5110 51 you. 6 71005	1	er (specify)			under section 507(b)(1)	<u>. 1 1 </u>
(II		27 17:	Part Lo	nlumi	n (d) must be on cash basi	e)			(D), CHOCK HOLE
				J.U.I.I.					(d) Durburgania
Pa	rt I	(The total of amounts in colunecessarily equal the amoun	imns (b), (c), and (d) may no	ot	(a) Revenue and expenses per books	(b) Net in	vestment ome	(c) Adjusted net income	(d) Disbursements for charitable purposes
		necessarily equal the amoun	nts in column (a))		expenses per books		JING .		(cash basis only)
	1	Contributions, gifts, gran	ts, etc., received		,			N/A	
	2	Check X of the foundation	•						
	3	Interest on savings and temporals investments	orary		811.		811.		STATEMENT 1
	4	Dividends and interest fro	om securities		413,391.	40	0,229.		STATEMENT 2
		Gross rents	,	F			<u> </u>	1	
				-					
	Net rental income or (loss)			414 522					
ā	62 Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10			414,532.			E SECTIVI		
Revenue	b	Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a	2,813,239	<u>•</u> -				H-CEIV	-L-10
	7	Capital gain net income (from	Part IV, line 2)	L		41	<u>4,532.</u>		8
	8	Net short-term capital gain	ın	L	•	1		NOV 2 0 2	018 9
	9	Income modifications						NOV 2 0 2	
	10a	Gross sales less returns and allowances		ſ					The same of the sa
	h	Less Cost of goods sold						OGDEN,	U www
		Gross profit or (loss)	L	T					
		Other income		F	389,437.	3.8	9,853.		STATEMENT 3
	11			<u> </u>	1,218,171.		$\frac{5,035}{5,425}$		DIATEMENT 5
	12	Total Add lines 1 throug	•	+		1,20		:	126 000
	13	Compensation of officers, dire		F	126,000.		0.	<u> </u>	- 126,000.
	14	Other employee salaries a	-	⊢				· · · ·	0.4.055
(A		Pension plans, employee	benefits	_	34,275.		0.		34,275.
Ses	16a	Legal fees		L				<u>'</u>	
_	b	Accounting fees '	STMT 4		49,760.		0.	١,	16,587.
~ <u>X</u>	C	Other professional fees	STMT 5	Γ	77,394.	6	9,655.		7,739.
<u>, j</u>	17	Interest		T	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·				•
SCANNED FFR 0 7 201 Operating and Administrative Exper	19	Taxes	STMT 6	l	60,839.		2,839.	<u> </u>	0.
αģ	10			F	122.		<u>2,033.</u> 0.		
	19	Depreciation and depletion	и	ŀ	144.		<u> </u>		
Ę	20	Occupancy		}				 	C 345
ŭΫ	21	Travel, conferences, and	=	-	6,346.		0.	3	6,346. 340.
ZĚ	22	Printing and publications		L	340.		0.	,	340.
Zp	23	Other expenses	STMT 7		2,989.		0.		0.
₹	24	Total operating and adm	ninistrative			, ix			
ĕ̃Ñ		expenses Add lines 13 t			358,065.	 	2,494.	<u> </u>	191,287.
ō	25	Contributions, gifts, gran		Ī	1,743,300.	£-\$1			1,743,300.
		Total expenses and disb			_, ,	, 25"		1	
	20	•	erocinents		2,101,365.	7	2,494.		1,934,587.
	<u></u>	Add lines 24 and 25	. 40.	\dashv	Z, 101, 303.		<u>474.</u>	 	±,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,
	27	Subtract line 26 from line			.002 104				. ,
	a	Excess of revenue over exper	nses and disbursements	-	<883,194.		0 000		
	þ	Net investment income ((if negative, enter -0-)	L		1,13	2,931.		
	C	Adjusted net income (if n	egative, enter -0-)					N/A	1

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P	art	Balance Sheets Attached schedules and amounts in the description solution solution should be for end of years amounts page.	beginning of year	Ела о	
Ŀ		column should be for end-of-year amounts only	(a) Book Value	(b) Book Value	(c) Fair Market Value
	1	Cash - non-interest-bearing	13,271.	17,538.	<u> 17,538.</u>
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments	415,338.	389,164.	389,164.
	I	Accounts receivable ▶			
	•	Less: allowance for doubtful accounts ▶	,		
		Pledges receivable ▶			
	"	Less: allowance for doubtful accounts		•	•
	۱.		-		
	I -	Grants receivable			
	6	Receivables due from officers, directors, trustees, and other			
		disqualified persons			
	7	Other notes and loans receivable			
	1	Less: allowance for doubtful accounts			
ţ	8	Inventories for sale or use			.
Assets	9	Prepaid expenses and deferred charges			
ä	10a	Investments - U.S. and state government obligations			
		Investments - corporate stock STMT 9	2,524,210.	2,304,400.	3,518,252.
	i	Investments - corporate bonds			
	i	Investments - land, buildings, and equipment basis			
	''		-		
	40	Less accumulated depreciation			
	1	Investments - mortgage loans Investments - other STMT 10	21,135,988.	20,480,288.	23,548,745.
	13		21,133,300.	20,400,200.	23,540,745.
	14	Land, buildings, and equipment: basis ► 1,786.	205	- 100	. 100
		Less accumulated depreciation STMT 11 $1,603$.	305.	183.	183.
	15	Other assets (describe)			
	16	Total assets (to be completed by all filers - see the			
		instructions. Also, see page 1, item I)	24,089,112.	23,191,573.	<u> 27,473,882.</u>
	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses			
	18	Grants payable			
S	19	Deferred revenue			
Liabilities	20	Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons			
ᅙ	21	Mortgages and other notes payable			
ڐ	l	Other liabilities (describe >)			
	22	Total liabilities (add lines 17 through 22)	0.	0.	
_	2.5	Foundations that follow SFAS 117, check here			
es		and complete lines 24 through 26, and lines 30 and 31.			
ĕ	24	Unrestricted			
ala	25	Temporarily restricted			
80	26	Permanently restricted			
Š		Foundations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here	İ		
F		and complete lines 27 through 31			
Net Assets or Fund Balanc	27	Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds	24,089,112.	23,191,573.	
set	28	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg., and equipment fund	0.	0.	
As	29	Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds	0.	0.	
Éŧ	30	Total net assets or fund balances	24,089,112.	23,191,573.	
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	31	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances	24,089,112.	23,191,573.	
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Р	<u>art</u>	Analysis of Changes in Net Assets or Fund B	alances		
1	Total	net assets or fund balances at beginning of year - Part II, column (a), line	30		
•		t agree with end-of-year figure reported on prior year's return)		1	24,089,112.
2	•	amount from Part I, line 27a		2	<883,194.>
					0.
		increases not included in line 2 (itemize)		3	23,205,918.
		ines 1, 2, and 3	TICHWENTE	4	
		eases not included in line 2 (itemize) COST BASIS ADJ		5	14,345.
6_	<u>I otal</u>	net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5) - Part II, co	olumn (b), line 30	6	23,191,573.
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	Part IV Capital Gains and	d Losses for Tax on In	vestmen	t Income						
		kınd(s) of property sold (for exar ouse; or common stock, 200 shs		ite,	(b) I	low acquired - Purchase - Donation	(0) Date ao (mo., da		(d) Date sold (mo., day, yr.)
16	a									
_!	SEE ATTACHED S	TATEMENT								
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_	e				۲		_L_			
_	(e) Gross sales price	(f) Depreciation allowed (or allowable)		st or other basis expense of sale			(in or (loss (f) minus (
_	a									
_	b				-		_			
	<u> </u>	·								
_	2 012 220			2 410 47	7					414 E22
_	e 2,813,239. Complete only for assets showing gr	ain in column (h) and owned by t		2,418,47	/•		//\ C	ouno /Co	l (h) sous	414,532.
_	Complete only for assets showing go						(I) G	ains (Co (), but no	il. (h) gain ot less thai	minus 1 -0-) or
	(i) FMV as of 12/31/69	(j) Adjusted basis as of 12/31/69		cess of col. (1) col. (j), if any			``L	osses (from col. (h)) ′
	a									
	<u> </u>									
	d									***************************************
	u									414,532.
•	5		5		·····					414,332.
2	Capital gain net income or (net capita	If gain, also enter $\{f(loss), enter -0\}$			 	2				414,532.
	, , , ,	, (",",",",",",",",",",",",",",",",",","		,	7	-				
3	Net short-term capital gain or (loss) a If gain, also enter in Part I, line 8, colu		a (6).		٦					
	If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 8	inii (6).			 	3			N/A	
F	Part V Qualification Und	ler Section 4940(e) for	Reduced	Tax on Net	Inv	estment	Inco	me		
(F	or optional use by domestic private fou	undations subject to the section 4	1940(a) tay on	net investment in	come	e.)				<u> </u>
•			` '			•				
lf	section 4940(d)(2) applies, leave this p	oart blank								
W	as the foundation liable for the section	4942 tax on the distributable am	ount of any ye	ear in the base per	od?					Yes X No
11	"Yes," the foundation doesn't qualify in	ider section 4940(e). Do not con	iplete this par	t						
1	Enter the appropriate amount in each	n column for each year; see the in	structions bo	foro making any e	ntries					
	(a) Base period years	(b)			(c)				Distrib	(d) oution ratio
	Calendar year (or tax year beginning ii	n) Adjusted qualifying dist	tributions	Net value of no	nchai	ritable-use as:	sets	<u>(</u>	col. (b) div	ided by col. (c))
_	2016	1,89	5,609.		23	<u>,677,3</u>	<u>57.</u>			.080060
_	2015	2,10	9,127.		25	<u>,125,0</u>	<u>52.</u>			.083945
	2014		0,681.			<u>,291,5</u>				.063544
_	2013		4,928.			<u>,959,8</u>				.085321
_	2012	1,08	7,485.		<u>25</u>	<u>,196,6</u>	<u>71.</u>			.043160
2	Total of line 1, column (d)							2		.356030
3	Average distribution ratio for the 5-ye	oar base period - divido tho total c	on line 2 by 5.	0, or by the numb	or of y	years				
	the foundation has been in existence	ıf less than 5 years						3		.071206
4	Enter the net value of noncharitable-u	ise assets for 2017 from Part X, I	ine 5					4	2	<u>7,233,912.</u>
5	Multiply line 4 by line 3							5		1,939,218.
6	Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b)						6		11,329.
7	Add lines 5 and 6							7		1,950,5 <u>47</u> .
8	Enter qualifying distributions from Pa	art XII, line 4						8		<u>1,934,587.</u>
	If line 8 is equal to or greater than line	e 7, check the box in Part VI, line	1b, and comp	olete that part usin	ig a 1'	% tax rate.				
_	See the Part VI instructions.	<u> </u>								

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Part IV | Capital Gains and Losses for Tax on Investment Income

(a) List and	describe the kind(s) of property so	ld, e.g., real estate,	(b) How acquired	(c) Date acquired (mo., day, yr.)	(d) Date sold (mo., day, yr.)
·	rick warehouse; or common stock, 2		D - Donation	(IIIO., day, yr.)	(1110., uay, yr.)
1a FIDELITY INVES			<u>P</u>		
b FIDELITY INVES			P		
c FIDELITY INVES		ERM WASH SALES)	P	 	
d FIDELITY INVES		RM WASH SALES)	P		
e PARTNERSHIP LI			P	 	
	VESTMENT (SHORT-		P	ļ. <u></u>	
	VESTMENT (LONG-1		P		
		T GAINS)	P P		.
	VESTMENT (1231 C		P	 	
ALTERNATIVE IN k CAPITAL GAINS		231 GAINS)			
	DI VIDENDS			-	
<u></u>				-	
<u>m</u>				-	
<u>n</u>					
0	(f) Depreciation allowed	(g) Cost or other basis	/h) Gain or (loss)	
(e) Gross sales price	(or allowable)	plus expense of sale	(e) t	olus (f) minus (g)	
a 1,370,034.		1,392,501.			<22,467.>
b 1,363,513.		1,025,976.	·		337,537.
C 1/303/3130		1,020,73.03			36.
d			_		537.
е					1,957.
f					476.
9					<62,591.>
h					11,456.
1	-				16,750.
1					51,149.
k 79,692.					79,692.
1					
m					
п					
0					
Complete only for assets shown	ng gain in column (h) and owned by	the foundation on 12/31/69	(I) Lo:	sses (from col. (h))	1.415
(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		of col. (h) gain over not less than "-0-")	col. (k),
a					<22,467.>
b					337,537.
С					36.
d					537.
е					1,957.
<u>f</u>				<u></u>	476.
9					< <u>62,591.</u> >
<u></u>		<u></u>			11,456.
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<u> </u>					51,149.
<u>k</u>					<u>79,692.</u>
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0	<u> </u>				
	. If nam also entr	er in Part I, line 7			44 4 555
2 Capital gain net income or (net ca	apital loss) { If (loss), enter "	er in Part I, line 7 -0-" in Part I, line 7	2		414,532.
	ss) as defined in sections 1222(5) a	ind (6):			
If gain, also enter in Part I, line 8,	, column (c).	P		37/3	
If (loss), enter "-0-" in Part I, line	8		3	N/A	

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Pa	rt VI	Excise Tax Based	on Investmen	t Income (Section 494	0(a), 4	4940(b), 4	1940(e), or 4	948	- see ir	nstru	ctio	าร)
10				d)(2), chock hore 🕨 🛄 and d			J					
				(attach copy of letter if ne								
b	Domest	ic foundations that meet the s	ection 4940(e) requi	rements in Part V, check here	▶ ∐	and enter 19	6	1	↓	2	2,6	<u>59.</u>
		, line 27b										
				npt foreign organizations, enter 4			ol. (b). 丿		1			_
			tion 4947(a)(1) trust	s and taxable foundations only; o	thers, er	nter -0-)		2_				<u>0.</u>
-		s 1 and 2						3	 	2	2,6	
				ts and taxable foundations only, o	others, e	riter -0-)		4	├ ──			<u>0.</u>
		ed on investment income. S	ubtract line 4 from lii	ne 3. If zero or less, enter -0-				5	 	2	2,6	<u>59.</u>
		Payments:			Ι.	1	24 161					
		timated tax payments and 20	· -	lited to 2017	6a	 	34,161.					
	•	foreign organizations - tax wi			6b		<u> </u>					
		with application for extensio	•	n 8868)	6c		5,000. 0.					
		withholding erroneously with			6d	<u> </u>	U •	_	•	2	0 1	<i>c</i> 1
		edits and payments. Add lines	•	-1. 5 0000				7	}		<u>9 , 1</u>	0.
		e. If the total of lines 5 and 8 is		ck here if Form 2220 is atta	acried		_	9	 			
			·	18, enter the amount overpaid				10	1	1	6_,_5	02
		e amount of line 10 to be: Cre		•	1	6 502	Refunded	11	 	+	0_,_	0.
		A Statements Rec				.0,302	Keluliueu	- 11	' _			<u>.</u>
-		- 	<u> </u>	e any national, state, or local legi:	slation o	r did it nartic	inate or intervene	ın			Yes	No
		tical campaign?	in accompt to initiation	o arry riational, olato, or room logi		, ara it partio	paro or milor volio			1a		X
h			he vear (either direct	ly or indirectly) for political purpo	ses? Se	e the instruc	tions for the defin	ition		1b		_X_
.,				ption of the activities and copies								
		ted by the foundation in conn				, and a second						
C		foundation file Form 1120-PC								1c		X
				section 4955) imposed during th	e year				ļ	1 111 1	11.1	
				• (2) On foundation managers			0.					
ť	Enter th	e reimbui sement (if any) paid	by the foundation d	uring the year for political expend	liture tax	imposed on	foundation					
	manage	rs. > \$	0.									-
2	Has the	foundation engaged in any ac	tivities that have not	previously been reported to the l	เรวา					2		X
	If "Yes,"	attach a detailed description (of the activities.									
3				orted to the IRS, in its governing	ınstrum	ent, articles o	if incorporation, o	r				
	bylaws,	ur other similar instruments?	If "Yes," attach a cor	nformed copy of the changes						3		<u> </u>
4a	Did the I	foundation have unrelated but	siness gross income	of \$1,000 or more during the year	ar?					4a	X	<u> </u>
		has it filed a tax return on Fo			_					4b	X	
5			•	antial contraction during the year	, ,					5		<u> </u>
		attach the statement required	•		atha.							
6				is 4941 through 4945) satisfied e	umer.							
		iguage in the governing instru		a spatrument on that an mandata	n, diraat	one that see	flight with the state	love				
	•	-	monos the governin	g instrument so that no mandato	ry unoct	ions mai con	met with the state	IJW		6	X	
7		in the governing instrument?	O in accete at any tir	ne during the year? If "Yes," com	niata Dar	rt II ool (o)	and Dart VII			<u>6</u> 7	X	
'	Did tile	iounidation nave at least 45,00	o in assets at any tii	ne during the year in 165, com	hiere i ai	it ii, coi. (c <i>)</i> ,	and rait Av					
٩×	Enter th	e states to which the foundati	on Lenorts or with w	hich it is registered. See instruction	ons 🕨							
****	MD	s states to minimi me minimin	an repend on what w	a lo rogionordos com monden								
h		swer is "Yes" to line 7, has the	e foundation furnishe	ed a copy of Form 990-PF to the A	Attornev	General (or o	lesionate)					
		state as required by General								8b	X	
9				undation within the meaning of s	ection 49	942(j)(3) or 4	942(j)(5) for cale	ndar				
		-	•	ructions for Part XIV. If "Yes," cor					ļ	9		Х
10	-			ho tax yoar? if "Yes," attach a sched			d addresses			10		X
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N/A

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,

b Did the foundation make any investment in a prior year (but after December 31, 1969) that could jeopardize its charitable purpose that

4a Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes?

Form 4720, to determine if the foundation had excess business holdings in 2017.)

had not been removed from jeopardy before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2017?

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Part VII-B Statements Regarding Activities for Which	Form 4720 May Be I	Required (contin	ued)		al Na
5a During the year, did the foundation pay or incur any amount to:		<u> </u>		Y €	s No
(1) Carry on propaganda, or otherwise attempt to influence legislation (section			es X No		
(2) Influence the outcome of any specific public election (see section 4955);	or to carry on, directly or indir		T2		
any voter registration drive?			es X No		
(3) Provide a grant to an individual for travel, study, or other similar purpose		Y6	es X No		
(4) Provide a grant to an organization other than a charitable, etc., organization	on described in section			1	
4945(d)(4)(A)? See instructions			es X No		
(5) Provide for any purpose other than religious, charitable, scientific, literary the prevention of cruelty to children or animals?	, or educational purposes, or		es X No		
b If any answer is "Yes" to 5a(1) (5), did any of the transactions fail to qualify ur	nder the exceptions described	ın Regulations			.
section 53.4945 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance? See inst	ructions		N/A	5b	_
Organizations rolying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance, check	horo				
c If the answer is "Yes" to question 5a(4), does the foundation claim exemption	from the tax because it mainta	ined			
expenditure responsibility for the grant?	Ŋ	I/A 🗀 Ye	es 🔲 No		-
If "Yes," attach the statement required by Regulations section 53.4945-5(d).			1		
6a Did the foundation, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to	pay premiums on		i		
a personal benefit contract?		Y6	es X No		
b Did the foundation, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a	personal benefit contract?		L	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	chelter transaction?	Yo	es 🗶 No 📙		
b If "Yes," did the foundation receive any proceeds or have any net income attrib	outable to the transaction?		N/A	7b	
Part VIII Information About Officers, Directors, Trus Paid Employees, and Contractors	tees, Foundation Ma	anagers, Highly	y		
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	acco	Expense unt, other wances
DANIEL C. MILDER	PRESIDENT				
18606 RELIANT DRIVE	7				
GAITHERSBURG, MD 20879	20.00	126,000.	34,275.		0.
DONALD B. MILDER	CFO				
18606 RELIANT DRIVE					
GAITHERSBURG, MD 20879	1.00	0.	0.		0.
TERRI L. MILDER	SECRETARY				
18606 RELIANT DRIVE					
GAITHERSBURG, MD 20879	1.00	0.	0.		0.
	_			<u>[</u>	
2 Compensation of five highest-paid employees (other than those in		enter "NONE."	(d) Contributions		F
(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	acco allo	Expense unt, other wances
NONE	_				
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Total number of other employees paid over \$50,000

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Paid Employees, and Contractors (continued)	<u>.</u>	_
Five highest-paid independent contractors for professional services. If none, enter "NONE."		
	pe of service	(c) Compensation
	T MGMT. AND	77,394.
1888 CENTURY PARK EAST, LOS ANGELES, CA 90067 CHARITABL	E DIST.	11,354
Total number of others receiving over \$50,000 for professional services Part IX-A Summary of Direct Charitable Activities	>	C
List the foundation's four largest direct charitable activities during the tax year. Include relevant statistical information such a number of organizations and other beneficiaries served, conferences convened, research papers produced, etc	s the	Expenses
N/A		
3		
<u> </u>		
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
N/A		
All other program-related investments. See instructions.		

Total. Add lines 1 through 3

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P	Minimum Investment Return (All domestic foundations must complete this part. Foreign foundations	ndation	s, 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	16,506,208.
b	Average of monthly cash balances	1b	462,762.
C	Fair market value of all other assets	1c	10,679,672.
d	Total (add lines 1a, b, and c)	1d	27,648,642.
е	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	27,648,642.
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities. Enter 1 1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions)	4	414,730.
5	Net value of noncharitable-use assets Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter here and on Part V, line 4	5	27,233,912.
6	Minimum investment return Enter 5% of line 5	6	1,361,696.
P	art XI Distributable Amount (see instructions) (Section 4942(j)(3) and (j)(5) private operating foundations are foreign organizations, check here in and do not complete this part.)	nd certair	1
1	Minimum investment return from Part X, line 6	1	1,361,696.
2a	Tax on investment income for 2017 from Part VI, line 5 22,659.		
b	Income tax for 2017. (This does not include the tax from Part VI.) 25,942.		
C	Add lines 2a and 2b	2c	48,601.
3	Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1	3	1,313,095.
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions	4	0.
5	Add lines 3 and 4	5	1,313,095.
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	1,313,095.
P	art XII Qualifying Distributions (see instructions)		
1	Amounts paid (including administrative expenses) to accomplish charitable, etc., purposes:		
a	Expenses, contributions, gifts, etc total from Part I, column (d), line 26	1a	1,934,587.
þ	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:		
а	Suitability test (prior IRS approval required)	3a	
b	Cash distribution test (attach the required schedule)	3b	
4	Qualifying distributions Add lines 1a through 3b. Enter here and on Part V, line 8; and Part XIII, line 4	4	1,934,587.
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	0.
6	Adjusted qualifying distributions Subtract line 5 from line 4	6	1,934,587.
	Note: The amount on line 6 will be used in Part V, column (b), in subsequent years when calculating whether the foundation of	qualifies	for the section

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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				1,313,095.
2	Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2017	-			
	Enter amount for 2016 only			0.	
	Total for prior years:				
			0.		
3	Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2017:				
a	a From 2012				
t	From 2013 959,688.				
C	From 2014 389,075.				
(From 2015 876,141.				
-	From 2016 780,567.				
	Total of lines 3a through e	3,005,471.			
4	Qualifying distributions for 2017 from				
	Part XII, line 4: \triangleright \$ 1,934,587.			•	
	Applied to 2016, but not more than line 2a			0.	
t	Applied to undistributed income of prior		0		
	years (Election required - see instructions)		0.		<u> </u>
•	: Treated as distributions out of corpus	0			
	(Election required - see instructions)	0.			1,313,095.
	Applied to 2017 distributable amount	621,492.			1,313,033.
	Remaining amount distributed out of corpus	021,432.			0.
J	Excess distributions carryover applied to 2017 (If an amount appears in column (d), the same amount must be shown in column (a))				-
6	Enter the net total of each column as indicated below:			!	
ē	Corpus Add lines 3f, 4c, and 4e Subtract line 5	3,626,963.			
t	Prior years' undistributed income Subtract		_		
	line 4b from line 2b		0.		
•	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		0		
	assessed		0.		
(Subtract line 6c from line 6b Taxable		0.		
	amount - see instructions e Undistributed income for 2016. Subtract line		U.		
,	4a from line 2a. Taxable amount - see instr.			0.	
•	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	0.			
9	Excess distributions carryover to 2018				
	Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a	3,626,963.			
0	Analysis of line 9:				
í	Excess from 2013 959,688.				
	Excess from 2014 389, 075.				
	Excess from 2015 876,141.				
	Excess from 2016 780,567.				
	Excess from 2017 621, 492.				<u> </u>

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			II-A, question 9)	N/A	<u> </u>
1 a If the foundation has received a ruling o					
foundation, and the ruling is effective fo	•	•	. ▶∟_	7.0.00.00	0.40(.)(6)
b Check box to indicate whether the found		ng toundation described I			942(<u>J)(5)</u>
2 a Enter the lesser of the adjusted net	Tax year	(h) 2016	Prior 3 years	(4) 2014	/e) Tetal
income from Part I or the minimum	(a) 2017	(b) 2016	(c) 2015	(d) 2014	(e) Total
investment return from Part X for					
each year listed			1		
b 85% of line 2a			ļ		
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					
 Qualifying distributions made directly 	j				
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)			<u> </u>		
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			<u> </u>		
an exempt organization					
(4) Gross investment income	-				
Part XV Supplementary Info	rmation (Comple	te this part only	if the foundation	n had \$5,000 or m	ore in assets
at any time during t				,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	
1 Information Regarding Foundation	n Managers:				
a List any managers of the foundation wh	_	than 2% of the total con	tributions received by t	he foundation before the clo	ose of any tax
year (but only if they have contributed n	nore than \$5,000). (See s	ection 507(d)(2).)	•		•
SEE STATEMENT 12					
b List any managers of the foundation who other entity) of which the foundation has			(or an equally large po	rtion of the ownership of a p	partnership or
NONE	<u>-</u>				
2 Information Regarding Contributi	ion Grant Gift Loan	Scholarchin etc. D	rograme:		
Check here ► X if the foundation of the foundation makes gifts, grants, etc.,	only makes contributions	to preselected charitable	organizations and doe		uests for funds. If
a The name, address, and telephone num					
a The hame, address, and telephone hum	ber or email address of th	ie person to whom appr	ications should be addi	essea.	
b The form in which applications should b	pe submitted and informa	tion and materials they s	should include:	·	
c Any submission deadlines:					
·	o quah an hu annarachin	al arana abasitable folds	kindo of institutions	or other factors:	
d Any restrictions or limitations on awards	s, such as by goographic:	ai areas, charitable fields	, kinas of institutions, (or other factors:	
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Part XV Supplementary Information (continued)

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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	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
	or substantial contributor	recipient		
a Paid during the year				
SEE GRANT DETAILS ATTACHED	NONE	501(C)(3)	GEN. OPERATIONS	
SEE GRANT DETAILS ATTACHED	HONE	501(0/(3/	DEM, OF ENGINEERING	1,743,300.
			 	
•				
Total			▶ 3a	1,743,300,
b Approved for future payment				
NONE				
NONE				
				<u>-</u>
Total			▶ 3b	0.

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Inter gross amounts unless otherwise indicated.	Unrelated b	Isiness income		by section 512, 513, or 514	(e)
•	(a) Business	(b) Amount	Exclu- sion	(d) Amount	Related or exempt function income
1 Program service revenue:	code	Amount	code	Amount	Tunction income
a	_				
b					
C			<u> </u>		
d					
e					_
f	_		<u> </u>		
g Fees and contracts from government agencies					
2 Membership dues and assessments					
3 Interest on savings and temporary cash					
investments			14	811.	
4 Dividends and interest from securities			14	413,391.	
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	523000	110,466.	14	278,971.	
8 Gain or (loss) from sales of assets other					
than inventory	523000	62,605.	18	351,927.	
9 Net income or (loss) from special events		-			
O Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory					
1 Other revenue.					
a					
b					
C					
d					
e	_				
2 Subtotal. Add columns (b), (d), and (e)	_	173,071.		1,045,100.	(
3 Total. Add line 12, columns (b), (d), and (e)				13	1,218,17

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).
	
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Part AVII	_ Information Re Exempt Organ		isters to a	ind Transactions a	nd Relationsi	nips with Nonchar	itable	ł	
1 Did the o			of the following	ng with any other organization	on described in sect	ion 501(c)		Yes	No
	•			g to political organizations?		1011 00 1(0)			
•	from the reporting found								ĺ
(1) Cash	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	allon to a monoriame	ibio exempt of	gamzanon or.			1a(1)		х
(2) Othe							1a(2)		X
b Other tra							10(2)		
	s of assets to a noncharita	hle evemnt organiza	tion				1b(1)		X
• •	chases of assets from a no						1b(2)		X
	tal of facilities, equipment,		Ji yanization				1b(2)	_	X
٠,,	nbursement arrangements						1b(3)		X
• •	ns or loan quarantees						1b(5)		X
` '	ormance of services or me	mbarehin or fundra	icina colinitatio	ne			1b(6)		X
٠,	of facilities, equipment, ma	•	•				10(0)	-	X
_		• ,		odulo. Column (b) should al	wave chow the fair r	narket value of the goods of		ets	
	•	· · · · · ·	-	ed less than fair market valu				,,,,	
	d) the value of the goods,				so in any transaction	or sharing arrangement, o			
(a) Line no	(b) Amount involved			e exempt organization	(d) Description	of transfers, transactions, and	sharing ar	rangeme	nts
(2) 2	(0)	(6) 1141110	N/A		(0)				
			N/A	<u>. </u>					
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2a Is thu for	indation directly or induse:	the affiliated units on	ulated to one	or more tax-exempt organi	zatione described	-			
	n 501(c) (other than sectio	•		or more tax-exempt organi	zations described	Г	Yes	X	No
	complete the following sch		SCHOII JZ1 ·			L_		ني ا	7 140
<u>u</u> 11 165, t	a) Name of org			(b) Type of organization	1	(c) Description of relations	nin		
	N/A	jumzution		(b) type of organization		(0) 500011911011 01 10101101101			
	N/A								
			<u> </u>		 				
Unde	r penalties of periury. I declare	that I beve examined th	ısareturn includir] ng accompanying schedules and	statements, and to the	best of my knowledge			
Sign and t	peker, it is true, correct, and co-	npjeje Declaration i pi	reparer (other tha	n taxpayer) is based on all inform	nation of which prepare	r has any knowledge retu	y the IRS o	e prepar	er 📗
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🔻	nature of officer or trustee			Date C	Title	DENT L	X Yes		J No
	Print/Type preparer's na		Preparer's s	Date	Date	Check If PTIN			
	Trinivity pe proparer Sila	arri 6	1 .	ngnaturo	34.1	self- employed			
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Preparer	MARISA E.		VOTE	& CO. CPA'S	1[10]	Firm's EIN ▶ 95-32	0202		
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FORM 990-PF INTERE	ST ON SAVING	SS AND T	EMPORAL	RY CASH	INVESTMENTS	STATEMENT
SOURCE			(A) VENUE BOOKS	NET	(B) INVESTMENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME
FIDELITY INVESTMENT	S		81:	1.	811.	
TOTAL TO PART I, LI	NE 3		81:	1.	811.	
FORM 990-PF	DIVIDENDS	AND INT	EREST 1	FROM SEC	CURITIES	STATEMENT
SOURCE	GROSS AMOUNT	CAPIT GAIN DIVIDE	S	(A) REVENUE PER BOOK		
FIDELITY INVESTMENTS	493,083.	79,	692.	413,39	1. 400,2	229.
TO PART I, LINE 4	493,083.	79,	692.	413,39	400,2	229.
FORM 990-PF		OTHER	INCOM			STATEMENT
DESCRIPTION			REV	A) ENUE BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST MENT INCOM	
ALTERNATIVE INVESTM (EXCL. CAPITAL GAIN UBTI PORTION OF ALT INVESTMENT NET INCO	-LOSS) ERNATIVE	OME	;	278,971.	279,38	B7.
CAPITAL GAIN-LOSS)	ME (EACH.			110,466.	110,46	66.
TOTAL TO FORM 990-P	F, PART I, I	LINE 11		389,437.	389,85	53.

FORM 990-PF	ACCOUNTI	NG FEES	S7	PATEMENT	4
DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABI PURPOSES	
ACCOUNTING/CONSULTING	49,760.	0.		16,587	7 .
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 16B	49,760.	0.		16,587	7 .
FORM 990-PF C	THER PROFES	SIONAL FEES	S	FATEMENT	 5
DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABI PURPOSES	
INVESTMENT FEES	77,394.	69,655.		7,739	9.
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 16C =	77,394.	69,655.		7,739	9 · ==
FORM 990-PF	TAX	ES	S	PATEMENT	6
DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABI PURPOSES	
FOREIGN TAXES PAID	2,839.	2,839.		(0.
TAX PAID TO INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE	58,000.	0.		(0.
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 18	60,839.	2,839.			0.
FORM 990-PF	OTHER E	XPENSES	S'	FATEMENT	7
DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME		(D) CHARITABI PURPOSES	
PAYCHEX PAYROLL EXPENSES COMPUTER MAINTENANCE SUPPLIES POSTAGE	1,348. 559. 965. 117.	0.		(0. 0. 0.
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 23	2,989.	0.		(0.
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FORM 990-PF CC	DRPORATE STOCK		STATEMENT	9
DESCRIPTION		BOOK VALUE	FAIR MARKE	r
CORPORATE STOCK		2,304,400.	3,518,2	52.
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART II, LIN	NE 10B	2,304,400.	3,518,2	52.
FORM 990-PF OTH	HER INVESTMENTS		STATEMENT	10
DESCRIPTION	VALUATION METHOD	BOOK VALUE	FAIR MARKE' VALUE	r
MUTUAL FUNDS ALTERNATIVE INVESTMENTS	COST	11,368,725. 9,111,563.	13,022,4 10,526,3	
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART II, LIN	NE 13	20,480,288.	23,548,7	45.
FORM 990-PF DEPRECIATION OF ASSE	ETS NOT HELD FOR	INVESTMENT	STATEMENT	11
DESCRIPTION	COST OR OTHER BASIS	ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION	BOOK VALU	E
DELL COMPUTER	1,786.	1,603.	1:	83.
TOTAL TO FM 990-PF, PART II, LN 14	1,786.	1,603.	1:	83.
FORM 990-PF PART	XV - LINE 1A		STATEMENT	12

LIST OF FOUNDATION MANAGERS

NAME OF MANAGER

DONALD B. MILDER TERRI L. MILDER

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	Ending Accumulated Depreciation	710.	710.			,			 tion. GO Zo
	Current Year Deduction	122.	122.						*ITC Salvage. Bonus. Commercial Revitalization Deduction. GO Zone
	Current Sec 179 Expense								nercial Revita
	Beginning Accumulated Depreciation	588.	588.						Bonus, Comr
•	Basis For Depreciation	893.	893.	,					TC Salvade
	Reduction In Basis	893.	893.						*
	Section 179 Expense								
990-PF	Bus % Excl								peso
	Unadjusted Cost Or Basis	1,786.	1,786.						Disposed disposed
	Line No	47							
	Life	5.00 MG							
					<u></u>				
	Method	200		1					
	Date Acquired	12/30/14 200DB			•				
FORM 990-PF PAGE 1	Description	2 DELL COMPUTER	* TOTAL 990-PF PG 1 DEPR			,	,		-01-17
ORM 99	Asset No	2							728111 04-01-17
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