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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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<u>A</u>	For the	ϵ 2018 calendar year, or tax year beginning ± 0.06 \pm 1, ± 2.018 and ϵ	ل naing	<u>UN 30, ∠019</u>		
В	Check if applicabl	C Name of organization		D Employer identifi	cation number	
	Addre chang Name	e COMMON CAUSE EDUCATION FUND				
	chang	e Doing business as		31-1	705370	
	Initial return	Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address)	E Telephone numbe			
	Final return	805 15TH STREET 8	(202)833-1200		
	termin ated	City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code	G Gross receipts \$ 8,953,303.			
	Ameno return			H(a) Is this a group re	eturn	
	Applic				? Yes X No	
	pendir	SAME AS C ABOVE		H(b) Are all subordinates in		
$\overline{}$	Ταν-Δν	empt status: $X = 501(c)(3)$ $501(c)(0)$ (insert no.) 4947(a)(1) or	r 527	1 ` '	list. (see instructions)	
		te: \triangleright N/A	ULI	H(c) Group exemption	·	
		organization: X Corporation Trust Association Other	I Voor		M State of legal domicile: DE	
	art I	Summary	L Teal	or formation. 2000 r	M State of legal doffliche, DE	
		Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities: THE C	OMMON	CAUSE EDUC	ATION FUND	
Activities & Governance	: l	WORKS WITH COMMON CAUSE, A NONPARTISAN, GE				
nar	2	Check this box if the organization discontinued its operations or dispose				
Ver	3			3	23	
Ó	4	Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)			22	
00	5 5	Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2018 (Part V, line 2a)			119	
ies	6				3562	
₽	7.	Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary) Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12			0.	
Ā	l 'a	Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 38			18,542.	
_	B	Net unrelated pusitiess taxable income from Porm 990-1, line 36		Prior Year	Current Year	
		Contributions and grants (Part VIII. line 1b)		9,560,334.	8,746,487 .	
e	8	Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)		100.	2,793.	
(en	9	Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)		45,000.	91,143.	
Revenue	10	Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)		-276,541.	-161,781.	
	1	Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)		9,328,893.	8,678,642.	
_	_	Total revenue - add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)		0.	0,078,042.	
	1	Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3)		0.	0.	
	1	Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)		5,221,876.	5,730,041.	
S	15	Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-10)		0.	0.	
Expenses	16a	Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)		<u> </u>	0.	
Ž	b	Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) 452,87		2 001 005	2 520 257	
	''	Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24e)		2,001,985.	2,530,257.	
	1	Total expenses. Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)		7,223,861.	8,260,298.	
	19	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 18 from line 12		2,105,032.	418,344.	
Net Assets or			Ве	ginning of Current Year	End of Year	
sset	ਬੂ 20	Total assets (Part X, line 16)		7,600,884.	8,005,665.	
F. A.	21	Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)		1,078,586.	937,683.	
		Net assets or fund balances. Subtract line 21 from line 20		6,522,298.	7,067,982.	
	art II	Signature Block				
		lties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules		•	/ knowledge and belief, it is	
true	e, correc	ct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all information of which	ch preparer	has any knowledge.		
		Signature of officer		l Date		
Sig		<u> </u>		Date		
He	re	KAREN HOBERT FLYNN, PRESIDENT Type or print name and title				
		, , ,	- 1 1	Date Check	PTIN	
n - '		Print/Type preparer's name ELIZABETH HELLER TABLE AND TRAVON	\\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \	0/22/2010		
Pai		ELIZABETH HELLER		1		
	parer	Firm's name TATE AND TRYON		Firm's EIN ▶	52-1855942	
USE	Only	Firm's address 2021 L STREET, NW SUITE 400		, , ,	021 202 2202	
_		WASHINGTON, DC 20036		Phone no. (2		
Ма	y the IF	RS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? (see instructions)			X Yes No	

IRS e-file Signature Authorization for an Exempt Organization For calendar year 2018, or fiscel year beginning <u>JUL 1</u>, 2018, and ending <u>JUN 3</u>

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, 2018, and ending	JUN	30	20 1 9

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Internal Revenue Service Name of exempt organization	Go to www.irs.gov/Form8879EO for the latest information.	I ===1====	1311717
Name of exempt organization		Employer	identification number
COMMON CAUSE	EDUCATION FUND	31-1	705370
Name and title of officer KAREN HOBERT PRESIDENT	FLYNN		
	Return and Return Information (Whole Dollars Only)		<u></u>
on line 1a, 2a, 3a, 4a, or 5	rn for which you are using this Form 8879-EO and enter the applicable amount, if any, fror a, below, and the amount on that line for the return being filed with this form was blank, th ank (do not enter -0-). But, if you entered -0- on the return, then enter -0- on the applicable	hen leave l	ine 1b, 2b, 3b, 4b, or 5b,
1a Form 990 check here	b Total revenue, if any (Form 990, Part VIII, column (A), line 12)		
2a Form 990-EZ check he	322111111111111111111111111111111111111	2b	
3a Form 1120-POL check		3b	
4a Form 990-PF check he			
5a Form 8868 check here	b Balance Due (Form 8868, line 3c)	5b	
Part II Declarat	ion and Signature Authorization of Officer		
debit) entry to the financial return, and the financial in: 1-888-353-4537 no later th processing of the electron payment. I have selected a	pplicable, I authorize the U.S. Treasury and its designated Financial Agent to initiate an ell institution account indicated in the tax preparation software for payment of the organizat stitution to debit the entry to this account. To revoke a payment, I must contact the U.S. T an 2 business days prior to the payment (settlement) date. I also authorize the financial into payment of taxes to receive confidential information necessary to answer inquiries and a personal identification number (PIN) as my signature for the organization's electronic retuelectronic funds withdrawal.	tion's feder Freasury Fi stitutions i resolve iss	ral taxes owed on this nancial Agent at nvolved in the ues related to the
X I authorize TA	TE AND TRYON	to enter m	y PIN 12806
	ERO firm name		Enter five numbers, b do not enter all zeros
is being filed wit	on the organization's tax year 2018 electronically filed return. If I have indicated within this h a state agency(ies) regulating charities as part of the IRS Fed/State program, I also auth the return's disclosure consent screen.		
indicated within program, I will e	he organization, I will enter my PIN as my signature on the organization's tax year 2018 el this return that a copy of the return is being filed with a state agency(ies) regulating charititer my PIN on the return's declosure consent screen. Date	ies as part	of the IRS Fed/State
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•	vur six-digit electronic filing identification your five-digit self-selected PIN. 52472820878 Do not enter all zeros		
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ERO's signature	Chisolustellin	10/22/2	2019
	ERO Must Retain This Form - See Instructions Do Not Submit This Form to the IRS Unless Requested To Do S	 30	

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rai	Statement of Frogram Service Accomplishments	
	Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part III	X
1	Briefly describe the organization's mission:	
	THE COMMON CAUSE EDUCATION FUND EMPLOYS RESEARCH, OUTREACH,	
	EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMMING, AND COALITION BUILDING TO INCREASE PUBLIC	
	UNDERSTANDING OF HOW OUR DEMOCRACY WORKS, EMPOWER CITIZENS TO HOLD	,
	THEIR GOVERNMENT ACCOUNTABLE, AND PROMOTE BROAD AND EFFECTIVE CITIZEN	
2	Did the organization undertake any significant program services during the year which were not listed on the	
		X 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?	X 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	l
	revenue, if any, for each program service reported.	
4a		<u>93.</u>)
	VOTING AND ELECTIONS	
	2018 ELECTION PROTECTION EFFORT: COMMON CAUSE AND PARTNERS HAD	
	GRASSROOTS FIELD AND LEGAL VOLUNTEERS IN 30 STATES. COMMON CAUSE LED	
	AGGRESSIVE FIELD PROGRAM IN 19 STATES: ARIZONA, CALIFORNIA, COLORADO,	
	72 CONNECTICUT, FLORIDA, GEORGIA, ILLINOIS, INDIANA, MASSACHUSETTS,	
	MINNESOTA, NEVADA, NEW MEXICO, NORTH CAROLINA, OHIO, PENNSYLVANIA,	
	RHODE ISLAND, TEXAS, VIRGINIA AND WISCONSIN.	
	"DELIVERING ON AUTOMATIC VOTER REGISTRATION'S PROMISE: IMPLEMENTATION	
	LESSONS FROM THE STATES" REPORT	
	2 054 005	
4b	(Code:) (Expenses \$2,054,905. including grants of \$) (Revenue \$))
	REDISTRICTING & REPRESENTATION	
	CONNON CAUGE PROJECTE LITERARIA LITERARIAN DO DUE LI C. CURRENE COURT DO	
	COMMON CAUSE BROUGHT HISTORIC LITIGATION TO THE U.S. SUPREME COURT TO	
	CHALLENGE THE PARTISAN GERRYMANDERING OF NORTH CAROLINA'S CONGRESSION	АЬ
	MAP IN RUCHO V. COMMON CAUSE	
	"PREPARING FOR THE 2020 CENSUS: HOW STATE LEGISLATORS CAN ENSURE THAT	
	EVERY PERSON COUNTS" POLICY BRIEF WITH THE LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE AND	
	SIX	
	COMMON CAUSE FILED A GROUNDBREAKING LAWSUIT, COMMON CAUSE V. LEWIS,	
	CHALLENGING PARTISAN GERRYMANDERING OF STATE LEGISLATIVE DISTRICTS AS	
<u>4c</u>	(Code:) (Expenses \$ 2,033,549 • including grants of \$) (Revenue \$	
70	MONEY IN POLITICS & ETHICS	
	COMMON CAUSE HAS CONTINUED TO LEAD A SUCCESSFUL EFFORT TO PRESSURE	
	CORPORATIONS TO LEAVE THE AMERICAN LEGISLATIVE EXCHANGE COUNCIL (ALEC)
		,
	"ALEC IN LOUISIANA" REPORT	
	"TESTING THE WATERS" REPORT	
	COMPLAINTS FILED WITH DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE (DOJ) AND FEDERAL ELECTION	N
	COMMISSION (FEC) ALLEGING VIOLATIONS OF CAMPAIGN FINANCE LAWS BY	
	NUMEROUS TRUMP CAMPAIGN DONORS	
4d	Other program services (Describe in Schedule O.)	
	(Expenses \$ 163,182. including grants of \$) (Revenue \$	
4e	Total program service expenses ► 7,031,974.	
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Form 990 (2018) COMMON CAUSE EDUCATION FUND 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	X	
2	Is the organization required to complete Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors?	2	X	
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		x
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	Х	
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		x
6	Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds or any similar funds or accounts for which donors have the right to	<u> </u>		
Ü	provide advice on the distribution or investment of amounts in such funds or accounts? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part I	6		x
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7	Did the organization receive or hold a conservation easement, including easements to preserve open space,	_		x
•	the environment, historic land areas, or historic structures? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part II	7		
8	Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? If "Yes," complete			 ₩
	Schedule D, Part III	8_		X
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		X
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		X
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.			
а	Did the organization report an amount for land, buildings, and equipment in Part X, line 10? If "Yes," complete Schedule D,			
	Part VI	11a		Х
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		Х
С	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		х
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		x
۵	Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X	11e	Х	
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		x
122	Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? If "Yes," complete	 		
ıza		12a		x
L	Schedule D, Parts XI and XII	IZa		
D	Was the organization included in consolidated, independent audited financial statements for the tax year?	401-	Х	
40	If "Yes," and if the organization answered "No" to line 12a, then completing Schedule D, Parts XI and XII is optional	12b	Λ	Х
13	Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E	13		X
14a	Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States?	14a		
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		X
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		X
16	Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of aggregate grants or other assistance to			l
	or for foreign individuals? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts III and IV	16		X
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	17		X
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	X	
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		Х
20a	Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities? If "Yes," complete Schedule H	20a		Х
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		Х

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Pa	rt IV Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)			
			Yes	No
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		X
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? If "Yes," complete			
	Schedule J	23	X	
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 lines 24b through 24d and complete			
	Schedule K. If "No," go to line 25a			X
	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?			
	Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year?	24d		
25 a	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? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I	25a		X
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? If "Yes," complete			l
	Schedule L, Part I	25b		X
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? If "Yes,"			
	complete Schedule L, Part II	26		X
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? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III	27		X
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):			l
	A current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV			<u> X</u>
	A family member of a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV	I		X
С	An entity of which a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee (or a family member thereof) was an office			l
	director, trustee, or direct or indirect owner? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV	•		X
29	Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? If "Yes," complete Schedule M	29	X	<u> </u>
30	Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation			l
	contributions? If "Yes," complete Schedule M	30		X
31	Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations?			l
	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			
	sections 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, Part II, III, or IV, and			
	Part V, line 1	34	X	
	Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?	35a		X
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)? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2			
36	Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization	n?	l	
	If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2	36	X	<u> </u>
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? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part VI	37		X
38	Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations in Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11b and 19?		l	
Da	Note. All Form 990 filers are required to complete Schedule 0	38	X	
Pa	rt V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance			
	Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part V	<u></u>	·····	igspace
		<u> </u>	Yes	No
	Enter the number reported in Box 3 of Form 1096. Enter -0- if not applicable	0		
	Enter the number of Forms W-2G included in line 1a. Enter -0- if not applicable	0		
С	Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable gaming			

(gambling) winnings to prize winners?

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COMMON CAUSE EDUCATION FUND Page 5 Form 990 (2018) Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance (continued) Part V Yes No 2a Enter the number of employees reported on Form W-3, Transmittal of Wage and Tax Statements, 119 filed for the calendar year ending with or within the year covered by this return Х 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 e-file (see instructions) Х 3a Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year? За Х **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 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)? X 4a **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? X Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction? 5b If "Yes" to line 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T? 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? Х b If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible? 6b 7 Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c). Х 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 If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided? 7b Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was required X to file Form 8282? X Did the organization receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract? Х Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract? 7f N/A If the organization received a contribution of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required? 7g N/A 7h If the organization received a contribution of cars, boats, airplanes, or other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-C? Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds. Did a donor advised fund maintained by the 8 sponsoring organization have excess business holdings at any time during the year? Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds. N/A 9a Did the sponsoring organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966? Did the sponsoring organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person? N/A 9b 10 Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter: a Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12 N/A Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities 11 Section 501(c)(12) organizations. Enter: Gross income from members or shareholders N/A 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 **b** If "Yes," enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year N/A 12b Section 501(c)(29) qualified nonprofit health insurance issuers. a Is the organization licensed to issue qualified health plans in more than one state? N/A 13a Note. See the instructions for additional information the organization must report on Schedule O. 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 Enter the amount of reserves on hand X Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the tax year? **b** If "Yes," has it filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O 14b Is the organization subject to the section 4960 tax on payment(s) of more than \$1,000,000 in remuneration or Х excess parachute payment(s) during the year?

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Is the organization an educational institution subject to the section 4968 excise tax on net investment income?

If "Yes," see instructions and file Form 4720, Schedule N.

If "Yes," complete Form 4720, Schedule O.

Part VI Governance, Management, and Disclosure For each "Yes" response to lines 2 through 7b below, and for a "No" response to line 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			X
Sec	tion 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 1a 23			
	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 0.			
_	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			v
•	officer, director, trustee, or key employee?	2		_X_
3	Did the organization delegate control over management duties customarily performed by or under the direct supervision			v
	of officers, directors, or trustees, or key employees to a management company or other person?	3		X
4	Did the organization make any significant changes to its governing documents since the prior Form 990 was filed?	5		X
5	Did the organization become aware during the year of a significant diversion of the organization's assets?	6		X
6	Did the organization have members or stockholders? Did the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who had the power to elect or appoint one or	6		
7a		7-		Х
h	more members of the governing body? Are any governance decisions of the organization reserved to (or subject to approval by) members, stockholders, or	7a		
ь		7b		х
8	persons other than the governing body? Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year by the following:	76		21
		8a	Х	
	The governing body? Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body?	8b	X	
9	Is there any officer, director, trustee, or key employee listed in Part VII, Section A, who cannot be reached at the	OD	21	
9	organization's mailing address? If "Yes," provide the names and addresses in Schedule O	9		Х
Sec	tion B. Policies (This Section B requests information about policies not required by the Internal Revenue Code.)			
	This Section B requests information about policies not required by the internal nevenue code.)		Yes	No
10a	Did the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates?	10a	100	X
	If "Yes," did the organization have written policies and procedures governing the activities of such chapters, affiliates,	100		
-	and branches to ensure their operations are consistent with the organization's exempt purposes?	10b		
11a	Has the organization provided a complete copy of this Form 990 to all members of its governing body before filing the form?	11a	Х	
	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	12a	Х	
	Were officers, directors, or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give rise to conflicts?	12b	Х	
	Did the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? If "Yes." describe			
	in Schedule O how this was done	12c	Х	
13	Did the organization have a written whistleblower policy?	13	Х	
14	Did the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy?	14	Х	
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	Х	
	Other officers or key employees of the organization	15b		X
	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?	16a		Х
b	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?	16b		
Sec	tion C. Disclosure			
17	List the states with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed ▶AL, AZ, AR, CA, CO, CT, DE, FL, GA	HI,	IL,	IN
18	Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Forms 1023 (1024 or 1024-A if applicable), 990, and 990-T (Section 501(c)(3)s	only) a	availab	ole
	for public inspection. Indicate how you made these available. Check all that apply			
	Own website Another's website X 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	financ	ial	
	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			
	ELIZABETH MARCHANT - CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER - 202-833-1200			
	805 15TH STREET, SUITE 800, WASHINGTON, DC 20005			
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COMMON CAUSE EDUCATION FUND Part VII 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

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

- 1a Complete this table for all persons required to be listed. Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year.
- 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, 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.

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

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

(A)	(B)	J	mea			ipoi	- Cat	(D)	(E)	(F)
Name and Title	Average		Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an		Reportable	Reportable	Estimated			
Name and Thie	hours per					compensation	compensation	amount of		
	week					r/trus		from	from related	other
	(list any	director						the	organizations	compensation
	hours for	r dire				ted		organization	(W-2/1099-MISC)	from the
	related	stee	ruste		a.	bensa		(W-2/1099-MISC)		organization
	organizations	ıal tru	onal t		employee	com ee				and related
	below line)	Individual trustee or	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key em	Highest compensated employee	Former			organizations
(1) MARTHA TIERNEY	1.00	드	트	ō	<u>~</u>	王吉	7.			
CHAIR	1.00	х		x				0.	0.	0.
(2) NANCY RATZAN	1.00								<u> </u>	
VICE CHAIR	1.00	Х		Х				0.	0.	0.
(3) OLENA BERG LACY	1.00									
SECRETARY/TREASURER	1.00	Х		Х				0.	0.	0.
(4) ALAN WIERSBA	1.00									
BOARD MEMBER	1.00	Х						0.	0.	0.
(5) ARCHON FUNG	1.00									
BOARD MEMBER	1.00	Х						0.	0.	0.
(6) BILAL DABIR SEKOU	1.00									
BOARD MEMBER	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(7) CHANG K. PARK	1.00									
BOARD MEMBER	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(8) DAN CONLEY	1.00									
BOARD MEMBER	1.00	Х						0.	0.	0.
(9) DAVID BEAUMONT SMITH	1.00									
BOARD MEMBER	1.00	Х						0.	0.	0.
(10) EMMET BONDURANT	1.00									
BOARD MEMBER	1.00	Х						0.	0.	0.
(11) GREGORY DISKANT	1.00									
BOARD MEMBER	1.00	Х						0.	0.	0.
(12) JESSIE ULIBARRI	1.00									
BOARD MEMBER	1.00	Х						0.	0.	0.
(13) MARILYN MELKONIAN	1.00									
BOARD MEMBER	1.00	Х						0.	0.	0.
(14) NICOLE M. AUSTIN-HILLERY	1.00									
BOARD MEMBER	1.00	Х						0.	0.	0.
(15) OLGA KAUFFMAN	1.00									
BOARD MEMBER		Х						0.	0.	0.
(16) REBECCA COKLEY	1.00									
BOARD MEMBER	1.00	Х						0.	0.	0.
(17) RIC BAINTER	1.00	1								_
BOARD MEMBER	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
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Geotion A. Omocro, Directors, True	(-)	J.C y				9							
(A)	(B)			(C) Position				(D)	(E) Reportable compensation			(F)	
Name and title	Average	(do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)					one	Reportable			l	timate	
	hours per							compensation			ar	nount	of
	week (list any	\vdash	I		I	T	T	from	from related			other	
	hours for	irecto						the organization	organizatior (W-2/1099-MI		ı	pensa om th	
	related	e or c	tee			sated		(W-2/1099-MISC)	(00-2/1099-1011	30)	l	anizat	
	organizations	ruste	trus		ee	npen		(***2/1099****1000)			ı ~	d relat	
	below	dual t	riona	L	nploy	st col	, in				l	anizati	
	line)	Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	sey employee	Highest compensated employee	Former						
(18) SHAREEN PUNIAN	1.00												
BOARD MEMBER	1.00	Х						0.		0.			0.
(19) SUSAN RUBINSTEIN	1.00												
BOARD MEMBER	1.00	Х						0.		0.			0.
(20) TRACY WESTEN	1.00												
BOARD MEMBER	1.00	Х						0.		0.			0.
(21) WES TOMER	1.00	1											
BOARD MEMBER	1.00	Х				_		0.		0.			0.
(22) WILLIAM N. HUBBARD III	1.00	J								_			
BOARD MEMBER	1.00	Х				_	-	0.		0.			0.
(23) KAREN HOBERT FLYNN	16.87			.,				140 000	100 0	4 4	٦	c 2	^ ^
PRESIDENT/CEO	20.63	Х	┝	Х		╀	-	149,082.	182,2	<u> </u>	3	6,3	09.
(24) ELIZABETH MARCHANT	16.87	-		х				96 260	105 4	40	,	1 0	00
CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER (25) PAUL RYAN	18.75		┢	^		\vdash	-	86,269.	105,4	40.		4,8	09.
VP, LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS	18.75	1				x		87,076.	87,0	76	2	7,1	3.8
(26) STEVE SPAULDING	20.63					125	1	01,010.	07,0	70.		<i>,</i> , <u>+</u> .	50.
CHIEF OF EXTERNAL STRATEGIES	16.88	1				x		89,524.	73,2	47.	1	6,9	47.
1b Sub-total	•						—	411,951.				5,2	
c Total from continuation sheets to Part VI								261,392.				0,5	
d Total (add lines 1b and 1c)								673,343.				5,7	
Total number of individuals (including but n							no re	•	•				
compensation from the organization						,		, , ,	•				11
												Yes	No
3 Did the organization list any former officer,	director, or tru	uste	e, ke	y en	nplo	yee	, or	highest compensated er	mployee on				
line 1a? If "Yes," complete Schedule J for s	uch individual										3		X
4 For any individual listed on line 1a, is the su													
and related organizations greater than \$150	0,000? If "Yes,	" co	mple	ete S	Sche	edul	e J	or such individual			4	X	
5 Did any person listed on line 1a receive or a	accrue comper	nsati	on fi	om	any	unr	elat						
rendered to the organization? If "Yes," com	plete Schedul	e J f	or su	ıch <u>i</u>	pers	on					5		X
Section B. Independent Contractors													
1 Complete this table for your five highest co	•	•								pensa	tion fro	om	
the organization. Report compensation for	the calendar ye	ear e	endir	ng w	ith c	or w	ithir	1	ear.				
(A) Name and business	address	NT	ONE	7				(B) Description of s	services	C) Compe	;) nsatio	n
Name and pasiness	<u>uuur ooo</u>	11/)IVI					Bosomption or c	701 11000		rompo	- Ioutio	··
2 Total number of independent contractors (in	aaludina but =	o+ 1:	mite:	1 + a ·	+b.c	- 1:-	.	l abaya) wha raasiy a d	oro than				

\$100,000 of compensation from the organization ► 0

SEE PART VII, SECTION A CONTINUATION SHEETS

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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	(C) Position (check all that apply)					ly)	(D) Reportable compensation	(E) Reportable compensation	(F) Estimated amount of
	per week (list any hours for related organizations below line)	Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former	from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	other compensation from the organization and related organizations
(27) SCOTT SWENSON VP, COMMUNICATIONS	18.75 18.75					х		74,412.	74,412.	5,872.
(28) REY LOPEZ-CALDERON EXEC. DIRECTOR, CALIFORNIA	18.75 18.75					х		67,087.	67,087.	13,972.
(29) JESSE LITTLEWOOD DIRECTOR OF DIGITAL	37.50	•				х		119,893.	0.	40,679.
		1								
Total to Part VII, Section A, line 1c								261,392.	141,499.	60,523.

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Part VIII Statement of Revenue

		Check if Schedule O contain	s a response	or note to any lin	e in this Part VIII			
				<u> </u>	(A) Total revenue	(B) Related or exempt function revenue	(C) Unrelated business revenue	(D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512 - 514
S S	1 a	Federated campaigns	1a					012 011
Contributions, Gifts, Grants and Other Similar Amounts	. u	Membership dues						
Ģ G	~	Fundraising events		388,526.				
fts,	٦	Related organizations		300,3201				
igi.		Government grants (contributions						
Sir	4	• (<i>'</i>					
utic	ı	All other contributions, gifts, grants, a similar amounts not included above		357 961				
ë Đ	_		,	112,906.				
no n	9	Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1			8,746,487.			
O a		Total. Add lines 1a-1f		1				
	_	DDOCDAM INCOME		Business Code 900099	2,793.	2,793.		
ice		PROGRAM INCOME		300033	2,193.	2,193.		
erv ne	b							
n S	С							
ar Be	d							
Program Service Revenue	e							
ъ.		All other program service revenue			2 702			
		Total. Add lines 2a-2f			2,793.			
	3	Investment income (including div			01 626			91,636.
	_	other similar amounts)			91,636.			91,030.
	4	Income from investment of tax-ex						
	5	Royalties						
	_		(i) Real	(ii) Personal				
		Gross rents						
		Less: rental expenses						
		Rental income or (loss)						
		Net rental income or (loss)						
	7 a	4	i) Securities					
		· -	12,387.					
	b	Less: cost or other basis	12 000					
		and sales expenses1	102					
	С	Gain or (loss)	-493.		-493.			-493.
		Net gain or (loss)		····· •	-493.			-493.
enne	8 a	Gross income from fundraising e including \$388,520	vents (not 5 • of					
Other Revenu		contributions reported on line 1c	. See					
E.		Part IV, line 18	а	0.				
the	b	Less: direct expenses	b	161,781.				
0	С	Net income or (loss) from fundrai	sing events	_	-161,781.			<u>-161,781.</u>
	9 a	Gross income from gaming activi	ties. See					
		Part IV, line 19	а					
	b	Less: direct expenses	b					
	С	Net income or (loss) from gaming	activities	<u>,</u>				
	10 a	Gross sales of inventory, less ret	urns					
		and allowances	а					
	b	Less: cost of goods sold	b					
	С	Net income or (loss) from sales o	finventory	>				
		Miscellaneous Revenue		Business Code				
	11 a	·						
	b							
	С							
		I All other revenue						
	е	Total. Add lines 11a-11d			0.670.515			7. 333
	12	Total revenue. See instructions	<u></u>	>	8,678,642.	2,793.	0.	-70,638.

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 (**D**)
Fundraising (C) Management and general expenses (B) Do not include amounts reported on lines 6b. Program service expenses Total expenses 7b, 8b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII. expenses Grants and other assistance to domestic organizations and domestic governments. See Part IV, line 21 Grants and other assistance to domestic individuals. See Part IV, line 22 Grants and other assistance to foreign organizations, foreign governments, and foreign individuals. See Part IV, lines 15 and 16 Benefits paid to or for members Compensation of current officers, directors, 673,343. 325,553. 93,723. 254,067. trustees, and key employees Compensation not included above, to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B) 3,912,341. 3,556,435. 291,091. 64,815. Other salaries and wages 7 Pension plan accruals and contributions (include 181,386. 144,837. 25,085. 11,464. section 401(k) and 403(b) employer contributions) 597,064. 476,754. 82,574. 37,736. Other employee benefits 9 365,907. 292,176. 50,605. 23,126. 10 Payroll taxes Fees for services (non-employees): 675,279. 675,279. Management 20,492. 9,000. 11,492. Legal 33,338. 33,338. Accounting Lobbying Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17 Investment management fees Other. (If line 11g amount exceeds 10% of line 25, 90,875. 369,877. 278,567. 435. column (A) amount, list line 11g expenses on Sch O.) 177,507. 177,002. 431. Advertising and promotion 12 93,738. 217,273. -130,207. 6,672. Office expenses 13 175,337. 60,094. 88,272. 26,971. Information technology 14 15 Royalties 312,253. 1,244. 313,497. 16 Occupancy 422,984. 356,453. 43,559. 22,972. 17 Travel Payments of travel or entertainment expenses 18 for any federal, state, or local public officials ... 226,510. 148,519. 77,639. 352. Conferences, conventions, and meetings 19 20 Payments to affiliates 21 Depreciation, depletion, and amortization 22 23 Other expenses. Itemize expenses not covered 24 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.) 8,985. 1,114. 7,871. TAXES, LICENSES, FEES REGISTRATION FEES 7,030. 7,030. 3,998. 665. MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSE 383. 2,950. d FINANCIAL SERVICES AND 1,685. 1,685. e All other expenses _ 8,260,298. 7,031,974. 775,446. 452,878. Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24e 25 Joint costs. Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation.

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if following SOP 98-2 (ASC 958-720)

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Part X | Balance Sheet

Part X	Balance Sheet				
	Check if Schedule O contains a response or no	te to any line in this Part X			
			(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year
1	Cash - non-interest-bearing		960,511.	1	1,858,118
2				2	
3	Pledges and grants receivable, net		4,234,147.	3	2,791,606
	Accounts receivable, net			4	
5	Loans and other receivables from current and f				
	trustees, key employees, and highest compens	ated employees. Complete			
				5	
6	Loans and other receivables from other disqua				
	section 4958(f)(1)), persons described in section	. ,			
	employers and sponsoring organizations of sec				
	employees' beneficiary organizations (see instr)	·		6	
Assets 6 7	Notes and loans receivable, net			7	
ASS ASS	Inventories for sale or use			8	
9	Durantial company and defermed also are a		127,638.	9	114,320
	Land, buildings, and equipment: cost or other	······	12770301	3	111,520
104	basis. Complete Part VI of Schedule D	10a			
				10c	
			2,278,588.	11	3,241,621
11	Investments - publicly traded securities		2,210,300	12	3,241,02
12	Investments - other securities. See Part IV, line				
13	Investments - program-related. See Part IV, line			13	
	Intangible assets			14	
15	Other assets. See Part IV, line 11		7,600,884.	15	9 005 665
16	Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equ		583,413.	16	8,005,665 611,192
17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses		303,413.	17	011,192
18	Grants payable			18	
19	Deferred revenue			19	
	Tax-exempt bond liabilities			20	
21	Escrow or custodial account liability. Complete			21	
g 22	Loans and other payables to current and forme				
	key employees, highest compensated employe				
<u> </u>	Complete Part II of Schedule L			22	
23	Secured mortgages and notes payable to unre			23	
24	Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelate			24	
25	Other liabilities (including federal income tax, p				
	parties, and other liabilities not included on line	s 17-24). Complete Part X of	405 452		206 401
			495,173.	25	326,491 937,683
26	Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25		1,078,586.	26	937,683
	Organizations that follow SFAS 117 (ASC 95				
မွ	complete lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 a		74 605		100 400
27	Unrestricted net assets		74,695.	27	188,409
28	Temporarily restricted net assets		6,447,603.	28	6,879,573
29				29	
2	Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117 (A	ASC 958), check here			
5	and complete lines 30 through 34.	ļ.			
g 30	Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds			30	
វ្ទី 31	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, or e	quipment fund		31	
27 28 29 29 30 31 32 32	Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated in			32	
33	Total net assets or fund balances		6,522,298.	33	7,067,982
34	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances		7,600,884.	34	8,005,665

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Pa	t XI Reconciliation of Net Assets					
	Check 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	8	, 67	8,6	42.
2	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	8	, 26	0,2	98.
3	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 2 from line 1	3		41	8,3	44.
4	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 33, column (A))	4	6	, 52	2,2	98.
5	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	5		12	7,3	40.
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		0.		
10	Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 3 through 9 (must equal Part X, line 33,					
	column (B))	10	7	, 06	7,9	82.
Pa	t XII Financial Statements and Reporting					
	Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XII					X
			_		Yes	No
1	Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990: Cash X Accrual Other		[
	If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked "Other," explain in Schedule	Э.				
2a	Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant?			2a		X
	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:		- 1			
	Separate basis Consolidated basis Both consolidated and separate basis		- 1			
b	Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant?		L	2b	X	
	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:		- 1			
	Separate basis X Consolidated basis Both consolidated and separate basis		- 1			
С	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?		L	2c	X	
	If the organization changed either its oversight process or selection process during the tax year, explain in Sche					
За	As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set forth in the Sin	gle Au	dit			
	Act and OMB Circular A-133?		[За		Х
b	If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? If the organization did not undergo the require	ed auc	lit [
	or audits, explain why in Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits			3b		

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SCHEDULE A

Department of the Treasury

Internal Revenue Service

(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Public Charity Status and Public Support Complete if the organization is a section 501(c)(3) organization or a section

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4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust. Open to Public Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.

Inspection

OMB No. 1545-0047

Name of the organization

Employer identification number

COMMON CAUSE EDUCATION FUND 31-1705370 Reason for Public Charity Status (All organizations must complete this part.) See instructions Part I The organization is not a private foundation because it is: (For lines 1 through 12, check only one box.) A church, convention of churches, or association of churches described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(i). A school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii). (Attach Schedule E (Form 990 or 990-EZ).) 3 A hospital or a cooperative hospital service organization described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii). A medical research organization operated in conjunction with a hospital described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii). Enter the hospital's name, city, and state: An organization operated for the benefit of a college or university owned or operated by a governmental unit described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(iv). (Complete Part II.) 6 A federal, state, or local government or governmental unit described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(v). X An organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi). (Complete Part II.) A community trust described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi). (Complete Part II.) An agricultural research organization described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ix) operated in conjunction with a land-grant college or university or a non-land-grant college of agriculture (see instructions). Enter the name, city, and state of the college or 10 An organization that normally receives: (1) more than 33 1/3% of its support from contributions, membership fees, and gross receipts from activities related to its exempt functions - subject to certain exceptions, and (2) no more than 33 1/3% of its support from gross investment income and unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 tax) from businesses acquired by the organization after June 30, 1975. See section 509(a)(2). (Complete Part III.) An organization organized and operated exclusively to test for public safety. See section 509(a)(4). 11 12 An organization organized and operated exclusively for the benefit of, to perform the functions of, or to carry out the purposes of one or more publicly supported organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or section 509(a)(2). See section 509(a)(3). Check the box in lines 12a through 12d that describes the type of supporting organization and complete lines 12e, 12f, and 12g. the supported organization(s) the power to regularly appoint or elect a majority of the directors or trustees of the supporting organization. You must complete Part IV, Sections A and B. Type II. A supporting organization supervised or controlled in connection with its supported organization(s), by having control or management of the supporting organization vested in the same persons that control or manage the supported organization(s). You must complete Part IV, Sections A and C. Type III functionally integrated. A supporting organization operated in connection with, and functionally integrated with, its supported organization(s) (see instructions). You must complete Part IV, Sections A, D, and E. Type III non-functionally integrated. A supporting organization operated in connection with its supported organization(s) that is not functionally integrated. The organization generally must satisfy a distribution requirement and an attentiveness requirement (see instructions). You must complete Part IV, Sections A and D, and Part V. Check this box if the organization received a written determination from the IRS that it is a Type I, Type II, Type III functionally integrated, or Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organization. Enter the number of supported organizations Provide the following information about the supported organization(s). (i) Name of supported (ii) EIN (iii) Type of organization (v) Amount of monetary (vi) Amount of other n your governing document? (described on lines 1-10 organization support (see instructions) support (see instructions) No above (see instructions))

Part II Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Sections 170(b)(1)(A)(iv) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 5, 7, or 8 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part III. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part III.)

Sec	Section A. Public Support							
Cale	ndar year (or fiscal year beginning in) 🕨	(a) 2014	(b) 2015	(c) 2016	(d) 2017	(e) 2018	(f) Total	
1	Gifts, grants, contributions, and							
	membership fees received. (Do not							
	include any "unusual grants.")	6983087.	8462235.	7157336.	9560334.	8746487.	40909479.	
2	Tax revenues levied for the organ-							
	ization's benefit and either paid to							
	or expended on its behalf							
3	The value of services or facilities							
	furnished by a governmental unit to							
	the organization without charge							
4	Total. Add lines 1 through 3	6983087.	8462235.	7157336.	9560334.	8746487.	40909479.	
	The portion of total contributions							
	by each person (other than a							
	governmental unit or publicly							
	supported organization) included							
	on line 1 that exceeds 2% of the							
	amount shown on line 11,							
	column (f)						5203800.	
6	Public support. Subtract line 5 from line 4.						35705679.	
	tion B. Total Support							
	ndar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2014	(b) 2015	(c) 2016	(d) 2017	(e) 2018	(f) Total	
	Amounts from line 4	6983087.	8462235.	7157336.	9560334.	8746487.	40909479.	
	Gross income from interest,							
_	dividends, payments received on							
	securities loans, rents, royalties,							
	and income from similar sources	23,361.	1,646.	11,851.	44,323.	91,636.	172,817.	
9	Net income from unrelated business					,		
Ū	activities, whether or not the							
	business is regularly carried on							
10	Other income. Do not include gain							
	or loss from the sale of capital							
	assets (Explain in Part VI.)							
11	Total support. Add lines 7 through 10						41082296.	
	Gross receipts from related activities,	etc (see instructio	ns)			12	297,739.	
	First five years. If the Form 990 is for	•	,					
	organization, check this box and stop	~			•			
Sec	ction C. Computation of Public	c Support Per	centage					
	Public support percentage for 2018 (li			olumn (f))		14	86.91 %	
	Public support percentage from 2017		•	* * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *		15	88.23 %	
	33 1/3% support test - 2018. If the o					ore, check this bo	•	
	stop here. The organization qualifies	-					57	
b	33 1/3% support test - 2017. If the c		•					
	and stop here. The organization quali							
17a	10% -facts-and-circumstances test							
	and if the organization meets the "fact	_						
	meets the "facts-and-circumstances"					-		
b	10% -facts-and-circumstances test							
	more, and if the organization meets th	_						
	organization meets the "facts-and-circ		•				ightharpoonup	
18	Private foundation. If the organization			•	,		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
	in the organization			,, ::, -: 77 8	,			

Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2018

Part III | Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Section 509(a)(2)

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 10 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part II. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part II.)

Se	ction A. Public Support						
Cale	endar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2014	(b) 2015	(c) 2016	(d) 2017	(e) 2018	(f) Total
1	Gifts, grants, contributions, and						
	membership fees received. (Do not						
	include any "unusual grants.")						
2	Gross receipts from admissions,						
	merchandise sold or services per-						
	formed, or facilities furnished in any activity that is related to the						
	organization's tax-exempt purpose						
3	Gross receipts from activities that						
	are not an unrelated trade or bus-						
	iness under section 513						
4	Tax revenues levied for the organ-						
	ization's benefit and either paid to						
	or expended on its behalf						
5	The value of services or facilities						
	furnished by a governmental unit to						
	the organization without charge						
6	Total. Add lines 1 through 5						
78	Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and						
	3 received from disqualified persons						
k	Amounts included on lines 2 and 3 received from other than disqualified persons that						
	exceed the greater of \$5,000 or 1% of the						
	amount on line 13 for the year						
(Add lines 7a and 7b						
	Public support. (Subtract line 7c from line 6.)						
	ction B. Total Support		I		T	T	
	endar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2014	(b) 2015	(c) 2016	(d) 2017	(e) 2018	(f) Total
	Amounts from line 6						
108	Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on						
	securities loans, rents, royalties,						
	and income from similar sources						_
r	Unrelated business taxable income						
	(less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975						
							
	Add lines 10a and 10b Net income from unrelated business						
••	activities not included in line 10b,						
	whether or not the business is						
12	regularly carried on Other income. Do not include gain						
-	or loss from the sale of capital						
12	assets (Explain in Part VI.)						
	Total support. (Add lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12.) First five years. If the Form 990 is for	the organization's	first second thir	tourth or fifth to	l v voar as a soction	1 501(c)(3) organiz	ation
'7	check this box and stop here	ŭ		•	•		. —
Se	ction C. Computation of Publi	c Support Per	centage				
	Public support percentage for 2018 (I			column (f))		15	%
	Public support percentage from 2017					16	%
Se	ction D. Computation of Inves	tment Income					
17	Investment income percentage for 20)18 (line 10c, colur	mn (f), divided by li	ne 13, column (f))		17	%
18						18	%
198	a 33 1/3% support tests - 2018. If the					3 1/3%, and line 1	7 is not
	more than 33 1/3%, check this box ar						▶□
k	33 1/3% support tests - 2017. If the						and
	line 18 is not more than 33 1/3%, che	ck this box and st	op here. The orga	nization qualifies a	as a publicly suppo	orted organization	▶□
20	Private foundation. If the organization	n did not check a	box on line 14, 19a	a, or 19b, check th	is box and see ins	tructions	

Part IV | Supporting Organizations

(Complete only if you checked a box in line 12 on Part I. If you checked 12a of Part I, complete Sections A and B. If you checked 12b of Part I, complete Sections A and C. If you checked 12c of Part I, complete Sections A, D, and E. If you checked 12d of Part I, complete Sections A and D, and complete Part V.)

Section A. All Supporting Organizations

- 1 Are all of the organization's supported organizations listed by name in the organization's governing documents? If "No," describe in Part VI how the supported organizations are designated. If designated by class or purpose, describe the designation. If historic and continuing relationship, explain.
- 2 Did the organization have any supported organization that does not have an IRS determination of status under section 509(a)(1) or (2)? If "Yes," explain in **Part VI** how the organization determined that the supported organization was described in section 509(a)(1) or (2).
- **3a** Did the organization have a supported organization described in section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6)? If "Yes," answer (b) and (c) below.
- **b** Did the organization confirm that each supported organization qualified under section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6) and satisfied the public support tests under section 509(a)(2)? If "Yes," describe in **Part VI** when and how the organization made the determination.
- c Did the organization ensure that all support to such organizations was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B) purposes? If "Yes," explain in Part VI what controls the organization put in place to ensure such use.
- **4a** Was any supported organization not organized in the United States ("foreign supported organization")? *If* "Yes," and if you checked 12a or 12b in Part I, answer (b) and (c) below.
- **b** Did the organization have ultimate control and discretion in deciding whether to make grants to the foreign supported organization? If "Yes," describe in **Part VI** how the organization had such control and discretion despite being controlled or supervised by or in connection with its supported organizations.
- c Did the organization support any foreign supported organization that does not have an IRS determination under sections 501(c)(3) and 509(a)(1) or (2)? If "Yes," explain in Part VI what controls the organization used to ensure that all support to the foreign supported organization was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B) purposes.
- 5a Did the organization add, substitute, or remove any supported organizations during the tax year? If "Yes," answer (b) and (c) below (if applicable). Also, provide detail in Part VI, including (i) the names and EIN numbers of the supported organizations added, substituted, or removed; (ii) the reasons for each such action; (iii) the authority under the organization's organizing document authorizing such action; and (iv) how the action was accomplished (such as by amendment to the organizing document).
- **b Type I or Type II only.** Was any added or substituted supported organization part of a class already designated in the organization's organizing document?
- c Substitutions only. Was the substitution the result of an event beyond the organization's control?
- 6 Did the organization provide support (whether in the form of grants or the provision of services or facilities) to anyone other than (i) its supported organizations, (ii) individuals that are part of the charitable class benefited by one or more of its supported organizations, or (iii) other supporting organizations that also support or benefit one or more of the filing organization's supported organizations? If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.
- 7 Did the organization provide a grant, loan, compensation, or other similar payment to a substantial contributor (as defined in section 4958(c)(3)(C)), a family member of a substantial contributor, or a 35% controlled entity with regard to a substantial contributor? If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990 or 990-EZ).
- 8 Did the organization make a loan to a disqualified person (as defined in section 4958) not described in line 7?

 If "Yes." complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990 or 990-EZ).
- 9a Was the organization controlled directly or indirectly at any time during the tax year by one or more disqualified persons as defined in section 4946 (other than foundation managers and organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or (2))? If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.
- **b** Did one or more disqualified persons (as defined in line 9a) hold a controlling interest in any entity in which the supporting organization had an interest? *If* "Yes," provide detail in **Part VI.**
- c Did a disqualified person (as defined in line 9a) have an ownership interest in, or derive any personal benefit from, assets in which the supporting organization also had an interest? If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.
- 10a Was the organization subject to the excess business holdings rules of section 4943 because of section 4943(f) (regarding certain Type II supporting organizations, and all Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organizations)? If "Yes," answer 10b below.
 - **b** Did the organization have any excess business holdings in the tax year? (Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine whether the organization had excess business holdings.)

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Pai	Supporting Organizations (continued)			
	_		Yes	No
11	Has the organization accepted a gift or contribution from any of the following persons?			
а	A person who directly or indirectly controls, either alone or together with persons described in (b) and (c)			
	below, the governing body of a supported organization?	11a		
b	A family member of a person described in (a) above?	11b		
	A 35% controlled entity of a person described in (a) or (b) above? If "Yes" to a, b, or c, provide detail in Part VI.	11c		
Sec	ction B. Type I Supporting Organizations	I		
			Yes	No
1	Did the directors, trustees, or membership of one or more supported organizations have the power to			
	regularly appoint or elect at least a majority of the organization's directors or trustees at all times during the			
	tax year? If "No," describe in Part VI how the supported organization(s) effectively operated, supervised, or			
	controlled the organization's activities. If the organization had more than one supported organization,			
	describe how the powers to appoint and/or remove directors or trustees were allocated among the supported			
	organizations and what conditions or restrictions, if any, applied to such powers during the tax year.	1		
2	Did the organization operate for the benefit of any supported organization other than the supported			
	organization(s) that operated, supervised, or controlled the supporting organization? If "Yes," explain in			
	Part VI how providing such benefit carried out the purposes of the supported organization(s) that operated,	_		
<u> </u>	supervised, or controlled the supporting organization.	2		
Sec	ction C. Type II Supporting Organizations		1	
			Yes	No
1	Were a majority of the organization's directors or trustees during the tax year also a majority of the directors			
	or trustees of each of the organization's supported organization(s)? If "No," describe in Part VI how control			
	or management of the supporting organization was vested in the same persons that controlled or managed	_		
800	the supported organization(s).	1		
Sec	nion b. All Type III Supporting Organizations		V	NI -
	Did the averagination was ide to each of its averaged averaginations by the last day of the fifth wearth of the		Yes	No
1	Did the organization provide to each of its supported organizations, by the last day of the fifth month of the			
	organization's tax year, (i) a written notice describing the type and amount of support provided during the prior tax			
	year, (ii) a copy of the Form 990 that was most recently filed as of the date of notification, and (iii) copies of the	4		
•	organization's governing documents in effect on the date of notification, to the extent not previously provided?	1		
2	Were any of the organization's officers, directors, or trustees either (i) appointed or elected by the supported			
	organization(s) or (ii) serving on the governing body of a supported organization? If "No," explain in Part VI how	2		
2	the organization maintained a close and continuous working relationship with the supported organization(s). By reason of the relationship described in (2), did the organization's supported organizations have a			
3				
	significant voice in the organization's investment policies and in directing the use of the organization's			
	income or assets at all times during the tax year? If "Yes," describe in Part VI the role the organization's	3		
Sec	supported organizations played in this regard. Stion E. Type III Functionally Integrated Supporting Organizations			
1	Check the box next to the method that the organization used to satisfy the Integral Part Test during the year (see instructions).			
· a				
b				
c		ctions)		
2	Activities Test. Answer (a) and (b) below.	0110113)	Yes	No
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	the supported organization(s) to which the organization was responsive? If "Yes," then in Part VI identify			
	those supported organizations and explain how these activities directly furthered their exempt purposes,			
	how the organization was responsive to those supported organizations, and how the organization determined			
	that these activities constituted substantially all of its activities.	2a		
b				
	of the organization's supported organization(s) would have been engaged in? If "Yes," explain in Part VI the			
	reasons for the organization's position that its supported organization(s) would have engaged in these			
	activities but for the organization's involvement.	2b		
3	Parent of Supported Organizations. Answer (a) and (b) below.			
а				
	trustees of each of the supported organizations? Provide details in Part VI.	За		
b				
	of its supported organizations? If "Yes." describe in Part VI the role played by the organization in this regard.	3b		

Pa	rt V Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)(3) Supportin	ng Organi	zations	
1 Check here if the organization satisfied the Integral Part Test as a qualifying trust on Nov. 20, 1970 (explain in Part VI.) Sec				
	other Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organizations must co	omplete Sec	tions A through E.	
Sect	ion A - Adjusted Net Income		(A) Prior Year	(B) Current Year (optional)
1	Net short-term capital gain	1		
2	Recoveries of prior-year distributions	2		
3	Other gross income (see instructions)	3		
4	Add lines 1 through 3	4		
5	Depreciation and depletion	5		
6	Portion of operating expenses paid or incurred for production or			
	collection of gross income or for management, conservation, or			
	maintenance of property held for production of income (see instructions)	6		
7	Other expenses (see instructions)	7		
8	Adjusted Net Income (subtract lines 5, 6, and 7 from line 4)	8		
Sect	ion B - Minimum Asset Amount		(A) Prior Year	(B) Current Year (optional)
1	Aggregate fair market value of all non-exempt-use assets (see			
	instructions for short tax year or assets held for part of year):			
а	Average monthly value of securities	1a		
b	Average monthly cash balances	1b		
С	Fair market value of other non-exempt-use assets	1c		
	Total (add lines 1a, 1b, and 1c)	1d		
е	Discount claimed for blockage or other			
	factors (explain in detail in Part VI):			
2	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to non-exempt-use assets	2		
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1d	3		
4	Cash deemed held for exempt use. Enter 1-1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount,			
	see instructions)	4		
5	Net value of non-exempt-use assets (subtract line 4 from line 3)	5		
6	Multiply line 5 by .035	6		
7	Recoveries of prior-year distributions	7		
8	Minimum Asset Amount (add line 7 to line 6)	8		
Sect	ion C - Distributable Amount			Current Year
1	Adjusted net income for prior year (from Section A, line 8, Column A)	1		
2	Enter 85% of line 1	2		
3	Minimum asset amount for prior year (from Section B, line 8, Column A)	3		
4	Enter greater of line 2 or line 3	4		
5	Income tax imposed in prior year	5		
6	Distributable Amount. Subtract line 5 from line 4, unless subject to			
	emergency temporary reduction (see instructions)	6		
7	Check here if the current year is the organization's first as a non-functiona	lly integrated	d Type III supporting orga	nization (see
	instructions).	-		

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Par	ιv	Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)(3) Supporting Orga	nizations (continued)	
Secti	on D - D	Distributions			Current Year
1	Amount	ts paid to supported organizations to accomplish exer	npt purposes		
2	Amount				
	organiza				
3	Adminis				
4	Amount				
5	Qualifie				
6	Other d				
7	Total a	nnual distributions. Add lines 1 through 6.			
8	Distribu	tions to attentive supported organizations to which th	e organization is responsive		
	(provide	e details in Part VI). See instructions.			
9	Distribu	table amount for 2018 from Section C, line 6			
10	Line 8 a	mount divided by line 9 amount			
Secti	on E - D	Distribution Allocations (see instructions)	(i) Excess Distributions	(ii) Underdistributions Pre-2018	(iii) Distributable Amount for 2018
1	Distribu	table amount for 2018 from Section C, line 6			
2	Underd	istributions, if any, for years prior to 2018 (reason-			
	able ca	use required- explain in Part VI). See instructions.			
3	Excess	distributions carryover, if any, to 2018			
а	From 20	013			
b	From 20	014			
С	From 20	015			
d	From 20	016			
е	From 20	017			
f	Total of	f lines 3a through e			
g	Applied	to underdistributions of prior years			
h	Applied	to 2018 distributable amount			
i	Carryov	er from 2013 not applied (see instructions)			
j	Remain	der. Subtract lines 3g, 3h, and 3i from 3f.			
4	Distribu	tions for 2018 from Section D,			
	line 7:	\$			
а	Applied	to underdistributions of prior years			
b	Applied	to 2018 distributable amount			
С	Remain	der. Subtract lines 4a and 4b from 4.			
5	Remain	ing underdistributions for years prior to 2018, if			
	any. Su	btract lines 3g and 4a from line 2. For result greater			
	than zei	ro, explain in Part VI. See instructions.			
6	Remain	ing underdistributions for 2018. Subtract lines 3h			
	and 4b	from line 1. For result greater than zero, explain in			
	Part VI. See instructions.				
7	Excess	distributions carryover to 2019. Add lines 3j			
	and 4c.				
8	Breakdo	own of line 7:			
а	Excess	from 2014			
b	Excess	from 2015			
С	Excess	from 2016			
d	Excess	from 2017			
е	Excess	from 2018			

Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2018

Schedule B

(Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF)

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization

Schedule of Contributors

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COMMON CAUSE EDUCATION FUND 31-1705370 Organization type (check one): Filers of: Section: X 501(c)(3) (enter number) organization Form 990 or 990-EZ 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust not treated as a private foundation 527 political organization Form 990-PF 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust treated as a private foundation 501(c)(3) taxable private foundation Check if your organization is covered by the General Rule or a Special Rule. Note: Only a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization can check boxes for both the General Rule and a Special Rule. See instructions. General Rule ☐ For an organization filing Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF that received, during the year, contributions totaling \$5,000 or more (in money or property) from any one contributor. Complete Parts I and II. See instructions for determining a contributor's total contributions. Special Rules X For an organization described in section 501(c)(3) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that met the 33 1/3% support test of the regulations under sections 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi), that checked Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ), Part II, line 13, 16a, or 16b, and that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of the greater of (1) \$5,000; or (2) 2% of the amount on (i) Form 990, Part VIII, line 1h; or (ii) Form 990-EZ, line 1. Complete Parts I and II. For an organization described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of more than \$1,000 exclusively for religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals. Complete Parts I (entering "N/A" in column (b) instead of the contributor name and address), II, and III. For an organization described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, contributions exclusively for religious, charitable, etc., purposes, but no such contributions totaled more than \$1,000. If this box

Caution: An organization that isn't covered by the General Rule and/or the Special Rules doesn't file Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF), but it must answer "No" on Part IV, line 2, of its Form 990; or check the box on line H of its Form 990-EZ or on its Form 990-PF, Part I, line 2, to certify that it doesn't meet the filing requirements of Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF).

is checked, enter here the total contributions that were received during the year for an exclusively religious, charitable, etc., purpose. Don't complete any of the parts unless the General Rule applies to this organization because it received nonexclusively

religious, charitable, etc., contributions totaling \$5,000 or more during the year ______ > \$

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Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF) (2018)

Name of organization Employer identification number

31-1705370 COMMON CAUSE EDUCATION FUND

Parti	Contributors (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part I if addition	nai space is needed.	
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
1		598,611.	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
2		\$\$	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
3		- - \$ <u>425,000.</u>	Person X Payroll
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
4		\$ 202,500.	Person X Payroll
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
5		\$\$	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
6		- - - * 600,000.	Person X Payroll

Name of organization

COMMON CAUSE EDUCATION FUND

Street Street

Part I	Contributors (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part I if a	dditional space is needed.	
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
7		\$\$\$	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
8		\$\$	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
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		\$	Person Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
		\$	Person Payroll Noncash Complete Part II for noncash contributions.

Name of organization Employer identification number

COMMON CAUSE EDUCATION FUND

31-1705370

Part II	Noncash Property (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part	II if additional space is needed.	
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (See instructions.)	(d) Date received
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	12	 	990 990-F7 or 990-PF) (2018)

Name of organization **Employer identification number** COMMON CAUSE EDUCATION FUND 31-1705370 Part III Exclusively religious, charitable, etc., contributions to organizations described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) that total more than \$1,000 for the year from any one contributor. Complete columns (a) through (e) and the following line entry. For organizations completing Part III, enter the total of exclusively religious, charitable, etc., contributions of \$1,000 or less for the year. (Enter this info. once.) Use duplicate copies of Part III if additional space is needed. (a) No. from (b) Purpose of gift (c) Use of gift (d) Description of how gift is held Part I (e) Transfer of gift Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4 Relationship of transferor to transferee (a) No. from (b) Purpose of gift (c) Use of gift (d) Description of how gift is held Part I (e) Transfer of gift Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4 Relationship of transferor to transferee (a) No. from (b) Purpose of gift (c) Use of gift (d) Description of how gift is held Part I (e) Transfer of gift Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4 Relationship of transferor to transferee (a) No. from (b) Purpose of gift (c) Use of gift (d) Description of how gift is held Part I (e) Transfer of gift Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4 Relationship of transferor to transferee

SCHEDULE C

(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Political Campaign and Lobbying Activities

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

Open to Public Inspection

OMB No. 1545-0047

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

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.

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

	(see separate instructions), then	ions: Complete Bort III			
	Section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6) organizat	ions. Complete Part III.		En	nployer identification number
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Pa	art I-A Complete if the org	anization is exempt unde	er section 501(c)	or is a section 527 of	organization.
2	Provide a description of the organiz Political campaign activity expendit Volunteer hours for political campai	ation's direct and indirect politica	ıl campaign activities i	n Part IV.	
Pa	art I-B Complete if the org	anization is exempt unde	er section 501(c)(3).	
1 2 3 4a b Pa	Enter the amount of any excise tax Enter the amount of any excise tax If the organization incurred a section Was a correction made? If "Yes," describe in Part IV. Int I-C Complete if the org Enter the amount directly expended Enter the amount of the filing organ exempt function activities Total exempt function expenditures line 17b Did the filing organization file Form Enter the names, addresses and en made payments. For each organization	incurred by the organization under incurred by organization manage in 4955 tax, did it file Form 4720 for the filing organization for sectization's funds contributed to other. Add lines 1 and 2. Enter here are an applying the filing organization for sectization's funds contributed to other. Add lines 1 and 2. Enter here are an applying the filing organization for sectization for the section fo	er section 4955 rs under section 4955 or this year? er section 501(c), tion 527 exempt funct er organizations for se and on Form 1120-POL, 0) of all section 527 pol from the filing organiz	except section 501 ion activities ection 527 litical organizations to wheation's funds. Also enter	Yes No Yes No (c)(3). \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$
	contributions received that were propolitical action committee (PAC). If				rate segregated fund or a
	(a) Name	(b) Address	(c) EIN	(d) Amount paid fron filing organization's funds. If none, enter -0	contributions received and

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

Schedule C (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2018

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Part II-A Complete if the org section 501(h)).	anization is exen	npt under section	1 501(c)(3) and file	ed Form 5768 (ele	ction under		
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).							
	ation checked box A ar		visions apply.				
Limi	its on Lobbying Exper ditures" means amou	nditures		(a) Filing organization's totals	(b) Affiliated group totals		
1a Total lobbying expenditures to influ	uence public opinion (d	grass roots lobbying)		0.			
b Total lobbying expenditures to influ				0.			
c Total lobbying expenditures (add li	-			0.			
d Other exempt purpose expenditure				8,419,071.			
e Total exempt purpose expenditure				8,419,071.			
f Lobbying nontaxable amount. Enter				570,954.			
If the amount on line 1e, column (a) o		bying nontaxable am					
Not over \$500,000		the amount on line 1e.					
Over \$500,000 but not over \$1,000	0,000 \$100,00	00 plus 15% of the exce	ess over \$500,000.				
Over \$1,000,000 but not over \$1,5		00 plus 10% of the exce					
Over \$1,500,000 but not over \$17,		00 plus 5% of the exces					
Over \$17,000,000	\$1,000,0	000.	, ,				
	<u> </u>						
g Grassroots nontaxable amount (en	iter 25% of line 1f)			142,739.			
h Subtract line 1g from line 1a. If zer				0.			
i Subtract line 1f from line 1c. If zero	o or less, enter -0-			0.			
j If there is an amount other than ze	ro on either line 1h or l	ine 1i, did the organiza	ation file Form 4720				
reporting section 4911 tax for this	year?				Yes No		
	4-Year Ave	eraging Period Under	Section 501(h)				
(Some organizations t		• •	•	of the five columns be	low.		
	See the separa	ate instructions for lin	nes 2a through 2f.)				
	Lobbying Exper	nditures During 4-Yea	ar Averaging Period				
Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2015	(b) 2016	(c) 2017	(d) 2018	(e) Total		
2a Lobbying nontaxable amount	514,087.	488,144.	525,020.	570,954.	2,098,205.		
b Lobbying ceiling amount (150% of line 2a, column(e))					3,147,308.		
c Total lobbying expenditures							
d Grassroots nontaxable amount	128,522.	122,036.	131,255.	142,739.	524,552.		
e Grassroots ceiling amount (150% of line 2d, column (e))					786,828.		
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Schedule C (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2018

Schedule C (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2018 COMMON CAUSE EDUCATION FUND 31-17053 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)).

or each "Yes," response on lines 1a through 1i below, provide in Part IV a detailed description		(a)		(b)	
f the Ic	obbying activity.	Yes	No	Amo	ount
1 D	During the year, did the filing organization attempt to influence foreign, national, state, or				
	ocal legislation, including any attempt to influence public opinion on a legislative matter				
	r referendum, through the use of:				
a V	olunteers?				
	aid staff or management (include compensation in expenses reported on lines 1c through 1i)?				
	1edia advertisements?				
	failings to members, legislators, or the public?				
	rublications, or published or broadcast statements?				
f G	arants to other organizations for lobbying purposes?				
g D	birect contact with legislators, their staffs, government officials, or a legislative body?				
h R	allies, demonstrations, seminars, conventions, speeches, lectures, or any similar means?				
i O	Other activities?				
jΤ	otal. Add lines 1c through 1i				
	olid the activities in line 1 cause the organization to be not described in section 501(c)(3)?				
	"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 I	III-A Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(4), section	n 501(c)(5)), or sec	tion	
	501(c)(6).			T	
				Yes	N ₁
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SCHEDULE D (Form 990)

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Supplemental Financial Statements

▶ 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.

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Name of the organization

COMMON CAUSE EDUCATION FUND

Employer identification number 31-1705370

Par	t I Organizations Maintaining Donor Advise	d Funds or Other Similar Funds o	r Accounts. Complete if the
	organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, lir	ne 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	d funds
	are the organization's property, subject to the organization's	exclusive legal control?	Yes No
6	Did the organization inform all grantees, donors, and donor a	dvisors in writing that grant funds can be us	sed only
	for charitable purposes and not for the benefit of the donor of	or donor advisor, or for any other purpose co	onferring
Par	t II Conservation Easements. Complete if the or	ganization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Pa	art IV, line 7.
1	Purpose(s) of conservation easements held by the organization	on (check all that apply).	
	Preservation of land for public use (e.g., recreation or e	education) Preservation of a histor	rically important land area
	Protection of natural habitat	Preservation of a certif	ied historic structure
	Preservation of open space		
2	Complete lines 2a through 2d if the organization held a quali	fied conservation contribution in the form of	a conservation easement on the last
	day of the tax year.		Held at the End of the Tax Year
а	Total number of conservation easements		2a
	Number of conservation easements on a certified historic str		
d	Number of conservation easements included in (c) acquired		1 1
	listed in the National Register		
3	Number of conservation easements modified, transferred, re	leased, extinguished, or terminated by the o	rganization during the tax
	year ▶		
4	Number of states where property subject to conservation ear		
5	Does the organization have a written policy regarding the pe		
•	violations, and enforcement of the conservation easements i		
6	Staff and volunteer hours devoted to monitoring, inspecting,	nandling of violations, and enforcing conse	rvation easements during the year
7	Amount of expenses incurred in monitoring, inspecting, hand	dling of violations, and optoming consonration	an accompante during the year
7	* * **Thought of expenses incurred in monitoring, inspecting, fiance ** ** ** ** ** ** ** ** **	diling of violations, and emorcing conservation	on easements during the year
8	Does each conservation easement reported on line 2(d) above	vo satisfy the requirements of section 170(h)	(4)(D)(i)
Ü	and section 170(h)(4)(B)(ii)?		
9	In Part XIII, describe how the organization reports conservati		
Ŭ	include, if applicable, the text of the footnote to the organiza	·	•
	conservation easements.	non o manolal otatomonto that goodhood th	o organization o accounting for
Par		f Art, Historical Treasures, or Oth	er Similar Assets.
	Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form	n 990, Part IV, line 8.	
1a	If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116 (AS	SC 958), not to report in its revenue stateme	nt and balance sheet works of art,
	historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exl	nibition, education, or research in furtherance	ee of public service, provide, in Part XIII,
	the text of the footnote to its financial statements that descri		
b	If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116 (AS	SC 958), to report in its revenue statement a	nd balance sheet works of art, historical
	treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, e	ducation, or research in furtherance of publi	c service, provide the following amounts
	relating to these items:		
	(i) Revenue included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1		> \$
2	If the organization received or held works of art, historical tre	asures, or other similar assets for financial g	
	the following amounts required to be reported under SFAS 1	16 (ASC 958) relating to these items:	
а	Revenue included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1		> \$
	Assets included in Form 990, Part X		
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	rt III Organizations Maintaining Colle				asures. oi	r Other			(conti		age Z
3	Using the organization's acquisition, accession, a										
Ū	(check all that apply):	and other record	o, oricon	dily of the f	onowing that	are a sig	riiioarie a	00 01 110 0	Onconon	1101110	
а											
b	Scholarly research	6			rialige progre						
C	Preservation for future generations		·	Other							
4	Provide a description of the organization's collections	tions and evolair	a how th	av furthar th	e organizatio	n'e evem	int nurno	se in Part	YIII		
5	During the year, did the organization solicit or red							se iiii ait.	AIII.		
3	to be sold to raise funds rather than to be mainta								Yes		No
Par	rt IV Escrow and Custodial Arranger										, 110
	reported an amount on Form 990, Part X,			, organizatio	ii anoworda	100 0111		, , a , .			
	Is the organization an agent, trustee, custodian of		liarv for o	contributions	s or other ass	ets not ir	ncluded				
	on Form 990, Part X?								Yes		No
b	If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII and										
	3	ļ	3						Amoun	t	
С	Beginning balance						1c				
d	Additions during the year										
e	Distributions during the year										
f	Ending balance										
2a	Did the organization include an amount on Form								Yes		No
	If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII. Che						•		_]
	t V Endowment Funds. Complete if the						0.				
		a) Current year		rior year	(c) Two year			ears back	(e) Fou	r years	back
1a	Beginning of year balance										
b	Contributions										
С	Net investment earnings, gains, and losses										
d	Grants or scholarships										
е	Other expenditures for facilities										
	and programs										
f	Administrative expenses										
g	End of year balance										
2	Provide the estimated percentage of the current	year end balance	e (line 1g	g, column (a)) held as:						
а	Board designated or quasi-endowment		%								
b	Permanent endowment	%									
С	Temporarily restricted endowment	%									
	The percentages on lines 2a, 2b, and 2c should	equal 100%.									
За	Are there endowment funds not in the possession	n of the organiza	ation tha	t are held ar	nd administer	ed for the	e organiza	ation			
	by:									Yes	No
	(i) unrelated organizations								3a(i)		
	(ii) related organizations								3a(ii)		
b	If "Yes" on line 3a(ii), are the related organization	s listed as requir	ed on S	chedule R?					3b		
4	Describe in Part XIII the intended uses of the org		wment f	unds.							
Pai	rt VI Land, Buildings, and Equipmen										
	Complete if the organization answered "Y	es" on Form 990), Part IV	, line 11a. S	ee Form 990	, Part X, I	ine 10.				
	Description of property	(a) Cost or o			or other		cumulate	ed	(d) Boo	k value	Э
		basis (investr	nent)	basis	(other)	dep	reciation				
1a	Land										
b	Buildings										
С	Leasehold improvements										
d	Equipment										
е	Other										

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Total. Add lines 1a through 1e. (Column (d) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10c.)

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Part VII Investments - Other Securities.					
Complete if the organization answered "Yes"					
(a) Description of security or category (including name of security)	(b) Book value	(c) Method of v	valuation: Cost or end	-of-year market v	alue
(1) Financial derivatives					
(2) Closely-held equity interests					
(3) Other					
(A)					
(B)					
(C)					
(D)					
(E)					
(F)					
(G)					
(H)					
Total. (Col. (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 v	aluation: Cost or end	-of-year market v	alue/
(1)					
(2)					
(3)					
(4)					
(5)					
(6)					
(7)					
(8)					
(9)					
Total. (Col. (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.		
) Description	,	,	(b) Book va	alue
(1)	·				
(2)					
(3)					
(4)					
(5)					
(6)					
(7)					
(8)					
(9)					
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990. Part X. col. (B) lin	ne 15.)		>		
Part X Other Liabilities. Complete if the organization answered "Yes"	on Form 900 Port IV	/ line 11e or 11f Soc Form	a QQQ Part V lina 25		
(a) Description of liability	on Form 330, Fall IV	(b) Book value	1 330, 1 at A, iii e 23.		
11 (17 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 1		(2) BOOK VAIGO			
(1) Federal income taxes (2) DUE TO COMMON CAUSE		326,491.			
. ,		J40,431•			
(3)		I			

326,491. \triangleright Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 25.) 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

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(4) (5) (6) (7) (8)

Га	Complete if the experiencian analysis of Town 200 Part IV line		nevellue per ne	turri.	
	Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line			1	8,964,755.
1				1	0,904,733.
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12:	ا ء ا	127,340.		
a	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments		127,340.	-	
b	Donated services and use of facilities			-	
C	Recoveries of prior year grants	1 _ 1	161 701	-	
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	-	161,781.		200 121
е	Add lines 2a through 2d			2e	289,121. 8,675,634.
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1			3	0,0/0,034.
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, but not on line 1:	1 . 1	2 000		
а	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b		3,008.		
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	4b			2 000
С	Add lines 4a and 4b			4c	3,008. 8,678,642.
5	Total revenue. Add lines 3 and 4c. (This must equal Form 990. Part I, line 12.)		F	5	8,678,642.
Pa	rt XII Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial State		Expenses per F	teturi	1.
	Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line				0 410 071
1	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements			1	8,419,071.
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part IX, line 25:	1 1			
а	Donated services and use of facilities			-	
b	Prior year adjustments	2b			
С	Other losses	2c			
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	2d	161,781.		
е	Add lines 2a through 2d			2e	161,781.
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1			3	8,257,290.
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part IX, line 25, but not on line 1:				
а	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a	3,008.		
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	4b			
С	Add lines 4a and 4b			4c	3,008.
5	Total expenses. Add lines 3 and 4c. (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 18.)			5	8,260,298.
Pa	rt XIII Supplemental Information.				
Prov	de the descriptions required for Part II, lines 3, 5, and 9; Part III, lines 1a and 4; F	Part IV, lines 1b	and 2b; Part V, line 4	; Part)	K, line 2; Part XI,
lines	2d and 4b; and Part XII, lines 2d and 4b. Also complete this part to provide any a	additional inforn	nation.		
PAI	RT XI, LINE 2D - OTHER ADJUSTMENTS:				
a D I	ACTAL DVDNING DVDDNGD MO DADM VIII				161 701
SPI	CIAL EVENTS EXPENSE TO PART VIII				161,781.
D 7 1	OM VII I ING OD OMILO AD THOMADAMA				
PAI	RT XII, LINE 2D - OTHER ADJUSTMENTS:				
a D I	COTAL EVENUE EXPENSE NO DADE VITT				161 701
SPI	ECIAL EVENTS EXPENSE TO PART VIII				161,781.

SCHEDULE G

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Supplemental Information Regarding Fundraising or Gaming Activities

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 17, 18, or 19, or if the organization entered more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a.

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Part I Fundraising Activities. required to complete this part	Complete if the organization answe	ered "Y	es" or	n Form 990, Part IV, I	ine 17. Form 990-EZ	filers are not
 1 Indicate whether the organization rais a Mail solicitations b Internet and email solicitations c Phone solicitations d In-person solicitations 2 a Did the organization have a written of key employees listed in Form 990, Pab If "Yes," list the 10 highest paid individed compensated at least \$5,000 by the 	e Solicita f Solicita g Special or oral agreement with any individual art VII) or entity in connection with p	tion of tion of I fundra (includ	non-g gover ising of ing of	overnment grants nment grants events ficers, directors, trus undraising services?	Yes	
(i) Name and address of individual or entity (fundraiser)	(ii) Activity	(iii) fundr have cu or con contribu	istody trol of	(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			
Fotal			_			
List all states in which the organizatio or licensing.	n is registered or licensed to solicit	contribu	utions	or has been notified	it is exempt from re	gistration

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Schedule G (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2018

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. (a) Event #1 (b) Event #2 (c) Other events (d) Total events (add col. (a) through NY EVENT MA EVENT 12 col. (c)) (event type) (event type) (total number) 272,332. 41,300. 74,894. 388,526. 1 Gross receipts 74,894. 272,332. 41,300. 388,526. 2 Less: Contributions **3** Gross income (line 1 minus line 2) 4 Cash prizes 5 Noncash prizes Direct Expenses 3,500. 23,941. 27,441. 6 Rent/facility costs 38,958. 38,958. 7 Food and beverages 3,111. 3,111. 8 Entertainment 37,769. 54,502. Other direct expenses 161,781. **10** Direct expense summary. Add lines 4 through 9 in column (d) -161,781. 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. (b) Pull tabs/instant (d) Total gaming (add (c) Other gaming (a) Bingo Revenue bingo/progressive bingo col. (a) through col. (c)) Gross revenue 2 Cash prizes Direct Expenses Noncash prizes Rent/facility costs Other direct expenses Yes Yes Yes 6 Volunteer labor 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? **b** If "No," explain: _ 10a Were any of the organization's gaming licenses revoked, suspended, or terminated during the tax year? **b** If "Yes," explain:

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11	Does the organization conduct gaming activities with nonmembers?	Yes	☐ No
	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?	Yes	No
12			110
	Indicate the percentage of gaming activity conducted in:	ا ءود ا	0/
	ı The organization's facility		<u>%</u>
	An outside facility	13b	<u>%</u>
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?	Yes	☐ No
k	of "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 ▶		
	Name P		
	Gaming manager compensation ▶ \$		
	Description of services provided		
	Director/officer Employee Independent contractor		
17	Mandatory distributions:		
	·		
č	Is the organization required under state law to make charitable distributions from the gaming proceeds to		
	retain the state gaming license?	Yes	∟ No
k	Enter the amount of distributions required under state law to be distributed to other exempt organizations or spent in the		
_	organization's own exempt activities during the tax year > \$		
Pa	Supplemental Information. Provide the explanations required by Part I, line 2b, columns (iii) and (v); and	Part III, lines 9, 9	9b, 10b,
	15b, 15c, 16, and 17b, as applicable. Also provide any additional information. See instructions.		

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SCHEDULE J (Form 990)

Department of the Treasury

Compensation Information

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

2018

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COMMON CAUSE EDUCATION FUND

Questions Regarding Compensation

 $\begin{array}{c} \textbf{Employer identification number} \\ 31 - 1705370 \end{array}$

			Yes	No
1 a	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.			
	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 (such as maid, chauffeur, chef)			
b	If any of the boxes on 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, and officers, including the CEO/Executive Director, regarding the items checked on 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.			
	X Compensation committee X Written employment contract			
	Independent compensation consultant X Compensation survey or study			
	Form 990 of other organizations X Approval by the board or compensation committee			
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:			
	Receive a severance payment or change-of-control payment?	4a		<u>X</u>
	Participate in, or receive payment from, a supplemental nonqualified retirement plan?	4b		<u>X</u>
С	Participate in, or receive payment from, an equity-based compensation arrangement?	4c		X
	If "Yes" to any of lines 4a-c, list the persons and provide the applicable amounts for each item in Part III.			
_	Only section 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:			v
a	The organization?	5a		<u>X</u>
b	Any related organization?	5b		
_	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:			Х
a	The organization?	6a		X
a	Any related organization? If "Yes" on line 6a or 6b, describe in Part III.	6b		
7				
7	For persons listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization provide any nonfixed payments	7		Х
Q	not described on lines 5 and 6? If "Yes," describe in Part III	7		- A
8	Sitial content constitution described in Developing and the FO 4050 4(-)(0)0 If IIV/co. II describe in Det III	8		Х
9	Initial contract exception described in Regulations section 53.4958-4(a)(3)? If "Yes," describe in Part III If "Yes" on line 8, did the organization also follow the rebuttable presumption procedure described in	r		-25
Ð	Regulations section 53.4958-6(c)?	9		
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Schedule J (Form 990) 2018

Part II Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees. Use duplicate copies if additional space is needed.

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 aren't 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.

	(B) Breakdown of	W-2 and/or 1099-MIS	SC compensation	(C) Retirement and other deferred	(D) Nontaxable benefits	1111		
(A) Name and Title		(i) Base compensation	(ii) Bonus & incentive compensation	(iii) Other reportable compensation	compensation	perients	(B)(I)-(D)	in column (B) reported as deferred on prior Form 990
(1) KAREN HOBERT FLYNN	(i)	149,082.	0.	0.	7,425.	11,878.	168,385.	0.
PRESIDENT/CEO	(ii)	182,211.	0.	0.	9,075.	14,517.	205,803.	0.
(2) ELIZABETH MARCHANT	(i)	86,269.	0.	0.	5,481.	10,260.	102,010.	0.
CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER	(ii)	105,440.	0.	0.	6,699.	12,540.	124,679.	0.
(3) PAUL RYAN	(i)	87,076.	0.	0.	5,400.	10,782.		0.
VP, LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS	(ii)	87,076.	0.	0.	5,400.	10,782.		0.
(4) STEVE SPAULDING	(i)	89,524.	0.	0.	5,445.	4,417.		0.
CHIEF OF EXTERNAL STRATEGIES	(ii)	73,247.	0.	0.	4,455.	3,614.		0.
(5) SCOTT SWENSON	(i)	74,412.	0.	0.	0.	3,713.	78,125.	0.
VP, COMMUNICATIONS	(ii)	74,412.	0.	0.	0.	3,713.		0.
(6) JESSE LITTLEWOOD	(i)	119,893.	0.	0.	7,013.	34,045.	160,951.	0.
DIRECTOR OF DIGITAL	(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
	(i)							
	(ii)							
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	(ii)							
	(i)							
	(ii)							
	(i)							
	(ii)							

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.

SCHEDULE M (Form 990)

Noncash Contributions

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▶ Complete if the organizations answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, lines 29 or 30.

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Name of the organization COMMON CAUSE EDUCATION FUND Employer identification number 31-1705370

Pai	rt 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 dete noncash contributi	•	s
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	22	112,906.	FMV		
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 organiz	ation during	the tax vear for co	ontributions			
	for which the organization completed Form 828	-	•				
	3	,				Yes	No
30a	During the year, did the organization receive by	contributio	n anv property rep	orted in Part I. lines 1 throug	h 28. that it		
	must hold for at least three years from the date						
	exempt purposes for the entire holding period?					30a	х
b	If "Yes," describe the arrangement in Part II.						
31	Does the organization have a gift acceptance p	olicy that re	quires the review of	of any nonstandard contribut	ions?	31	х
	Does the organization hire or use third parties of						<u> </u>
	contributions?			•		32a	Х
b	If "Yes," describe in Part II.						
33	If the organization didn't report an amount in co	olumn (c) foi	a type of property	for which column (a) is chec	cked,		
	describe in Part II.						
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Schedule M (Form 990) 2018

SCHEDULE 0

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(Form 990 or 990-EZ) Department of the Treasury

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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Inspection

Name of the organization

COMMON CAUSE EDUCATION FUND

Employer identification number 31-1705370

FORM 990, PART I, LINE 1, DESCRIPTION OF ORGANIZATION MISSION:
DEDICATED TO UPHOLDING THE CORE VALUES OF AMERICAN DEMOCRACY, WITH THE
GOALS OF ENSURING OPEN, HONEST, AND ACCOUNTABLE GOVERNMENT; PROMOTING
EQUAL RIGHTS, OPPORTUNITY AND REPRESENTATION FOR ALL; AND EMPOWERING
ALL PEOPLE TO MAKE THEIR VOICES HEARD AS EQUALS IN THE POLITICAL
PROCESS. CCEF WORKS ACROSS FOUR MAJOR ISSUE AREAS: VOTING AND
ELECTIONS; MONEY AND POLITICS; ETHICS, TRANSPARENCY AND GOVERNMENT
ACCOUNTABILITY; AND MEDIA AND DEMOCRACY.
FORM 990, PART III, LINE 1, DESCRIPTION OF ORGANIZATION MISSION:
ENGAGEMENT AT FEDERAL, STATE AND LOCAL LEVELS.
FORM 990, PART III, LINE 4A, PROGRAM SERVICE ACCOMPLISHMENTS:
JOINTLY AUTHORED A REPORT ON THE DANGERS OF EMAIL AND INTERNET VOTING
"DEMOCRACY BEHIND BARS" REPORT
FILED LAWSUIT COMMON CAUSE V. RAFFENSPERGER, CHALLENGING THE GEORGIA
SECRETARY OF STATE'S FAILURE TO MAINTAIN A SECURE VOTER DATABASE,
INCREASING LIKELIHOOD OF UNLAWFUL VOTER PURGES. WE WON A TEMPORARY
RESTRAINING ORDER, WHICH PROMPTED A LEGISLATIVE CHANGE TO FIX THE
PROBLEM.
"DEMOCRACY ON THE BALLOT" REPORT

FORM 990, PART III, LINE 4B, PROGRAM SERVICE ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

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Schedule O (Form 990 or 990-EZ) (2018)

Name of the organization COMMON CAUSE EDUCATION FUND	Employer identification number 31-1705370
VIOLATIVE OF THE STATE CONSTITUTION, WHICH WENT TO TRIAL I	N JULY 2019
COMMON CAUSE PARTICIPATED AS AMICUS CURIAE IN TWO LAWSUITS	CHALLENGING
THE U.S. CENSUS BUREAU'S ADDITION OF A CITIZENSHIP QUESTIO	N TO THE 2020
CENSUS, NEW YORK V. COMMERCE AND CALIFORNIA V. ROSS. THE U	.S. SUPREME
COURT RULED THAT THE CENSUS BUREAU'S JUSTIFICATION FOR INC	LUDING THE
CITIZENSHIP QUESTION ON THE 2020 CENSUS WAS PRETEXTUAL AND	(
UNACCEPTABLE, LEADING THE CENSUS BUREAU TO DROP ITS EFFORT	S TO INCLUDE
THE QUESTION ON THE CENSUS.	
FORM 990, PART III, LINE 4C, PROGRAM SERVICE ACCOMPLISHMEN	TS:
FILED SUPPLEMENT TO EARLIER FEC COMPLAINT PROVIDING NEW DE	TAILS OF
LIKELY VIOLATIONS OF CAMPAIGN FINANCE LAWS BY TRUMP CAMPAI	GN RELATED TO
2016 TRUMP TOWER MEETING WITH RUSSIAN NATIONALS	
FILED SUPPLEMENTS TO EARLIER DOJ AND FEC COMPLAINTS WITH N	EW DETAILS OF
ALLEGED ILLEGAL COORDINATION BETWEEN TRUMP CAMPAIGN AND OU	TSIDE GROUPS
AMERICA FIRST POLICIES AND AMERICA FIRST ACTION	
FORM 990, PART III, LINE 4D, OTHER PROGRAM SERVICES:	
MEDIA & DEMOCRACY	
FILED LEGAL PETITION WITH THE FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMI	SSION ASKING
THE AGENCY TO DENY THE PROPOSED \$26 BILLION MERGER OF T-MO	BILE US INC.
AND SPRINT CORPORATION.	

DERAILED THE SINCLAIR/TRIBUNE MERGER. IN JULY 2019, THE FCC REFERRED

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31-1705370 COMMON CAUSE EDUCATION FUND THE SINCLAIR/TRIBUNE MERGER FOR AN ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING. SHORTLY AFTER, SINCLAIR WITHDREW ITS MERGER FROM CONSIDERATION. WE PLAYED A MAJOR ROLE IN BLOCKING THE SINCLAIR-TRIBUNE MERGER THROUGH GRASSROOTS MOBILIZATION AND LEGAL ACTION. IF THE MERGER WAS APPROVED BY THE FCC, SINCLAIR WOULD HAVE REACHED OVER 70% OF HOUSEHOLDS, DROWNING OUT DIVERSE AND INDEPENDENT VOICES. IN EARLY JUNE WE ORGANIZED A RALLY OUTSIDE SINCLAIR'S SHAREHOLDERS MEETING THAT DREW A CROWD OF ACTIVISTS AND LOCAL REPORTERS. WE JOINED OUR ALLIES IN ORGANIZING A PETITION DELIVERY THAT GENERATED OVER 600,000 COMMENTS TO THE FCC OPPOSED TO THE MERGER. WE ALSO FILED MULTIPLE PETITIONS TO DENY OUTLINING THE LEGAL AND POLICY ARGUMENTS WHY THE FCC SHOULD BLOCK THE MERGER. OUR ACTIONS LED TO THE FCC REFERRING THE MERGER TO AN ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING, AND SINCLAIR EVENTUALLY WITHDRAWING. THIS IS A MAJOR VICTORY AND SHOWS THE POWER OF GRASSROOTS ACTIVISM TO FIGHT MEDIA CONSOLIDATION.

FILED AMICUS BRIEF OPPOSED TO THE FCC'S NET NEUTRALITY REPEAL. IN

AUGUST 2018, COMMON CAUSE FILED AN AMICUS BRIEF OUTLINING LEGAL AND

POLICY ARGUMENTS OPPOSED TO THE FCC'S NET NEUTRALITY REPEAL. OUR AMICUS

BRIEF WAS THE ONLY ONE IN THE RECORD TO FOCUS ON THE IMPACT OF THE LOSS

OF NET NEUTRALITY ON OUR DEMOCRACY AND CIVIL RIGHTS. SEVERAL CIVIL

RIGHTS ORGANIZATIONS SIGNED ON TO OUR BRIEF.

EXPENSES \$ 163,182. INCLUDING GRANTS OF \$ 0. REVENUE \$ 0.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 1:

THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE, AND ANY OTHER DULY APPOINTED COMMITTEE, SHALL HAVE

AND EXERCISE THE AUTHORITY AND ACT ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS IN

THE MANAGEMENT OF THE CORPORATION, TO THE EXTENT ALLOWABLE BY LAW;

PROVIDED, HOWEVER, THAT NO SUCH COMMITTEE SHALL HAVE POWER TO AMEND THE

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CORPORATION'S CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION, ADOPT AN AGREEMENT OF MERGER OR CONSOLIDATION, OR AMEND THE BYLAWS OF THE CORPORATION.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 11B:

THE CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER PROVIDES THE FORM 990 TO THE AUDIT COMMITTEE

FOR REVIEW. ONCE THAT COMMITTEE HAS APPROVED THE DOCUMENT IT IS SENT TO

THE FULL BOARD FOR REVIEW. THE BOARD MEMBERS HAVE TWO (2) DAYS TO RESPOND

WITH ANY COMMENTS THEY MIGHT HAVE BEFORE THE DOCUMENT IS FILED.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 12C:

PROCEDURE FOR MONITORING AND ENFORCING COMPLIANCE WITH CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY:

BOARD --

WHENEVER A DIRECTOR, OFFICER, OR COMMITTEE MEMBER BECOMES AWARE OF A

POTENTIAL CONFLICT OF INTEREST, WHETHER FINANCIAL OR OTHERWISE, HE OR SHE

SHALL MAKE THE SITUATION KNOWN TO THE BOARD OR GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE (AS THE

CASE MIGHT BE) AND PROVIDE ALL FACTS MATERIAL TO UNDERSTANDING THE NATURE

AND SCOPE OF THE CONFLICT, INCLUDING WHETHER THE INTERESTED PERSON BELIEVES

HIS OR HER ABILITY TO MAKE AN INDEPENDENT DECISION BASED SOLELY ON THE BEST

INTEREST OF THE CORPORATION HAS BEEN COMPROMISED. IF THE INTERESTED PERSON

INVOLVED DOES NOT MAKE THIS DISCLOSURE, ANOTHER DIRECTOR OR COMMITTEE

MEMBER WITH KNOWLEDGE OF THE POTENTIAL CONFLICT SHOULD DRAW IT TO THE

BODY'S ATTENTION.

THE INTERESTED PERSON WITH THE POTENTIAL CONFLICT MUST RETIRE FROM THE

MEETING AND NOT PARTICIPATE IN FINAL DISCUSSION AND VOTING ON THE EXISTENCE

OF THE CONFLICT. IF A CONFLICT IS FOUND TO EXIST, THE INTERESTED PERSON MAY

BE INVITED TO PROVIDE ANY RELEVANT INFORMATION THAT COULD BE OF USE TO THE

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BOARD IN MAKING ITS DECISION, BUT SHALL AGAIN RETIRE AND NOT PARTICIPATE IN THE FINAL DISCUSSION AND VOTING REGARDING THE TRANSACTION. THE BOARD OR COMMITTEE'S DECISION SHALL BE BASED ON CONSIDERATION OF WHETHER THE TRANSACTION:

- A) IS IN THE ORGANIZATION'S BEST INTEREST AND FOR ITS OWN BENEFIT;
- B) IS FAIR AND REASONABLE TO THE ORGANIZATION; AND
- C) IS THE MOST ADVANTAGEOUS TRANSACTION OR ARRANGEMENT THE ORGANIZATION CAN OBTAIN WITH REASONABLE EFFORTS UNDER THE CIRCUMSTANCES.

STAFF:

WHENEVER A STAFF MEMBER BECOMES AWARE OF A POTENTIAL CONFLICT OF INTEREST IN AN AREA WHERE HE OR SHE EXERCISES ANY DISCRETION IN CARRYING OUT HIS OR HER DUTIES FOR THE FUND, HE OR SHE SHALL PROMPTLY DISCLOSE THE POTENTIAL CONFLICT TO AN IMMEDIATE SUPERVISOR OR TO THE PRESIDENT. IF THE PRESIDENT HAS A POTENTIAL CONFLICT, HE OR SHE SHALL DISCLOSE IT TO THE BOARD OR AN EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE. THE PERSON OR BODY TO WHOM DISCLOSURE IS MADE (HEREINAFTER "SUPERVISOR") SHALL DETERMINE WHETHER THERE IS A CONFLICT THAT REQUIRES RECUSAL OF THE INTERESTED PERSON. WHEN A CONFLICT IS FOUND TO EXIST, THE INTERESTED PERSON SHALL PROVIDE THE SUPERVISOR WITH ALL INFORMATION HE OR SHE HAS RELEVANT TO ANY DECISION TO BE MADE IN WHICH HE OR SHE HAS AN INTEREST, AND THE FINAL DECISION SHALL BE MADE BY THE SUPERVISOR.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 15A:

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER: THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE NATIONAL GOVERNING BOARD CONDUCTS A 360 DEGREE REVIEW OF THE CEO PRIOR TO DETERMINING THE ANNUAL COMPENSATION. THE COMMITTEE INTERVIEWS THE SENIOR STAFF, REVIEWS A COMPARABILITY STUDY, AND THEN CONFERS AS A COMMITTEE. THE COMMITTEE BRINGS Schedule O (Form 990 or 990-EZ) (2018)

Schedule O (Form 990 or 990-EZ) (2018) Page 2 Name of the organization **Employer identification number** 31-1705370 COMMON CAUSE EDUCATION FUND ITS RECOMMENDATION TO THE FULL BOARD AT THE LAST BOARD MEETING OF THE YEAR. MINUTES ARE TAKEN OF THE SALARY DELIBERATIONS. OTHER OFFICERS OR KEY EMPLOYEES: THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE CONDUCTS A REVIEW OF THE CFO, REVIEWS A COMPARABILITY STUDY, AND THEN CONFERS AS A COMMITTEE. THE COMMITTEE BRINGS ITS RECOMMENDATION TO THE FULL BOARD AT THE LAST BOARD MEETING OF THE YEAR. MINUTES ARE TAKEN OF THE SALARY DELIBERATIONS. THE COMMITTEE DOES NOT REVIEW COMPENSATION OF KEY EMPLOYEES; THAT IS PERFORMED BY MANAGEMENT. EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2017, THE EDUCATION FUND BECAME THE PAYROLL AGENT FOR COMMON CAUSE, A SISTER ORGANIZATION. FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 17, LIST OF STATES RECEIVING COPY OF FORM 990: AL, AZ, AR, CA, CO, CT, DE, FL, GA, HI, IL, IN, KS, KY, LA, ME, MD, MA, MI, MN, MS, MO, MT, NE, NH NJ, NM, NY, NC, ND, OH, OK, OR, PA, RI, SC, TN, TX, UT, VT, VA, WA, DC, WV, WI FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION C, LINE 19: COMMON CAUSE EDUCATION FUND SEEKS TO BE FAITHFUL TO ITS MISSION BY BEING OPEN AND ACCOUNTABLE TO OUR MEMBERS AND SUPPORTERS. WE WILL MAKE OUR GOVERNANCE DOCUMENTS, CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY, AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AVAILABLE FOR PUBLIC INSPECTION UPON REQUEST. OUR FINANCIAL STATEMENTS ARE ALSO PART OF OUR ANNUAL REPORT WHICH IS AVAILABLE ON OUR WEBSITE.

FORM 990, PART XII, LINE 2C

THERE WAS NO CHANGE TO THE REVIEW AND SELECTION PROCESS DURING THE

YEAR.

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SCHEDULE R (Form 990)

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. Comp	plete if the organization answered "Yes"	on Form 990, Part IV, line 3	3.					
	(a) Name, address, and EIN (if applicable) of disregarded entity	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state of foreign country)				Direct o	(f) controllinq ntity	g
Part II	Identification of Related Tax-Exempt Organ	izations. Complete if the organization a	answered "Yes" on Form 990	0, Part IV, line 34, t	pecause it had one	or more	related tax-exe	mpt	
organizations during the tax year. (a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization		(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	egal domicile (state or		(f) Direct controllin		Section 512(to controlle entity?	
			,,,		501(c)(3))			Yes	No
805 15T	CAUSE - 52-6078441 H STREET SUITE 800 TON, DC 20005	ADVOCACY ORGANIZATION RELATED TO CITIZEN PARTICIPATION IN THE NAT'L	DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	501(C)(4)					х
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SEE PART VII FOR CONTINUATIONS

Schedule R (Form 990) 2018

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)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)	(1	h)	(i)	(j)	(k)																				
Name, address, and EIN	Primary activity	Legal domicile	Direct controlling	Predominant income (related, unrelated, excluded from tax under sections 512-514)	Share of total	Share of total	Share of total	Share of total	Share of total	Share of total	Share of total	Share of total	Share of total	Share of total	Share of total	Share of total	Share of total	Share of total	Share of total	Share of total	Share of total	Share of total	Share of total	Share of total	Share of total	Share of	Disproportionate		Code V-UBI	General	Percentage ownership
of related organization		(state or foreign	entity (related, unrelated, excluded from tax under	income	end-of-year assets		itions?	amount in box 20 of Schedule K-1 (Form 1065)	partner	ownership																					
		country)		sections 512-514)			Yes	No	K-1 (Form 1065)	Yes N	0																				
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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	(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	Section 512(b)(13) controlled entity?			
		country)		,				Yes	No		
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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	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, or (iv) rent from a controlled entity	1a		X			
	b Gift, grant, or capital contribution to related organization(s)						
С	Gift, grant, or capital contribution from related organization(s)	1c		Х			
	Loans or loan guarantees to or for related organization(s)	1d		Х			
е	Loans or loan guarantees by related organization(s)	1e		X			
f	Dividends from related organization(s)	1f		X			
	Sale of assets to related organization(s)	1g		X			
	Purchase of assets from related organization(s)	1h		X			
i	Exchange of assets with related organization(s)	1i		Х			
j	j Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets to related organization(s)						
k	Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets from related organization(s)	1k		Х			
	Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations for related organization(s)	11		X			
	Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations by related organization(s)	1m		X			
n	Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, or other assets with related organization(s)	1n	Х				
	Sharing of paid employees with related organization(s)	10	Х				
р	Reimbursement paid to related organization(s) for expenses	1p		Х			
q	Reimbursement paid by related organization(s) for expenses	1q	Х				
r	Other transfer of cash or property to related organization(s)	1r		Х			
s	Other transfer of cash or property from related organization(s)	1s		Х			
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) COMMON CAUSE	N	1,005,832.	ACTUAL COST
(2) COMMON CAUSE	0	2,146,430.	ACTUAL COST
(3) COMMON CAUSE	Q	2,101,138.	ACTUAL COST
<u>(4)</u>			
<u>(5)</u>			
<u>(6)</u>			

Part VI Unrelated Organizations Taxable as a Partnership. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 37.

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)	(d) Predominant income (related, unrelated, excluded from tax under sections 512-514)	Are all partners sec 501(c)(3) orgs.?	(g) Share of end-of-year assets	Dispretion allocat	opor- late tions?		General manage partner	(k) Percentage ing ownership
								Oakaatala		

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Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service	•	·			ns and the latest informat le public if your organizat		50	pen to Public Inspection for 01(c)(3) Organizations Only
A Check box if address changed		Name of organization (D Employer identification number (Employees' trust, see instructions.)					
B Exempt under section	Print	COMMON CAUS		1705370				
\mathbf{X} 501(\mathbf{c})(3)	Type		n or suite no. If a P.O. box		structions.			ed business activity code structions.)
408(e) 220(e)	Турс		REET, NO. 80				1	
408A 530(a) 529(a)		City or town, state or pro	ovince, country, and ZIP or DC 2005	r foreign	postal code			
C Book value of all assets at end of year		F Group exemption num		<u> </u>				
8,005,6		G Check organization typ				401(a)	trust	Other trust
\boldsymbol{H} Enter the number of the	organiza	tion's unrelated trades or				ne only (or first) ur		
trade or business here					If only one, c			
	-	•	us sentence, complete Pa	rts I and	III, complete a Schedule N	/I for each addition	al trade o	or
business, then complete								[FF]
				ıt-subsid	diary controlled group?	>	Yes	X No
		tifying number of the pare			TINIANOT T.		000	122 1200
J The books are in care of Part I Unrelated				LEF	· 1			
		de or business inc			(A) Income	(B) Expenses	•	(C) Net
1a Gross receipts or sale			• Polonoo	,				
b Less returns and allow2 Cost of goods sold (\$\frac{1}{2}\$)		A, line 7)	c Balance ▶	1c 2				
		rom line 1c		3	-			
		h Schedule D)		4a				
		art II, line 17) (attach Forr		4b				
		sts		4c				
		ship or an S corporation (a		5				
6 Rent income (Schedu				6				
,		ne (Schedule E)		7				
		nd rents from a controlled		8				
9 Investment income of	f a sectio	on 501(c)(7), (9), or (17) o	rganization (Schedule G)	9				
		me (Schedule I)		10				
		e J)		11				
		ns; attach schedule)		12				
13 Total. Combine lines	3 throu	gh 12		13	0.			
		ot Taken Elsewher utions, deductions mus			tions on deductions.) ne unrelated business ir	ncome.)		
							14	
							15	
							16	
							17	
							18	1 757
							19	1,757.
							20	
		562)					225	
		n Schedule A and elsewher					22b	
							23	
							25	
							26	
							27	
28 Other deductions (at	ttach sch	nedule)			SEE STATI	EMENT 1	28	1,500.
29 Total deductions. A	dd lines	14 through 28					29	3,257.
		ncome before net operatin					30	-3,257.
		loss arising in tax years be	•				31	
		ncome. Subtract line 31 fr		- 1	. , ,		32	-3,257.

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Part I	II Total Unrelated Business Taxab	le Income							
33	Total of unrelated business taxable income compute	d from all unrelated trades o	or businesses (s	ee instructions)		33			57.
34	Amounts paid for disallowed fringes					34	22	, 79	9.
35	Deduction for net operating loss arising in tax years	beginning before January 1,	, 2018 (see inst	ructions)		35			
36	Total of unrelated business taxable income before sp	pecific deduction. Subtract li	ne 35 from the	sum of					
	lines 33 and 34					36	19	<u>, 54</u>	<u> 12.</u>
37	Specific deduction (Generally \$1,000, but see line 37	7 instructions for exceptions)			37	1	,00	0.
38	Unrelated business taxable income. Subtract line	37 from line 36. If line 37 is	greater than line	e 36,					
						38	18	<u>, 54</u>	12.
Part I	V Tax Computation								
39	Organizations Taxable as Corporations. Multiply li					39	3	, 89	4.
40	Trusts Taxable at Trust Rates. See instructions for	•							
		m 1041)							
41	Proxy tax. See instructions					41			
42	Alternative minimum tax (trusts only)					42			
43	Tax on Noncompliant Facility Income. See instruct						2	0.0	<u> </u>
A4	Total. Add lines 41, 42, and 43 to line 39 or 40, which Tax and Payments	chever applies				44		, 89	4.
Part \	-			1.5					
	Foreign tax credit (corporations attach Form 1118; t					_			
	Other credits (see instructions)			45b		_			
C	General business credit. Attach Form 3800					_			
	Credit for prior year minimum tax (attach Form 880)					45.			
	Total credits. Add lines 45a through 45d					45e	2	0.0	1
46	Subtract line 45e from line 44	Form 8611 Form 869		000 045		46		, 03	<u>4.</u>
47							2	0.0	1
48	Total tax. Add lines 46 and 47 (see instructions)						<u> </u>	,89	0.
49	2018 net 965 tax liability paid from Form 965-A or F								<u> </u>
	Payments: A 2017 overpayment credited to 2018				171 4,250				
D	2018 estimated tax payments			50b	4,250	-			
	Tax deposited with Form 8868					_			
	Foreign organizations: Tax paid or withheld at sourc					_			
е	Backup withholding (see instructions)			50e		-			
	Credit for small employer health insurance premium			50f		_			
g		rm 2439		50					
		her	_				1	, 42	1
51	Total payments. Add lines 50a through 50g					51		, 42	11.
52 50	Estimated tax penalty (see instructions). Check if Fo Tax due . If line 51 is less than the total of lines 48, 4								
53	•				······ {	53		5.2	27.
54 55	Overpayment. If line 51 is larger than the total of line Enter the amount of line 54 you want: Credited to 2 !		buiit overpaiu	527. Re	funded	54		<u> </u>	0.
Part \			Information			55			<u> </u>
56	At any time during the 2018 calendar year, did the o				-			/es	No
30	over a financial account (bank, securities, or other) i	•	•		•				140
	FinCEN Form 114, Report of Foreign Bank and Finan		•	•	J				
	here	olar rood anto: It roo, onto	the name of the	o foreign country					X
57	During the tax year, did the organization receive a di	stribution from or was it the	e grantor of or	transferor to a fo	reian trust?			-	X
07	If "Yes," see instructions for other forms the organization		grantor or, or		roigii trust:				
58	Enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or		▶\$						
	Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined t	his return, including accompanyin	g schedules and s			ledge and b	elief, it is true,		
Sign	correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than	taxpayer) is based on all informati	on of which prepar	er has any knowledg	e. [Marrie IDC	N -11		41-
Here			PRESID	ENT		•	discuss this re shown below (tn
	Signature of officer	Date	Title			instructions)? X Yes		No
_	Print/Type preparer's name	Prep	D	ate	Check	if PTIN	V		
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Prepa	erer ELIZABETH HELLER	0]	1014314019			003978		
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	Firm's address ► WASHINGTON	, DC 20036			Phone no.	(202)	293-	220	0

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Schedule A - Cost of Good	s Sold. Enter	method of inven	tory v	aluation ► N/A					
1 Inventory at beginning of year				Inventory at end of year	r ,,		6		
2 Purchases				Cost of goods sold. Su					
3 Cost of labor	1 1			from line 5. Enter here					
4a Additional section 263A costs				line 2			7		
(attach schedule)	4a		8					Yes	No
b Other costs (attach schedule)				property produced or a	cquired	for resale) apply to			
5 Total. Add lines 1 through 4b	5			the organization?					
Schedule C - Rent Income (see instructions)	(From Real	Property and	Per	sonal Property L	ease	d With Real Prop	erty)		
1. Description of property									
(1)									
(2)									
(3)									
(4)	2. Rent receiv	ed or accrued				1			
(a) From personal property (if the per			nd ners	onal property (if the percentag	16	3(a) Deductions directly	connec	ted with the income in	n
rent for personal property in the per- 10% but not more than 50%)	e than	of rent for p	ersonal	property (if the percentage property exceeds 50% or if ed on profit or income)	lage / columns 2(a) and 2(b) (attach schedule			attach schedule)	
(1)									
(2)									
(3)									
(4)									
Total	0.	Total			0.				
(c) Total income. Add totals of columns here and on page 1, Part I, line 6, column		ter >			0.	(b) Total deductions. Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 6, column (B)	•		0.
Schedule E - Unrelated Deb		Income (see	instru	ctions)					
		,	2	2. Gross income from		3. Deductions directly con to debt-finance			
1. Description of debt-fi	nanced property			or allocable to debt- financed property	(a)	Straight line depreciation (attach schedule)		(b) Other deduction (attach schedule)	ns
(1)							+		
(2)									
(3)							+		
(4)									
4. Amount of average acquisition debt on or allocable to debt-financed property (attach schedule)	of or a	adjusted basis allocable to nced property h schedule)	6	Column 4 divided by column 5		7. Gross income reportable (column 2 x column 6)		8. Allocable deduct (column 6 x total of co 3(a) and 3(b))	olumns
(1)				%					
(2)				%					
(3)				%					
(4)				%					
.,	•		ï	,,		inter here and on page 1, Part I, line 7, column (A).		Enter here and on pag Part I, line 7, column	
Totala						0		, , , , , , , , ,	
Totals Total dividende-received deductions in				P [<u> </u>	•		0.

Schedule F - Interest, Annuities, Royalties, and Rents From Controlled Organizations (see instructions)										
			Exempt (Controlled O	rganizati	ons				
1. Name of controlled organizat	iion	2. Employer identification number		related income e instructions)		al of specified nents made	includ	t of column 4 ed in the contr ation's gross	rolling	6. Deductions directly connected with income in column 5
(1)										
(2)										
(3)										
(4)										
Nonexempt Controlled Organi	zations				l .		l			
7. Taxable Income	8. Net unrelated	Lincome (loss)	0 Total	of appoified pay	nonto	10 Port of colu	mn O thai	t in included	11 5	advations divosity composited
7. Taxable income	(see instr		9. Total	of specified payr made	nents	in the controlli gross	ing organ	ization's	11. De wit	eductions directly connected h income in column 10
(1)										
(2)										
(3)										
(4)										
						Add colun Enter here and line 8, 0		1, Part I,		dd columns 6 and 11. here and on page 1, Part I, line 8, column (B).
Totals					▶			0.		0.
Schedule G - Investme (see inst		f a Sectio	on 501(c)(7	7), (9), or (17) Org	janization		-		-
1. Desc	cription of income			2. Amount of	income	 Deduction directly connected (attach sched) 	cted	4. Set- (attach s	asides schedule)	5. Total deductions and set-asides (col. 3 plus col. 4)
(1)										
(2) (3)										
(3)										
(4)										
				Enter here and Part I, line 9, co						Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 9, column (B).
Totals			>		0.					0.
Schedule I - Exploited (see instru	-	vity Incor	ne, Other	Than Adv	ertisin	g Income				
Description of exploited activity	2. Gross unrelated busines income from trade or busines	direct with	Expenses tly connected production unrelated ness income	4. Net incon from unrelated business (co minus colum gain, comput through	I trade or Ilumn 2 n 3). If a e cols. 5	5. Gross inco from activity t is not unrelat business inco	hat ed	attribut	penses table to mn 5	7. Excess exempt expenses (column 6 minus column 5, but not more than column 4).
(1)										
(2) (3)										
(3)										
(4)										
	Enter here and o page 1, Part I, line 10, col. (A).	pag line	here and on ge 1, Part I, 10, col. (B).							Enter here and on page 1, Part II, line 26.
Schedule J - Advertisi	na Incomo	0.	0.							0.
Part I Income From				solidated	Basis					
1. Name of periodical	2. G advertince	ising	3. Direct advertising costs	or (loss) (c col. 3). If a g	ising gain ol. 2 minus ain, comput arough 7.	5. Circulatincome		6. Read		7. Excess readership costs (column 6 minus column 5, but not more than column 4).
(1)				333.00						waar oominii 7).
(2)										-
(4)										
Totals (carry to Part II, line (5))	▶	0.	0	•						0.
										Form 990-T (2018)

Part II Income From Periodicals Reported on a Separate Basis (For each periodical listed in Part II, fill in columns 2 through 7 on a line-by-line basis.)

Name of periodical	2. Gross advertising	3. Direct advertising costs	4. Advertising gain or (loss) (col. 2 minus col. 3). If a gain, compute	5. Circulation income	6. Readership costs	7. Excess readership costs (column 6 minus column 5, but not more
•	income	advortioning cools	cols. 5 through 7.	moonic	000.0	than column 4).
(1)						
(2)						
(3)						
(4)						
Totals from Part I	0.	0.				0.
	Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 11, col. (A).	Enter here and on page 1, Part I, line 11, col. (B).				Enter here and on page 1, Part II, line 27.
Totals, Part II (lines 1-5)	0.	0.				0.

Schedule K - Compensation of Officers, Directors, and Trustees (see instructions)

1. Name	2. Title	3. Percent of time devoted to business	4. Compensation attributable to unrelated business
(1)		%	
(2)		%	
(3)		%	
(4)		%	
Total. Enter here and on page 1, Part II, line 14		•	0.

FORM 990-T	OTHER DEDUCTIONS	STATEMENT 1
DESCRIPTION		AMOUNT
TAX PREPARATION FEES		1,500.
TOTAL TO FORM 990-T, PAGE	1, LINE 28	1,500.