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Form 990

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

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

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OMB No 1545-0047

2018

Open to Public Inspection

A For the 2019 calendar year, or tax year beginning 04-01-2018 , and ending 03-31-2019

B Check if applicable

☐ Address change

☐ Name change

☐ Initial return

☐ Final return/terminated

☐ Amended return

☐ Application pending

C Name of organization

AMERICAN CIVIL LIBERTIES UNION INC

Doing business as

Number and street (or P O box if mail is not delivered to street address)

Room/suite

125 BROAD STREET 18TH FLOOR

City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code

NEW YORK, NY 10004

F Name and address of principal officer

ANTHONY D ROMERO

125 BROAD STREET 18TH FLOOR

NEW YORK, NY 10004

D Employer identification number

13-3871360

E Telephone number

(212) 549-2500

G Gross receipts \$ 341,653,031

I Tax-exempt status

☐ 501(c)(3) ☒ 501(c) (4) ◀ (insert no) ☐ 4947(a)(1) or ☐ 527

J Website: ▶ WWW ACLU ORG

K Form of organization

☒ Corporation ☐ Trust ☐ Association ☐ Other ▶

L Year of formation 1920

M State of legal domicile DC

Part I

Summary

Activities & Governance

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities

PRESERVATION AND PROMOTION OF CIVIL RIGHTS AND CIVIL LIBERTIES

2 Check this box ☐ if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its net assets

3 Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a)

4 Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)

5 Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2018 (Part V, line 2a)

6 Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)

7a Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12

b Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34

Revenue

8 Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)

9 Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)

10 Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)

11 Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)

12 Total revenue—add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)

Expenses

13 Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1–3)

14 Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)

15 Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5–10)

16a Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)

b Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) ▶5,604,725

17 Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a–11d, 11f–24e)

18 Total expenses Add lines 13–17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)

19 Revenue less expenses Subtract line 18 from line 12

Net Assets or Fund Balances

20 Total assets (Part X, line 16)

21 Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)

22 Net assets or fund balances Subtract line 21 from line 20

Prior Year

Current Year

141,043,582

135,216,702

0

0

3,238,853

3,561,523

139,870

312,760

144,422,305

139,090,985

10,266,911

17,712,216

0

0

14,712,629

18,488,773

1,664,503

1,955,909

82,984,151

107,771,091

109,628,194

145,927,989

34,794,111

-6,837,004

Beginning of Current Year

End of Year

205,704,983

192,989,413

56,268,849

52,649,282

149,436,134

140,340,131

Part II

Signature Block

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

Sign Here

Signature of officer

TERENCE DOUGHERTY COO & GENERAL COUNSEL

Type or print name and title

2019-11-07

Date

Paid Preparer Use Only

Print/Type preparer's name

Preparer's signature

Date 2019-11-07

Check ☐ if self-employed

PTIN P00757336

Firm's name ▶ RSM US LLP

Firm's EIN ▶ 42-0714325

Firm's address ▶ 4 TIMES SQUARE

Phone no (212) 372-1000

NEW YORK, NY 10036

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? (see instructions)

☒ Yes ☐ No

For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the separate instructions.

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Form 990 (2018)

Part III Statement of Program Service AccomplishmentsCheck if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part III ☒**1** Briefly describe the organization's mission

AS NOTED IN ITS ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION, THE MISSION OF THE ACLU IS "TO MAINTAIN AND ADVANCE CIVIL LIBERTIES, INCLUDING, WITHOUT LIMITATION, THE FREEDOMS OF ASSOCIATION, PRESS, RELIGION AND SPEECH, AND THE RIGHTS TO THE FRANCHISE, TO DUE PROCESS OF LAW, AND TO EQUAL PROTECTION OF THE LAWS FOR ALL PEOPLE THROUGHOUT THE UNITED STATES AND ITS JURISDICTIONS THE ACLU'S OBJECTS SHALL BE SOUGHT WHOLLY WITHOUT POLITICAL PARTISANSHIP " THE ACLU TODAY REMAINS FOCUSED ON THE OVERARCHING GOALS SET BY ITS FOUNDERS MORE THAN 90 YRS AGO, SERVING AS THE NATION'S GUARDIAN OF LIBERTY, WORKING DAILY IN COURTS, LEGISLATURES AND COMMUNITIES TO DEFEND AND PRESERVE THE INDIVIDUAL RIGHTS AND LIBERTIES THAT THE CONSTITUTION AND LAWS OF THE US GUARANTEE THE ACLU ALSO WORKS TO EXTEND RIGHTS TO SEGMENTS OF THE POPULATION THAT HAVE TRADITIONALLY BEEN DENIED THEIR RIGHTS, INCLUDING PEOPLE OF COLOR, WOMEN, LESBIANS, GAY MEN, BISEXUALS AND TRANSGENDER PEOPLE, PRISONERS, AND PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES

2 Did the organization undertake any significant program services during the year which were not listed on the prior Form 990 or 990-EZ? ☐ Yes ☒ No

If "Yes," describe these new services on Schedule O

3 Did the organization cease conducting, or make significant changes in how it conducts, any program services? ☐ Yes ☒ No

If "Yes," describe these changes on Schedule O

4 Describe the organization's program service accomplishments for each of its three largest program services, as measured by expenses Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations are required to report the amount of grants and allocations to others, the total expenses, and revenue, if any, for each program service reported

4a	(Code) (Expenses \$ 74,177,252 including grants of \$ 6,609,045) (Revenue \$)
See Additional Data	

4b	(Code) (Expenses \$ 27,042,064 including grants of \$ 11,476) (Revenue \$)
See Additional Data	






















4c	(Code) (Expenses \$ 28,136,557 including grants of \$ 11,090,833) (Revenue \$)
See Additional Data	

(Code) (Expenses \$ 5,299,190 including grants of \$ 862) (Revenue \$)
CIVIL LIBERTIES POLICY FORMULATION - THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE ACLU WORKS THROUGH ITS STANDING AND SPECIAL COMMITTEES TO ANALYZE CIVIL LIBERTIES ISSUES AND, WHERE APPROPRIATE, TO DEVELOP POLICIES THAT WILL SERVE AS THE FRAME OF REFERENCE FOR LEGISLATIVE, EDUCATIONAL AND CASE-SPECIFIC WORK AT THE NATIONAL LEVEL, AND THE ORGANIZATION IMPLEMENTS AND ASSISTS IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF POLICY GOALS THROUGH ITS AFFILIATES

4d	Other program services (Describe in Schedule O)
(Expenses \$ 5,299,190 including grants of \$ 862) (Revenue \$)	

4e	Total program service expenses ▶ 134,655,063
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Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules

	Yes	No
1 Is the organization described in section 501(c)(3) or 4947(a)(1) (other than a private foundation)? If "Yes," complete Schedule A	1	No
2 Is the organization required to complete Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors (see instructions)? 	2	Yes
3 Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I 	3	Yes
4 Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization engage in lobbying activities, or have a section 501(h) election in effect during the tax year? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II	4	
5 Is the organization a section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6) organization that receives membership dues, assessments, or similar amounts as defined in Revenue Procedure 98-19? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III 	5	Yes
6 Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds or any similar funds or accounts for which donors have the right to provide advice on the distribution or investment of amounts in such funds or accounts? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part I 	6	No
7 Did the organization receive or hold a conservation easement, including easements to preserve open space, the environment, historic land areas, or historic structures? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part II 	7	No
8 Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part III 	8	No
9 Did the organization report an amount in Part X, line 21 for escrow or custodial account liability, serve as a custodian for amounts not listed in Part X, or provide credit counseling, debt management, credit repair, or debt negotiation services? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IV 	9	No
10 Did the organization, directly or through a related organization, hold assets in temporarily restricted endowments, permanent endowments, or quasi-endowments? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V 	10	Yes
11 If the organization's answer to any of the following questions is "Yes," then complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VII, VIII, IX, or X as applicable		
a Did the organization report an amount for land, buildings, and equipment in Part X, line 10? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VI 	11a	Yes
b Did the organization report an amount for investments—other securities in Part X, line 12 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VII 	11b	No
c Did the organization report an amount for investments—program related in Part X, line 13 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VIII 	11c	No
d Did the organization report an amount for other assets in Part X, line 15 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IX 	11d	Yes
e Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X 	11e	Yes
f Did the organization's separate or consolidated financial statements for the tax year include a footnote that addresses the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48 (ASC 740)? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X 	11f	Yes
12a Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts XI and XII 	12a	No
b Was the organization included in consolidated, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? If "Yes," and if the organization answered "No" to line 12a, then completing Schedule D, Parts XI and XII is optional 	12b	Yes
13 Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E	13	No
14a Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States?	14a	No
b Did the organization have aggregate revenues or expenses of more than \$10,000 from grantmaking, fundraising, business, investment, and program service activities outside the United States, or aggregate foreign investments valued at \$100,000 or more? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts I and IV	14b	No
15 Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to or for any foreign organization? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts II and IV	15	No
16 Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of aggregate grants or other assistance to or for foreign individuals? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts III and IV	16	No
17 Did the organization report a total of more than \$15,000 of expenses for professional fundraising services on Part IX, column (A), lines 6 and 11e? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part I (see instructions) 	17	Yes
18 Did the organization report more than \$15,000 total of fundraising event gross income and contributions on Part VIII, lines 1c and 8a? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part II 	18	No
19 Did the organization report more than \$15,000 of gross income from gaming activities on Part VIII, line 9a? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part III 	19	No
20a Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities? If "Yes," complete Schedule H	20a	No
b If "Yes" to line 20a, did the organization attach a copy of its audited financial statements to this return?	20b	
21 Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to any domestic organization or domestic government on Part IX, column (A), line 1? If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II 	21	Yes
22 Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to or for domestic individuals on Part IX, column (A), line 2? If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and III 	22	No

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)

		Yes	No
23	Did the organization answer "Yes" to Part VII, Section A, line 3, 4, or 5 about compensation of the organization's current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J</i>	23 Yes	
24a	Did the organization have a tax-exempt bond issue with an outstanding principal amount of more than \$100,000 as of the last day of the year, that was issued after December 31, 2002? <i>If "Yes," answer lines 24b through 24d and complete Schedule K. If "No," go to line 25a</i>		No
b	Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception?	24b	
c	Did the organization maintain an escrow account other than a refunding escrow at any time during the year to defease any tax-exempt bonds?	24c	
d	Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year?	24d	
25a	Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations. Did the organization engage in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person during the year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i>	25a	No
b	Is the organization aware that it engaged in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person in a prior year, and that the transaction has not been reported on any of the organization's prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i>	25b	No
26	Did the organization report any amount on Part X, line 5, 6, or 22 for receivables from or payables to any current or former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, or disqualified persons? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II</i>	26	No
27	Did the organization provide a grant or other assistance to an officer, director, trustee, key employee, substantial contributor or employee thereof, a grant selection committee member, or to a 35% controlled entity or family member of any of these persons? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III</i>	27	No
28	Was the organization a party to a business transaction with one of the following parties (see Schedule L, Part IV instructions for applicable filing thresholds, conditions, and exceptions)		
a	A current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>	28a	No
b	A family member of a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>	28b	No
c	An entity of which a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee (or a family member thereof) was an officer, director, trustee, or direct or indirect owner? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>	28c	No
29	Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i>	29 Yes	
30	Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i>	30	No
31	Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I</i>	31	No
32	Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part II</i>	32	No
33	Did the organization own 100% of an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations sections 301.7701-2 and 301.7701-3? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part I</i>	33	No
34	Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part II, III, or IV, and Part V, line 1</i>	34 Yes	
35a	Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?	35a Yes	
b	If "Yes" to line 35a, did the organization receive any payment from or engage in any transaction with a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i>	35b Yes	
36	Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i>	36	
37	Did the organization conduct more than 5% of its activities through an entity that is not a related organization and that is treated as a partnership for federal income tax purposes? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part VI</i>	37	No
38	Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations in Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11b and 19? Note. All Form 990 filers are required to complete Schedule O	38 Yes	

Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax ComplianceCheck if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part V ☐

		Yes	No
1a	Enter the number reported in Box 3 of Form 1096. Enter -0- if not applicable	1a 252	
b	Enter the number of Forms W-2G included in line 1a. Enter -0- if not applicable	1b 0	
c	Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable gaming (gambling) winnings to prize winners?	1c Yes	

2a Enter the number of employees reported on Form W-3, Transmittal of Wage and Tax Statements, filed for the calendar year ending with or within the year covered by this return		2a	281			
b If at least one is reported on line 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax returns? Note. If the sum of lines 1a and 2a is greater than 250, you may be required to e-file (see instructions)				2b	Yes	
3a Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?				3a	Yes	
b If "Yes," has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? If "No" to line 3b, provide an explanation in Schedule O				3b	Yes	
4a At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in, or a signature or other authority over, a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)?				4a		No
b If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country ▶ _____ See instructions for filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts (FBAR)						
5a Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year?				5a		No
b Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?				5b		No
c If "Yes," to line 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T?				5c		
6a Does the organization have annual gross receipts that are normally greater than \$100,000, and did the organization solicit any contributions that were not tax deductible as charitable contributions?				6a	Yes	
b If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible?				6b	Yes	
7 Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).						
a Did the organization receive a payment in excess of \$75 made partly as a contribution and partly for goods and services provided to the payor?				7a		
b If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided?				7b		
c Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was required to file Form 8282?				7c		
d If "Yes," indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year				7d		
e Did the organization receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?				7e		
f Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?				7f		
g If the organization received a contribution of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required?				7g		
h If the organization received a contribution of cars, boats, airplanes, or other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-C?				7h		
8 Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds. Did a donor advised fund maintained by the sponsoring organization have excess business holdings at any time during the year?						
				8		
9a Did the sponsoring organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966?				9a		
b Did the sponsoring organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person?				9b		
10 Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter						
a Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12				10a		
b Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities				10b		
11 Section 501(c)(12) organizations. Enter						
a Gross income from members or shareholders				11a		
b Gross income from other sources (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against amounts due or received from them)				11b		
12a Section 4947(a)(1) non-exempt charitable trusts. Is the organization filing Form 990 in lieu of Form 1041?						
b If "Yes," enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year				12b		
13 Section 501(c)(29) qualified nonprofit health insurance issuers.						
a Is the organization licensed to issue qualified health plans in more than one state? Note. See the instructions for additional information the organization must report on Schedule O				13a		
b Enter the amount of reserves the organization is required to maintain by the states in which the organization is licensed to issue qualified health plans				13b		
c Enter the amount of reserves on hand				13c		
14a Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the tax year?				14a		No
b If "Yes," has it filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O				14b		
15 Is the organization subject to the section 4960 tax on payment(s) of more than \$1,000,000 in remuneration or excess parachute payment(s) during the year? If "Yes," see instructions and file Form 4720, Schedule N				15		No
16 Is the organization an educational institution subject to the section 4968 excise tax on net investment income? If "Yes," complete Form 4720, Schedule O				16		No

Part VI

Governance, Management, and Disclosure For each "Yes" response to lines 2 through 7b below, and for a "No" response to lines 8a, 8b, or 10b below, describe the circumstances, processes, or changes in Schedule O. See instructions.
Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VI. ☒

Section A. Governing Body and Management

		Yes	No
1a	Enter the number of voting members of the governing body at the end of the tax year		
	If there are material differences in voting rights among members of the governing body, or if the governing body delegated broad authority to an executive committee or similar committee, explain in Schedule O		
1b	Enter the number of voting members included in line 1a, above, who are independent		
2	Did any officer, director, trustee, or key employee have a family relationship or a business relationship with any other officer, director, trustee, or key employee?		No
3	Did the organization delegate control over management duties customarily performed by or under the direct supervision of officers, directors or trustees, or key employees to a management company or other person?		No
4	Did the organization make any significant changes to its governing documents since the prior Form 990 was filed?		No
5	Did the organization become aware during the year of a significant diversion of the organization's assets?		No
6	Did the organization have members or stockholders?	Yes	
7a	Did the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who had the power to elect or appoint one or more members of the governing body?	Yes	
7b	Are any governance decisions of the organization reserved to (or subject to approval by) members, stockholders, or persons other than the governing body?	Yes	
8	Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year by the following:		
a	The governing body?	Yes	
b	Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body?	Yes	
9	Is there any officer, director, trustee, or key employee listed in Part VII, Section A, who cannot be reached at the organization's mailing address? If "Yes," provide the names and addresses in Schedule O.		No

Section B. Policies (This Section B requests information about policies not required by the Internal Revenue Code.)

		Yes	No
10a	Did the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates?	Yes	
10b	If "Yes," did the organization have written policies and procedures governing the activities of such chapters, affiliates, and branches to ensure their operations are consistent with the organization's exempt purposes?	Yes	
11a	Has the organization provided a complete copy of this Form 990 to all members of its governing body before filing the form?	Yes	
b	Describe in Schedule O the process, if any, used by the organization to review this Form 990.		
12a	Did the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? If "No," go to line 13.	Yes	
12b	Were officers, directors, or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give rise to conflicts?	Yes	
12c	Did the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? If "Yes," describe in Schedule O how this was done.	Yes	
13	Did the organization have a written whistleblower policy?	Yes	
14	Did the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy?	Yes	
15	Did the process for determining compensation of the following persons include a review and approval by independent persons, comparability data, and contemporaneous substantiation of the deliberation and decision?		
15a	The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official.	Yes	
15b	Other officers or key employees of the organization.	Yes	
	If "Yes" to line 15a or 15b, describe the process in Schedule O (see instructions).		
16a	Did the organization invest in, contribute assets to, or participate in a joint venture or similar arrangement with a taxable entity during the year?		No
16b	If "Yes," did the organization follow a written policy or procedure requiring the organization to evaluate its participation in joint venture arrangements under applicable federal tax law, and take steps to safeguard the organization's exempt status with respect to such arrangements?		

Section C. Disclosure

17 List the States with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed: AL, AK, AR, AZ, CA, CO, CT, DC, FL, GA, HI, IL, KS, KY, LA, MA, MD, ME, MN, MS, MO, NC, ND, NH, NJ, NM, NY, OH, OK, OR, PA, RI, SC, TN, TX, UT, WA, WI, WV

18 Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Form 1023 (or 1024-A if applicable), 990, and 990-T (501(c)(3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you made these available. Check all that apply.
☒ Own website ☒ Another's website ☒ Upon request ☐ Other (explain in Schedule O)

19 Describe in Schedule O whether (and if so, how) the organization made its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial statements available to the public during the tax year.

20 State the name, address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the organization's books and records:
 ▶TERENCE DOUGHERTY 125 BROAD STREET 18TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10004 (212) 549-2500

Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest Compensated Employees, and Independent Contractors

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VII ☒

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● List all of the organization's **current** officers, directors, trustees (whether individuals or organizations), regardless of amount of compensation. Enter -0- in columns (D), (E), and (F) if no compensation was paid.

● List all of the organization's **current** key employees, if any. See instructions for definition of "key employee."

• List the organization's five **current** highest compensated employees (other than an officer, director, trustee or key employee) who received reportable compensation (Box 5 of Form W-2 and/or Box 7 of Form 1099-MISC) of more than \$100,000 from the organization and any related organizations

● List all of the organization's **former** officers, key employees, or highest compensated employees who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations

• List all of the organization's **former directors or trustees** that received, in the capacity as a former director or trustee of the organization, more than \$10,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations

List persons in the following order: individual trustees or directors; institutional trustees; officers; key employees; highest compensated employees; and former such persons

☐ Check this box if neither the organization nor any related organization compensated any current officer, director, or trustee

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Part VII Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees (continued)

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional Trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
See Additional Data Table										
1b Sub-Total										
1c Total from continuation sheets to Part VII, Section A										
1d Total (add lines 1b and 1c)								3,330,018	1,463,481	888,491

2 Total number of individuals (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization **▶ 133**

	Yes	No
3 Did the organization list any former officer, director or trustee, key employee, or highest compensated employee on line 1a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual</i>		No
4 For any individual listed on line 1a, is the sum of reportable compensation and other compensation from the organization and related organizations greater than \$150,000? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual</i>	Yes	
5 Did any person listed on line 1a receive or accrue compensation from any unrelated organization or individual for services rendered to the organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such person</i>		No

Section B. Independent Contractors

1 Complete this table for your five highest compensated independent contractors that received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year.

(A) Name and business address	(B) Description of services	(C) Compensation
GRASSROOTS CAMPAIGNS INC PO BOX 120557 BOSTON, MA 02112	CANVASSING	3,692,946
ACTION MAILING INC 90 COMMERCE DRIVE ASTON, PA 19014	PRINTING AND PUBLISHING	2,795,131
MAS EVENT DESIGN LLC 35 BROADWAY BROOKLYN, NY 11249	EVENT DESIGN	2,616,674
PRINT MAIL COMMUNICATION INC 4333 DAVENPORT RD FREDRICKSBURG, VA 22408	PRINTING AND PUBLISHING	2,392,447
BULLY PULPIT INTERACTIVE LLC 1140 CONNECTICUT AVE WASHINGTON, DC 20036	COMMUNICATION/ BRANDING	2,237,694

2 Total number of independent contractors (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization **▶ 91**

Part VIII Statement of Revenue

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VIII ☐

Contributions, Gifts, Grants and Other Similar Amounts

		(A) Total revenue	(B) Related or exempt function revenue	(C) Unrelated business revenue	(D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512 - 514
1a	Federated campaigns . . .	1a			
b	Membership dues . . .	1b	119,695,758		
c	Fundraising events . . .	1c			
d	Related organizations	1d			
e	Government grants (contributions)	1e			
f	All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above	1f	15,520,944		
g	Noncash contributions included in lines 1a - 1f \$	39,440			
h Total.	Add lines 1a-1f		135,216,702		

Program Service Revenue

2a		Business Code				
b						
c						
d						
e						
f	All other program service revenue					
9 Total.	Add lines 2a-2f					

Other Revenue

3	Investment income (including dividends, interest, and other similar amounts)		2,610,401			2,610,401
4	Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds					
5	Royalties					
6a	Gross rents	(i) Real	(ii) Personal			
b	Less rental expenses					
c	Rental income or (loss)					
d	Net rental income or (loss)					
7a	Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory	(i) Securities	(ii) Other			
		203,513,168				
b	Less cost or other basis and sales expenses					
		202,562,046				
c	Gain or (loss)					
		951,122				
d	Net gain or (loss)			951,122		951,122
8a	Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ of contributions reported on line 1c) See Part IV, line 18	a				
b	Less direct expenses	b				
c	Net income or (loss) from fundraising events					
9a	Gross income from gaming activities See Part IV, line 19	a				
b	Less direct expenses	b				
c	Net income or (loss) from gaming activities					
10a	Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	a				
b	Less cost of goods sold	b				
c	Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory					
	Miscellaneous Revenue	Business Code				
11a	LIST RENTALS	532000	304,597			304,597
b	MISC INCOME	900099	8,163			8,163
c						
d	All other revenue					
e Total.	Add lines 11a-11d		312,760			
12 Total revenue.	See Instructions		139,090,985	0	0	3,874,283

Part IX Statement of Functional Expenses

Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations must complete all columns. All other organizations must complete column (A).

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part IX ☐**Do not include amounts reported on lines 6b, 7b, 8b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII.**

	(A) Total expenses	(B) Program service expenses	(C) Management and general expenses	(D) Fundraising expenses
1 Grants and other assistance to domestic organizations and domestic governments. See Part IV, line 21.	17,712,216	17,712,216		
2 Grants and other assistance to domestic individuals. See Part IV, line 22.				
3 Grants and other assistance to foreign organizations, foreign governments, and foreign individuals. See Part IV, line 15 and 16.				
4 Benefits paid to or for members.				
5 Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees.	1,355,093	602,772	593,231	159,090
6 Compensation not included above, to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B).				
7 Other salaries and wages.	16,854,011	14,111,301	2,242,928	499,782
8 Pension plan accruals and contributions (include section 401 (k) and 403(b) employer contributions).	66,647	55,040	8,834	2,773
9 Other employee benefits.	158,925	131,248	21,066	6,611
10 Payroll taxes.	54,097	44,676	7,171	2,250
11 Fees for services (non-employees):				
a Management.				
b Legal.	203,455	74,683	126,483	2,289
c Accounting.	147,753	51,727	96,023	3
d Lobbying.				
e Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17.	1,955,909			1,955,909
f Investment management fees.	222,360	205,980	10,341	6,039
g Other (If line 11g amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 11g expenses on Schedule O).	9,809,875	9,050,902	392,126	366,847
12 Advertising and promotion.	6,310,346	5,845,475	293,479	171,392
13 Office expenses.	1,302,955	1,088,055	131,110	83,790
14 Information technology.	1,604,990	1,226,742	245,593	132,655
15 Royalties.				
16 Occupancy.	1,415,729	1,058,926	308,249	48,554
17 Travel.	1,425,173	1,186,714	190,105	48,354
18 Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials.				
19 Conferences, conventions, and meetings.	6,271,838	5,793,140	380,028	98,670
20 Interest.				
21 Payments to affiliates.				
22 Depreciation, depletion, and amortization.	538,288	406,764	113,424	18,100
23 Insurance.	150,110	125,352	15,105	9,653
24 Other expenses. Itemize expenses not covered above (List miscellaneous expenses in line 24e. If line 24e amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 24e expenses on Schedule O):				
a SHARED PORTION - CONTR	52,338,219	52,338,219		
b PUBLISHING/PRINTING EXP	9,732,690	8,850,157	83	882,450
c POSTAGE AND SUPPLIES	8,318,511	7,514,085	15,297	789,129
d SHARED PORTION OF BEQUE	1,934,800	1,934,800		
e All other expenses	6,043,999	5,246,089	477,525	320,385
25 Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24e.	145,927,989	134,655,063	5,668,201	5,604,725
26 Joint costs. Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation. Check here <input type="checkbox"/> if following SOP 98-2 (ASC 958-720).				

Part X Balance SheetCheck if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part IX ☐

				(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year
Assets	1	Cash—non-interest-bearing		10,134,915	1	873,264
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments			2	18,681,918
	3	Pledges and grants receivable, net		2,535,000	3	1,030,000
	4	Accounts receivable, net			4	
	5	Loans and other receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees. Complete Part II of Schedule L			5	
	6	Loans and other receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)), persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B), and contributing employers and sponsoring organizations of section 501(c)(9) voluntary employees' beneficiary organizations (see instructions). Complete Part II of Schedule L			6	
	7	Notes and loans receivable, net			7	
	8	Inventories for sale or use			8	
	9	Prepaid expenses and deferred charges		1,256,191	9	701,568
	10a	Land, buildings, and equipment—cost or other basis. Complete Part VI of Schedule D	10a	2,779,625		
	b	Less: accumulated depreciation	10b	538,289	10c	2,241,336
	11	Investments—publicly traded securities		131,468,196	11	106,715,021
	12	Investments—other securities. See Part IV, line 11			12	
	13	Investments—program-related. See Part IV, line 11			13	
	14	Intangible assets			14	
	15	Other assets. See Part IV, line 11		60,310,681	15	62,746,306
16	Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34)		205,704,983	16	192,989,413	
Liabilities	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses		5,973,664	17	6,918,443
	18	Grants payable			18	
	19	Deferred revenue			19	
	20	Tax-exempt bond liabilities			20	
	21	Escrow or custodial account liability. Complete Part IV of Schedule D			21	
	22	Loans and other payables to current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, and disqualified persons. Complete Part II of Schedule L			22	
	23	Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties			23	
	24	Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties			24	
	25	Other liabilities (including federal income tax, payables to related third parties, and other liabilities not included on lines 17 - 24). Complete Part X of Schedule D		50,295,185	25	45,730,839
	26	Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25		56,268,849	26	52,649,282
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Organizations that follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here ► <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 and 34.					
	27	Unrestricted net assets		140,190,381	27	138,146,980
	28	Temporarily restricted net assets		8,831,198	28	1,771,087
	29	Permanently restricted net assets		414,555	29	422,064
	Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here ► <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 30 through 34.					
	30	Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds			30	
	31	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building or equipment fund			31	
	32	Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds			32	
33	Total net assets or fund balances		149,436,134	33	140,340,131	
34	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances		205,704,983	34	192,989,413	

Part XI Reconciliation of Net AssetsCheck if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XI ☒

1	Total revenue (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1	139,090,985
2	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	145,927,989
3	Revenue less expenses Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	-6,837,004
4	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 33, column (A))	4	149,436,134
5	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	5	1,869,409
6	Donated services and use of facilities	6	
7	Investment expenses	7	
8	Prior period adjustments	8	
9	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O)	9	-4,128,408
10	Net assets or fund balances at end of year Combine lines 3 through 9 (must equal Part X, line 33, column (B))	10	140,340,131

Part XII Financial Statements and ReportingCheck if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XII ☐

- 1** Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990 ☐ Cash ☒ Accrual ☐ Other _____
If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked "Other," explain in Schedule O
- 2a** Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant?
If 'Yes,' check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were compiled or reviewed on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both
☐ Separate basis ☐ Consolidated basis ☐ Both consolidated and separate basis
- b** Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant?
If 'Yes,' check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were audited on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both
☐ Separate basis ☒ Consolidated basis ☐ Both consolidated and separate basis
- c** If "Yes," to line 2a or 2b, does the organization have a committee that assumes responsibility for oversight of the audit, review, or compilation of its financial statements and selection of an independent accountant?
If the organization changed either its oversight process or selection process during the tax year, explain in Schedule O
- 3a** As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set forth in the Single Audit Act and OMB Circular A-133?
- b** If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? If the organization did not undergo the required audit or audits, explain why in Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits

	Yes	No
2a		No
2b	Yes	
2c	Yes	
3a		No
3b		

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Form 990, Part III, Line 4a:

AFFILIATE SUPPORT - THE ACLU HAS AN AFFILIATE OR CHAPTER IN EVERY STATE AND IN PUERTO RICO AFFILIATES HANDLE REQUESTS FOR LEGAL ASSISTANCE, LOBBY STATE LEGISLATURES AND HOST EDUCATIONAL FORUMS THROUGHOUT THE YEAR THE NATIONAL ACLU COORDINATES FUNDRAISING EFFORTS WITH ITS AFFILIATES AND SHARES THE PROCEEDS OF FUNDRAISING EFFORTS WITH AFFILIATES IN ACCORDANCE WITH A DETAILED POLICY THROUGH ITS AFFILIATE SUPPORT AND NATIONWIDE INITIATIVES (ASNI) DEPARTMENT, THE NATIONAL ACLU PROVIDES GRANTS AND SUPPORT TO AFFILIATES ON SPECIFIC INITIATIVES AND PROJECTS THAT HAVE BEEN IDENTIFIED AS INVOLVING MATTERS OF BOTH LOCAL/REGIONAL AND NATIONAL SIGNIFICANCE ASNI PROVIDES ONGOING TRAINING AND TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE TO AFFILIATES ON A VARIETY OF TOPICS OF RELEVANCE THE \$74,177,252 OF EXPENSES INCLUDES GRANTS TO AFFILIATES, BEYOND THE \$6,609,045 GRANT, TO SUPPORT LEGISLATIVE INITIATIVES

Form 990, Part III, Line 4b:

EDUCATION - THROUGH NEWSLETTERS, ITS COMPREHENSIVE WEBSITE, ADVERTISEMENTS, OP-ED ARTICLES, MEDIA INTERVIEWS, PUBLICATIONS, SOCIAL MEDIA, AND NUMEROUS MEETINGS AND WORKSHOPS CONDUCTED IN COLLABORATION WITH ITS AFFILIATES THROUGHOUT THE US, THE ACLU PROVIDES ONGOING EDUCATION TO ITS 1,600,000 MEMBERS AND TO THE PUBLIC AT LARGE CONCERNING A WIDE RANGE OF CIVIL LIBERTIES ISSUES. THE ORGANIZATION'S EDUCATIONAL CAMPAIGNS EMPHASIZE FIRST AMENDMENT RIGHTS TO FREE SPEECH, ASSOCIATION AND ASSEMBLY, THE RIGHT TO EQUAL PROTECTION UNDER THE LAW, THE RIGHT TO DUE PROCESS AND TO FAIR TREATMENT WHEN THE LOSS OF LIBERTY OR PROPERTY IS AT STAKE, AND THE RIGHT TO PRIVACY AND FREEDOM FROM UNWARRANTED GOVERNMENT INTRUSION INTO PERSONAL AND PRIVATE AFFAIRS.

Form 990, Part III, Line 4c:

LEGISLATIVE ADVOCACY - THE ACLU'S LEGISLATIVE ADVOCATES ARE A CONSTANT PRESENCE ON CAPITOL HILL AND IN STATE LEGISLATURES, WHERE THEY WORK TO ADDRESS CIVIL LIBERTIES ISSUES. BASED PRIMARILY IN THE ACLU'S WASHINGTON, DC OFFICE, THE ORGANIZATION'S LEGISLATIVE POLICY TEAM WORKS TO ENSURE THAT PROPOSED LEGISLATION MOVES TOWARDS, RATHER THAN AWAY, FROM THE CIVIL LIBERTIES GOALS OF THE ORGANIZATION. WORKING IN COLLABORATION WITH STAFF FROM ACLU AFFILIATES ACROSS THE COUNTRY AND IN COALITION WITH OTHER GROUPS WITH A SHARED INTEREST IN SPECIFIC CIVIL LIBERTIES ISSUES, THE ACLU CONDUCTS RESEARCH, PUBLISHES POSITION PAPERS, HOSTS FORUMS FOR THE PUBLIC, AND MEETS WITH KEY LEGISLATORS AND MEMBERS OF THEIR STAFFS TO DISCUSS STRATEGIES TO PROTECT CIVIL LIBERTIES AND RIGHTS.

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CARLOS MAHONEY DIRECTOR (UNTIL 12/31/18)	2 00 2 50	X						0	0	0
ANIL MUJUMDAR DIRECTOR	2 00 2 50	X						0	0	0
ROBERT REMAR DIRECTOR VICE PRESIDENT/TREASURER	7 50 4 50	X		X				0	0	0
RONALD TYLER DIRECTOR GENERAL COUNSEL	2 50 2 50	X		X				0	0	0
WILLIAM ACEVES DIRECTOR	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
TED ADAMS DIRECTOR (FROM 5/19/18)	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
MARK ADAMS DIRECTOR	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
LI YUN ALVARADO DIRECTOR	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
PATRICK ANDERSON DIRECTOR	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
RACHEL ANDERSON DIRECTOR	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0

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		Individual trustee or director	Institutional Trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
BRUCE BARRY DIRECTOR	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
MARC BEEBE DIRECTOR (UNTIL 12/31/18)	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
PHIL BEREANO DIRECTOR (UNTIL 12/31/18)	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
JILLIAN BREVORKA DIRECTOR (FROM 1/1/19)	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
MICHELLE BROWN-YAZZIE DIRECTOR	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
ROSA BROWNE DIRECTOR	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
FRANK CALABRESE DIRECTOR (FROM 5/19/18)	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
ROBERT CHESTER DIRECTOR	3 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
RUTH COLKER DIRECTOR	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
CHASEN CUNITZ DIRECTOR (UNTIL 5/18/18)	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0

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CHERIE DAWSON-EDWARDS DIRECTOR	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
MELANIE DEAS DIRECTOR	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
LETICIA DE LA VARA DIRECTOR	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
RONI JO DRAPER DIRECTOR	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
DARLENE ENGLISH DIRECTOR (FROM 1/1/19)	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
SUSAN ESTES DIRECTOR	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
NANCY FANNON DIRECTOR	2 50 0 00	X						0	0	0
TIM FOX DIRECTOR	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
LORIE FRIDELL DIRECTOR (UNTIL 5/18/18)	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
BRUCE GILCHRIST DIRECTOR	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0

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MADAN GOYAL DIRECTOR	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
GREG HASTY DIRECTOR	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
LISA HONIG DIRECTOR (UNTIL 9/21/18)	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
NADIA HUSSAIN DIRECTOR (FROM 1/1/19)	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
KIM JORDAN DIRECTOR (FROM 1/1/19)	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
DONITA JUDGE DIRECTOR	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
ARTHUR KAPLAN DIRECTOR	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
HAMID KASHANI DIRECTOR	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
JACK KENNEDY JR DIRECTOR (UNTIL 9/21/18)	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
JEFF KNETSCH DIRECTOR	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0

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SHARON KYLE DIRECTOR	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
MARILYN LANTZ DIRECTOR (FROM 1/1/19)	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
EDWIN LOPEZ-SOTO DIRECTOR	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
MARIANITA LOPEZ DIRECTOR (UNTIL 12/31/18)	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
CAROLYN MANNIS DIRECTOR	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
JAMES METZGER DIRECTOR	2 50 0 00	X						0	0	0
NAHLA NIMEH-LEWIS DIRECTOR (UNTIL 5/18/18)	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
GARLAND NIXON DIRECTOR	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
SAMUEL R PAZ DIRECTOR/SECRETARY	2 50 0 00	X		X				0	0	0
GAIL PODOLSKY DIRECTOR (FROM 9/22/18)	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0

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MAGAN RAY DIR (FROM 9/22/18 UNTIL 12/31/18)	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
SHONTAIA RILEY DIRECTOR	3 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
SIGFREDO RUBIO DIRECTOR	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
MARGARET RUSSELL DIRECTOR	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
AMER SAJED DIRECTOR (FROM 1/1/19)	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
RICK SCHNEIDER DIRECTOR (FROM 1/1/19)	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
IVAN SEGURA DIRECTOR	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
LESLIE SEYMORE DIRECTOR	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
SARA SHEPARD DIRECTOR	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
ERIC SMAW DIRECTOR (FROM 5/19/18)	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0

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		Individual trustee or director	Institutional Trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
LLOYD SNYDER DIRECTOR (UNTIL 12/31/18)	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
PEGGY STRINE DIRECTOR	2 50 0 00	X						0	0	0
LOUIS THOMAS DIRECTOR	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
SANDY VOPALKA DIRECTOR (UNTIL 12/31/18)	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
ADAM WALTERS DIRECTOR (FROM 5/19/18)	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
KIM WATTERSON DIRECTOR (UNTIL 12/31/18)	2 50 0 00	X						0	0	0
JERALYN WENDELBERGER DIRECTOR	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
DAVID WHEDBEE DIRECTOR	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
RON WILSON DIRECTOR	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
DANIEL WINTER DIRECTOR	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0

Form 990, Part VII - Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest Compensated Employees, and Independent Contractors										
(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W- 2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W- 2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional Trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
YOMI WRONG DIRECTOR (FROM 1/1/19)	2 00 0 00	X						0	0	0
ANTHONY D ROMERO EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR/CEO	26 00 14 00			X				529,006	0	156,984
DOROTHY M EHRLICH DEPUTY EXEC DIRECTOR	14 00 26 00			X				442,588	0	182,813
TERENCE R DOUGHERTY CHIEF OPER OFFICE/GEN COUNSEL	14 00 26 00			X				389,898	0	47,182
FAIZ R SHAKIR NATIONAL POLITICAL DIRECTOR	6 00 34 00				X			309,000	0	37,012
KIMBERLY P TRUEBLOOD CHIEF OF STAFF	14 00 26 00				X			343,750	0	35,200
JENNIFER S CONSILVIO CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER	14 00 26 00				X			223,591	0	65,515
DAVID D COLE NATIONAL LEGAL DIRECTOR	0 00 40 00				X			0	416,600	22,909
MICHELE M MOORE CHIEF COMMUNICATION OFFICER	26 00 14 00				X			0	353,169	37,674
GERI E ROZANSKI DIR AFFILIATE SUPPORT/ADV	26 00 14 00				X			0	312,766	103,567

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W- 2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W- 2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional Trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
MARK V WIER CHIEF DEVELOPMENT OFFICER	34 00 6 00				X			0	380,946	21,567
ERIC J VIELAND CHIEF CORPORATE COUNSEL	26 00 14 00					X		223,591	0	29,001
UDI OFER DEPUTY NATL POL DIR/SMART	6 00 34 00					X		214,302	0	26,330
JO-ANNA JOSEPH DIR OF HUMAN RESOURCES	26 00 14 00					X		223,591	0	37,555
STEPHANIE D WECHT DEPUTY CHIEF OPER OFFICER	26 00 14 00					X		223,591	0	48,402
LORELLA PRAELI DEP NAT'L POL DIR /DIR /IMMIGRATION POL	6 00 34 00					X		207,110	0	36,780

SCHEDULE C
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Political Campaign and Lobbying Activities

For Organizations Exempt From Income Tax Under section 501(c) and section 527

▶Complete if the organization is described below. ▶Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.
▶Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for instructions and the latest information.

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If the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, Line 3, or Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 46 (Political Campaign Activities), then

- Section 501(c)(3) organizations Complete Parts I-A and B Do not complete Part I-C
- Section 501(c) (other than section 501(c)(3)) organizations Complete Parts I-A and C below Do not complete Part I-B
- Section 527 organizations Complete Part I-A only

If the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, Line 4, or Form 990-EZ, Part VI, line 47 (Lobbying Activities), then

- Section 501(c)(3) organizations that have filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)) Complete Part II-A Do not complete Part II-B
- Section 501(c)(3) organizations that have NOT filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)) Complete Part II-B Do not complete Part II-A

If the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, Line 5 (Proxy Tax) (see separate instructions) or Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 35c (Proxy Tax) (see separate instructions), then

- Section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6) organizations Complete Part III

Name of the organization AMERICAN CIVIL LIBERTIES UNION INC	Employer identification number 13-3871360
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Part I-A Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c) or is a section 527 organization.

- 1** Provide a description of the organization's direct and indirect political campaign activities in Part IV (see instructions for definition of "political campaign activities")
- 2** Political campaign activity expenditures (see instructions) ▶ \$ 9,156,260
- 3** Volunteer hours for political campaign activities (see instructions)

Part I-B Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(3).

- 1** Enter the amount of any excise tax incurred by the organization under section 4955 ▶ \$
- 2** Enter the amount of any excise tax incurred by organization managers under section 4955 ▶ \$
- 3** If the organization incurred a section 4955 tax, did it file Form 4720 for this year? ☐ Yes ☐ No
- 4a** Was a correction made? ☐ Yes ☐ No
- b** If "Yes," describe in Part IV

Part I-C Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c), except section 501(c)(3).

- 1** Enter the amount directly expended by the filing organization for section 527 exempt function activities ▶ \$ 9,156,260
- 2** Enter the amount of the filing organization's funds contributed to other organizations for section 527 exempt function activities ▶ \$
- 3** Total exempt function expenditures Add lines 1 and 2 Enter here and on Form 1120-POL, line 17b ▶ \$ 9,156,260
- 4** Did the filing organization file **Form 1120-POL** for this year? ☒ Yes ☐ No
- 5** Enter the names, addresses and employer identification number (EIN) of all section 527 political organizations to which the filing organization made payments For each organization listed, enter the amount paid from the filing organization's funds Also enter the amount of political contributions received that were promptly and directly delivered to a separate political organization, such as a separate segregated fund or a political action committee (PAC) If additional space is needed, provide information in Part IV

(a) Name	(b) Address	(c) EIN	(d) Amount paid from filing organization's funds If none, enter -0-	(e) Amount of political contributions received and promptly and directly delivered to a separate political organization If none, enter -0-
1				
2				
3				
4				
5				
6				

Part II-A Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(3) and filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)).

A Check ☐ if the filing organization belongs to an affiliated group (and list in Part IV each affiliated group member's name, address, EIN, expenses, and share of excess lobbying expenditures)

B Check ☐ if the filing organization checked box A and "limited control" provisions apply

Limits on Lobbying Expenditures
(The term "expenditures" means amounts paid or incurred.)**(a)** Filing
organization's
totals**(b)** Affiliated
group totals

1a Total lobbying expenditures to influence public opinion (grass roots lobbying)

b Total lobbying expenditures to influence a legislative body (direct lobbying)

c Total lobbying expenditures (add lines 1a and 1b)

d Other exempt purpose expenditures

e Total exempt purpose expenditures (add lines 1c and 1d)

f Lobbying nontaxable amount Enter the amount from the following table in both columns

If the amount on line 1e, column (a) or (b) is:	The lobbying nontaxable amount is:
Not over \$500,000	20% of the amount on line 1e
Over \$500,000 but not over \$1,000,000	\$100,000 plus 15% of the excess over \$500,000
Over \$1,000,000 but not over \$1,500,000	\$175,000 plus 10% of the excess over \$1,000,000
Over \$1,500,000 but not over \$17,000,000	\$225,000 plus 5% of the excess over \$1,500,000
Over \$17,000,000	\$1,000,000

g Grassroots nontaxable amount (enter 25% of line 1f)

h Subtract line 1g from line 1a If zero or less, enter -0-

i Subtract line 1f from line 1c If zero or less, enter -0-

j If there is an amount other than zero on either line 1h or line 1i, did the organization file Form 4720 reporting section 4911 tax for this year?

☐ **Yes** ☐ **No****4-Year Averaging Period Under section 501(h)**

(Some organizations that made a section 501(h) election do not have to complete all of the five columns below. See the separate instructions for lines 2a through 2f.)

Lobbying Expenditures During 4-Year Averaging Period

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2015	(b) 2016	(c) 2017	(d) 2018	(e) Total
2a Lobbying nontaxable amount					
b Lobbying ceiling amount (150% of line 2a, column(e))					
c Total lobbying expenditures					
d Grassroots nontaxable amount					
e Grassroots ceiling amount (150% of line 2d, column (e))					
f Grassroots lobbying expenditures					

Part II-B Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(3) and has NOT filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)).

For each "Yes" response on lines 1a through 1i below, provide in Part IV a detailed description of the lobbying activity

		(a)		(b)
		Yes	No	Amount
1	During the year, did the filing organization attempt to influence foreign, national, state or local legislation, including any attempt to influence public opinion on a legislative matter or referendum, through the use of			
a	Volunteers?			
b	Paid staff or management (include compensation in expenses reported on lines 1c through 1i)?			
c	Media advertisements?			
d	Mailings to members, legislators, or the public?			
e	Publications, or published or broadcast statements?			
f	Grants to other organizations for lobbying purposes?			
g	Direct contact with legislators, their staffs, government officials, or a legislative body?			
h	Rallies, demonstrations, seminars, conventions, speeches, lectures, or any similar means?			
i	Other activities?			
j	Total. Add lines 1c through 1i			
2a	Did the activities in line 1 cause the organization to be not described in section 501(c)(3)?			
b	If "Yes," enter the amount of any tax incurred under section 4912			
c	If "Yes," enter the amount of any tax incurred by organization managers under section 4912			
d	If the filing organization incurred a section 4912 tax, did it file Form 4720 for this year?			

Part III-A Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(4), section 501(c)(5), or section 501(c)(6).

		Yes	No
1	Were substantially all (90% or more) dues received nondeductible by members?	1 Yes	
2	Did the organization make only in-house lobbying expenditures of \$2,000 or less?	2 Yes	
3	Did the organization agree to carry over lobbying and political expenditures from the prior year?	3	No

Part III-B Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(4), section 501(c)(5), or section 501(c)(6) and if either (a) BOTH Part III-A, lines 1 and 2, are answered "No" OR (b) Part III-A, line 3, is answered "Yes."

1	Dues, assessments and similar amounts from members	1	
2	Section 162(e) nondeductible lobbying and political expenditures (do not include amounts of political expenses for which the section 527(f) tax was paid).	2a	
a	Current year	2b	
b	Carryover from last year	2c	
c	Total	3	
3	Aggregate amount reported in section 6033(e)(1)(A) notices of nondeductible section 162(e) dues	4	
4	If notices were sent and the amount on line 2c exceeds the amount on line 3, what portion of the excess does the organization agree to carryover to the reasonable estimate of nondeductible lobbying and political expenditure next year?	5	
5	Taxable amount of lobbying and political expenditures (see instructions)		

Part IV Supplemental Information

Provide the descriptions required for Part I-A, line 1, Part I-B, line 4, Part I-C, line 5, Part II-A (affiliated group list), Part II-A, lines 1 and 2 (see instructions), and Part II-B, line 1. Also, complete this part for any additional information.

Return Reference	Explanation
PART I-A	THE ACLU IS A NON-PARTISAN ORGANIZATION THAT NEITHER ENDORSES NOR OPPOSES CANDIDATES FOR PUBLIC OFFICE. HOWEVER, IN ORDER TO EDUCATE THE PUBLIC ABOUT IMPORTANT CIVIL LIBERTIES ISSUES, THE ACLU HAS DESCRIBED CANDIDATES' POSITIONS ON CIVIL LIBERTIES ISSUES DURING VARIOUS CAMPAIGNS, INCLUDING THE 2016 PRESIDENTIAL CAMPAIGN AND THE 2018 MID-TERM ELECTIONS. THE ACLU HAS REPORTED EXPENDITURES WITH RESPECT TO SUCH ACTIVITIES ON SCHEDULE C, PART I AND HAS FILED AN IRS 1120-POL.

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<div>SCHEDULE D (Form 990)</div> <div>Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service</div>		<div>Supplemental Financial Statements</div> <div>▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes," on Form 990, Part IV, line 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11a, 11b, 11c, 11d, 11e, 11f, 12a, or 12b. ▶ Attach to Form 990. ▶ Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for the latest information.</div>			<div>OMB No 1545-0047</div> <div>2018</div> <div>Open to Public Inspection</div>
Name of the organization AMERICAN CIVIL LIBERTIES UNION INC				Employer identification number 13-3871360	
Part I Organizations Maintaining Donor Advised Funds or Other Similar Funds or Accounts. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 6.					
		(a) Donor advised funds		(b) Funds and other accounts	
1		Total number at end of year			
2		Aggregate value of contributions to (during year)			
3		Aggregate value of grants from (during year)			
4		Aggregate value at end of year			
5		Did the organization inform all donors and donor advisors in writing that the assets held in donor advised funds are the organization's property, subject to the organization's exclusive legal control? <div><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</div>			
6		Did the organization inform all grantees, donors, and donor advisors in writing that grant funds can be used only for charitable purposes and not for the benefit of the donor or donor advisor, or for any other purpose conferring impermissible private benefit? <div><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</div>			
Part II Conservation Easements. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 7.					
1 Purpose(s) of conservation easements held by the organization (check all that apply) <div><input type="checkbox"/> Preservation of land for public use (e g , recreation or education) <input type="checkbox"/> Preservation of an historically important land area <input type="checkbox"/> Protection of natural habitat <input type="checkbox"/> Preservation of a certified historic structure <input type="checkbox"/> Preservation of open space</div>					
2 Complete lines 2a through 2d if the organization held a qualified conservation contribution in the form of a conservation easement on the last day of the tax year					
				Held at the End of the Year	
a Total number of conservation easements				2a	
b Total acreage restricted by conservation easements				2b	
c Number of conservation easements on a certified historic structure included in (a)				2c	
d Number of conservation easements included in (c) acquired after 7/25/06, and not on a historic structure listed in the National Register				2d	
3 Number of conservation easements modified, transferred, released, extinguished, or terminated by the organization during the tax year ▶					
4 Number of states where property subject to conservation easement is located ▶					
5 Does the organization have a written policy regarding the periodic monitoring, inspection, handling of violations, and enforcement of the conservation easements it holds? <div><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</div>					
6 Staff and volunteer hours devoted to monitoring, inspecting, handling of violations, and enforcing conservation easements during the year ▶					
7 Amount of expenses incurred in monitoring, inspecting, handling of violations, and enforcing conservation easements during the year ▶ \$					
8 Does each conservation easement reported on line 2(d) above satisfy the requirements of section 170(h)(4)(B)(i) and section 170(h)(4)(B)(ii)? <div><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</div>					
9 In Part XIII, describe how the organization reports conservation easements in its revenue and expense statement, and balance sheet, and include, if applicable, the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that describes the organization's accounting for conservation easements					
Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 8.					
1a If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116 (ASC 958), not to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide, in Part XIII, the text of the footnote to its financial statements that describes these items					
b If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116 (ASC 958), to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide the following amounts relating to these items					
(i) Revenue included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1 ▶ \$					
(ii) Assets included in Form 990, Part X ▶ \$					
2 If the organization received or held works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets for financial gain, provide the following amounts required to be reported under SFAS 116 (ASC 958) relating to these items					
a Revenue included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1 ▶ \$					
b Assets included in Form 990, Part X ▶ \$					
For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the Instructions for Form 990.					
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Part III

Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets (continued)

3

Using the organization's acquisition, accession, and other records, check any of the following that are a significant use of its collection items (check all that apply)

a

☐

Public exhibition

b

☐

Scholarly research

c

☐

Preservation for future generations

d

☐

Loan or exchange programs

e

☐

Other

4

Provide a description of the organization's collections and explain how they further the organization's exempt purpose in Part XIII

5

During the year, did the organization solicit or receive donations of art, historical treasures or other similar assets to be sold to raise funds rather than to be maintained as part of the organization's collection?

☐ Yes

☐ No

Part IV

Escrow and Custodial Arrangements.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 9, or reported an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21.

1a

Is the organization an agent, trustee, custodian or other intermediary for contributions or other assets not included on Form 990, Part X?

☐ Yes

☐ No

b

If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII and complete the following table

c

Beginning balance

d

Additions during the year

e

Distributions during the year

f

Ending balance

	Amount
1c	
1d	
1e	
1f	

2a

Did the organization include an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21, for escrow or custodial account liability?

☐ Yes

☐ No

b

If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII. Check here if the explanation has been provided in Part XIII

☐

Part V

Endowment Funds. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 10.

1a

Beginning of year balance

b

Contributions

c

Net investment earnings, gains, and losses

d

Grants or scholarships

e

Other expenditures for facilities and programs

f

Administrative expenses

g

End of year balance

	(a) Current year	(b) Prior year	(c) Two years back	(d) Three years back	(e) Four years back
1a	189,820	253,929	170,155		
b	-182,311	-74,125	79,771	170,155	
c	23,307	10,016	4,003		
d					
e					
f					
g	30,816	189,820	253,929	170,155	

2

Provide the estimated percentage of the current year end balance (line 1g, column (a)) held as

a

Board designated or quasi-endowment

24

370

%

b

Permanent endowment

75

630

%

c

Temporarily restricted endowment

The percentages on lines 2a, 2b, and 2c should equal 100%

3a

Are there endowment funds not in the possession of the organization that are held and administered for the organization by

(i)

unrelated organizations

(ii)

related organizations

b

If "Yes" on 3a(ii), are the related organizations listed as required on Schedule R?

	Yes	No
3a(i)		No
3a(ii)		No
3b		

4

Describe in Part XIII the intended uses of the organization's endowment funds

Part VI

Land, Buildings, and Equipment.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11a. See Form 990, Part X, line 10.

Description of property	(a) Cost or other basis (investment)	(b) Cost or other basis (other)	(c) Accumulated depreciation	(d) Book value
1a Land				
b Buildings				
c Leasehold improvements				
d Equipment		739,004	130,164	608,840
e Other		2,040,621	408,125	1,632,496
Total. Add lines 1a through 1e (Column (d) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10(c))				2,241,336

Part VII

Investments—Other Securities. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11b.
See Form 990, Part X, line 12.

(a) Description of security or category (including name of security)	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation Cost or end-of-year market value
(1) Financial derivatives		
(2) Closely-held equity interests		
(3) Other _____		
(A)		
(B)		
(C)		
(D)		
(E)		
(F)		
(G)		
(H)		
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 12) ▶		

Part VIII

Investments—Program Related.
Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' on Form 990, Part IV, line 11c. See Form 990, Part X, line 13.

(a) Description of investment	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation Cost or end-of-year market value
(1)		
(2)		
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		
(7)		
(8)		
(9)		
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 13) ▶		

Part IX

Other Assets. Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' on Form 990, Part IV, line 11d See Form 990, Part X, line 15

(a) Description	(b) Book value
(1) DUE FROM AFFILIATES	7,915,702
(2) DUE FROM RELATED PARTY (ACLU FDTN - 501(C)(3))	22,616,780
(3) DUE FROM AFFILIATES - ALLOCATED SHARE OF PENSION LIABILITY	22,164,774
(4) DUE FROM ACLU FDTN - ALLOCATED SHARE OF PENSION LIABILITY	9,974,401
(5) INTEREST & DIVIDEND INCOME RECEIVABLE	74,649
(6)	
(7)	
(8)	
(9)	
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 15) ▶	62,746,306

Part X

Other Liabilities. Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' on Form 990, Part IV, line 11e or 11f.
See Form 990, Part X, line 25.

1. (a) Description of liability	(b) Book value
(1) Federal income taxes	
ACCRUED PENSION LIABILITY	36,795,002
DUE TO AFFILIATES	8,155,470
BILL OF RIGHTS TRUST HELD FOR AFFILIATES	780,367
(4)	
(5)	
(6)	
(7)	
(8)	
(9)	
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 25) ▶	45,730,839

2. Liability for uncertain tax positions In Part XIII, provide the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that reports the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48 (ASC 740) Check here if the text of the footnote has been provided in Part XIII ☒

Part XI Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial Statements With Revenue per Return

Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' on Form 990, Part IV, line 12a.

1	Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements	1	320,786,308
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12		
a	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	2a	1,869,409
b	Donated services and use of facilities	2b	
c	Recoveries of prior year grants	2c	
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII)	2d	179,825,914
e	Add lines 2a through 2d	2e	181,695,323
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	3	139,090,985
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, but not on line 1		
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a	
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII)	4b	
c	Add lines 4a and 4b	4c	0
5	Total revenue. Add lines 3 and 4c . (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 12)	5	139,090,985

Part XII Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial Statements With Expenses per Return.

Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' on Form 990, Part IV, line 12a.

1	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements	1	300,674,442
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part IX, line 25		
a	Donated services and use of facilities	2a	
b	Prior year adjustments	2b	
c	Other losses	2c	
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII)	2d	154,746,453
e	Add lines 2a through 2d	2e	154,746,453
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	3	145,927,989
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part IX, line 25, but not on line 1 :		
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a	
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII)	4b	
c	Add lines 4a and 4b	4c	0
5	Total expenses. Add lines 3 and 4c . (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 18)	5	145,927,989

Part XIII Supplemental Information

Provide the descriptions required for Part II, lines 3, 5, and 9, Part III, lines 1a and 4, Part IV, lines 1b and 2b, Part V, line 4, Part X, line 2, Part XI, lines 2d and 4b, and Part XII, lines 2d and 4b. Also complete this part to provide any additional information.

Return Reference	Explanation
See Additional Data Table	

Part XIII Supplemental Information *(continued)*

Return Reference	Explanation

Additional Data

Software ID:
Software Version:
EIN: 13-3871360
Name: AMERICAN CIVIL LIBERTIES UNION INC

Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
PART V, LINE 4	THE PURPOSE OF THE ENDOWMENT FUNDS IS TO CARRY OUT THE WORK OF THE ACLU AND ITS AFFILIATES IN PROTECTING, PRESERVING AND EXPANDING THE CIVIL LIBERTIES OF ALL PERSONS IN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
PART X, LINE 2	THE UNION IS A NOT-FOR-PROFIT ORGANIZATION EXEMPT FROM INCOME TAXES UNDER SECTION 501(C)(4) OF THE U S INTERNAL REVENUE CODE THE UNION IS SUBJECT TO TAXES ON UNRELATED BUSINESS INCOME THE UNION FILES TAX AND INFORMATION RETURNS WITH THE INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE (THE "IRS") AND WITH VARIOUS STATES MANAGEMENT EVALUATED THE UNION'S TAX POSITIONS AND CONCLUDED THAT IT HAD TAKEN NO UNCERTAIN TAX POSITIONS THAT REQUIRE ADDITIONAL ADJUSTMENT OR DISCLOSURE TO THE ACCOMPANYING CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS GENERALLY, THE UNION IS NO LONGER SUBJECT TO INCOME TAX EXAMINATIONS BY U S FEDERAL, STATE OR LOCAL TAX AUTHORITIES FOR TAX YEARS BEFORE 2015, WHICH IS THE STANDARD STATUTE OF LIMITATIONS LOOK-BACK PERIOD

Supplemental Information	
Return Reference	Explanation
PART XI, LINE 2D - OTHER ADJUSTMENTS	REVENUES AND ELIMINATIONS INCLUDED ON CONSOLIDATED FS 183,954,322 MINIMUM PENSION LIABILITY ADJUSTMENT -3,739,544 RECOGNITION OF AFFILIATES' SHARE OF PENSION LIABILITY -388,864

Supplemental Information	
Return Reference	Explanation
PART XII, LINE 2D - OTHER ADJUSTMENTS	EXPENSES AND ELIMINATIONS INCLUDED ON CONSOLIDATED FS 154,746,453

Supplemental Information	
Return Reference	Explanation
FORM 990, SCHEDULE D	PART V A RELATED ORGANIZATION DOES HOLD AN ENDOWMENT, BUT NONE OF THE HOLDINGS ARE FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE ACLU

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SCHEDULE G
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Information Regarding
Fundraising or Gaming Activities

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, lines 17, 18, or 19, or if the
organization entered more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a
▶ Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.
▶ Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for instructions and the latest information

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Name of the organization
AMERICAN CIVIL LIBERTIES UNION INC

Employer identification number
13-3871360

Part I

Fundraising Activities

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 17.
Form 990-EZ filers are not required to complete this part.

1

Indicate whether the organization raised funds through any of the following activities. Check all that apply.

a

☒ Mail solicitations

e

☒ Solicitation of non-government grants

b

☒ Internet and email solicitations

f

☐ Solicitation of government grants

c

☒ Phone solicitations

g

☐ Special fundraising events

d

☒ In-person solicitations

2a

Did the organization have a written or oral agreement with any individual (including officers, directors, trustees or key employees listed in Form 990, Part VII) or entity in connection with professional fundraising services?

☒ Yes ☐ No

b

If "Yes," list the ten highest paid individuals or entities (fundraisers) pursuant to agreements under which the fundraiser is to be compensated at least \$5,000 by the organization.

(i) Name and address of individual or entity (fundraiser)	(ii) Activity	(iii) Did fundraiser have custody or control of contributions?		(iv) Gross receipts from activity	(v) Amount paid to (or retained by) fundraiser listed in col (i)	(vi) Amount paid to (or retained by) organization
		Yes	No			
1 O'BRIEN GARRETT (FORMERLY OMP) 1133 19TH ST NW WASHINGTON, DC 20036	FUNDRAISING SOLICITATION/CONSULTING		No	116,870,249	511,433	116,358,816
2 DSG 6715 SUNSET BLVD LOS ANGELES, CA 90028	FUNDRAISING SOLICITATION/CONSULTING		No	542,430	946,832	-404,402
3 TELEFUND INC PO BOX 2366 DENVER, CO 08201	FUNDRAISING SOLICITATION/CONSULTING		No	157,849	134,442	23,407
4 INTEGRAL RESOURCES INC 1972 MASSACHUSETTS AVE CAMBRIDGE, MA 02140	FUNDRAISING SOLICITATION/CONSULTING		No	76,877	161,513	-84,636
5 GSI 360 N SEPULVEDA BLVD EL SEGUNDO, CA 90245	FUNDRAISING SOLICITATION/CONSULTING		No	49,856	56,154	-6,298
6 NCE INC 78 SAN MARCO ST AUSTIN, TX 78702	FUNDRAISING SOLICITATION/CONSULTING		No	14,455	110,684	-96,229
7 PUBLIC INTEREST COMMUNICATIONS CORP 7700 LEESBURG PIKE ST 301 N FALLS CHURCH, VA 22043	FUNDRAISING SOLICITATION/CONSULTING		No	10,562	20,554	-9,992
8 ARIA COMMUNICATIONS CORP 717 W ST GERMAIN ST ST CLOUD, MN 56301	FUNDRAISING SOLICITATION/CONSULTING		No	0	14,297	-14,297
9						
10						
Total ▶				117,722,278	1,955,909	115,766,369

3

List all states in which the organization is registered or licensed to solicit contributions or has been notified it is exempt from registration or licensing.

AK, AL, AZ, CA, CO, CT, FL, GA, HI, IL, KS, KY, LA, MA, MD, ME, MI, MN, MO, NC, ND, NH, NJ, NM, NY, OH, OK, OR, PA, RI, SC, SD, TN, UT, VA, WA, WI, WV

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Part II Fundraising Events. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 18, or reported more than \$15,000 of fundraising event contributions and gross income on Form 990-EZ, lines 1 and 6b. List events with gross receipts greater than \$5,000.

Revenue		(a) Event #1	(b) Event #2	(c) Other events	(d)
		(event type)	(event type)	(total number)	Total events (add col (a) through col (c))
Revenue	1 Gross receipts				
	2 Less Contributions				
	3 Gross income (line 1 minus line 2)				
Direct Expenses	4 Cash prizes				
	5 Noncash prizes				
	6 Rent/facility costs				
	7 Food and beverages				
	8 Entertainment				
	9 Other direct expenses				
	10 Direct expense summary Add lines 4 through 9 in column (d) ▶				
	11 Net income summary Subtract line 10 from line 3, column (d) ▶				

Part III Gaming. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 19, or reported more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a.

Revenue		(a) Bingo	(b) Pull tabs/Instant bingo/progressive bingo	(c) Other gaming	(d) Total gaming (add col (a) through col (c))
Direct Expenses	1 Gross revenue				
	2 Cash prizes				
	3 Noncash prizes				
	4 Rent/facility costs				
	5 Other direct expenses				
	6 Volunteer labor	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes _____ % <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes _____ % <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes _____ % <input type="checkbox"/> No	
	7 Direct expense summary Add lines 2 through 5 in column (d) ▶				
	8 Net gaming income summary Subtract line 7 from line 1, column (d) ▶				

9 Enter the state(s) in which the organization conducts gaming activities _____

a Is the organization licensed to conduct gaming activities in each of these states? ☐ Yes ☐ No

b If "No," explain _____

10a Were any of the organization's gaming licenses revoked, suspended or terminated during the tax year? ☐ Yes ☐ No

b If "Yes," explain _____

11 Does the organization conduct gaming activities with nonmembers?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No						
12 Is the organization a grantor, beneficiary or trustee of a trust or a member of a partnership or other entity formed to administer charitable gaming?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No						
13 Indicate the percentage of gaming activity conducted in:							
a The organization's facility	<table border="1" style="display: inline-table; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 10%;">13a</td> <td style="width: 80%;"></td> <td style="width: 10%; text-align: right;">%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>13b</td> <td></td> <td style="text-align: right;">%</td> </tr> </table>	13a		%	13b		%
13a		%					
13b		%					
b An outside facility							
14 Enter the name and address of the person who prepares the organization's gaming/special events books and records							
Name ►							
Address ►							
15a Does the organization have a contract with a third party from whom the organization receives gaming revenue?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No						
b If "Yes," enter the amount of gaming revenue received by the organization ► \$ and the amount of gaming revenue retained by the third party ► \$							
c If "Yes," enter name and address of the third party							
Name ►							
Address ►							
16 Gaming manager information							
Name ►							
Gaming manager compensation ► \$							
Description of services provided ►							
<input type="checkbox"/> Director/officer <input type="checkbox"/> Employee <input type="checkbox"/> Independent contractor							
17 Mandatory distributions							
a Is the organization required under state law to make charitable distributions from the gaming proceeds to retain the state gaming license?							
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No							
b Enter the amount of distributions required under state law distributed to other exempt organizations or spent in the organization's own exempt activities during the tax year ► \$							

Part IV Supplemental Information. Provide the explanations required by Part I, line 2b, columns (iii) and (v); and Part III, lines 9, 9b, 10b, 15b, 15c, 16, and 17b, as applicable. Also provide any additional information. See instructions.

Return Reference	Explanation
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Schedule I
(Form 990)

Department of the
Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization
AMERICAN CIVIL LIBERTIES UNION INC

Grants and Other Assistance to Organizations,
Governments and Individuals in the United States

Complete if the organization answered "Yes," on Form 990, Part IV, line 21 or 22.
▶ Attach to Form 990.
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Part I General Information on Grants and Assistance

- 1 Does the organization maintain records to substantiate the amount of the grants or assistance, the grantees' eligibility for the grants or assistance, and the selection criteria used to award the grants or assistance? ☒ Yes ☐ No
- 2 Describe in Part IV the organization's procedures for monitoring the use of grant funds in the United States

Part II Grants and Other Assistance to Domestic Organizations and Domestic Governments. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 21, for any recipient that received more than \$5,000. Part II can be duplicated if additional space is needed.

(a) Name and address of organization or government	(b) EIN	(c) IRC section (if applicable)	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Amount of non-cash assistance	(f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(g) Description of noncash assistance	(h) Purpose of grant or assistance
(1) See Additional Data							
(2)							
(3)							
(4)							
(5)							
(6)							
(7)							
(8)							
(9)							
(10)							
(11)							
(12)							

2 Enter total number of section 501(c)(3) and government organizations listed in the line 1 table 2

3 Enter total number of other organizations listed in the line 1 table 49

Part III Grants and Other Assistance to Domestic Individuals. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 22
Part III can be duplicated if additional space is needed

(a) Type of grant or assistance	(b) Number of recipients	(c) Amount of cash grant	(d) Amount of noncash assistance	(e) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(f) Description of noncash assistance
(1)					
(2)					
(3)					
(4)					
(5)					
(6)					
(7)					

Part IV Supplemental Information. Provide the information required in Part I, line 2; Part III, column (b); and any other additional information.

Return Reference	Explanation
PART I, LINE 2	THE ACLU HAS ESTABLISHED PROCEDURES FOR THE RELEASE OF GRANTS, AS WELL AS FOR MONITORING OF OUTCOMES, TO DETERMINE WHETHER THE GOALS OF A PARTICULAR GRANT AWARD HAVE BEEN MET WHILE THE PRIMARY GRANTMAKING THE ORGANIZATION DOES IS TO ITS AFFILIATES, THE ORGANIZATION ALSO MAKES GRANTS TO OTHER ORGANIZATIONS WHEN IT DETERMINES THAT DOING SO WILL BE IN THE FURTHERANCE OF ITS MISSION GRANT AWARDS ARE CONFIRMED IN WRITING AND SUPPORTED BY A WRITTEN AGREEMENT THAT SPECIFIES THE PURPOSE OF THE GRANT, THE SPECIFIC OUTCOMES TO BE ACHIEVED, AND, IF APPLICABLE, THE INDICATORS THAT THE PARTIES AGREE WILL BE USED TO MEASURE PROGRESS TOWARDS AGREED UPON GOALS WRITTEN AGREEMENTS DETAIL THE SPECIFIC ACTIVITIES FOR WHICH FUNDING IS TO BE PROVIDED AND DOCUMENT THE COMMITMENT TO USING THE FUNDS PROVIDED TO PURSUE SPECIFIC STRATEGIES IN ADDRESSING PROGRAM GOALS AND TARGET OUTCOMES AFFILIATES AND OTHER ORGANIZATIONS WHO RECEIVE GRANT AWARDS MAY BE REQUIRED TO PROVIDE QUANTITATIVE AND QUALITATIVE REPORTS, AND THESE REPORTS MAY BE USED TO DETERMINE WHETHER ADDITIONAL FUNDING MAY BE REQUIRED AND/OR TO ENHANCE FUTURE GRANT PROGRAMS

Additional Data

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EIN: 13-3871360
Name: AMERICAN CIVIL LIBERTIES UNION INC

Form 990,Schedule I, Part II, Grants and Other Assistance to Domestic Organizations and Domestic Governments.

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FLORIDIANS FOR A FAIR DEMOCRACY INC 3000 GULF TO BAY BLVD STE 502 CLEARWATER, FL 33759	47-2089046	UNINCORPORATED ASSOC	3,400,000				BALLOT INITIATIVE
PROMOTE THE VOTE 2966 WOODWARD AVENUE DETROIT, MI 48201	82-3347897	UNINCORPORATED ASSOC	1,250,000				BALLOT INITIATIVE

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ACLU OF GEORGIA 1900 THE EXCHANGE ROOM 425 ATLANTA, GA 30339	58-0951433	501(C)(4)	760,576				AFFILIATE PROGRAM
ACLU OF FLORIDA 4343 W FLAGLER ST STE 400 MIAMI, FL 33134	59-0883831	501(C)(4)	986,340				AFFILIATE PROGRAM

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ACLU OF MICHIGAN 2966 WOODWARD AVENUE DETROIT, MI 48201	38-1643182	501(C)(4)	886,789				AFFILIATE PROGRAM
ACLU OF PENNSYLVANIA PO BOX 40008 PHILADELPHIA, PA 19106	23-7184439	501(C)(4)	562,720				AFFILIATE PROGRAM

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ACLU OF ARIZONA PO BOX 17148 PHOENIX, AZ 85011	86-0205157	501(C)(4)	732,100				AFFILIATE PROGRAM
ACLU OF OKLAHOMA PO BOX 1626 OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73101	73-0780616	501(C)(4)	450,000				AFFILIATE PROGRAM

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ACLU OF KANSAS 6701 WEST 64 STREET SUITE 210 OVERLAND PARK, KS 66202	91-2090691	501(C)(4)	492,685				AFFILIATE PROGRAM
ACLU OF SAN DIEGO & IMPERIAL COUNTIES PO BOX 87131 SAN DIEGO, CA 92138	33-0325795	501(C)(4)	285,000				AFFILIATE PROGRAM

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ACLU OF TEXAS PO BOX 8306 HOUSTON, TX 77288	76-0343140	501(C)(4)	426,835				AFFILIATE PROGRAM
ACLU OF MASSACHUSETTS 211 CONGRESS ST BOSTON, MA 02110	04-1180450	501(C)(4)	85,000				AFFILIATE PROGRAM

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ACLU OF NORTH CAROLINA PO BOX 28004 RALEIGH, NC 27611	56-0863265	501(C)(4)	451,767				AFFILIATE PROGRAM
ACLU OF CONNECTICUT 765 ASYLUM AVE 1ST FL HARTFORD, CT 06105	45-2857664	501(C)(4)	210,000				AFFILIATE PROGRAM

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ACLU OF WISCONSIN 207 E BUFFALO ST STE 325 MILWAUKEE, WI 53202	39-6057574	501(C)(4)	222,746				AFFILIATE PROGRAM
ACLU OF ALASKA 1057 W FIREWEED LANE 207 ANCHORAGE, AK 99503	92-0126141	501(C)(4)	158,000				AFFILIATE PROGRAM

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ACLU OF KENTUCKY 315 GUTHRIE ST STE 300 LOUISVILLE, KY 40202	61-0597514	501(C)(4)	125,000				AFFILIATE PROGRAM
ACLU OF NEW HAMPSHIRE 18 LOW AVE CONCORD, NH 03301	02-6019538	501(C)(4)	250,750				AFFILIATE PROGRAM

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ACLU OF OHIO 4506 CHESTER AVE CLEVELAND, OH 44103	34-0700606	501(C)(4)	33,000				AFFILIATE PROGRAM
ACLU OF NEW JERSEY PO BOX 32159 NEWARK, NJ 07102	22-1758950	501(C)(4)	45,000				AFFILIATE PROGRAM

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ACLU OF DELAWARE 100 WEST 10TH ST STE 603 WILMINGTON, DE 19801	51-0240032	501(C)(4)	50,000				AFFILIATE PROGRAM
UTAHNS FOR RESPONSIVE GOVERNMENT 2630 EAST STRINGHAM AVENUE APT 310A 310A SALT LAKE CITY, UT 84109	82-1030846	INCORPORATED BALLOT	50,000				BALLOT INITIATIVE

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ACLU OF LOUISIANA 1340 POYDRAS ST2160 NEW ORLEANS, LA 70112	72-0604244	501(C)(4)	450,000				AFFILIATE PROGRAM
ACLU OF MISSOURI 906 OLIVE ST ST LOUIS, MO 63101	32-0295491	501(C)(4)	153,000				AFFILIATE PROGRAM

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ACLU OF NORTHERN CALIFORNIA 39 DRUMM ST SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111	94-2151925	501(C)(4)	50,000				AFFILIATE PROGRAM
ACLU OF ALABAMA PO BOX 6179 MONTGOMERY, AL 36106	23-7093412	501(C)(4)	39,000				AFFILIATE PROGRAM

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ACLU OF COLORADO 303 EAST 17TH AVENUE ROOM 350 DENVER, CO 80203	84-0437750	501(C)(4)	207,261				AFFILIATE PROGRAM
NEVADANS FOR SECURE ELECTIONS 401 S CURRY STREET CARSON CITY, NV 89703	83-0769395	501(C)(4)	1,150,000				BALLOT INITIATIVE

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LEAGUE OF CONSERVATION VOTERS 740 15TH STREET SUITE 700 WASHINGTON, DC 20005	52-1733698	501(C)(4)	750,000				BALLOT INITIATIVE
COMMITTEE TO ADVANCE CONSTITUTIONAL VALUES INC 4343 WEST FLAGLER STREET SUITE 400 MIAMI, FL 33134	82-5388120	REGISTERED AS POLITI	500,000				BALLOT INITIATIVE

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FREEDOM FOR ALL MASSACHUSETTS 89 CAMBRIDGE ST 102 CHARLESTOWN, MA 02129	81-4110935	INCORPORATED BALLOT	350,000				BALLOT INITIATIVE
VOTE NO ON AMENDMENT ONE INC PO BOX 11376 CHARLESTON, WV 25339	83-0660663	501(C)(4)	350,000				BALLOT INITIATIVE

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YES ON TWO 2022 ST BERNARD AVE SUITE 305 NEW ORLEANS, LA 70116	83-1325603	INCORPORATED BALLOT	300,000				BALLOT INITIATIVE
OREGONIANS UNITED AGAINST PROFILING PO BOX 42307 PORTLAND, OR 97242	82-5018384	REGISTERED AS POLITI	289,000				BALLOT INITIATIVE

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DE-ESCALATE WASHINGTON I-940 PO BOX 27447 FEDERAL WAY, WA 98093	82-1915268	UNINCORPORATED ASSOC	250,000				BALLOT INITIATIVE
ACLU OF MAINE 121 MIDDLE STREET SUITE 301 PORTLAND, ME 04101	01-0285070	501(C)(4)	158,000				AFFILIATE PROGRAM

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ACLU OF MINNESOTA PO BOX 14720 MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55414	47-4484602	501(C)(4)	112,000				AFFILIATE PROGRAM
OHIO SAFE AND HEALTHY COMMUNITIES CAMPAIGN 545 E TOWN STREET COLUMBUS, OH 42315	82-3215606	UNINCORPORATED ASSOC	100,000				BALLOT INITIATIVE

Form 990, Schedule I, Part II, Grants and Other Assistance to Domestic Organizations and Domestic Governments.							
(a) Name and address of organization or government	(b) EIN	(c) IRC section if applicable	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Amount of non-cash assistance	(f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(g) Description of non-cash assistance	(h) Purpose of grant or assistance
ACTION NC 1817 CENTRAL AVE SUITE 211 CHARLOTTE, NC 28205	27-2050581	501(C)(4)	88,652				BALLOT INITIATIVE
NEW YORK CIVIL LIBERTIES UNION INC 125 BROAD STREET 19TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10004	13-5628799	501(C)(4)	88,634				AFFILIATE PROGRAM

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ACLU OF VERMONT 137 ELM ST MONTPELIER, VT 05602	03-0221930	501(C)(4)	50,000				AFFILIATE PROGRAM
THE LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE ON CIVIL AND HUMAN RIGHTS 1620 L STREET NW SUITE 1100 WASHINGTON, DC 20036	52-0789800	501(C)(4)	50,000				SPONSORSHIP

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ACLU OF SOUTH CAROLINA PO BOX 20998 CHARLESTON, SC 29413	27-1942885	501(C)(4)	48,500				AFFILIATE PROGRAM
ACLU OF NEBRASKA 134 SOUTH 13TH STREET SUITE 1010 LINCOLN, NE 68508	23-7093415	501(C)(4)	40,000				AFFILIATE PROGRAM

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ACLU OF DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA 915 15TH STREET NW 2TH FLOOR WASHINGTON, DC 20005	52-0749684	501(C)(4)	25,000				AFFILIATE PROGRAM
ULTRAVIOLET ACTION PO BOX 34756 WASHINGTON, DC 20043	47-5180376	501(C)(4)	23,675				SPONSORSHIP

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ACLU OF ARKANSAS 904 WEST 2ND STREET LITTLE ROCK, AR 72201	71-0467186	501(C)(4)	23,000				AFFILIATE PROGRAM
END RAPE ON CAMPUS INC 1440 G ST NW WASHINGTON, DC 20005	47-5589196	501(C)(3)	19,948				SPONSORSHIP

Form 990, Schedule I, Part II, Grants and Other Assistance to Domestic Organizations and Domestic Governments.							
(a) Name and address of organization or government	(b) EIN	(c) IRC section if applicable	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Amount of non-cash assistance	(f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(g) Description of non-cash assistance	(h) Purpose of grant or assistance
TOPEKA INDEPENDENT LIVING RESOURCE CENTER INC 501 SW JACKSON ST TOPEKA, KS 66603	48-0911585	501(C)(3)	8,875				SPONSORSHIP
ACLU OF IDAHO PO BOX 1897 BOISE, ID 83701	82-0467427	501(C)(4)	7,000				AFFILIATE PROGRAM

Form 990, Schedule I, Part II, Grants and Other Assistance to Domestic Organizations and Domestic Governments.							
(a) Name and address of organization or government	(b) EIN	(c) IRC section if applicable	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Amount of non-cash assistance	(f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(g) Description of non-cash assistance	(h) Purpose of grant or assistance
REFORM LA JAILS SPONOSRED BY JUSTICE TEAM NETWORK 111 N LA BREA AVE SUITE 408 INGLEWOOD, CA 90301	82-4504425	PUBLIC COMMITTEE	100,000				SPONSORSHIP

Schedule J
(Form 990)

Compensation Information

OMB No 1545-0047

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Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

For certain Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees
▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 23.
▶ Attach to Form 990.
▶ Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for instructions and the latest information.

Name of the organization AMERICAN CIVIL LIBERTIES UNION INC	Employer identification number 13-3871360
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Part I Questions Regarding Compensation

	Yes	No								
1a Check the appropriate box(es) if the organization provided any of the following to or for a person listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a. Complete Part III to provide any relevant information regarding these items. <table border="0"> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> First-class or charter travel</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Housing allowance or residence for personal use</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Travel for companions</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Payments for business use of personal residence</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Tax indemnification and gross-up payments</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Health or social club dues or initiation fees</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Discretionary spending account</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Personal services (e.g., maid, chauffeur, chef)</td> </tr> </table>	<input type="checkbox"/> First-class or charter travel	<input type="checkbox"/> Housing allowance or residence for personal use	<input type="checkbox"/> Travel for companions	<input type="checkbox"/> Payments for business use of personal residence	<input type="checkbox"/> Tax indemnification and gross-up payments	<input type="checkbox"/> Health or social club dues or initiation fees	<input type="checkbox"/> Discretionary spending account	<input type="checkbox"/> Personal services (e.g., maid, chauffeur, chef)		
<input type="checkbox"/> First-class or charter travel	<input type="checkbox"/> Housing allowance or residence for personal use									
<input type="checkbox"/> Travel for companions	<input type="checkbox"/> Payments for business use of personal residence									
<input type="checkbox"/> Tax indemnification and gross-up payments	<input type="checkbox"/> Health or social club dues or initiation fees									
<input type="checkbox"/> Discretionary spending account	<input type="checkbox"/> Personal services (e.g., maid, chauffeur, chef)									
b If any of the boxes in line 1a are checked, did the organization follow a written policy regarding payment or reimbursement or provision of all of the expenses described above? If "No," complete Part III to explain	1b									
2 Did the organization require substantiation prior to reimbursing or allowing expenses incurred by all directors, trustees, officers, including the CEO/Executive Director, regarding the items checked in line 1a?	2									
3 Indicate which, if any, of the following the filing organization used to establish the compensation of the organization's CEO/Executive Director. Check all that apply. Do not check any boxes for methods used by a related organization to establish compensation of the CEO/Executive Director, but explain in Part III. <table border="0"> <tr> <td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Compensation committee</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Written employment contract</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Independent compensation consultant</td> <td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Compensation survey or study</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form 990 of other organizations</td> <td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Approval by the board or compensation committee</td> </tr> </table>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Compensation committee	<input type="checkbox"/> Written employment contract	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Independent compensation consultant	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Compensation survey or study	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form 990 of other organizations	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Approval by the board or compensation committee				
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4 During the year, did any person listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, with respect to the filing organization or a related organization:										
a Receive a severance payment or change-of-control payment?	4a	No								
b Participate in, or receive payment from, a supplemental nonqualified retirement plan?	4b	Yes								
c Participate in, or receive payment from, an equity-based compensation arrangement?	4c	No								
If "Yes" to any of lines 4a-c, list the persons and provide the applicable amounts for each item in Part III.										
Only 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations must complete lines 5-9.										
5 For persons listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the revenues of:										
a The organization?	5a	No								
b Any related organization?	5b	No								
If "Yes," on line 5a or 5b, describe in Part III.										
6 For persons listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the net earnings of:										
a The organization?	6a	No								
b Any related organization?	6b	No								
If "Yes," on line 6a or 6b, describe in Part III.										
7 For persons listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization provide any nonfixed payments not described in lines 5 and 6? If "Yes," describe in Part III.	7	No								
8 Were any amounts reported on Form 990, Part VII, paid or accrued pursuant to a contract that was subject to the initial contract exception described in Regulations section 53.4958-4(a)(3)? If "Yes," describe in Part III.	8	No								
9 If "Yes" on line 8, did the organization also follow the rebuttable presumption procedure described in Regulations section 53.4958-6(c)?	9									

For each individual whose compensation must be reported on Schedule J, report compensation from the organization on row (i) and from related organizations, described in the instructions, on row (ii). Do not list any individuals that are not listed on Form 990, Part VII.

Note. The sum of columns (B)(i)-(iii) for each listed individual must equal the total amount of Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, applicable column (D) and (E) amounts for that individual.

See Additional Data Table

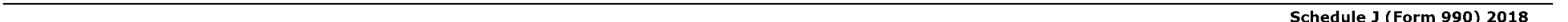
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Part III **Supplemental Information**

Provide the information, explanation, or descriptions required for Part I, lines 1a, 1b, 3, 4a, 4b, 4c, 5a, 5b, 6a, 6b, 7, and 8, and for Part II. Also complete this part for any additional information.

Return Reference	Explanation
PART I, LINE 4B	THE CEO PARTICIPATES IN A NONQUALIFIED, SUPPLEMENTAL RETIREMENT PLAN. THE CEO RECEIVED NO PAYMENTS IN 2018.

Return Reference	Explanation
FORM 990, SCHEDULE J, PART II	PART II COLUMN B(I) INCLUDES BASE COMPENSATION, COLUMN B(II) INCLUDES BONUS PAYMENTS (THERE WERE NONE IN 2018) AND COLUMN B(III) INCLUDES ALL OTHER REPORTABLE COMPENSATION, INCLUDING ANY REDUCTIONS TO TAXABLE COMPENSATION RELATED TO PARTICIPATION IN HEALTH OR DEPENDENT SPENDING ACCOUNTS, IF/AS APPLICABLE NEGATIVE NUMBERS IN COLUMN B(III) OCCUR WHEN THE AMOUNTS DEDUCTED FROM REPORTABLE COMPENSATION ARE GREATER THAN THE COSTS OF OTHER TAXABLE BENEFITS REPORTED IN THIS COLUMN COLUMN C INCLUDES EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLAN OR, FOR EMPLOYEES HIRED ON OR AFTER APRIL 1, 2009, TO THE DEFINED CONTRIBUTION 401(K) PLAN, AND CONTRIBUTIONS, IF ANY, TO THE 457(B) PLAN, THE TOTALS SHOWN REFLECT AMOUNTS EARNED DURING THE YEAR, WHETHER OR NOT THE EMPLOYEE IS FULLY VESTED COLUMN D INCLUDES NON-TAXABLE BENEFITS, SUCH AS HEALTH AND OTHER INSURANCE, AS WELL AS AMOUNTS SET ASIDE BY EMPLOYEES IN THE HEALTH AND/OR DEPENDENT CARE FLEXIBLE SPENDING PLANS, WHICH HAVE BEEN ADDED BACK TO PROVIDE THE FULLEST PICTURE POSSIBLE OF TOTAL COMPENSATION



Additional Data

Software ID:
Software Version:
EIN: 13-3871360
Name: AMERICAN CIVIL LIBERTIES UNION INC

Form 990, Schedule J, Part II - Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees

(A) Name and Title		(B) Breakdown of W-2 and/or 1099-MISC compensation			(C) Retirement and other deferred compensation	(D) Nontaxable benefits	(E) Total of columns (B)(i)-(D)	(F) Compensation in column (B) reported as deferred on prior Form 990
		(i) Base Compensation	(ii) Bonus & incentive compensation	(iii) Other reportable compensation				
ANTHONY D ROMERO EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR/CEO	(i)	517,970	0	11,036	138,113	18,871	685,990	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DOROTHY M EHRLICH DEPUTY EXEC DIRECTOR	(i)	427,594	0	14,994	153,092	29,721	625,401	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TERENCE R DOUGHERTY CHIEF OPER OFFICE/GEN COUNSEL	(i)	393,123	0	-3,225	22,123	25,059	437,080	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FAIZ R SHAKIR NATIONAL POLITICAL DIRECTOR	(i)	315,909	0	-6,909	14,778	22,234	346,012	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
KIMBERLY P TRUEBLOOD CHIEF OF STAFF	(i)	349,801	0	-6,051	16,223	18,977	378,950	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
JENNIFER S CONSVLVIO CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER	(i)	239,347	0	-15,756	16,149	49,366	289,106	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DAVID D COLE NATIONAL LEGAL DIRECTOR	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	(ii)	404,642	0	11,958	18,680	4,229	439,509	0
MICHELE M MOORE CHIEF COMMUNICATION OFFICER	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	(ii)	335,888	0	17,281	14,121	23,553	390,843	0
GERI E ROZANSKI DIR AFFILIATE SUPPORT/ADV	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	(ii)	302,337	0	10,429	77,500	26,067	416,333	0
MARK V WIER CHIEF DEVELOPMENT OFFICER	(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	(ii)	377,294	0	3,652	16,544	5,023	402,513	0
ERIC J VIELAND CHIEF CORPORATE COUNSEL	(i)	224,597	0	-1,006	12,274	16,727	252,592	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
UDI OFER DEPUTY NATL POL DIR/SMART	(i)	216,304	0	-2,002	12,783	13,547	240,632	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
JO-ANNA JOSEPH DIR OF HUMAN RESOURCES	(i)	230,135	0	-6,544	18,299	19,256	261,146	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
STEPHANIE D WECHT DEPUTY CHIEF OPER OFFICER	(i)	230,306	0	-6,715	12,007	36,395	271,993	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
LORELLA PRAELI DEP NAT'L POL DIR /DIR /IMMIGRATION POL	(i)	210,459	0	-3,349	9,270	27,510	243,890	0
	(ii)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

SCHEDULE M
(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Noncash Contributions

►Complete if the organizations answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, lines 29 or 30.
► Attach to Form 990.
►Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for the latest information.

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Part I

Types of Property

	(a) Check if applicable	(b) Number of contributions or items contributed	(c) Noncash contribution amounts reported on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1g	(d) Method of determining noncash contribution amounts
1 Art—Works of art				
2 Art—Historical treasures . .				
3 Art—Fractional interests . .				
4 Books and publications . .				
5 Clothing and household goods				
6 Cars and other vehicles . . .				
7 Boats and planes				
8 Intellectual property				
9 Securities—Publicly traded .	X	7	39,440	SALES PRICE
10 Securities—Closely held stock .				
11 Securities—Partnership, LLC, or trust interests				
12 Securities—Miscellaneous . .				
13 Qualified conservation contribution—Historic structures				
14 Qualified conservation contribution—Other				
15 Real estate—Residential . .				
16 Real estate—Commercial . .				
17 Real estate—Other				
18 Collectibles				
19 Food inventory				
20 Drugs and medical supplies .				
21 Taxidermy				
22 Historical artifacts				
23 Scientific specimens				
24 Archeological artifacts				
25 Other ► ()				
26 Other ► ()				
27 Other ► ()				
28 Other ► ()				

29

Number of Forms 8283 received by the organization during the tax year for contributions for which the organization completed Form 8283, Part IV, Donee Acknowledgement

29

30a

During the year, did the organization receive by contribution any property reported in Part I, lines 1 through 28, that it must hold for at least three years from the date of the initial contribution, and which is not required to be used for exempt purposes for the entire holding period?

30a

No

b

If "Yes," describe the arrangement in Part II

31

Does the organization have a gift acceptance policy that requires the review of any nonstandard contributions?

31

Yes

32a

Does the organization hire or use third parties or related organizations to solicit, process, or sell noncash contributions?

32a

Yes

b

If "Yes," describe in Part II

33

If the organization did not report an amount in column (c) for a type of property for which column (a) is checked, describe in Part II

For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the Instructions for Form 990.

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Part II**Supplemental Information.**

Provide the information required by Part I, lines 30b, 32b, and 33, and whether the organization is reporting in Part I, column (b), the number of contributions, the number of items received, or a combination of both. Also complete this part for any additional information.

Return Reference	Explanation
PART I, COLUMN (B)	THE NUMBER OF CONTRIBUTIONS SHOWN ABOVE REPRESENTS THE TOTAL NUMBER OF STOCK GIFTS DURING THE YEAR
PART I, LINE 32B	WE ENGAGE BROKERS, WITH EXPERTISE SELLING PROPERTY CONTRIBUTED TO THE ORGANIZATION, TO FACILITATE SALES OF NONCASH PROPERTY ON OUR BEHALF

SCHEDULE O
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)**Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ**

Complete to provide information for responses to specific questions on Form 990 or 990-EZ or to provide any additional information.

► Attach to Form 990 or 990-EZ.

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990 Schedule O, Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
FORM 990, PART I, LINE 6, SUMMARY	WHILE THERE ARE 83,808 VOLUNTEERS WHO MEET THE IRS DEFINITION, THERE ARE OVER 1 3 MILLION INDIVIDUALS WHO HAVE TAKEN ACTION WITH US ARE SOMETIMES REFERRED TO PUBLICLY AS OUR VOLUNT EERS

990 Schedule O, Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 6	THE BOARD MEMBERS OF THE ORGANIZATION'S 50 AFFILIATES, THE "AFFILIATE VOTING MEMBERS," ARE ELECTORS, ALONG WITH THE ORGANIZATION'S BOARD MEMBERS, IN THE ELECTION OF CERTAIN MEMBERS TO THE ORGANIZATION'S BOARD, AND EACH AFFILIATE APPOINTS ONE BOARD MEMBER TO THE NATIONAL ORGANIZATION'S BOARD THE NATIONAL ORGANIZATION'S GENERAL MEMBERS PARTICIPATE IN THE ELECTION OF THE BOARD MEMBERS OF THE ORGANIZATION'S AFFILIATES FIFTY GENERAL MEMBERS MAY ALSO (I) PETITION THE BOARD TO AMEND ITS BYLAWS, WHICH PETITION MUST BE CONSIDERED BY THE ORGANIZATION'S BOARD AND (II) NOMINATE INDIVIDUALS TO RUN FOR THE ORGANIZATION'S BOARD

990 Schedule O, Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 7A	SEE RESPONSE TO # 6 ABOVE

990 Schedule O, Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 7B	SEE RESPONSE TO # 6 ABOVE THE ORGANIZATION'S AFFILIATE VOTING MEMBERS HAVE THE RIGHT TO VOTE, PUT MATTERS ON THE BOARD'S AGENDA FOR CONSIDERATION, AND TO APPROVE CERTAIN CHANGES TO THE ORGANIZATION'S BYLAWS AND VOTE TO OVERTURN A DECISION OF THE ORGANIZATION'S BOARD THAT IS SUBMITTED TO THE AFFILIATE VOTING MEMBERS FOR A VOTE BY PETITION OF THE ORGANIZATION'S AFFILIATES UNDER D C LAW, THE AFFILIATE VOTING MEMBERS HAVE THE RIGHT TO APPROVE A DECISION BY THE BOARD TO DISSOLVE, MERGE/CONSOLIDATE WITH ANOTHER ORGANIZATION OR DISPOSE OR MORTGAGE ALL OR SUBSTANTIALLY ALL OF THE ORGANIZATION'S ASSETS

990 Schedule O, Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 11B	THE FORM 990 WAS PREPARED BY MANAGEMENT IN CONSULTATION WITH THE ORGANIZATION'S AUDITORS THE ORGANIZATION'S AUDIT COMMITTEE AND ITS TREASURER REVIEWED A DRAFT OF THE 990 AND PROVI DED COMMENTS A COMPLETE COPY OF THE FORM 990 WAS PROVIDED TO THE ORGANIZATION'S GOVERNING BODY BEFORE IT WAS FILED

990 Schedule O, Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 12C	<p>THE ORGANIZATION DISTRIBUTES ITS CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY ON AN ANNUAL BASIS TO EVERY KEY EMPLOYEE, OFFICER, BOARD DIRECTOR AND STANDING COMMITTEE MEMBER AND REQUESTS DISCLOSURE OF ANY POTENTIAL CONFLICTS OF INTEREST. THE CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER/GENERAL COUNSEL/ASSISTANT TREASURER OF THE ORGANIZATION REVIEWS ANY DISCLOSURES MADE DURING THIS ANNUAL REVIEW. IF A MATTER IS RAISED THAT MAY BE A CONFLICT OF INTEREST INVOLVING A BOARD MEMBER, AN OFFICER OR A STANDING COMMITTEE MEMBER, HE REFERS THE MATTER TO THE BOARD PRESIDENT AND APPROPRIATE FOLLOW UP IS UNDERTAKEN AS SET FORTH IN THE POLICY. IF A MATTER IS RAISED THAT MAY BE A CONFLICT OF INTEREST INVOLVING A KEY EMPLOYEE, HE REFERS THE MATTER TO THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OR HIS DESIGNEE AND APPROPRIATE FOLLOW UP IS UNDERTAKEN AS SET FORTH IN THE POLICY. BOARD DIRECTORS, OFFICERS, STANDING COMMITTEE MEMBERS AND KEY EMPLOYEES ALSO MAY REPORT TO THE BOARD ANY POTENTIAL CONFLICTS OF INTEREST THAT ARISE DURING THE YEAR. THE ORGANIZATION'S CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY REQUIRES, AMONG OTHER THINGS, THAT INDIVIDUALS WITH CONFLICTS OF INTEREST WITH RESPECT TO A TRANSACTION OR ACTION MAY NOT PARTICIPATE IN THE DECISION-MAKING WITH RESPECT TO THAT TRANSACTION OR ACTION AND IN SOME CIRCUMSTANCES MAY NOT PARTICIPATE IN THE DISCUSSION.</p>

990 Schedule O, Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 15	ON AN ANNUAL BASIS, A COMMITTEE OF THE BOARD OF THE ORGANIZATION ESTABLISHES THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S COMPENSATION, AND THE AUDIT COMMITTEE APPROVES THE COMPENSATION OF ALL OTHER KEY EMPLOYEES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR. NO MEMBER OF EITHER COMMITTEE HAS A CONFLICT OF INTEREST WITH RESPECT TO THE COMPENSATION ARRANGEMENT. EACH COMMITTEE REVIEWS COMPENSATION STUDIES AND COMPARABLE COMPENSATION DATA FOR FUNCTIONALLY COMPARABLE POSITIONS AT SIMILARLY SITUATED ORGANIZATIONS. EACH COMMITTEE CONTEMPORANEOUSLY DOCUMENTS AND RECORDS, IN ITS MINUTES, ITS DELIBERATIONS AND DECISIONS. NO ACLU OFFICER RECEIVES COMPENSATION IN HIS/HER CAPACITY AS AN OFFICER.

990 Schedule O, Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION C, LINE 19	THE ORGANIZATION'S FORM 990 FOR THE PAST THREE OR MORE YEARS, EXCLUDING SCHEDULE B, IS AVAILABLE ON THE ORGANIZATION'S WEBSITE THE ORGANIZATION'S FORM 990-T IS AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST COPIES OF THE ORGANIZATION'S FORM 990 ARE ALSO AVAILABLE ON THE GUIDESTAR WEBSITE THE ORGANIZATION'S IRS FORM 1024, BYLAWS, CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY AND ITS FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE PRIOR THREE YEARS ARE AVAILABLE ON ITS WEBSITE THE ORGANIZATION'S ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION ARE AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST OR THROUGH THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY, DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AND REGULATORY AFFAIRS

990 Schedule O, Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
FORM 990, PART VII, SECTION A, LINE 1A, COLUMN B	THE NUMBER OF HOURS REPORTED FOR THOSE INDIVIDUALS RECEIVING COMPENSATION IS BASED ON WEEKLY HOURS FOR PAYROLL PURPOSES THE ACTUAL NUMBER OF HOURS WORKED IS CONSIDERABLY HIGHER

990 Schedule O, Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
FORM 990, PART XI, LINE 9	MINIMUM PENSION LIABILITY ADJUSTMENT -3,739,544 RECOGNITION OF AFFILIATES' SHARE OF PENSION LIABILITY -388,864

SCHEDULE R
(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Related Organizations and Unrelated Partnerships

▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 33, 34, 35b, 36, or 37.
▶ Attach to Form 990.
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Part I Identification of Disregarded Entities

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 33.

(a) Name, address, and EIN (if applicable) of disregarded entity	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Total income	(e) End-of-year assets	(f) Direct controlling entity

Part II Identification of Related Tax-Exempt Organizations

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34 because it had one or more related tax-exempt organizations during the tax year.

(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Exempt Code section	(e) Public charity status (if section 501(c)(3))	(f) Direct controlling entity	(g) Section 512(b)(13) controlled entity?	
						Yes	No
(1)AMERICAN CIVIL LIBERTIES UNION FOUNDATION INC 125 BROAD STREET 18TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10004 13-6213516	PRESERVATION AND PROMOTION OF CIVIL RIGHTS AND LIBERTIES	NY	501(C)(3)	LINE 7	AMERICAN CIVIL LIBERTIES UNION INC	Yes	

Part III Identification of Related Organizations Taxable as a Partnership Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34 because it had one or more related organizations treated as a partnership during the tax year.

(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Direct controlling entity	(e) Predominant income(related, unrelated, excluded from tax under sections 512- 514)	(f) Share of total income	(g) Share of end-of-year assets	(h) Disproportionate allocations?		(i) Code V-UBI amount in box 20 of Schedule K-1 (Form 1065)	(j) General or managing partner?		(k) Percentage ownership
							Yes	No		Yes	No	

Part IV Identification of Related Organizations Taxable as a Corporation or Trust Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34 because it had one or more related organizations treated as a corporation or trust during the tax year.

(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Direct controlling entity	(e) Type of entity (C corp, S corp, or trust)	(f) Share of total income	(g) Share of end-of- year assets	(h) Percentage ownership	(i) Section 512(b) (13) controlled entity?	
								Yes	No

Part V Transactions With Related Organizations Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34, 35b, or 36.**Note.** Complete line 1 if any entity is listed in Parts II, III, or IV of this schedule**1** During the tax year, did the organization engage in any of the following transactions with one or more related organizations listed in Parts II-IV?

	Yes	No
a Receipt of (i) interest, (ii) annuities, (iii) royalties, or (iv) rent from a controlled entity		No
b Gift, grant, or capital contribution to related organization(s)		No
c Gift, grant, or capital contribution from related organization(s)		No
d Loans or loan guarantees to or for related organization(s)		No
e Loans or loan guarantees by related organization(s)		No
f Dividends from related organization(s)		No
g Sale of assets to related organization(s)		No
h Purchase of assets from related organization(s)		No
i Exchange of assets with related organization(s)		No
j Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets to related organization(s)		No
k Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets from related organization(s)		No
l Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations for related organization(s)		No
m Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations by related organization(s)		No
n Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, or other assets with related organization(s)	Yes	
o Sharing of paid employees with related organization(s)	Yes	
p Reimbursement paid to related organization(s) for expenses	Yes	
q Reimbursement paid by related organization(s) for expenses	Yes	
r Other transfer of cash or property to related organization(s)		No
s Other transfer of cash or property from related organization(s)		No

2 If the answer to any of the above is "Yes," see the instructions for information on who must complete this line, including covered relationships and transaction thresholds

(a) Name of related organization	(b) Transaction type (a-s)	(c) Amount involved	(d) Method of determining amount involved
(1) ACLU FOUNDATION INC	N	6,030,490	FTE BASED ALLOCATION METHODOLOGY
(2) ACLU FOUNDATION INC	O	6,736,062	REVENUE BASED ALLOCATION METHOD
(3) ACLU FOUNDATION INC	P	6,030,490	FTE BASED ALLOCATION METHODOLOGY
(4) ACLU FOUNDATION INC	Q	6,736,062	REVENUE BASED ALLOCATION METHOD

Provide the following information for each entity taxed as a partnership through which the organization conducted more than five percent of its activities (measured by total assets or gross revenue) that was not a related organization. See instructions regarding exclusion for certain investment partnerships.

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Part VII **Supplemental Information**

Provide additional information for responses to questions on Schedule R (see instructions)

Return Reference	Explanation