Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except black lung benefit trust or private foundation)

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Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

▶ The organization may have to use a copy of this return to satisfy state reporting requirements.

Ā	For ti	he 2008 calendar year, or tax year beginning $10/01$, 2008, and ending	0:	9/30, 20 09										
В	Check if a	Applicable: Please C Name of organization ENVIRONMENTAL DEFENSE ACTION FUND	D Employer identit	fication number										
	Addı		90-008050	00										
1	Nam	print or type. Print or Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/su	ite E Telephone numb	er										
	Initial return See 257 PARK AVENUE SOUTH (212)505-2100													
Termination Specific Instruc- City or town, state or country, and ZIP + 4														
	Ame	nded tions. NEW YORK, NY 10010	G Gross receipts \$	19,560,114.										
Г		F Name and address of principal officer: DAVID VARNOID	H(a) Is this a group re affiliates?											
-		257 PARK AVENUE SOUTH NEW YORK, NY 10010	H(b) Are all affiliates in	ncluded? Yes No										
ī	Tax-ex	xempt status: X 501(c) (4) ◀ (insert no.) 4947(a)(1) or 527	If "No," attach a l	ist. (see instructions)										
J	Webs	ite: ▶ WWW.ENVIRONMENTALDEFENSE.ORG	H(c) Group exemption	number >										
ĸ			mation: 2002 M Stat	e of legal domicile: DE										
	art l	Summary												
	1	Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities:												
		TO EDUCATE THE PUBLIC REGARDING ENVIRONMNENTAL AND CONSER	VATTON											
Governance		ISSUES, AND ADVOCATE LEGISLATION AND POLICIES THAT PROTECT THE												
Г		ENVIRONMENTAL RIGHTS OF ALL PEOPLE.												
ove	2	Check this box if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 2	5% of its assets											
<u>ن</u> مح		Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a)		19										
		Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)	4	19										
Activities	5			NONE										
Ċţ	6			NONE										
٩	7a	Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary) Total gross unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, line 12, column (C)		NONE										
		Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34	7b											
	<u> </u>	The difficultied business taxable month of month of the first time	Prior Year	NONE Current Year										
	8	Contribution and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)	9,664,227.	19,553,930.										
Revenue	9	Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)												
Ş.	10	Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)	NONE											
ď	11	Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)	NONE											
	12	Total revenue - add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	NONE											
	13	Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3)	9,664,227.											
	14	Repetits paid to or for members (Port IX, column (A), line 4)	177,000.	45,250.										
	4.5	Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4) Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-10)	NONE											
Expenses	16-		611,611.											
beu	IVA	Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e) Total fundraising expenses, Part IX, column (D), line 25) ▶ 329, 417.	158 , 555.	159,121.										
Ж	170	Other expenses (Part IV, column (A), lines 11a, 11d, 11f, 24f)	0 000 001	11 010 004										
	10	Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24f) Total expenses. Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	8,298,391.											
	19	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 18 from line 12	9,245,557.	1										
F 8		Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 10 from line 12	418,670. Beginning of Year	7,343,703. End of Year										
Net Assets or Fund Balances	20	Tetal coasts /Dort V. line 46)												
Sse Bala	20	Total liabilities (Part X, line 16)	3,304,805.	10,863,937.										
걸살	21	Total liabilities (Part X, line 26) Net assets or fund balances. Subtract line 21 from line 20	141,787.	357,217.										
	22 rt II	Signature Block	3,163,018.	10,506,720.										
Гα	H. H.													
		Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all i												
9	ign	Vela Kachad	1 1/0	1000										
	ere	Signature of officer	Date 7	1 2010										
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Type or print name and title														
		Data Check i	f Preparer	's identifying number										
Paid	l	riepaters Fig. 1 c 2010 self-	(see insti	ructions)										
Prep	parer's			00736879										
Use	Only	Firm's name (or yours if self-employed).		3-1639826										
Mar	the !!	address, and ZIP + 4 750 THIRD AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10017-2703	Phone no. > 2	212-949-8700										
		RS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? (See instructions)	<u> </u>	X Yes No										
ror	rriva	by Act and Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the separate Instructions.		Form 990 (2008)										

(Code:) (Expenses \$	including grants	s of \$) (Revenue \$)
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ther program	services. (Describe in Sche	edule O.)			
Expenses \$	including gra	ants of \$)	
	service expenses ►\$	11,710,280.(Must e	equal Part IX, Line 25, colu	mn (B).)	5 000 (00
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Part	V 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		х
2	Is the organization required to complete Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors?	2	х	
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		х
4	Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization engage in lobbying activities? If "Yes," complete			- 21
-	Cohodulo C. Port II	4		
5	Sections 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), and 501(c)(6) organizations. Is the organization subject to the section 6033(e)	-		
Ū	notice and reporting requirement and proxy tax? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III	5		v
6	Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds or any accounts where donors have the right to	3		Х
Ū	provide advice on the distribution or investment of amounts in such funds or accounts? If "Yes," complete			
	Cohodulo D. Dort I	6		3.5
7	Did the organization receive or hold a conservation easement, including easements to preserve open space,	0		X
'	the environment, historic land areas, or historic structures? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part II	_		
0	Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? <i>If</i> "Yes,"	7		X
8				
•	complete Schedule D, Part III	8		X
9	Did the organization report an amount in Part X, line 21; 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		X
10	Did the organization hold assets in term, permanent, or quasi-endowments? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V	10		X
11	Did the organization report an amount in Part X, lines 10, 12, 13, 15, or 25? If "Yes," complete Schedule D,			
	Parts VI, VII, VIII, IX, or X as applicable	11	Х	
12	Did the organization receive an audited financial statement for the year for which it is completing this return			
	that was prepared in accordance with GAAP? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts XI, XII, and XIII	12	X	
13	Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E.	13		Х
14a	Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the U.S.?	14a		Х
b	Did the organization have aggregate revenues or expenses of more than \$10,000 from grantmaking, fundraising,			
	business, and program service activities outside the U.S.? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part I	14b		х
15	Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of grants or assistance to any			
	organization or entity located outside the United States? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part II	15		х
16	Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of aggregate grants or assistance			
	to individuals located outside the United States? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part III	16		х
17	Did the organization report more than \$15,000 on Part IX, column (A), line 11e? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part I	17	х	
18	Did the organization report more than \$15,000 total on Part VIII, lines 1c and 8a? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part II	18		Х
19	Did the organization report more than \$15,000 on Part VIII, line 9a? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part III	19		х
20	Did the organization operate one or more hospitals? If "Yes," complete Schedule H	20		х
21	Did the organization report more than \$5,000 on Part IX, column (A), line 1? If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II	21	X	
22	Did the organization report more than \$5,000 on Part IX, column (A), line 2? If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and III	22		х
23	Did the organization answer "Yes" to Part VII, Section A, questions 3, 4, or 5,? If "Yes," complete			
	Schedule J	23	х	
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? If "Yes," answer questions			
	24b-24d and complete Schedule K. If "No," go to question 25	24a		x
b	Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception?	24b		
С	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		24d		
25a	Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Did the organization engage in an excess benefit transaction			
	with a disqualified person during the year? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I	25a		x
b	Did the organization become aware that it had engaged in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified			
	person from a prior year? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I	25b		х
26	Was a loan to or by a current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, highly compensated employee, or			
-	disqualified person outstanding as of the end of the organization's tax year? <i>If</i> "Yes," <i>complete Schedule L, Part II</i>	26		х
27	Did the organization provide a grant or other assistance to an officer, director, trustee, key employee, or			
	substantial contributor, or to a person related to such an individual? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III	27		х

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Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)

			res	NO
28 a	During the tax year, did any person who is a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee: Have a direct business relationship with the organization (other than as an officer, director, trustee, or employee), or an indirect business relationship through ownership of more than 35% in another entity (individually or collectively with other person(s) listed in Part VII, Section A)? If "Yes," complete Schedule L,			
	Part IV	28a		Х
b	Have a family member who had a direct or indirect business relationship with the organization? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV	28b		x
С	Serve as an officer, director, trustee, key employee, partner, or member of an entity (or a shareholder of a professional corporation) doing business with the organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>	28c		х
29	Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? If "Yes," complete Schedule M	29	х	
30	Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? <i>If</i> "Yes," <i>complete Schedule M</i>	30		x
31	Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I	31		x
32	Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part II	32		X
33	Did the organization own 100% of an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations section 301.7701-2 and 301.7701-3? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part I	33		x
34	Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Parts II, III, IV, and V, line 1	34	x	
35	Is any related organization a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2	35	21	x
36	Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2	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</i>			
	VI	37		Y

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Par	t V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance			
			Yes	No
1a	Enter the number reported in Box 3 of Form 1096, Annual Summary and Transmittal of			
	U.S. Information Returns. Enter -0- if not applicable			
b	Enter the number of Forms W-2G included in line 1a. Enter -0- if not applicable			
	Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable			
	gaming (gambling) winnings to prize winners?	1 c	х	
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 NONE			
b	If at least one is reported on line 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax returns?	2b		
	Note: If the sum of lines 1a and 2a is greater than 250, you may be required to <i>e-file</i> this return. (see instructions)			
3a	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year covered by			
	this return?	3a		х
b	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O	3b		
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		х
b	If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: ▶			
	See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22.1, Report of Foreign Bank			
	and Financial Accounts.			
5a	Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year?	5a		X
b	Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?	5b		X
С	If "Yes," to question 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T, Disclosure by Tax-Exempt Entity Regarding			
	Prohibited Tax Shelter Transaction?	5c		
	Did the organization solicit any contributions that were not tax deductible?	6a	X	
b	If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or			
	gifts were not tax deductible?	6b	X	
7	Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).	_		
	Did the organization provide goods or services in exchange for any quid pro quo contribution of more than \$75? •	7a		
	If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided?	7b		
С	Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was	. .		
	required to file Form 8282?	7c		
	If "Yes," indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year			
е	Did the organization, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal	7.0		
_	benefit contract?	7e 7f		
	Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?			
g	For all contributions of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required?	7g		
n	For contributions of cars, boats, airplanes, and other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-C as	7h		
	required?			
8	Section 501(c)(3) and other sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds and section			
	509(a)(3) supporting organizations. Did the supporting organization, or a fund maintained by a sponsoring organization, have excess business holdings at any time during the year?	8		
9	Section 501(c)(3) and other sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds.			
	Did the organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966?	9a		
a b	Did the organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person?	9b		
10	Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter:			
а	Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12			
a b	initiation rees and capital contributions included on Fait VIII, line 12			
11	Section 501(c)(12) organizations. Enter:			
а	Gross income from members or shareholders			
	Gross income from other sources (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against			
~	amounts due or received from them.)			
12a	Section 4947(a)(1) non-exempt charitable trusts. Is the organization filing Form 990 in lieu of Form 1041?	12a		
	If "Yes," enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year 12b			

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Part VI Governance, Management, and Disclosure (Sections A, B, and C request information about policies not required by the Internal Revenue Code.)

Sect	ion A. Governing Body and Management			
			Yes	No
	For each "Yes" response to lines 2-7b below, and for a "No" response to lines 8 or 9b below, describe the			
	circumstances, process, or changes in Schedule O. See instructions.			
1a	Enter the number of voting members of the governing body			
b	Enter the number of voting members that are independent 1b 19			
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?	2	х	
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?	3		х
4	Did the organization make any significant changes to its organizational documents since the prior Form 990 was filed?	4		х
5	Did the organization become aware during the year of a material diversion of the organization's assets?	5		х
6	Does the organization have members or stockholders?	6		х
7a	Does the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who may elect one or more members			
	of the governing body?	7a		x
b	Are any decisions of the governing body subject to approval by members, stockholders, or other persons?	7b		х
8	Did the organizations contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during			
	the year by the following:			
а	The governing body?	8a	х	
b	Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body?	8b	x	
9a	Does the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates?	9a		х
b	If "Yes," does the organization have written policies and procedures governing the activities of such chapters,			
	affiliates, and branches to ensure their operations are consistent with those of the organization?	9b		
10	Was a copy of the Form 990 provided to the organization's governing body before it was filed? All organizations			
	must describe in Schedule O the process, if any, the organization uses to review the Form 990	10	х	
11	Is there any officer, director or 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	11		x
Sect	on B. Policies			
			Yes	No
12a	Does the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? If "No," go to line 13	12a	Х	
b	Are officers, directors or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give			
	rise to conflicts?	12b	Х	
С	Does the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? If "Yes,"			
	describe in Schedule O how this is done	12c	X	
13	Does the organization have a written whistleblower policy?	13	Х	
14	Does the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy?	14	X	
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:			
а	The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official?	15a		X
b	Other officers or key employees of the organization?	15b		Х
	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?	16a		X
b	If "Yes," has the organization adopted a written policy or procedure requiring the organization to evaluate			
	its participation in joint venture arrangements under applicable federal tax law, and taken steps to safeguard			
	the organization's exempt status with respect to such arrangements?	16b		
	ion C. Disclosure			
17	List the states with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed SEE SCHEDULE G, PT 1, LIN			
18	Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Forms 1023 (or 1024 if applicable), 990, and 990-T (501(c)(3)	s only))	
	available for public inspection. Indicate how you make these available. Check all that apply.			
40	x Own website x Another's website x Upon request			
19	Describe in Schedule O whether (and if so, how), the organization makes its governing documents, conflict of inte	rest		
	policy, and financial statements available to the public.			
	Chate the name inhibited address, and talanhana number of the nearest title access the health and resident title			
20	State the name, physical address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the books and records of the	ne		
20	State the name, physical address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the books and records of the organization: MICHAEL GREENBERG 257 PARK AVENUE SOUTH NEW YORK, NY 10010 (212)616-1358	ne 		

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

Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees

- 1a Complete this table for all persons required to be listed. Use Schedule J-2 if additional space is needed.
- List all of the organization's **current** officers, directors, trustees (whether individuals or organizations), regardless of amount of compensation, and **current** key employees. Enter -0- in columns (D), (E), and (F) if no compensation was paid.
- 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, and 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.

x Check this box if the organization did not compensate any officer, director, trustee, or key employee.

(A)	(B)	(C)					(D)	(E)	(F)	
Name and Title	Average hours per week	P or director	io Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Mighest compensated employee	Former	Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
SEE SCHEDULE J-2										

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	Name and title	Average hours per	Position (check all that ap						Reportable compensation	Reportable compensation		Estimated amount o		
		week	Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former	from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	from rel organiza (W-2/1099	ated tions	other compensati from the organizatic and relate organizatio	ion on ed	
1b	Total				٠	٠		▶	NONE	331	,613.	54,	688.	
2	Total number of individuals (including those organization ► NONE							nan	\$100,000 in re			ation from t	he	
3	Did the organization list any former office employee on line 1a? If "Yes," complete Schedu											Yes 3	No X	
4	For any individual listed on line 1a, is the organization and related organizations	greater th	an \$	150	,00	0?	If "Y	es,'	complete Sched	ule J for	such			
5	individual	e or accr	ue co	omp	ens	satio	n fro	m	any unrelated of	rganization	for	5 X	x	
Sec	ction B. Independent Contractors	oomproto c	301100	410	0 10	, 64	on por	001	<u>,</u>			<u> </u>		
1	Complete this table for your five highest compensation from the organization.	compensat	ed in	dep	enc	dent	cont	rac	tors that received	d more tha	an \$10	0,000 of		
	(A) Name and business addi	ress							(B) Description of se	rvices	С	(C) compensation		
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2	Total number of independent contractors (i compensation from the organization ▶ 1	ncluding th	nose	in 1	1) v	who	rece	ive	d more than \$10	0,000 in				

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Par	rt VII	Statement of Revenue		90-0080500		
			(A) Total revenue	(B) Related or exempt function revenue	(C) Unrelated business revenue	(D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512, 513, or 514
Contributions, gifts, grants and other similar amounts	1a b c d	Federated campaigns 1a Membership dues 1b Fundraising events 1c Related organizations				
contribution of the second	f g	All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above . 1f 18,903,930. Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f: \$ 50,926.				
	h	Total. Add lines 1a-1f	19,553,930.			
anu:		Business Code				
Program Service Revenue	2a b c d					
rog	f	All other program service revenue				
	3	Total. Add lines 2a-2f	NONE NONE			
	4	Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds >	NONE			
	5	Royalties • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	NONE			
	6a b c	Gross Rents				
	d	Net rental income or (loss)	NONE			
	7a	Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory (i) Securities (ii) Other				
	b	Less: cost or other basis and sales expenses				
	C	Gain or (loss)	MONTE			
nue	d 8a	Net gain or (loss)	NONE			
Other Revenue	b	of contributions reported on line 1c). See Part IV, line 18				
Ö	C	Net income or (loss) from fundraising events	NONE			
		Gross income from gaming activities. See Part IV, line 19				
	b	Less: direct expenses	NONE			
	10a					
	b	Less: cost of goods sold b				
	С	Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory ▶ Miscellaneous Revenue Business Code	NONE			
	11a	OTHER REVENUE	6,184.	6,184.		
	b					
	С					
	d	All other revenue				
	е	Total. Add lines 11a-11d	6,184.			
	12	Total Revenue. Add lines 1h, 2g, 3, 4, 5, 6d, 7d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e · · · · · · · · · · ▶	19,560,114.	6,184.		

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) but are not required to complete columns (B), (C), and (D).

	All other organizations must comple onot include amounts reported on lines 6b, o, 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 governments and		отраново	general expenses	
-	organizations in the U.S. See Part IV, line 21	45,250.	45,250.		
2	Grants and other assistance to individuals in		,		
_	the U.S. See Part IV, line 22	NONE			
3	Grants and other assistance to governments,				
	organizations, and individuals outside the				
	U.S. See Part IV, lines 15 and 16	NONE			
4	Benefits paid to or for members	NONE			
5	Compensation of current officers, directors,				
	trustees, and key employees	NONE			
6	Compensation not included above, to disqualified				
	persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and				
	persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B)	NONE			
7	Other salaries and wages	761,034.	647,414.	52,126.	61,494
8	Pension plan contributions (include section 401				
	(k) and section 403(b) employer contributions).	38,498.	33,660.	2,252.	2,586
9	Other employee benefits	143,078.	125,097.	8,369.	9,612
10	Payroll taxes	59,046.	51,625.	3,454.	3,967
11	Fees for services (non-employees):				
а	Management	NONE			
b		51,044.	50,744.	179.	121
С	Accounting	25,000.		25,000.	
d	Lobbying	NONE			
е	Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17	159,121.			159,121
f	Investment management fees	NONE			
g	Other	5,867,141.	5,852,773.		14,368
12	Advertising and promotion	4,761,225.	4,649,521.	56,097.	55,607
13	Office expenses	45,627.	40,871.	2,878.	1,878
14	Information technology	49,817.	33,082.	8,708.	8,027
15	Royalties	NONE			
16	Occupancy	20,701.	9,108.	8,281.	3,312
17	Travel	28,253.	28,253.		
18	Payments of travel or entertainment expenses				
	for any federal, state, or local public officials	NONE			
19	Conferences, conventions, and meetings	60,074.	55,699.	2,659.	1,716
20	Interest	NONE			
21	Payments to affiliates	NONE			
22	Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	NONE			
23	Insurance	NONE			
24	Other expenses. Itemize expenses not				
	covered above. (Expenses grouped together				
	and labeled miscellaneous may not exceed				
	5% of total expenses shown on line 25 below.)				
а	MISCELLANEOUS_EXPENSES	101,502.	87,183.	6,711.	7,608
b					
С					
d					
е					
	All other expenses				
	Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24f	12,216,411.	11,710,280.	176,714.	329,417
26	Joint Costs. Check here ▶ X If following				
	SOP 98-2. Complete this line only if the organization				
	reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising				
JSA	solicitation	949,778.	699,483.	86,428.	163,867

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Pa	rt X	Balance Sheet						
			(A) Beginning of year		ı	(E End o	3) If year	•
	1	Cash - non-interest-bearing	42,688.	1		2.4	44,	864
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments		2			•	
	3	Pledges and grants receivable, net	249,200.	3		1,7	750,	000
	4	Accounts receivable, net		4				
	5	Receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, key						
		employees, or other related parties. Complete Part II of Schedule L		5				
	6	Receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section						
		4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B). Complete Part II						
		of Schedule L		6				
ets	7	Notes and loans receivable, net		7				
Assets	8	Inventories for sales or use		8				
⋖	9	Prepaid expenses and deferred charges	104,257.	9		2	264,	443
		Land, buildings, and equipment: cost basis 10a						
	b	Less: accumulated depreciation. Complete		40.				
		Part VI of Schedule D		10c				
	11	Investments - publicly traded securities		11 12				
	12 13	Investments - program-related. See Part IV, line 11		13				
	14	Intangible assets		14				
	15	Other assets. See Part IV, line 11	2,908,660.				104,	620
	16	Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34)	3,304,805.			10,8		
_	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses	141,787.				357,	
	18	Grants payable	141,707.	18			,,,	<u> </u>
	19	Deferred revenue		19				
	20	Tax-exempt bond liabilities		20				
Ś	21	Escrow account liability. Complete Part IV of Schedule D		21				
Liabilities	22	Payables to current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees,						
abil		highest compensated employees, and disqualified persons. Complete Part II						
Ξ		of Schedule L		22				
	23	Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties		23				
	24	Unsecured notes and loans payable		24				
	25	Other liabilities. Complete Part X of Schedule D		25				
	26	Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25 · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	141,787.	26		3	<u>357,</u>	<u> 217</u>
Balances		Organizations that follow SFAS 117, check here ▶ X and complete lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 and 34.						
au	27	Unrestricted net assets	3,163,018.	27			74,	647
Ba	28	Temporarily restricted net assets		28		10,4	132,	<u>073</u>
Fund	29	Permanently restricted net assets		29				
ō		Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here ▶ □ and complete lines 30 through 34.						
Assets	30	Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds		30				
SS	31	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, or equipment fund		31				
¥,	32	Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds		32				
Net	33	Total net assets or fund balances	3,163,018.			10,5		
	34	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances	3,304,805.	34		<u>10,8</u>	<u> 863,</u>	<u>937</u>
Ρa	rt XI	Financial Statements and Reporting					Yes	No
1	Acco	unting method used to prepare the Form 990: Cash X Accrual Othe	er				res	NO
2a	Were	the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent account	tant?			2a		х
b	Were	the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant?			[2b	х	
С	If "Y∈	es" to lines 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 accou	ntant?		[2c	х	
3a		result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as s						
_		ingle Audit Act and OMB Circular A-133?				3a		X
b	If "Ye	es," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits?			<u> </u>	3b		

SCHEDULE D (Form 990)

Supplemental Financial Statements

OMB No. 1545-0047 <u>തെ</u> വ

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Name of the organization

▶ Attach to Form 990. To be completed by organizations that answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, line 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, or 12.

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ENV	IRONMENTAL DEFENSE ACTION FUND	90-0080500
Par	Organizations Maintaining Donor Advised Funds or Other Similar Funds of the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 6.	r Accounts. Complete if
	(a) Donor advised funds	(b) Funds and other accounts
1	Total number at end of year	
2	Aggregate contributions to (during year)	
3	Aggregate contributions to (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 do	onor advised
•	funds are the organization's property, subject to the organization's exclusive legal control? •	
6	Did the organization inform all grantees, donors, and donor advisors in writing that grant fund	
	used only for charitable purposes and not for the benefit of the donor or donor advisor or oth	
	impermissible private benefit?	Yes No
Par	Conservation Easements. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to F	orm 990, Part IV, line 7.
1	Purpose(s) of conservation easements held by the organization (check all that apply).	
	Preservation of land for public use (e.g., recreation or pleasure) Preservation of land for public use (e.g., recreation or pleasure)	of an historically importantly land area
	Protection of natural habitat	of certified historic structure
	Preservation of open space	
2	Complete lines 2a-2d if the organization held a qualified conservation contribution in the form	n of a conservation easement
	on the last day of the tax year.	
		Held at the End of the Year
а	Total number of conservation easements	2a
b	Total acreage restricted by conservation easements	
С	Number of conservation easements on a certified historic structure included in (a)	
d	Number of conservation easements included in (c) acquired after 8/17/06	
3	Number of conservation easements modified, transferred, released, extinguished, or termin	ated by the organization during
	the taxable 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, vid	
6	enforcement of the conservation easements it holds?	
6 7	Staff or volunteer hours devoted to monitoring, inspecting, and enforcing easements during to Amount of expenses incurred in monitoring, inspecting, and enforcing easements during the	
8	Does each conservation easement reported on line 2(d) above satisfy the requirements of se	
·	170(h)(4)(B)(i) and 170(h)(4)(B)(ii)?	
9	In Part XIV, describe how the organization reports conservation easements in its revenue and	
-	balance sheet, and include, if applicable, the text of the footnote to the organization's finance	· · · · · ·
	the organization's accounting for conservation easements.	
Par	Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Othe	er Similar Assets.
	Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 8.	
1 a	If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116, not to report in its revenue statem	nent and balance sheet works of
	art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research provide, in Part XIV, the text of the footnote to its financial statements that describes these its	ems.
b	If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116, 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) Revenues included in 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	tor tinancial gain, provide the
_	following amounts required to be reported under SFAS 116 relating to these items:	> ¢
a	Revenues included in Form 990, Part VIII, line 1	
b		
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Par	art III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets (continued	1)
3		
	items (check all that apply):	
а		
b		
С		
4	- · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
_	Part XIV.	
5		
	assets to be sold to raise funds rather than to be maintained as part of the organization's collection? Yes	No
Par	Trust, Escrow and Custodial Arrangements. Complete if organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 9, or reported an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21.	
	Fait IV, line 9, of reported an amount of Form 990, Fait A, line 21.	
1.0	a Is the organization an agent, trustee, custodian or other intermediary for contributions or other assets not	
ıa	included on Form 990, Part X?	No
h	b If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIV and complete the following table:	NO
D	Amount	
С		
d	d Additions during the year	
e	e Distributions during the year	
f	f Ending balance	
2a		No
	b If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIV.	
	art V Endowment Funds. Complete if organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 10.	
	(a) Current Year (b) Prior year (c) Two years back (d) Three years back (e) Four year	ears back
1a	a Beginning of year balance	
b	b Contributions	
С	c Investment earnings or losses	
d	d Grants or scholarships	
е	e Other expenditures for facilities .	
	and programs	
f	f Administrative expenses	
g	g End of year balance	
2	Provide the estimated percentage of the year end balance held as:	
а	a Board designated or quasi-endowment ▶%	
b	b Permanent endowment ▶ %	
С	c Term endowment ▶%	
3a	a Are there endowment funds not in the possession of the organization that are held and administered for the	
	organization by:	es No
	(i) unrelated organizations	
_	(ii) related organizations	
b		
4		
Par	art VI Investments - Land, Buildings, and Equipment. See Form 990, Part X, line 10.	
	Description of investment (a) Cost or other basis (investment) (b) Cost or other basis (cother) (c) Depreciation (d) Book value	•
1a	a Land	
b	b Buildings	
С	c Leasehold improvements	
d	d Equipment	
е	e Other	
Tota	otal. Add lines 1a-1e. (Column (d) should equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10(c).)	

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Part VII	Investments - Other Securities. Se	e Form 990, Part X, I	ine 12.	Ŭ
	(a) Description of security or category (including name of security)	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuat Cost or end-of-year mark	on: et value
Financial der	ivatives and other financial products			
	equity interests			
		_		
Total. (Column	(b) should equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 12.)	>		
Part VIII	Investments - Program Related. Se		line 13.	
	(a) Description of investment type	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuat	on:
	(,)		Cost or end-of-year mark	et value
	(b) should equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 13.)	V. Un - 45		
Part IX	Other Assets. See Form 990, Part			#\\D
		(a) Description		(b) Book value
	M ENVIRONMENTAL			
DEFENSE,	INCORPORATED 501(C)3			6,404,630
Total. (Column	(b) should equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 15.)			6,404,630
Part X	Other Liabilities. See Form 990, Pa	rt X, line 25.		
	(a) Description of liability	(b) Amount		
Federal incor	ne taxes			
Total. (Column	(b) should equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 25.)	>		

In Part XIV, 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.

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Part	XI Reconciliation of Change in Net Assets from Form 990 to Financial Statements		
1	Total revenue (Form 990, Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1	19,560,114.
2	Total expenses (Form 990, Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	12,216,411.
3	Excess or (deficit) for the year. Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	7,343,703.
4	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	4	
5	Donated services and use of facilities	5	
6	Investment expenses	6	
7	Prior period adjustments	7	
8	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	8	
9	Total adjustments (net). Add lines 4-8	9	
10	Excess or (deficit) for the year per financial statements. Combine lines 3 and 9	10	7,343,703.
Part	XII Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial Statements With Revenue per Ro	eturn	
1	Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements		19,560,114.
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12:	•	
а	Net unrealized gains on investments2a		
b	Donated services and use of facilities		
С	Recoveries of prior year grants 2c		
d	Other (Describe in Part XIV)		
е	Add lines 2a through 2d	2e	
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1		19,560,114.
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, but not on line 1:		23/300/221.
а	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b		
b	Other (Describe in Part XIV)		
C	Add lines 4a and 4b	4c	
5	Total revenue. Add lines 3 and 4c. (This should equal Form 990, Part I, line 12.)		19,560,114.
	XIII Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial Statements With Expenses per		13/300/111.
1	Total consequent library and Paul Consequents		12,216,411.
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part IX, line 25:	• •	12/210/111.
- а	Donated services and use of facilities 2a		
b			
C			
d			
e	Other (Describe in Part XIV) Add lines 2a through 2d	2e	
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	3	12,216,411.
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part IX, line 25, but not on line 1:	• • •	12,210,411.
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b 4a		
b	Other (Describe in Part XIV) 4b		
	Add lines 4a and 4b	4c	
5	Total expenses. Add lines 3 and 4c . (This should equal Form 990, Part I, line 18.)	—	12,216,411.
	XIV Supplemental Information	5	12,210,411.
Comp	olete this part to provide the descriptions required for Part II, lines 3, 5, and 9; Part III, lines 1a and 4; P b; Part V, line 4; Part X; Part XI, line 8; Part XII, lines 2d and 4b; and Part XIII, lines 2d and 4b.	art IV, lin	es 1b

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SCHEDULE G

(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Supplemental Information Regarding Fundraising or Gaming Activities

OMB No. 1545-0047

2008
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Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ. Must be completed by organizations that answer "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, lines 17, 18, or 19, and by organizations that enter more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a.

Name of the organization					Employer identification	on number
ENVIRONMENTAL DEFENSE ACTION	FUND				90-008050	00
Part I Fundraising Activities. Con	nplete if the orgar	nization a	nswered	"Yes" to Form 9	90, Part IV, line	17.
1 Indicate whether the organization rai a X Mail solicitations b X Email solicitations c X Phone solicitations d X In-person solicitations	sed funds through a e f g	Solid Solid	citation of a	activities. Check a non-government g government grants ising events	rants	
 Did the organization have a written or key employees listed in Form 990 If "Yes," list the ten highest paid individuals. 	, Part VII) or entity	in connec	tion with p	rofessional fundra	ising activities?	X Yes No
to be compensated at least \$5,000 k						
(i) Name of individual or entity (fundraiser)	(ii) Activity	custody o	draiser have r control of utions?	(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		V	
	DIRECT					
DIRECT ADVANTAGE MARKETING	FUNDRAISING FUNDRAISING		х	88,397.	50,351	38,046.
INTEGRATED DIRECT MARKETING	COUNSEL		х	1,400,000.	108,770	1,291,230.
Total			▶	1,488,397.	159,121	. 1,329,276.
3 List all states in which the organizat registration or licensing. AL, AK, AZ, AR, CA, CT, FL, GA, IL,				it funds or has b		
KS, KY, LA, ME, MD, MA, MI, MN, MS, NI OK, OR, PA, RI, SC, TN, UT, VA, WA, W	H,NJ,NY,NC,ND	OH'				

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Pa	rt ll	Fundraising Events. Complemore than \$15,000 on Form	ete if to 1990	the organization -EZ, line 6a. L	n ans	swered "Y ents with	es" to Fo	orm 990, F ceipts gre	art IV, lin ater than	e 18, \$5,00	or rep	orte	k
				(a) Event #1		(b) Event	#2	(c) Other	Events		al Evei		
4				(event type)		(event type	e)	(total nu	mber)				
anue													
Revenue		Gross receipts Less: Charitable											
		contributions											
	3	Gross revenue (line 1											
		minus line 2)											
	4	Cash prizes											
ses	5	Non-cash prizes											
Direct Expenses													
rect E		Rent/facility costs											
ā	7	Other direct expenses											
		Direct expense summary. Add lines 4		-						(
D ₀	9 rt l	Net income summary. Combine lines Gaming. Complete if the org								ortod			
Га	ונו	than \$15,000 on Form 990-	janıza EZ, lir	ne 6a.	res	to Form	990, Pa	rt iv, iine	re, or rep	ortea	more		
e l				(a) Bingo		(b) Pull tabs/		(c) Other	gaming		otal ga		
Revenue					DII	ngo/progress	ive bingo			coi. (a	a) throu	ign co	i. (C))
Re	1	Gross revenue											
ses	2	Cash prizes											
Direct Expenses	3	Non-cash prizes											
ect E	4	Rent/facility costs											
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	5	Other direct expenses				1	0.4						
	6	Volunteer labor		Yes	%	Yes No	%	Yes No	%				
							l						
	7	Direct expense summary. Add lines 2	≀ throu	ugh 5 in column (d)				▶	(
	8	Net gaming income summary. Comb	ine lin	es 1 and 7 in col	umn (d)			.				
9	Fı	nter the state(s) in which the organizat	tion or	perates gaming a	ctivitie	es:				ĺ		Yes	No
а		the organization licensed to operate of									9a		
b) If	"No," Explain:											
10 a	W	ere any of the organization's gaming I									10a		
b	lf	"Yes," Explain:											
11		oes the organization operate gaming a	activiti	es with nonmemb	ers?						11		
12		the organization a grantor, beneficiary									4.5		
	fo	rmed to administer charitable gaming?	<u> </u>						<u> </u>	<u></u>	12		

Schedule G (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2008 Page 3 90-0080500 Yes Indicate the percentage of gaming activity operated in: 13 Provide the name and address of the person who prepares the organization's gaming/special event books and records: Name > _____ Address > _____ 15a Does the organization have a contract with a third party from whom the organization receives gaming revenue?.... If "Yes," enter the amount of gaming revenue received by the organization ▶ \$_____ and the amount of gaming revenue retained by the third party \blacktriangleright \$ ______. If "Yes," enter name and address: Name ► ______ _____ Gaming manager information: 16 _____ Name -Gaming manager compensation ▶ \$ _____ Description of services provided > _____ Director/officer Employee Independent contractor

Is the organization required under state law to make charitable distributions from the gaming proceeds to retain the state gaming license?.....

Enter the amount of distributions required under state law distributed to other exempt organizations or spent

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Mandatory distributions:

in the organization's own exempt activities during the tax year ▶\$

SCHEDULE I (Form 990)

Grants and Other Assistance to Organizations, Governments, and Individuals in the U.S.

OMB No. 1545-0047
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Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

► Complete if the organization answered "Yes," on Form 990, Part IV, lines 21 or 22.

► Attach to Form 990.

Name of the organization						Employer identification	on number
ENVIRONMENTAL DEFENSE ACTION F	UND					90-0080500	
Part I General Information on Grants	and Assista	nce					
 Does the organization maintain records the selection criteria used to award the g Describe in Part IV the organization's pro 	grants or assista	ince?					X Yes No
Part II Grants and Other Assistance Form 990, Part IV, line 21, for Use Part IV and Schedule I-1 (F	any recipient	that received	d more than \$5,00	O. Check this box	if no one recipient i	eceived more than	\$5,000.
(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
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	-						
	-						
2 Enter total number of section 501(c)(3) a	•	•				·	1
3 Enter total number of other organizations	·					<u></u>	NONE

(a) Type of grant or assistance (b) Number of recipients (cash grant or cash assistance) (cash grant or cash assistance) (cash grant or cash assistance) (d) Method of valuation (cbook, FMV, appraisial, other) W Supplemental Information. Complete this part to provide the information required in Part I, line 2, and any other additional information.				40.4		.
Supplemental Information. Complete this part to provide the information required in Part I, line 2, and any other additional information.	ance (b) N	Number of ecipients	(c) Amount of cash grant	(d) Amount of non-cash assistance	(e) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(f) Description of non-cash assistance
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SCHEDULE J (Form 990)

Compensation Information

For certain Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees

▶ Attach to Form 990. To be completed by organizations that answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 23. OMB No. 1545-0047

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Name of the organization

Employer identification number

ENV	IRONMENTAL DEFENSE ACTION FUND 90-0080	500		
Part				
-			Yes	No
1a	Check the appropriate box(es) if the organization provided any of the following to or for a person listed in Form	n		
	990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a. Complete Part III to provide any relevant information regarding these items.			
	First-class or charter travel Housing allowance or residence for personal use			
	Travel for companions Payments for business use of personal residence			
	Tax indemnification and gross-up payments Health or social club dues or initiation fees			
	Discretionary spending account Personal services (e.g., maid, chauffeur, chef)			
b	If line 1a is 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	-		
	officers, directors, trustees, and the CEO/Executive Director, regarding the items checked in line 1a?	. 2		
3	Indicate which, if any, of the following the organization uses to establish the compensation of the			
3	organization's CEO/Executive Director. Check all that apply.			
	Compensation committee Written employment contract			
	Independent compensation consultant Compensation survey or study			
	Form 990 of other organizations Approval by the board or compensation committee			
	Approval by the board of compensation committee			
4	During the year, did any person listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a:			
	Receive a severance payment or change of control payment?	4a		х
b	Participate in, or receive payment from, a supplemental nonqualified retirement plan?	4b		X
C	Participate in, or receive payment from, an equity-based compensation arrangement?			X
Ū	If "Yes" to any of lines 4a-c, list the persons and provide the applicable amounts for each item in Part III.	. 40		Α
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	Only 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations must complete lines 5-8.			
5	For persons listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any			
	compensation contingent on the revenues of:			
а		5a		х
b				х
	If "Yes" to line 5a or 5b, describe in Part III.	•		
6	For persons listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any			
	compensation contingent on the net earnings of:			
а	The organization?	6a		х
b				х
	If "Yes" to line 6a or 6b, describe in Part III.	-		
7	For persons listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization provide any non-fixed			
	payments not described in lines 5 and 6? If "Yes," describe in Part III	. 7		х
8	Were any amounts reported in Form 990, Part VII, paid or accrued pursuant to a contract that was	-		
	subject to the initial contract exception described in Regs. section 53.4958-4(a)(3)? If "Yes," describe			

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Schedule J (Form 990) 2008

Part II Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees. Use Schedule J-1 if additional space is needed.

For each individual whose compensation must be reported in 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) must equal the applicable column (D) or column (E) amounts on Form 990, Part VII, line 1a.

		(B) Breakdown	of W-2 and/or 1099-MISC	compensation	(C) Deferred	(D) Nontaxable	(E) Total of columns	(F) Compensation	
(A) Name		(i) Base compensation	(ii) Bonus & incentive compensation	(iii) Other reportable compensation	compensation	compensation benefits (B)(i)-(D)		reported in prior Form 990 or Form 990-EZ	
	(i)	NONE_	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONENONE	NONE	NONI	
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Part III Supplemental Information
Complete this part to provide the information, explanation, or descriptions required for Part I, lines 1a, 1b, 4c, 5a, 5b, 6a, 6b, 7, and 8. Also complete this par for any additional information.
OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, TRUSTEES AND KEY EMPLOYEES
SCHEDULE J, PART III
THE ENVIRONMENTAL DEFENSE FUND, INC. ACTS AS A COMMON PAY MASTER FOR THE
ENVIRONMENTAL DEFENSE ACTION FUND. AS SUCH THE COMPENSATION INFORMATION
INCLUDED ON SCHEDULE J WAS GENERATED FROM THE RECORDS OF THE
ENVIRONMENTAL DEFENSE FUND.

SCHEDULE J-2 (Form 990)

Continuation Sheet for Form 990

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Inspection

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Name of the Organization

Attach to Form 990 to list additional information for Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a.

ENVIRONMENTAL DEFENSE ACTION FUND

Employer Identification number

90-0080500

Continuation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Part I **Employees**

Employees		1								
(A)	(B)	D	· /	-	C)	111	I. A	(D)	(E)	(F)
Name and Title	Average hours per week	Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	that employee	Fomer	Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
BRIAN_CONBOY										
CO-CHAIRMAN	2.	X		X				NONE	NONE	NONE
JEFFREY P WILLIAMS										
CO-CHAIRMAN	2.	X		X				NONE	NONE	NONE
WENDY ABRAMS										
SECRETARY/TREASURER	2.	X		X				NONE	NONE	NONE
JAMES W B BENKARD										
TRUSTEE	2.	X						NONE	NONE	NONE
THOMAS F DARDEN										
TRUSTEE	2.	X						NONE	NONE	NONE
STANLEY_DRUCKENMILLER										
TRUSTEE	2.	X						NONE	NONE	NONE
KRISTEN J FELDMAN										
TRUSTEE	2.	X						NONE	NONE	NONE
JESSE_M_FINK										
TRUSTEE	2.	X						NONE	NONE	NONE
LEWIS B CULLMAN										
TRUSTEE	2.	X						NONE	NONE	NONE
LEWIS S RANIERI										
TRUSTEE	2.	X						NONE	NONE	NONE
CHARLES J HAMILTON JR										
TRUSTEE	2.	X						NONE	NONE	NONE
FRANK_E_LOY										
TRUSTEE	2.	X						NONE	NONE	NONE
N_J_NICHOLAS_JR										
TRUSTEE	2.	X						NONE	NONE	NONE
RICHARD_H_DAVIS										
TRUSTEE	2.	X						NONE	NONE	NONE
DOUGLAS_W_SHORENSTEIN										
TRUSTEE	2.	X						NONE	NONE	NONE
ADELE_SIMMONS										
TRUSTEE	2.	X						NONE	NONE	NONE
WILLIAM_R_GOODELL										
TRUSTEE	2.	X						NONE	NONE	NONE
PAUL JUNGER WITT										
TRUSTEE	2.	X						NONE	NONE	NONE
JOANNE_WITTY										
TRUSTEE	2.	X						NONE	NONE	NONE
JEANNE_DONOVAN_FISHER										
PARTIAL YEAR TRUSTEE	2.	Х					_	NONE	NONE	NONE
ROBERT_E_GRADY										
PARTIAL YEAR TRUSTEE For Privacy Act and Paperwork Reduction	2.	X						NONE	NONE	<u>NONE</u>

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Schedule J-2 (Form 990) 2008

SCHEDULE J-2 (Form 990)

Continuation Sheet for Form 990

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Attach to Form 990 to list additional information for Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a.

Inspection

Name of the Organization

Employer Identification number

ENVIRONMENTAL DEFENSE ACTION FUND 90-0080500 Continuation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Part I

Name and Title Average hours per veews Avera	Employees										
Per week Or dividual russe H_C_NIEHOFF PARTIAL YEAR TRUSTEE DAVID_YARNOLD PARTOLD Or dividual russe Or dividual russe OR DIVID YARNOLD Compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC) Compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC) See employee Or dividual russe Or dividual russe	(A)	(B)			(0	C)			(D)	(E)	(F)
H_C_NIEHOFF PARTIAL YEAR TRUSTEE	Name and Title	Average hours	Posi	tion (that ap		Reportable		
H_C_NIEHOFF PARTIAL YEAR TRUSTEE		per week	악등	Ins	9	₩.	em Hig	Fo		compensation from related	
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SCHEDULE M (Form 990)

Non-Cash Contributions

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▶ To be completed by organizations that answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, lines 29 or 30. ► Attach to Form 990.

Inspection

Name of the organization

Employer identification number

	VIRONMENTAL DEFENSE ACTION FUND 90-0080500						
Par	Types of Property						
		(a) Check if applicable	(b) Number of contributions	(c) Revenues reported of Form 990, Part VIII, line	n Method de 1g re	(d) of determinin venues	ng
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	х	1	50.92	6. FMV		
10	Securities-Closely held stock		-	30752			
11	Securities-Partnership, LLC,						
40	or trust interests						
12	Securities-Miscellaneous						
13	contribution (historic						
	structures)						
14	Qualified conservation						
17	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		zation during the tax vear f	or contributions for			
	which the organization completed F				29	1	NONE
						Yes	No
30 a	During the year, did the organization	tion receive	by contribution any prop	erty reported in Part	I, line 1-28 that		
	it must hold for at least three year	rs from the	date of the initial contribu	ution, and which is no	t required to be		
	used for exempt purposes for the en	ntire holding	period?			30a	х
b	If "Yes," describe the arrangement i	n Part II.					
31	Does the organization have a	gift accept	ance policy that require	es the review of a	ny non-standard		
	contributions?					31 X	
32 a	Does the organization hire or use						
	contributions?	-		•		32a	х
b	If "Yes," describe in Part II.						
33	If the organization did not report re	evenues in c	olumn (c) for a type of pro	perty for which colum	n (a) is checked,		
	describe in Part II.						

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Part II	Supplemental Information. 32b, and 33. Also complete	Complete this part to this part for any addition	provide the in onal information	formation required l	by Part I, lines 30	
						

SCHEDULE 0 (Form 990)

Supplemental Information to Form 990

OMB No. 1545-0047

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Internal Revenue Service	Form 990 or to provide any additional information.	Inspection		
Name of the organization		Employer identification number		
ENVIRONMENTAL	DEFENSE ACTION FUND	90-0080500		
PART_VI,_SECT IT_IS_THE_RES	NTEREST POLICY COMPLIANCE ION B, LINE 12C PONSIBILITY OF ALL TRUSTEES AND EMPLOYEES OF THE DEFENSE ACTION FUND TO FAMILIARIZE THEMSELVES WITH NTEREST POLICY AND TO ENSURE COMPLIANCE OF RELATED P.	гне		
	EACH TRUSTEE AND EMPLOYEE WILL ANNUALLY BE PROVIDED COMPLETE AND RETURN INDICATING THAT THEY HAVE READ,	WITH A		
_UNDERSTAND_AN	D ARE IN COMPLIANCE WITH THIS POLICY. THE CHAIR OF	гне		
BOARD OF TRUS	TEES WILL REPORT TO THE BOARD AND THE CHAIR OF THE A	UDIT		
COMMITTEE WIL	L REPORT TO THE AUDIT COMMITTEE OF THE BOARD AT LEAS	Γ_ONCE		
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MADE TO THEM,	AND ANY OTHER CONFLICTS-OF-INTERESTS, WHICH HAVE OC	CURRED.		
TRUSTEES WHO	KNOWINGLY OR UNKNOWINGLY VIOLATE THE POLICY ARE SUBJ	ECT_TO		
CENSURE OR RE	MOVAL, AT THE DISCRETION OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES.			
_ EMPLOYEES_ WHO	KNOWINGLY OR UNKNOWINGLY VIOLATE THE POLICY WILL BE	SUBJECT		
TO DISCIPLINA	RY ACTION, INCLUDING POSSIBLE DISMISSAL.			

Name of the organization	Employer identification number
ENVIRONMENTAL DEFENSE ACTION FUND	90-0080500
REVIEW OF FORM 990	
PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 10	
EDF USES ITS AUDIT COMMITTEE OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES TO REVIEW T	HE FORM
990 RETURN. THE AUDIT COMMITTEE HAS BEEN DELEGATED THIS AUTHORIT	Y RY THE
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BOARD OF TRUSTEES IN ITS AUDIT COMMITTEE CHARTER AND TERMS OF REF	ERENCE.
THE ORGANIZATION'S FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT GROUP IS RESPONSIBLE FOR	
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GATHERING THE KEY COMPONENTS AND SUPPORTING SCHEDULE INFORMATION	FOR THE
FORM 990. THE ORGANIZATION'S AUDIT FIRM OF INDEPENDENT PUBLIC	
ACCOUNTANTS PREPARES THE FORM 990 AND IT GOES THROUGH A REVIEW PR	OCESS TO
_ ENSURE IT IS COMPLETED ACCURATELY. THE DRAFT FORM 990 IS RETURNE	D_TO_THE
_ORGANIZATION_WHERE_SENIOR_EXECUTIVE_MANAGEMENT_AND_MEMBERS_OF_THE	
_ FINANCIAL TEAM REVIEW THE DOCUMENT THE AUDIT COMMITTEE RECEIVES	A COPY
OF THE DRAFT RETURN IN ADVANCE OF A MEETING SCHEDULED FOR ITS FOR	MAL
REVIEW. THE AUDIT COMMITTEE MEETS AND APPROVES THE FORM 990. TH	E_AUDIT
FIRM ELECTRONICALLY FILES THE INFORMATIONAL RETURN WITH THE IRS.	THE
FINAL FORM 990 IS ALSO PUBLICLY POSTED IN ELECTRONIC FORM ON THE	
_ FINAL FORM 990 IS ALSO POBLICLY POSIED IN ELECTRONIC FORM ON THE	
ORGANIZATION'S WEBSITE WHERE IT IS FREELY AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC	. THE
RETURN IS ALSO POSTED ON GUIDESTAR.ORG AND COPIES OF IT ARE SENT	TO_STATE
GOVERNMENTS, FUNDING ORGANIZATIONS, MAJOR DONORS, CHARITY MONITOR	TNG
ORGANIZATIONS AND TO ANYONE ELSE WHO REQUESTS A COPY.	

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ENVIRONMENTAL DEFENSE ACTION FUND	90-0080500
PUBLIC AVAILABILITY OF GOVERNING DOCUMENTS	
PART_VI, SECTION_C, LINE_19	
_EDAF_MAKES_AVAILABLE_THREE_YEARS_WORTH_OF_THE_FOLLOWING_DISCLOSUR	<u>E</u>
DOCUMENTS ON ITS WEBSITE:	
1. ANNUAL REPORT	
2. CONSOLIDATED AND CONSOLIDATING AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENT	'S
3. FORM 990 INFORMATIONAL TAX RETURNS AND THOSE OF RELATED	
ORGANIZATIONS	
OTHER GOVERNING DOCUMENTS SUCH AS BY-LAW CHANGES AND CONFLICT OF	INTEREST
POLICIES ARE INCLUDED WITH FORM 990 RETURNS IN THE YEARS THERE AR	E
CHANGES OR WHEN THEY ARE REQUIRED.	

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ENVIRONMENTAL DEFENSE ACTION FUND	90-0080500
COMPONANCE MANACEMENT AND DICCLOSIDE	
GOVERNANCE, MANAGEMENT, AND DISCLOSURE	
PART VI, QUESTION 2	
THE FOLLOWING LIST OF TRUSTEES AND KEY EMPLOYEES OF THE ENVIRONME	NTAL
DEFENSE ACTION FUND ALSO SERVES AS MEMBERS OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL D	EFENSE
FUND, INC. BOARD OF TRUSTEES OR ARE CONSIDERED TO BE KEY EMPLOYEE	S_OF
ENVIRONMENTAL DEFENSE FUND, INC.	
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TRUSTEES	
LEWIS B. CULLMAN	
JAMES W. B. BENKARD	
STANLEY DRUCKENMILLER	
KIRSTEN J. FELDMAN	
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CHARLES J. HAMILTON, JR	
EDANIK I OV	
FRANK LOY	
N. J. NICHOLAS, JR	
DOUGLAS W. SHORENSTEIN	
PAUL JUNGER WITT	
JEANNE DONOVAN FISHER	
JOHN H. T. WILSON	
KEY EMPLOYEES	
KEY_EMPLOYEES	
FREDERIC D. KRUPP	
DAVID YARNOLD	
PETER ACCINNO	

Name of the organization	Employer identification number
ENVIRONMENTAL DEFENSE ACTION FUND	90-0080500
THE VOTING BOARD MEMBERS OF THE CALIFORNIA FISHERI	ES FIND. INC. ARE
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EMPLOYEES OF ENVIRONMENTAL DEFENSE FUND, INC.	
PETER ACCINNO	
DIANE REGAS	
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DAVID_FESTA	

Name of the organization	Employer identification number
ENVIRONMENTAL DEFENSE ACTION FUND	90-0080500
STATEMENT OF PROGRAM SERVICE ACCOMPLISHMENTS	
PART III, LINE 4	
1. STABILIZING CLIMATE	
U.S. HOUSE PASSES CAP ON CARBON:	
_ ENVIRONMENTAL DEFENSE ACTION FUND'S ROLE IN LEGISLATIVE CHANGE IS	
_ASSISTED_BY_OUR_SISTER_ORGANIZATION,_ENVIRONMENTAL DEFENSE FUND_()	EDF)
BOTH ORGANIZATIONS TAKE ON DIFFERENT ROLES IN ACHIEVING COMMON	
OD THOMESTIC . THE AGREEN HAD WAS INVOLVED IN LODDYING AND LEGISLA	n
OBJECTIVES. THE ACTION FUND WAS INVOLVED IN LOBBYING AND LEGISLA	I.T.A.F.
WORK WHILE EDF SUPPORTED RESEARCH, SCIENTIFIC ANALYSIS AND POLICY	
POSITIONING.	
HISTORIANS WILL LOOK BACK TO JUNE 24, 2009, AS THE DAY THE UNITED	STATES
FINALLY TOOK A DECISIVE STEP TO CONTROL GLOBAL WARMING. THE HOUSE	OF
REPRESENTATIVES VOTED TO CAP AND REDUCE U.S. GREENHOUSE GAS EMISS	TONG
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DRAMATICALLY, OPENING THE DOOR TO A BETTER FUTURE. ENVIRONMENTAL	DEFENSE
FUND WAS INSTRUMENTAL TO THE HOUSE VICTORY, HAVING CONTRIBUTED FI	VE_YEARS
OF SCIENTIFIC AND ECONOMIC RESEARCH, EXPERT TESTIMONY IN CONGRESS	AND
NONSTOP EFFORTS TO PERSUADE UNDECIDED HOUSE MEMBERS IN 40 KEY DIS	TRICTS
TO VOTE YES. EIGHT REPUBLICANS CROSSED PARTY LINES TO SUPPORT THE	
AMERICAN CLEAN ENERGY AND SECURITY ACT, ALL OF WHOM WE HAD CONTACT	ΓED
PERSONALLY. EDF HELPED BUILD MOMENTUM FOR FEDERAL CLIMATE ACTION	_ <u>BY</u>
_ WINNING STATE-LEVEL VICTORIES AND DEFENDING THEM IN COURT. WE ALS	30
CO-FOUNDED THE U.S. CLIMATE ACTION PARTNERSHIP, AN INFLUENTIAL	
BUSINESS-ENVIRONMENTAL ALLIANCE THAT PROVIDED A BLUEPRINT FOR	
_LEGISLATION "A WELL-DESIGNED CAP WILL SMOOTH THE TRANSITION TO C	CLEAN

Name of the organization	Employer identification number
ENVIRONMENTAL DEFENSE ACTION FUND	90-0080500
ENERGY AND KEEP ELECTRICITY AFFORDABLE, " SAYS JIM ROGERS, CEO OF	DUKE
ENERGY, ONE OF THE 26 LEADING COMPANIES ALLIED WITH US. "WHEN TH	E_HEADS
OF MAJOR CORPORATIONS AND LEADERS OF NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL GROUP	S_WALK
THROUGH THE DOOR TOGETHER, THAT SENDS A POWERFUL MESSAGE, " SAYS O	UR
LEGISLATIVE DIRECTOR ELIZABETH THOMPSON. WITH JOBS AT THE CENTER	OF THE
DEBATE, WE MAPPED BUSINESSES IN MAJOR MANUFACTURING STATES WHOSE	
EMPLOYEES ARE PART OF THE NEW GREEN ECONOMY. THIS HELPED CONVINC	E
LEGISLATORS OF THE SIGNIFICANT ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITIES THAT WILL B	E
UNLEASHED BY ENACTING A DECLINING CAP ON CARBON. WHEN SPECIAL IN	TERESTS
MOUNTED A CAMPAIGN TO SPREAD FEAR ABOUT THE COST OF CLIMATE ACTIO	N,_WE
COUNTERED WITH SOUND ECONOMICS. OUR ANALYSIS, REINFORCED BY THE	
CONGRESSIONAL BUDGET OFFICE, SHOWS THE U.S. CAN ENJOY ROBUST ECON	OMIC
GROWTH OVER THE NEXT SEVERAL DECADES WHILE MAKING AMBITIOUS REDUC	TIONS IN
GLOBAL WARMING POLLUTION. EDF'S CLIMATE TEAM, MORE THAN 50 STRON	G,_NOW
HAS ITS SIGHTS ON THE SENATE, WHERE WE MUST OVERCOME AN EXPECTED	
FILIBUSTER. OUR EFFORTS HAVE RANGED FROM BUTTONHOLING SENATORS O	NE_BY
ONE TO DELIVERING 400,000 MESSAGES FROM OUR MEMBERS, ALL URGING	
LEGISLATORS TO PASS A CLIMATE BILL. "THIS IS THE DEFINING ENVIRO	NMENTAL
ISSUE OF OUR TIME, " SAYS THOMPSON. "WE MUST ACT NOW, FOR OUR CLIM	ATE, OUR
_ ECONOMY AND OUR CHILDREN."	
MOVING THE NEEDLE IN THE SENATE:	
THE SEVENTH-FLOOR SUITE IN THE NONDESCRIPT WASHINGTON, DC, OFFICE	
BUILDING HAS THE FEEL OF A CLASSIC POLITICAL CAMPAIGN: WALLS COVE	RED_WITH
_ELECTORAL_MAPS, HUGE CALENDARS AND WHITEBOARDS. DOZENS OF STAFF	ARE
_CALLING_SUPPORTERS, PATCHING_CALLS_INTO_SENATE_OFFICES_AND_CONDUC	TING

Name of the organization	Employer identification number
ENVIRONMENTAL DEFENSE ACTION FUND	90-0080500
OPPOSITION RESEARCH. BUT THERE'S A DIFFERENCE. THIS CAMPAIGN	
HEADQUARTERS IS NONPARTISAN. IT'S OCCUPIED BY A COALITION OF MOR	E_THAN
_70_ORGANIZATIONS,_INCLUDING_LABOR,_RELIGIOUS,_ENVIRONMENTAL_AND_V	ETERANS'
GROUPS, WHICH EDF CO-FOUNDED TO PASS STRONG CLIMATE LEGISLATION I	N_THE
SENATE. THE WAR-ROOM-TYPE OPERATION HAS GENERATED HUGE TURNOUTS	AT
CLEAN-ENERGY EVENTS IN 28 STATES. FROM A VETERANS' BUS TOUR IN N	EW
HAMPSHIRE TO A FAITH COMMUNITY WALK IN NEW MEXICO, CONCERNED CITI	ZENS ARE
TURNING OUT TO PUSH FOR SENATE ACTION. WITH THE OPPOSITION SPEND	ING MORE
THAN \$500 MILLION IN 2009 TRYING TO BLOCK A CLIMATE SOLUTION, THE	
ENVIRONMENT IS MAKING ITSELF HEARD, TOO. "WE CAN'T MATCH INDUSTR	Υ
LOBBYISTS DOLLAR FOR DOLLAR, BUT HIGH-PROFILE ADVOCACY CAN CUT TH	ROUGH
THEIR MISINFORMATION, " SAYS ACTION FUND VP WENDY SOMMER. FOR EXAM	MPLE,
EDF TEAMED UP WITH TWO SILICON VALLEY BUSINESS GROUPS REPRESENTING	G_MORE
THAN 200 COMPANIES TO PLACE HARD-HITTING ADS TO SWAY CONGRESS. W	E_ALSO
DELIVER OUR MESSAGE DIRECTLY TO CAPITOL HILL, WITH OUR STRATEGIC	
PARTNERS-INCLUDING CIVIC LEADERS, ECONOMISTS AND CEOS-CONTACTING	
LEGISLATORS PERSONALLY. IN MAY, OUR PARTNERS HELPED BRING 30 U.S	·
SENATORS AND REPRESENTATIVES TO THE RUSSELL SENATE OFFICE BUILDING	G_CAUCUS
ROOM TO HEAR OUR POSITION ON A NATIONWIDE CARBON CAP. "GETTING TO	O_A
CLIMATE BILL HAS BEEN A LONG HAUL, " SAYS OUR CHIEF SENATE STRATEG	IST_MARK
MACLEOD, "BUT THE FINAL DESTINATION IS IN SIGHT." "EDF'S ENGAGEM	ent has
BEEN PROFOUNDLY IMPORTANT IN HELPING PASS COMPREHENSIVE CAP-AND-T	RADE
CLIMATE LEGISLATION." LAWRENCE SUMMERS, DIRECTOR, NATIONAL ECONOM	IC
COUNCIL "A STRONG CLIMATE BILL WILL CREATE NEW JOBS, CLEAN THE A	IR,
REDUCE OUR OIL DEPENDENCE AND PROTECT THE CLIMATE. DELAY IS NOT A	N
_ACCEPTABLE_OPTION." STEVE COCHRAN, NATIONAL CLIMATE CAMPAIGN DIR	ECTOR

Name of the organization	Employer identification number
ENVIRONMENTAL DEFENSE ACTION FUND	90-0080500
EPA SLASHES CAR EMISSIONS:	
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WHEN PRESIDENT OBAMA ANNOUNCED AN AGREEMENT WITH AUTOMAKERS IN MA	Y_TO_CUT
GLOBAL WARMING POLLUTION FROM PASSENGER VEHICLES, REDUCING THEIR	
EMISSIONS BY 20%, IT CAPPED A MULTIYEAR EDF CAMPAIGN. WE FIRST G	<u> </u>
_ INVOLVED IN 2002, HELPING SECURE THE VOTES TO PASS A LANDMARK CAL	IFORNIA
LAW, THE NATION'S FIRST TO LIMIT GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS FROM VE	HICLES.
WE THEN DEPLOYED OUR ACTION FUND TO HELP SPREAD THE VICTORY TO 13	OTHER
STATES. THIS PAVED THE WAY FOR AUTOMAKERS TO EMBRACE THE NEW STAN	DARDS
MARITONIATOR	
_NATIONWIDE.	
LEVERAGING AN OPPORTUNITY	
MAKING NEW YORK A SUSTAINABLE CITY:	
AS AN ADVISOR TO MAYOR MICHAEL BLOOMBERG'S SUSTAINABILITY TEAM, E	DF IS
THE DAME OF THE PLANT TO SEE THE WENT HODY STITLE STORE WARNING DOLLARS.	ON 208
HELPING SHAPE PLANS TO CUT NEW YORK CITY'S GLOBAL WARMING POLLUTI	<u>ON 30%</u>
BY 2030. THE BIGGEST OPPORTUNITY IS TO RETROFIT BUILDINGS, WHICH	ACCOUNT
FOR 80% OF THE CITY'S CARBON DIOXIDE EMISSIONS. LEVERAGE POINT:	THIS
YEAR, EDF HELPED PUT IN PLACE A NEW LAW THAT EMPOWERS CITY GOVERN	MENT TO
DELIVER LOW-COST FINANCING FOR ENERGY EFFICIENCY IN COMMERCIAL AN	<u>D</u>
RESIDENTIAL BUILDINGS ACROSS THE CITY. THE PLAN COULD SAVE \$750	
A YEAR IN ENERGY COSTS, WHILE REDUCING GREENHOUSE GAS POLLUTION	
DRAMATICALLY. ALLIES: THE MAYOR'S SUSTAINABILITY OFFICE, GREEN B	UILDING
COUNCIL, LABOR AND COMMUNITY LEADERS.	
A_DONOR'S_PERSPECTIVE:	

Name of the organization	Employer identification number
ENVIRONMENTAL DEFENSE ACTION FUND	90-0080500
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EDF_IS_PIONEERING_ENERGI-SAVING_SOLUTIONS_IN_NEW_TORK_CITE_REAL_	ESIAIE.
THESE SOLUTIONS CAN BE REPLICATED NATIONWIDE. " JEANNE DONOVAN FI	SHER,
EDF TRUSTEE	

SCHEDULE R (Form 990)

Related Organizations and Unrelated Partnerships

OMB No. 1545-0047

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

▶ Attach to Form 990. To be completed by organizations that answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 33, 34, 35, 36, or 37.

► See separate instructions.

Open to Public Inspection Employer identification number

Name of the organization				Employer id	dentification number
ENVIRONMENTAL DEFENSE ACTION FUND				90-008	0500
Part I Identification of Disregarded Entities					
(A) Name, address, and EIN 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
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Part II Identification of Related Tax-Exempt Organizations					
(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
ENVIRONMENTAL DEFENSE FUND, INC 11-6107128 257 PARK AVENUE SOUTH NEW YORK, NY 10010	ENVIRONMENT	NY	509(A)(1)	501(C)(3)	N/A
CALIFORNIA FISHERIES FUND, INC 26-0873741 123 MISSION STREET 28TH FLOOR SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94105	REV LOAN FND	CA	509(A)(3)	501(C)(3)	EDF

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Part III Identification of Related Organizations Taxable as a Partnership

(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, investment, unrelated)	(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)	Gen man	(J) eral or naging tner?
		oou,					Yes	No		Yes	No

Part IV Identification of Related Organizations Taxable as a Corporation or Trust

(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

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Part V Transactions With Related Organizations

Not	e. Complete line 1 if any entity is listed in Parts II, III, or IV.				Yes	No
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?				
а	Receipt of (i) interest (ii) annuities (iii) royalties (iv) rent from a controlled entity			1a		X
b	Gift, grant, or capital contribution to other organization(s)			1b		X
С	Gift, grant, or capital contribution from other organization(s)			1 c	х	
d	Loans or loan guarantees to or for other organization(s)			1d		X
е	Loans or loan guarantees by other organization(s)			1 e	х	
f	Sale of assets to other organization(s)			1f		X
q	Purchase of assets from other organization(s)			1g		X
h	Exchange of assets			1h		X
i	Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets to other organization(s)			1i		х
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i	Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets from other organization(s)			1j		x
-	Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations for other organization(s)			1k		X
	Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations by other organization(s)			11		x
	Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, or other assets			1 m	х	
	Sharing of paid employees			1n		
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0	Reimbursement paid to other organization for expenses			10		х
g	Reimbursement paid by other organization for expenses			1p		x
Р	Reinibulsement paid by other organization or expenses					
а	Other transfer of cash or property to other organization(s)			1q		х
ч r	Other transfer of cash or property from other organization(s)			1r		X
2	If the answer to any of the above is "Yes," see the instructions for information on who must complete this line, including covered				 }.	
	•	(B)	((C)		
	(A) Name of other organization(s)	Transaction type (a-r)	Amoun	t involv	ed	
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(1)	ENVIRONMENTAL DEFENSE FUND, INC	c	•	550,	იიი	
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Part VI Unrelated Organizations Taxable as a Partnership

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.

(A) Name, address, and EIN of entity	(B) Primary activity	(C) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	Are all	(D) Are all partners Sha section end- 501(c)(3) organizations?		(F) Disproportionate allocations?		(G) Code V-UBI amount in box 20 of Schedule K-1 (Form 1065)	partner?	
			Yes	No		Yes	No	(1 0 1000)	Yes	No