

Form **990**

**Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax**

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

OMB No 1545-0047

**2008**

Open to Public Inspection

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

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

**A For the 2008 calendar year, or tax year beginning** OCT 1, 2008 **and ending** SEP 30, 2009

<b>B</b> Check if applicable: <input type="checkbox"/> Address change <input type="checkbox"/> Name change <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return <input type="checkbox"/> Termination <input type="checkbox"/> Amended return <input type="checkbox"/> Application pending	Please use IRS label or print or type  See Specific Instructions	<b>C Name of organization</b> <u>EDUCATION LAW CENTER, INC.</u> Doing Business As		<b>D Employer identification number</b> <u>22-2014555</u>
		Number and street (or P O box if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite <u>60 PARK PLACE</u> <u>300</u>		<b>E Telephone number</b> <u>973-624-1815</u>
		City or town, state or country, and ZIP + 4 <u>NEWARK, NJ 07102-5504</u>		<b>G Gross receipts \$</b> <u>1,975,961.</u>
		<b>F Name and address of principal officer</b> <u>JITENDRA K. VAKANI</u> <u>60 PARK PLACE # 300 NEWARK, NJ 07102</u>		<b>H(a) Is this a group return for affiliates?</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <b>H(b) Are all affiliates included?</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If "No," attach a list (see instructions) <b>H(c) Group exemption number</b>
<b>I Tax-exempt status</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 501(c) ( <u>3H</u> ) ◀ (insert no) <input type="checkbox"/> 4947(a)(1) or <input type="checkbox"/> 527		<b>J Website:</b> <u>WWW.EDLAWCENTER.ORG</u>		
<b>K Type of organization</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Trust <input type="checkbox"/> Association <input type="checkbox"/> Other		<b>L Year of formation</b> <u>1973 <b>M State of legal domicile</b> <u>NJ</u> </u>		

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**Part I Summary**

Activities & Governance	1	Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities	<u>PUBLIC INTEREST LAW FIRM</u>	
	2	Check this box <input type="checkbox"/> if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its assets		
	3	Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a)	<u>3</u>	<u>10</u>
	4	Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)	<u>4</u>	<u>10</u>
	5	Total number of employees (Part V, line 2a)	<u>5</u>	<u>17</u>
	6	Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)	<u>6</u>	<u>0</u>
	7a	Total gross unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, line 12, column (C)	<u>7a</u>	<u>16,268.</u>
b	Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990 T, line 34	<u>7b</u>	<u>0.</u>	
Revenue	8	Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)	Prior Year <u>1,670,159.</u>	Current Year <u>1,959,693.</u>
	9	Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)		
	10	Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)	<u>23,096.</u>	<u>16,249.</u>
	11	Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)	<u>478,208.</u>	<u>19.</u>
	12	Total revenue - add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 2)	<u>2,171,463.</u>	<u>1,975,961.</u>
	Expenses	13	Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3)	
14		Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)		
15		Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-10)	<u>1,253,542.</u>	<u>1,387,851.</u>
16a		Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)		
b		Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25)	<u>175,649.</u>	
17		Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24)	<u>913,009.</u>	<u>583,425.</u>
18	Total expenses - Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	<u>2,166,551.</u>	<u>1,971,276.</u>	
19	Revenue less expenses - Subtract line 18 from line 12	<u>4,912.</u>	<u>4,685.</u>	
Net Assets or Fund Balances	20	Total assets (Part X, line 16)	Beginning of Year <u>957,999.</u>	End of Year <u>913,522.</u>
	21	Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)	<u>442,574.</u>	<u>398,221.</u>
	22	Net assets or fund balances - Subtract line 21 from line 20	<u>515,425.</u>	<u>515,301.</u>

**Part II Signature Block**

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

Sign Here: [Signature] Signature of officer Date 5/13/10

JITENDRA K. VAKANI, SECRETARY/TREASURER  
Type or print name and title

Paid Preparer's Use Only: Preparer's signature [Signature] Date 5/5/10 Check if self-employed  Preparer's identifying number (see instructions) 908-687-7740

Firm's name (or yours if self-employed), address, and ZIP + 4: M.I. GROSSMAN & COMPANY  
1496 MORRIS AVENUE  
UNION, NJ 07083

EIN: 908-687-7740

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? (see instructions)  Yes  No

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Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments (see instructions)

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission
TO PROVIDE FREE LEGAL ASSISTANCE TO CHILDREN, PARENTS, AND COMMUNITY GROUP IN MATTERS INVOLVING PUBLIC ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION IN NEW JERSEY

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

If "Yes", describe these changes on Schedule O

4 Describe the exempt purpose achievements for each of the organization's three largest program services by expenses Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) trusts are required to report the amount of grants and allocations to others, the total expenses, and revenue, if any, for each program service reported

4a (Code ) (Expenses \$ 1,552,126. including grants of \$ ) (Revenue \$ )
SEE FOOTNOTE # 1

4b (Code ) (Expenses \$ including grants of \$ ) (Revenue \$ )

4c (Code ) (Expenses \$ including grants of \$ ) (Revenue \$ )

4d Other program services (Describe in Schedule O )
(Expenses \$ including grants of \$ ) (Revenue \$ )

4e Total program service expenses \$ 1,552,126. (Must equal Part IX, Line 25, column (B))

**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)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule A</i>	X	
2 Is the organization required to complete Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors?	X	
3 Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I</i>		X
4 <b>Section 501(c)(3) organizations.</b> Did the organization engage in lobbying activities? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II</i>	X	
5 <b>Section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), and 501(c)(6) organizations.</b> Is the organization subject to the section 6033(e) notice and reporting requirement and proxy tax? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III</i>		X
6 Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds or any accounts where donors have the right to provide advice on the distribution or investment of amounts in such funds or accounts? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part I</i>		X
7 Did the organization receive or hold a conservation easement, including easements to preserve open space, the environment, historic land areas, or historic structures? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part II</i>		X
8 Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part III</i>		X
9 Did the organization report an amount in Part X, line 21, serve as a custodian for amounts not listed in Part X, or provide credit counseling, debt management, credit repair, or debt negotiation services? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IV</i>		X
10 Did the organization hold assets in term, permanent, or quasi-endowments? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V</i>	X	
11 Did the organization report an amount in Part X, lines 10, 12, 13, 15, or 25? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VII, VIII, IX, or X as applicable</i>	X	
12 Did the organization receive an audited financial statement for the year for which it is completing this return that was prepared in accordance with GAAP? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts XI, XII, and XIII</i>	X	
13 Is the organization a school as described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule E</i>		X
14a Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the U S ?		X
b Did the organization have aggregate revenues or expenses of more than \$10,000 from grantmaking, fundraising, business, and program service activities outside the U S ? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part I</i>		X
15 Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of grants or assistance to any organization or entity located outside the United States? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part II</i>		X
16 Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of aggregate grants or assistance to individuals located outside the United States? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Part III</i>		X
17 Did the organization report more than \$15,000 on Part IX, column (A), line 11e? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part I</i>		X
18 Did the organization report more than \$15,000 total on Part VIII, lines 1c and 8a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part II</i>	X	
19 Did the organization report more than \$15,000 on Part VIII, line 9a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part III</i>		X
20 Did the organization operate one or more hospitals? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule H</i>		X
21 Did the organization report more than \$5,000 on Part IX, column (A), line 1? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II</i>		X
22 Did the organization report more than \$5,000 on Part IX, column (A), line 2? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and III</i>		X
23 Did the organization answer "Yes" to Part VII, Section A, questions 3, 4, or 5? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J</i>	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? <i>If "Yes," answer questions 24b-24d and complete Schedule K. If "No," go to question 25</i>		X
b Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception?		
c Did the organization maintain an escrow account other than a refunding escrow at any time during the year to defease any tax-exempt bonds?		
d Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year?		
25a <b>Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations.</b> Did the organization engage in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person during the year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i>		X
b Did the organization become aware that it had engaged in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person from a prior year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i>		X
26 Was a loan to or by a current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, highly compensated employee, or disqualified person outstanding as of the end of the organization's tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II</i>		X
27 Did the organization provide a grant or other assistance to an officer, director, trustee, key employee, or substantial contributor, or to a person related to such an individual? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III</i>		X

**Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules** (continued)

	Yes	No
<b>28</b> During the tax year, did any person who is a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee		
<b>a</b> Have a direct business relationship with the organization (other than as an officer, director, trustee, or employee), or an indirect business relationship through ownership of more than 35% in another entity (individually or collectively with other person(s) listed in Part VII, Section A)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>		X
<b>b</b> Have a family member who had a direct or indirect business relationship with the organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>		X
<b>c</b> Serve as an officer, director, trustee, key employee, partner, or member of an entity (or a shareholder of a professional corporation) doing business with the organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>		X
<b>29</b> Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i>		X
<b>30</b> Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i>		X
<b>31</b> Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I</i>		X
<b>32</b> Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part II</i>		X
<b>33</b> Did the organization own 100% of an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations sections 301.7701-2 and 301.7701-3? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part I</i>		X
<b>34</b> Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Parts II, III, IV, and V, line 1</i>		X
<b>35</b> Is any related organization a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i>		X
<b>36</b> <b>Section 501(c)(3) organizations.</b> Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i>		X
<b>37</b> Did the organization conduct more than 5% of its activities through an entity that is not a related organization and that is treated as a partnership for federal income tax purposes? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part VI</i>		X

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**Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance**

		Yes	No
1a	Enter the number reported in Box 3 of Form 1096, Annual Summary and Transmittal of U.S. Information Returns. Enter -0- if not applicable		
1a	0		
b	Enter the number of Forms W-2G included in line 1a. Enter -0- if not applicable		
1b	0		
c	Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable gaming (gambling) winnings to prize winners?		X
1c			
2a	Enter the number of employees reported on Form W-3, Transmittal of Wage and Tax Statements, filed for the calendar year ending with or within the year covered by this return		
2a	17		
b	If at least one is reported on line 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax returns? <b>Note.</b> If the sum of lines 1a and 2a is greater than 250, you may be required to e-file this return (see instructions)	X	
2b			
3a	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year covered by this return?		X
3a			
b	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O		
3b			
4a	At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in, or a signature or other authority over, a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)?		X
4a			
b	If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: _____ See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22.1, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts		
4b			
5a	Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year?		X
5a			
b	Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?		X
5b			
c	If "Yes," to question 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T, Disclosure by Tax Exempt Entity Regarding Prohibited Tax Shelter Transaction?		
5c			
6a	Did the organization solicit any contributions that were not tax deductible?		X
6a			
b	If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible?		
6b			
7	<b>Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).</b>		
a	Did the organization provide goods or services in exchange for any quid pro quo contribution of more than \$75?		X
7a			
b	If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided?		
7b			
c	Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was required to file Form 8282?		X
7c			
d	If "Yes," indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year		
7d			
e	Did the organization, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?		X
7e			
f	Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?		X
7f			
g	For all contributions of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required?		X
7g			
h	For contributions of cars, boats, airplanes, and other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-C as required?		X
7h			
8	<b>Section 501(c)(3) and other sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds and section 509(a)(3) supporting organizations.</b> Did the supporting organization, or a fund maintained by a sponsoring organization, have excess business holdings at any time during the year?		X
8			
9	<b>Section 501(c)(3) and other sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds.</b>		
a	Did the organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966?		X
9a			
b	Did the organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person?		X
9b			
10	<b>Section 501(c)(7) organizations.</b> Enter N/A		
a	Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12		
10a			
b	Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities		
10b			
11	<b>Section 501(c)(12) organizations.</b> Enter N/A		
a	Gross income from members or shareholders		
11a			
b	Gross income from other sources (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against amounts due or received from them)		
11b			
12a	<b>Section 4947(a)(1) non-exempt charitable trusts.</b> 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			

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

**Section A. Governing Body and Management**

		Yes	No
For each "Yes" response to lines 2-7b below, and for a "No" response to lines 8 or 9b below, describe the circumstances, processes, or changes in Schedule O. See instructions.			
1a	Enter the number of voting members of the governing body		
1b	Enter the number of voting members that are independent		
2	Did any officer, director, trustee, or key employee have a family relationship or a business relationship with any other officer, director, trustee, or key employee?		X
3	Did the organization delegate control over management duties customarily performed by or under the direct supervision of officers, directors or trustees, or key employees to a management company or other person?		X
4	Did the organization make any significant changes to its organizational documents since the prior Form 990 was filed?		X
5	Did the organization become aware during the year of a material diversion of the organization's assets?		X
6	Does the organization have members or stockholders?		X
7a	Does the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who may elect one or more members of the governing body?		X
7b	Are any decisions of the governing body subject to approval by members, stockholders, or other persons?		X
8	Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year by the following:		
8a	a The governing body?	X	
8b	b Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body?	X	
9a	Does the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates?		X
9b	b If "Yes," does the organization have written policies and procedures governing the activities of such chapters, affiliates, and branches to ensure their operations are consistent with those of the organization?		
10	Was a copy of the Form 990 provided to the organization's governing body before it was filed? All organizations must describe in Schedule O the process, if any, the organization uses to review the Form 990.	X	
11	Is there any officer, director or trustee, or key employee listed in Part VII, Section A, who cannot be reached at the organization's mailing address? If "Yes," provide the names and addresses in Schedule O.		X

**Section B. Policies**

		Yes	No
12a	Does the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? If "No," go to line 13.		X
12b	b Are officers, directors or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give rise to conflicts?		
12c	c Does the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? If "Yes," describe in Schedule O how this is done.		
13	Does the organization have a written whistleblower policy?		X
14	Does the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy?		X
15	Did the process for determining compensation of the following persons include a review and approval by independent persons, comparability data, and contemporaneous substantiation of the deliberation and decision:		
15a	a The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official?		X
15b	b Other officers or key employees of the organization? Describe the process in Schedule O (see instructions).		X
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?		X
16b	b If "Yes," has the organization adopted a written policy or procedure requiring the organization to evaluate its participation in joint venture arrangements under applicable federal tax law, and taken steps to safeguard the organization's exempt status with respect to such arrangements?		

**Section C. Disclosure**

- 17 List the states with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed **NJ**
- 18 Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Forms 1023 (or 1024 if applicable), 990, and 990-T (501(c)(3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you make these available. Check all that apply.  
 Own website     Another's website     Upon request
- 19 Describe in Schedule O whether (and if so, how), the organization makes its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial statements available to the public.
- 20 State the name, physical address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the books and records of the organization **JITENDRA VAKANI C/O EDUCATION LAW CENTER INC. - 973-624-1815**  
**60 PARK PLACE # 300, NEWARK, NJ 07102-5504**





Part VIII Statement of Revenue		(A) Total revenue	(B) Related or exempt function revenue	(C) Unrelated business revenue	(D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512, 513, or 514	
Contributions, gifts, grants and other similar amounts	1 a Federated campaigns	1a				
	b Membership dues	1b				
	c Fundraising events	1c 144,769.				
	d Related organizations	1d 1749842.				
	e Government grants (contributions)	1e				
	f All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above	1f 65,082.				
	g Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f \$					
	h Total. Add lines 1a-1f		1,959,693.			
Program Service Revenue	2 a _____	Business Code				
	b _____					
	c _____					
	d _____					
	e _____					
	f All other program service revenue					
	g Total. Add lines 2a-2f					
Other Revenue	3 Investment income (including dividends, interest, and other similar amounts)		16,249.	16,249.		
	4 Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds					
	5 Royalties					
	6 a Gross Rents	(i) Real				
		(ii) Personal				
		b Less rental expenses				
		c Rental income or (loss)				
	d Net rental income or (loss)					
	7 a Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory	(i) Securities				
		(ii) Other				
		b Less cost or other basis and sales expenses				
		c Gain or (loss)				
	d Net gain or (loss)					
	8 a Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ _____ of contributions reported on line 1c) See Part IV, line 18	a				
		b Less direct expenses	b			
c Net income or (loss) from fundraising events						
9 a Gross income from gaming activities See Part IV, line 19	a					
	b Less direct expenses	b				
	c Net income or (loss) from gaming activities					
10 a Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	a					
	b Less cost of goods sold	b				
	c Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory					
Miscellaneous Revenue		Business Code				
11 a HONORARIA	611710	12.		12.		
b SALE OF BOOKLETS & MAT	611710	7.		7.		
c _____						
d All other revenue						
e Total. Add lines 11a-11d		19.				
12 Total Revenue Add lines 1h, 2g, 3, 4, 5, 6d, 7d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e		1,975,961.	0.	16,268.	0.	

**Part IX Statement of Functional Expenses**

Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations must complete all columns.  
 All other organizations must complete column (A) but are not required to complete columns (B), (C), and (D).

Do not include amounts reported on lines 6b, 7b, 8b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII.	(A) Total expenses	(B) Program service expenses	(C) Management and general expenses	(D) Fundraising expenses
1 Grants and other assistance to governments and organizations in the U.S. See Part IV, line 21				
2 Grants and other assistance to individuals in the U.S. See Part IV, line 22				
3 Grants and other assistance to governments, organizations, and individuals outside the U.S. See Part IV, lines 15 and 16				
4 Benefits paid to or for members				
5 Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees	205,608.	99,509.	69,748.	36,351.
6 Compensation not included above, to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B)				
7 Other salaries and wages	921,136.	829,022.	18,423.	73,691.
8 Pension plan contributions (include section 401(k) and section 403(b) employer contributions)	33,796.	33,796.		
9 Other employee benefits	143,421.	114,737.	20,079.	8,605.
10 Payroll taxes	83,890.	64,595.	10,067.	9,228.
11 Fees for services (non employees)				
a Management				
b Legal				
c Accounting	7,836.		7,836.	
d Lobbying				
e Professional fundraising services See Part IV, line 17				
f Investment management fees	2,507.		2,507.	
g Other				
12 Advertising and promotion				
13 Office expenses	4,785.		4,785.	
14 Information technology				
15 Royalties				
16 Occupancy	164,455.	129,920.	24,668.	9,867.
17 Travel	16,918.	13,027.	2,538.	1,353.
18 Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials				
19 Conferences, conventions, and meetings	29,148.	22,444.	4,372.	2,332.
20 Interest				
21 Payments to affiliates				
22 Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	12,554.	9,918.	1,883.	753.
23 Insurance				
24 Other expenses. Itemize expenses not covered above. (Expenses grouped together and labeled miscellaneous may not exceed 5% of total expenses shown on line 25 below)				
a <u>CONSULTANTS &amp; OUTSIDE S</u>	154,668.	139,201.	9,280.	6,187.
b <u>LITIGATION EXPENSES</u>	25,416.	22,874.	1,525.	1,017.
c <u>PRINTINGS AND PUBLICATI</u>	23,438.	18,281.	2,813.	2,344.
d <u>TELEPHONE</u>	22,743.	17,740.	3,184.	1,819.
e <u>EQUIPMENT RENTAL &amp; MAIN</u>	21,176.	18,000.	2,118.	1,058.
f All other expenses	97,781.	19,062.	57,675.	21,044.
25 <b>Total functional expenses</b> Add lines 1 through 24f	1,971,276.	1,552,126.	243,501.	175,649.
26 <b>Joint Costs</b> Check here <input type="checkbox"/> if following SOP 98-2. Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation				

**Part X Balance Sheet**

		(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year
Assets	1	Cash - non-interest bearing		1
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments	843,539.	2 797,350.
	3	Pledges and grants receivable, net	65,084.	3 69,084.
	4	Accounts receivable, net		4
	5	Receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, or other related parties Complete Part II of Schedule L		5
	6	Receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B) Complete Part II of Schedule L		6
	7	Notes and loans receivable, net		7
	8	Inventories for sale or use		8
	9	Prepaid expenses and deferred charges	8,403.	9 6,674.
	10a	Land, buildings, and equipment cost basis	10a 217,765.	
	b	Less accumulated depreciation Complete Part VI of Schedule D	10b 196,745.	10c 21,020.
	11	Investments - publicly traded securities		11
	12	Investments - other securities See Part IV, line 11		12
	13	Investments program-related See Part IV, line 11		13
	14	Intangible assets		14
	15	Other assets See Part IV, line 11	19,394.	15 19,394.
16	<b>Total assets.</b> Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34)	957,999.	16 913,522.	
Liabilities	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses	121,924.	17 100,120.
	18	Grants payable		18
	19	Deferred revenue	311,667.	19 295,000.
	20	Tax-exempt bond liabilities		20
	21	Escrow account liability Complete Part IV of Schedule D		21
	22	Payables to current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, and disqualified persons Complete Part II of Schedule L		22
	23	Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties		23
	24	Unsecured notes and loans payable		24
	25	Other liabilities Complete Part X of Schedule D	8,983.	25 3,101.
	26	<b>Total liabilities.</b> Add lines 17 through 25	442,574.	26 398,221.
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Organizations that follow SFAS 117, check here <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 and 34.			
	27	Unrestricted net assets		27
	28	Temporarily restricted net assets		28
	29	Permanently restricted net assets		29
	Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 30 through 34.			
	30	Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds	515,425.	30 515,301.
	31	Paid in or capital surplus, or land, building, or equipment fund	0.	31 0.
	32	Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds	0.	32 0.
33	<b>Total net assets or fund balances</b>	515,425.	33 515,301.	
34	<b>Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances</b>	957,999.	34 913,522.	

**Part XI Financial Statements and Reporting**

1 Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990  Cash  Accrual  Other

2a Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant?

b Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant?

c If "Yes" to lines 2a or 2b, does the organization have a committee that assumes responsibility for oversight of the audit, review, or compilation of its financial statements and selection of an independent accountant?

3a As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set forth in the Single Audit Act and OMB Circular A-133?

b If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits?

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

**SCHEDULE A**  
**(Form 990 or 990-EZ)**

**Public Charity Status and Public Support**

OMB No 1545-0047

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

To be completed by all section 501(c)(3) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts.

▶ Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ. ▶ See separate instructions.

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Name of the organization **EDUCATION LAW CENTER, INC.** Employer identification number **22-2014555**

**Part I Reason for Public Charity Status** (All organizations must complete this part ) (see instructions)

The organization is not a private foundation because it is (Please check only **one** organization )

- 1  A church, convention of churches, or association of churches described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(i)**.
- 2  A school described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)**. (Attach Schedule E )
- 3  A hospital or a cooperative hospital service organization described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii)**. (Attach Schedule H )
- 4  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 \_\_\_\_\_
- 5  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)**.
- 7  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 )
- 8  A community trust described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)**. (Complete Part II )
- 9  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 the Part III )
- 10  An organization organized and operated exclusively to test for public safety See **section 509(a)(4)**. (see instructions)
- 11  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 that describes the type of supporting organization and complete lines 11e through 11h
  - a  Type I      b  Type II      c  Type III - Functionally integrated      d  Type III - Other
- e  By checking this box, I certify that the organization is not controlled directly or indirectly by one or more disqualified persons other than foundation managers and other than one or more publicly supported organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or section 509(a)(2)
- f If the organization received a written determination from the IRS that it is a Type I, Type II, or Type III supporting organization, check this box
- g Since August 17, 2006, has the organization accepted any gift or contribution from any of the following persons?
  - (i) A person who directly or indirectly controls, either alone or together with persons described in (ii) and (iii) below, the governing body of the supported organization?
  - (ii) A family member of a person described in (i) above?
  - (iii) A 35% controlled entity of a person described in (i) or (ii) above?
- h Provide the following information about the organizations the organization supports

	Yes	No
11g(i)		
11g(ii)		
11g(iii)		

(i) Name of supported organization	(ii) EIN	(iii) Type of organization (described on lines 1-9 above or IRC section (see instructions))	(iv) Is the organization in col (i) listed in your governing document?		(v) Did you notify the organization in col (i) of your support?		(vi) Is the organization in col (i) organized in the U.S.?		(vii) Amount of support
			Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	
<b>Total</b>									

**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)

**Section A. Public Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2004	(b) 2005	(c) 2006	(d) 2007	(e) 2008	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received (Do not include any "unusual grants")	1357365.	1561326.	1664950.	1670159.	1749842.	8003642.
2 Tax revenues levied for the organization'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 - 3	1357365.	1561326.	1664950.	1670159.	1749842.	8003642.
5 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)						
6 Public Support. Subtract line 5 from line 4						8003642.

**Section B. Total Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2004	(b) 2005	(c) 2006	(d) 2007	(e) 2008	(f) Total
7 Amounts from line 4	1357365.	1561326.	1664950.	1670159.	1749842.	8003642.
8 Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources	23,028.	23,831.	25,487.	23,096.	16,429.	111,871.
9 Net income from unrelated business 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 IV)						
11 Total support. Add lines 7 through 10						8115513.
12 Gross receipts from related activities, etc (see instructions)					12	1,443,124.
13 First five years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here <input type="checkbox"/>						

**Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage**

14 Public support percentage for 2008 (line 6, column (f) divided by line 11, column (f))	14	98.62 %
15 Public support percentage from 2007 Schedule A, Part IV A, line 26f	15	98.42 %
16a 33 1/3% support test - 2008. If the organization did not check the box on line 13, and line 14 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
b 33 1/3% support test - 2007. If the organization did not check a box on line 13 or 16a, and line 15 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization <input type="checkbox"/>		
17a 10% -facts-and-circumstances test - 2008. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, or 16b, and line 14 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and stop here. Explain in Part IV how the organization meets the "facts and-circumstances" test The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization <input type="checkbox"/>		
b 10% -facts-and-circumstances test - 2007. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, or 17a, and line 15 is 10% or more, and if the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test, check this box and stop here. Explain in Part IV how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization <input type="checkbox"/>		
18 Private foundation. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, 17a, or 17b, check this box and see instructions <input type="checkbox"/>		

**Part III Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Section 509(a)(2)** (Complete only if you checked the box on line 9 of Part I.)

**Section A. Public Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2004	(b) 2005	(c) 2006	(d) 2007	(e) 2008	(f) Total
<b>1</b> Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received (Do not include any "unusual grants")						
<b>2</b> Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services performed, or facilities furnished in any activity that is related to the organization's tax-exempt purpose						
<b>3</b> Gross receipts from activities that are not an unrelated trade or business under section 513						
<b>4</b> Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
<b>5</b> The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
<b>6 Total.</b> Add lines 1 - 5						
<b>7a</b> Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3 received from disqualified persons						
<b>b</b> Amounts included on lines 2 and 3 received from other than disqualified persons that exceed the greater of 1% of the total of lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12 for the year or \$5,000						
<b>c</b> Add lines 7a and 7b						
<b>8 Public support</b> (Subtract line 7c from line 6)						

**Section B. Total Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2004	(b) 2005	(c) 2006	(d) 2007	(e) 2008	(f) Total
<b>9</b> Amounts from line 6						
<b>10a</b> Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources						
<b>b</b> Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975						
<b>c</b> Add lines 10a and 10b						
<b>11</b> Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
<b>12</b> Other income Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV)						
<b>13 Total support</b> (Add lines 9, 10c, 11, and 12)						

**14 First five years.** If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here

**Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage**

<b>15</b> Public support percentage for 2008 (line 8, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	15	%
<b>16</b> Public support percentage from 2007 Schedule A, Part IV-A, line 27g	16	%

**Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage**

<b>17</b> Investment income percentage for 2008 (line 10c, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	17	%
<b>18</b> Investment income percentage from 2007 Schedule A, Part IV A, line 27h	18	%

**19a 33 1/3% support tests - 2008.** If the organization did not check the box on line 14, and line 15 is more than 33 1/3%, and line 17 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization

**b 33 1/3% support tests - 2007.** If the organization did not check a box on line 14 or line 19a, and line 16 is more than 33 1/3%, and line 18 is not more than 33 1/3%, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization

**20 Private foundation.** If the organization did not check a box on line 14, 19a, or 19b, check this box and see instructions

**SCHEDULE C**  
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

**Political Campaign and Lobbying Activities**

OMB No 1545-0047

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

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Internal Revenue Service

▶ To be completed by organizations described below.  
▶ Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.

If the organization answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, line 3, or Form 990-EZ, Part VI, 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," to 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," to Form 990, Part IV, line 5 (Proxy Tax), then

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

Name of organization EDUCATION LAW CENTER, INC. Employer identification number 22-2014555

**Part I-A To be completed by all organizations exempt under section 501(c) and section 527 organizations.**  
See the instructions for Schedule C for details

- 1 Provide a description of the organization's direct and indirect political campaign activities in Part IV
- 2 Political expenditures ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- 3 Volunteer hours \_\_\_\_\_

**Part I-B To be completed by all organizations exempt under section 501(c)(3).**  
See the instructions for Schedule C for details

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

**Part I-C To be completed by all organizations exempt under section 501(c), except section 501(c)(3).**  
See the instructions for Schedule C for details

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

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

**Part II-A** To be completed by organizations exempt under section 501(c)(3) that filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)). See the instructions for Schedule C for details

- A** Check  if the filing organization belongs to an affiliated group  
**B** Check  if the filing organization checked box A and "limited control" provisions apply

Limits on Lobbying Expenditures (The term "expenditures" means amounts paid or incurred.)		(a) Filing organization's totals	(b) Affiliated group totals												
<b>1a</b>	Total lobbying expenditures to influence public opinion (grassroots lobbying)														
<b>b</b>	Total lobbying expenditures to influence a legislative body (direct lobbying)		4,131.												
<b>c</b>	Total lobbying expenditures (add lines 1a and 1b)		4,131.												
<b>d</b>	Other exempt purpose expenditures		1,951,442.												
<b>e</b>	Total exempt purpose expenditures (add lines 1c and 1d)		1,955,573.												
<b>f</b>	Lobbying nontaxable amount Enter the amount from the following table in both columns		247,779.												
<table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>If the amount on line 1e, column (a) or (b) is:</th> <th>The lobbying nontaxable amount is:</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Not over \$500,000</td> <td>20% of the amount on line 1e</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Over \$500,000 but not over \$1,000,000</td> <td>\$100,000 plus 15% of the excess over \$500,000</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Over \$1,000,000 but not over \$1,500,000</td> <td>\$175,000 plus 10% of the excess over \$1,000,000</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Over \$1,500,000 but not over \$17,000,000</td> <td>\$225,000 plus 5% of the excess over \$1,500,000</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Over \$17,000,000</td> <td>\$1,000,000</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>		If the amount on line 1e, column (a) or (b) is:	The lobbying nontaxable amount is:	Not over \$500,000	20% of the amount on line 1e	Over \$500,000 but not over \$1,000,000	\$100,000 plus 15% of the excess over \$500,000	Over \$1,000,000 but not over \$1,500,000	\$175,000 plus 10% of the excess over \$1,000,000	Over \$1,500,000 but not over \$17,000,000	\$225,000 plus 5% of the excess over \$1,500,000	Over \$17,000,000	\$1,000,000		
If the amount on line 1e, column (a) or (b) is:	The lobbying nontaxable amount is:														
Not over \$500,000	20% of the amount on line 1e														
Over \$500,000 but not over \$1,000,000	\$100,000 plus 15% of the excess over \$500,000														
Over \$1,000,000 but not over \$1,500,000	\$175,000 plus 10% of the excess over \$1,000,000														
Over \$1,500,000 but not over \$17,000,000	\$225,000 plus 5% of the excess over \$1,500,000														
Over \$17,000,000	\$1,000,000														
<b>g</b>	Grassroots nontaxable amount (enter 25% of line 1f)		61,945.												
<b>h</b>	Subtract line 1g from line 1a Enter -0- if line g is more than line a		0.												
<b>i</b>	Subtract line 1f from line 1c Enter -0- if line f is more than line c		0.												
<b>j</b>	If there is an amount other than zero on either line 1h or line 1i, did the organization file Form 4720 reporting section 4911 tax for this year?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No													

**4-Year Averaging Period Under Section 501(h)**  
 (Some organizations that made a section 501(h) election do not have to complete all of the five columns below. See the instructions for lines 2a through 2f of the instructions.)

Lobbying Expenditures During 4-Year Averaging Period					
Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2005	(b) 2006	(c) 2007	(d) 2008	(e) Total
<b>2a</b> Lobbying non-taxable amount	239,564.	249,567.	258,526.	247,779.	995,436.
<b>b</b> Lobbying ceiling amount (150% of line 2a, column(e))					1,493,154.
<b>c</b> Total lobbying expenditures	3,432.	3,737.	3,969.	4,131.	15,269.
<b>d</b> Grassroots non taxable amount	59,891.	62,392.	64,632.	61,945.	248,860.
<b>e</b> Grassroots ceiling amount (150% of line 2d, column (e))					373,290.
<b>f</b> Grassroots lobbying expenditures					

Schedule C (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2008

**Part II-B To be completed by organizations exempt under section 501(c)(3) that have NOT filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)).** See the instructions for Schedule C for details

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

**Part III-A To be completed by all organizations exempt under section 501(c)(4), section 501(c)(5), or section 501(c)(6).** See the instructions for Schedule C for details

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

**Part III-B To be completed by all organizations exempt under section 501(c)(4), section 501(c)(5), or section 501(c)(6) if BOTH Part III-A, questions 1 and 2 are answered "No" OR if Part III-A, question 3 is answered "Yes."** See Schedule C instructions for details

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

**Part IV Supplemental Information**

Complete this part to provide the descriptions required for Part I A, line 1, Part I-B, line 4, Part I C, line 5, and Part II B, line 1i. Also, complete this part for any additional information

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**Schedule D**  
(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

**Supplemental Financial Statements**

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

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**EDUCATION LAW CENTER, INC.**

Employer identification number

**22-2014555**

**Part I Organizations Maintaining Donor Advised Funds or Other Similar Funds or Accounts.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 6

	(a) Donor advised funds	(b) Funds and other accounts
1 Total number at end of year		
2 Aggregate contributions to (during year)		
3 Aggregate grants from (during year)		
4 Aggregate value at end of year		
5 Did the organization inform all donors and donor advisors in writing that the assets held in donor advised funds are the organization's property, subject to the organization's exclusive legal control?		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
6 Did the organization inform all grantees, donors, and donor advisors in writing that grant funds may be used only for charitable purposes and not for the benefit of the donor or donor advisor or other impermissible private benefit?		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

**Part II Conservation Easements.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 7

- 1 Purpose(s) of conservation easements held by the organization (check all that apply)
- Preservation of land for public use (e.g., recreation or pleasure)  Preservation of an historically important land area
- Protection of natural habitat  Preservation of certified historic structure
- Preservation of open space
- 2 Complete lines 2a-2d if the organization held a qualified conservation contribution in the form of a conservation easement on the last day of the tax year

	Held at the End of the Year
a Total number of conservation easements	2a
b Total acreage restricted by conservation easements	2b
c Number of conservation easements on a certified historic structure included in (a)	2c
d Number of conservation easements included in (c) acquired after 8/17/06	2d

- 3 Number of conservation easements modified, transferred, released, extinguished, or terminated by the organization during the taxable year ▶ \_\_\_\_\_
- 4 Number of states where property subject to conservation easement is located ▶ \_\_\_\_\_
- 5 Does the organization have a written policy regarding the periodic monitoring, inspection, violations, and enforcement of the conservation easements it holds?  Yes  No
- 6 Staff or volunteer hours devoted to monitoring, inspecting, and enforcing easements during the year ▶ \_\_\_\_\_
- 7 Amount of expenses incurred in monitoring, inspecting, and enforcing easements during the year ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- 8 Does each conservation easement reported on line 2(d) above satisfy the requirements of section 170(h)(4)(B)(i) and section 170(h)(4)(B)(ii)?  Yes  No
- 9 In Part XIV, describe how the organization reports conservation easements in its revenue and expense statement, and balance sheet, and include, if applicable, the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that describes the organization's accounting for conservation easements

**Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets.**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 8

- 1a If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116, not to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide, in Part XIV, the text of the footnote to its financial statements that describes these items
- b If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116, to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide the following amounts relating to these items
- (i) Revenues included in Form 990, Part VIII, line 1 ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- (ii) Assets included in Form 990, Part X ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- 2 If the organization received or held works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets for financial gain, provide the following amounts required to be reported under SFAS 116 relating to these items
- a Revenues included in Form 990, Part VIII, line 1 ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- b Assets included in Form 990, Part X ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

- a  Public exhibition
- b  Scholarly research
- c  Preservation for future generations
- d  Loan or exchange programs
- e  Other \_\_\_\_\_

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

5 During the year, did the organization solicit or receive donations of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets to be sold to raise funds rather than to be maintained as part of the organization's collection?  Yes  No

**Part IV Trust, Escrow and Custodial Arrangements.** Complete if organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 9, or reported an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21

1a Is the organization an agent, trustee, custodian or other intermediary for contributions or other assets not included on Form 990, Part X?  Yes  No

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

	Amount
1c	
1d	
1e	
1f	

- c Beginning balance
- d Additions during the year
- e Distributions during the year
- f Ending balance

2a Did the organization include an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21?  Yes  No

b If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIV

**Part V Endowment Funds.** Complete if organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 10

	(a) Current year	(b) Prior year	(c) Two years back	(d) Three years back	(e) Four years back
1a Beginning of year balance					
b Contributions					
c Investment earnings or losses					
d Grants or scholarships					
e Other expenditures for facilities and programs					
f Administrative expenses					
g End of year balance					

2 Provide the estimated percentage of the year end balance held as

- a Board designated or quasi endowment ▶ \_\_\_\_\_ %
- b Permanent endowment ▶ \_\_\_\_\_ %
- c Term endowment ▶ \_\_\_\_\_ %

3a Are there endowment funds not in the possession of the organization that are held and administered for the organization by

	Yes	No
3a(i) unrelated organizations		X
3a(ii) related organizations		X
3b		

- (i) unrelated organizations
- (ii) related organizations

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

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

**Part VI Investments - Land, Buildings, and Equipment.** See Form 990, Part X, line 10

Description of investment	(a) Cost or other basis (investment)	(b) Cost or other basis (other)	(c) Depreciation	(d) Book value
1a Land				
b Buildings				
c Leasehold improvements		12,530.	3,478.	9,052.
d Equipment		169,874.	158,784.	11,090.
e Other		35,361.	34,483.	878.
<b>Total.</b> Add lines 1a-1e (Column (d) should equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10(c))				21,020.

**Part VII Investments - Other Securities.** See Form 990, Part X, line 12

(a) Description of security or category (including name of security)	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation Cost or end-of-year market value
Financial derivatives and other financial products		
Closely-held equity interests		
Other		
<b>Total.</b> (Col (b) should equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 12 ) ▶		

**Part VIII Investments - Program Related.** See Form 990, Part X, line 13

(a) Description of investment type	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation Cost or end-of-year market value
<b>Total.</b> (Col (b) should equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 13 ) ▶		

**Part IX Other Assets.** See Form 990, Part X, line 15

(a) Description	(b) Book value
<b>Total.</b> (Column (b) should equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 15 ) ▶	

**Part X Other Liabilities.** See Form 990, Part X, line 25

(a) Description of liability	(b) Amount
Federal income taxes	
<b>PAYROLL TAX PAYABLE</b>	3,101.
<b>Total.</b> (Column (b) should equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 25 ) ▶	3,101.

In Part XIV, provide the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that reports the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48

**Part XI Reconciliation of Change in Net Assets from Form 990 to Financial Statements**

1	Total revenue (Form 990, Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1	1,975,961.
2	Total expenses (Form 990, Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	1,971,276.
3	Excess or (deficit) for the year Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	4,685.
4	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	4	-4,809.
5	Donated services and use of facilities	5	
6	Investment expenses	6	
7	Prior period adjustments	7	
8	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	8	
9	Total adjustments (net) Add lines 4-8	9	-4,809.
10	Excess or (deficit) for the year per financial statements Combine lines 3 and 9	10	-124.

**Part XII Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial Statements With Revenue per Return**

1	Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements	1	1,975,961.
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12		
a	Net unrealized gains on investments	2a	
b	Donated services and use of facilities	2b	
c	Recoveries of prior year grants	2c	
d	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	2d	
e	Add lines 2a through 2d	2e	0.
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	3	1,975,961.
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, but not on line 1		
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a	
b	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	4b	
c	Add lines 4a and 4b	4c	0.
5	Total revenue Add lines 3 and 4c. (This should equal Form 990, Part I, line 12)	5	1,975,961.

**Part XIII Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial Statements With Expenses per Return**

1	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements	1	1,971,276.
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part IX, line 25		
a	Donated services and use of facilities	2a	
b	Prior year adjustments	2b	
c	Losses reported on Form 990, Part IX, line 25	2c	
d	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	2d	
e	Add lines 2a through 2d	2e	0.
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	3	1,971,276.
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part IX, line 25, but not on line 1		
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a	
b	Other (Describe in Part XIV)	4b	
c	Add lines 4a and 4b	4c	0.
5	Total expenses Add lines 3 and 4c. (This should equal Form 990, Part I, line 18)	5	1,971,276.

**Part XIV Supplemental Information**

Complete this part to provide the descriptions required for Part II, lines 3, 5, and 9, Part III, lines 1a and 4, Part IV, lines 1b and 2b, Part V, line 4, Part X, Part XI, line 8, Part XII, lines 2d and 4b, and Part XIII, lines 2d and 4b

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**SCHEDULE J  
(Form 990)**

**Compensation Information**

OMB No 1545-0047

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

**2008**

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Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

▶ Attach to Form 990. To be completed by organizations that answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 23.

Name of the organization

**EDUCATION LAW CENTER, INC.**

Employer identification number

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**Part I Questions Regarding Compensation**

- 1a** Check the appropriate box(es) if the organization provided any of the following to or for a person listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a Complete Part III to provide any relevant information regarding these items
- |  |  |
|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> First-class or charter travel             | <input type="checkbox"/> Housing allowance or residence for personal use |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Travel for companions                     | <input type="checkbox"/> Payments for business use of personal residence |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tax indemnification and gross-up payments | <input type="checkbox"/> Health or social club dues or initiation fees   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Discretionary spending account            | <input type="checkbox"/> Personal services (e.g., maid, chauffeur, chef) |

**b** If line 1a is checked, did the organization follow a written policy regarding payment or reimbursement or provision of all of the expenses described above? If "No," complete Part III to explain

**2** Did the organization require substantiation prior to reimbursing or allowing expenses incurred by all officers, directors, trustees, and the CEO/Executive Director, regarding the items checked in line 1a?

**3** Indicate which, if any, of the following the organization uses to establish the compensation of the organization's CEO/Executive Director Check all that apply

- |  |  |
|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Compensation committee              | <input type="checkbox"/> Written employment contract                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Independent compensation consultant | <input type="checkbox"/> Compensation survey or study                    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990 of other organizations     | <input type="checkbox"/> Approval by the board or compensation committee |

**4** During the year, did any person listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a

- a** Receive a severance payment or change of control payment?  
**b** Participate in, or receive payment from, a supplemental nonqualified retirement plan?  
**c** Participate in, or receive payment from, an equity-based compensation arrangement?

If "Yes" to any of lines 4a-c, list the persons and provide the applicable amounts for each item in Part III

**Only 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations must complete lines 5-8.**

**5** For persons listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the revenues of

- a** The organization?  
**b** Any related organization?

If "Yes," to line 5a or 5b, describe in Part III

**6** For persons listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the net earnings of

- a** The organization?  
**b** Any related organization?

If "Yes" to line 6a or 6b, describe in Part III

**7** For persons listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization provide any non-fixed payments not described in lines 5 and 6? If "Yes," describe in Part III

**8** Were any amounts reported in Form 990, Part VII, paid or accrued pursuant to a contract that was subject to the initial contract exception described in Regs. section 53.4958-4(a)(3)? If "Yes," describe in Part III

	Yes	No
1b		
2		
4a		X
4b		X
4c		X
5a		X
5b		X
6a		X
6b		X
7		X
8		X

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Schedule J (Form 990) 2008

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

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

Note. The sum of columns (B)(i) (ii) must equal the applicable column (D) or column (E) amounts on Form 990, Part VII, line 1a

(A) Name	(B) Breakdown of W-2 and/or 1099-MISC compensation			(C) Deferred compensation	(D) Nontaxable benefits	(E) Total of columns (B)(i)-(D)	(F) Compensation reported in prior Form 990 or Form 990-EZ
	(i) Base compensation	(ii) Bonus & incentive compensation	(iii) Other compensation				
DAVID G. SCIARRA	(i)	151,847.	0.	0.	6,050.	157,897.	0.
	(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
	(i)						
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**SCHEDULE O**  
**(Form 990)**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

**Supplemental Information to Form 990**

▶ Attach to Form 990. To be completed by organizations to provide additional information for responses to specific questions for the Form 990 or to provide any additional information.

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FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION C, LINE 19: ORGANIZATION MAKES ALL DOCUMENTS,  
POLICIES AND FINANCIAL STATEMENT AVAILABLE ON WEBSITE AND INSPECTION AT ITS  
OFFICE

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Asset No	Description	Date Acquired	Method	Life	Line No	Unadjusted Cost Or Basis	Bus % Excl	Reduction In Basis	Basis For Depreciation	Accumulated Depreciation	Current Sec 179	Current Year Deduction
1	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	010996	200DB	5.00	21	1,410.			1,410.	1,409.		0.
2	CPMPUTER EQUIPMENT	010396	200DB	5.00	21	3,033.			3,033.	3,033.		0.
3	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	010396	200DB	5.00	21	2,743.			2,743.	2,743.		0.
4	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	010396	200DB	5.00	21	2,594.			2,594.	2,594.		0.
5	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	013096	200DB	5.00	21	2,153.			2,153.	2,153.		0.
6	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	030596	200DB	5.00	21	1,249.			1,249.	1,249.		0.
7	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	092096	200DB	5.00	21	1,673.			1,673.	1,673.		0.
8	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	020896	200DB	5.00	21	481.			481.	480.		0.
9	POSTAGE MAILING EQUIPMENT	050396	200DB	5.00	17	1,620.			1,620.	1,620.		0.
10	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	021696	200DB	5.00	21	2,498.			2,498.	2,498.		0.
11	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	021496	200DB	5.00	21	1,424.			1,424.	1,424.		0.
12	OFFICE EQUIPMENT AND FURNITURE	VARIES	200DB	0.00	21	28,042.			28,042.	28,042.		0.
13	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	050697	200DB	5.00	21	1,893.			1,893.	1,893.		0.
14	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	091297	200DB	5.00	21	1,908.			1,908.	1,908.		0.
15	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	022497	200DB	5.00	21	3,858.			3,858.	3,858.		0.
16	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	100196	200DB	7.00	21	564.			564.	563.		0.
17	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	051897	200DB	7.00	21	416.			416.	416.		0.
18	OFFICE FURNITURE	031097	200DB	7.00	17	625.			625.	625.		0.

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\* ITC, Section 179, Salvage, Bonus, Commercial Revitalization Deduction, GO Zone

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Asset No	Description	Date Acquired	Method	Life	Line No	Unadjusted Cost Or Basis	Bus % Excl	Reduction In Basis	Basis For Depreciation	Accumulated Depreciation	Current Sec 179	Current Year Deduction
19	LEASEHOLD IMPROVEMENTS	022097SL	SL	39.00	17	3,880.			3,880.	1,151.		99.
20	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	062998200DB	DB	5.00	21	2,038.			2,038.	2,038.		0.
21	LEASEHOLD IMPROVEMENTS	101397SL	SL	39.00	17	4,100.			4,100.	1,151.		105.
22	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	021998200DB	DB	5.00	21	3,173.			3,173.	3,173.		0.
23	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	022498200DB	DB	5.00	21	495.			495.	495.		0.
24	OFFICE EQUIPMENT	062998200DB	DB	7.00	17	500.			500.	500.		0.
25	OFFICE EQUIPMENT	092198200DB	DB	7.00	17	600.			600.	600.		0.
26	OFFICE EQUIPMENT	100197200DB	DB	7.00	17	3,644.			3,644.	3,644.		0.
27	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	110398200DB	DB	7.00	17	1,230.			1,230.	1,230.		0.
28	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	111098200DB	DB	7.00	17	1,200.			1,200.	1,200.		0.
29	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	021699200DB	DB	7.00	17	1,579.			1,579.	1,579.		0.
30	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	022499200DB	DB	7.00	17	2,016.			2,016.	2,016.		0.
31	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	041299200DB	DB	7.00	17	1,555.			1,555.	1,555.		0.
32	OFFICE EQUIPMENT	101298200DB	DB	7.00	17	400.			400.	400.		0.
33	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	061500200DB	DB	5.00	17	1,065.			1,065.	1,065.		0.
34	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	062600200DB	DB	5.00	17	307.			307.	307.		0.
35	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	072000200DB	DB	5.00	17	698.			698.	698.		0.
36	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	081800200DB	DB	5.00	17	2,247.			2,247.	2,247.		0.

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Asset No	Description	Date Acquired	Method	Life	Line No	Unadjusted Cost Or Basis	Bus % Excl	Reduction In Basis	Basis For Depreciation	Accumulated Depreciation	Current Sec 179	Current Year Deduction
37	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	090100	200DB	5.00	17	881.			881.	881.		0.
38	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	091200	200DB	5.00	17	385.			385.	385.		0.
39	OFFICE EQUIPMENT	061300	200DB	5.00	17	2,995.			2,995.	2,995.		0.
40	FURNITURE & FIXTURE	092900	200DB	7.00	17	972.			972.	972.		0.
41	LEASEHOLD IMPROVEMENT	091100	SL	39.00	16	3,200.			3,200.	663.		82.
42	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	110700	200DB	5.00	17	115.			115.	115.		0.
43	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	112900	200DB	5.00	17	744.			744.	744.		0.
44	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	032601	200DB	5.00	17	1,168.			1,168.	1,168.		0.
45	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	091901	200DB	5.00	17	1,591.			1,591.	1,591.		0.
46	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	061902	200DB	5.00	17	4,825.			4,825.	4,825.		0.
47	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	072502	200DB	5.00	17	5,348.			5,348.	5,348.		0.
48	OFFICE EQUIPMENT	031202	200DB	5.00	17	530.			530.	530.		0.
49	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	020703	200DB	5.00	17	1,552.		466.	1,086.	1,086.		0.
50	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	061203	200DB	5.00	17	4,216.		2,108.	2,108.	2,108.		0.
51	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	080603	200DB	5.00	17	4,292.		2,146.	2,146.	2,146.		0.
52	FURNITURE & FIXTURES	022003	200DB	7.00	17	11,768.		3,530.	8,238.	7,135.		735.
53	FURNITURE & FIXTURES	090503	200DB	7.00	17	12,501.		6,251.	6,250.	5,414.		557.
54	OFFICE EQUIPMENT	022803	200DB	5.00	17	22,844.		6,853.	15,991.	15,991.		0.

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55	LEASEHOLD IMPROVEMENT	032703SL		39.00	16	1,350.			1,350.	192.		35.
56	OFFICE FURNITURE	092503200DB		7.00	17	3,003.		1,502.	1,501.	1,300.		134.
57	COMPUTER	032504200DB		5.00	17	955.		955.				0.
58	COMPUTER	080404200DB		5.00	17	704.		704.				0.
59	COMPUTER	092104200DB		5.00	17	224.		224.				0.
60	EQUIPMENT	042904200DB		5.00	17	700.		700.				0.
61	COMPUTER	031005200DB		5.00	17	2,686.		2,686.				0.
62	COMPUTER	070705200DB		5.00	17	3,857.		3,857.				0.
63	FURNITURE & FIXTURES	011605200DB		7.00	17	648.		648.				0.
64	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	090106200DB		5.00	17	749.			749.	534.		86.
65	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT - CAMDEN OFFICE	090106200DB		5.00	17	2,555.			2,555.	1,820.		294.
66	EQUIPMENT	032306200DB		5.00	17	2,325.			2,325.	1,655.		268.
67	EQUIPMENT	050306200DB		5.00	17	1,200.			1,200.	854.		138.
68	EQUIPMENT	060106200DB		5.00	17	2,745.			2,745.	1,954.		316.
69	EQUIPMENT	060706200DB		5.00	17	464.			464.	330.		53.
70	FURNITURE AND FIXTURES	030806200DB		7.00	17	526.			526.	296.		66.
71	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	100606200DB		5.00	17	801.			801.	416.		154.
72	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	020807200DB		5.00	17	1,381.			1,381.	718.		265.

828102  
 04-25-08  
 (D) - Asset disposed  
 \* ITC, Section 179, Salvage, Bonus, Commercial Revitalization Deduction, GO Zone

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Asset No	Description	Date Acquired	Method	Life	Line No	Unadjusted Cost Or Basis	Bus % Excl	Reduction In Basis	Basis For Depreciation	Accumulated Depreciation	Current Sec 179	Current Year Deduction
73	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	040407200	DB5.00	17		904.			904.	470.		174.
74	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	060707200	DB5.00	17		1,637.			1,637.	851.		314.
75	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	062807200	DB5.00	17		576.			576.	299.		111.
76	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	071207200	DB5.00	17		245.			245.	127.		47.
77	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	110107200	DB5.00	17		2,040.			2,040.	408.		653.
78	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	120307200	DB5.00	17		1,960.			1,960.	392.		627.
79	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	020108200	DB5.00	17		1,084.		542.	542.	108.		173.
80	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	080108200	DB5.00	17		718.		359.	359.	72.		115.
81	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	091508200	DB5.00	17		894.		447.	447.	89.		143.
82	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	100208200	DB5.00	19B		1,510.		755.	755.			1,019.
83	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	100208200	DB5.00	19B		1,908.		954.	954.			1,288.
84	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	070109200	DB5.00	19B		1,674.		837.	837.			879.
85	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	080509200	DB5.00	19B		1,642.		821.	821.			862.
86	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	080509200	DB5.00	19B		3,755.		1,878.	1,877.			1,972.
87	COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	080509200	DB5.00	19B		386.		193.	193.			203.
88	OFFICE EQUIPMENT	070109200	DB5.00	19B		1,120.		560.	560.			588.
	* TOTAL 990 PAGE 10 DEPR					217,764.		39,976.	177,788.	150,212.	0.	12,555.

## FOOTNOTES

STATEMENT 1

EDUCATION LAW CENTER INC  
LIST OF TRUSTEES FOR FORM 990 PAGE 4 PART V

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STATEMENT OF PROGRAM SERVICE ACCOMPLISHMENTS  
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2009

EDUCATION LAW CENTER: HISTORY AND ACTIVITIES

FOUNDED IN 1973, EDUCATION LAW CENTER IS A PUBLIC INTEREST LAW FIRM THAT PROVIDES FREE LEGAL ASSISTANCE TO CHILDREN, PARENTS, AND COMMUNITY GROUPS IN MATTERS INVOLVING PUBLIC ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION IN NEW JERSEY. ELC'S PRIMARY MISSION IS TO ASSURE EQUAL EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITY TO POOR CHILDREN, MINORITY CHILDREN, AND CHILDREN WITH DISABILITIES.

THE MAJOR FOCUS OF ELC'S PROGRAM HAS LONG BEEN THE EDUCATIONAL RIGHTS OF POOR AND MINORITY CHILDREN IN NEW JERSEY'S POOR URBAN DISTRICTS. IN ADDITION, EVEN THOUGH ELC RECEIVES NO FEDERAL FUNDING TO PROTECT THE EDUCATION OF CHILDREN WITH DISABILITIES, CLOSE TO 70% OF ELC'S REQUESTS FOR ASSISTANCE CONCERN PROBLEMS RELATING TO THE EDUCATION OF CHILDREN WITH DISABILITIES. MORE THAN THREE-FOURTHS OF THESE REQUESTS COME FROM PARENTS OR PROFESSIONALS IN NEW JERSEY'S POOR URBAN DISTRICTS. THE QUALITY OF ELC'S ADVOCACY ON BEHALF OF THESE CHILDREN IS RECOGNIZED. STATE GOVERNMENT ATTORNEYS WHO ARE FEDERALLY FUNDED PURCHASE ELC PUBLICATIONS FOR DISTRIBUTION TO PARENTS OF CHILDREN WITH DISABILITIES. THE ELC MISSION IS REALIZED THROUGH THE PROVISION OF FOUR SERVICES. THROUGH "CONFLICT RESOLUTION" ELC PROVIDES INFORMATION, COUNSELING, AND, WHEN NECESSARY, DIRECT INTERVENTION FOR PARENTS WITH SCHOOL AUTHORITIES. "PUBLIC EDUCATION" ON THE LAWS GOVERNING THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS IS CONDUCTED THROUGH PUBLIC PRESENTATIONS, WORKSHOPS, AND THE PRODUCTION AND DISTRIBUTION OF 30 PUBLICATIONS. ELC STAFF CONDUCT "OUTREACH" TO NUMEROUS ORGANIZATIONS, INSTITUTIONS, AND AGENCIES THROUGHOUT NJ OVER THE YEARS AND "ADVOCACY" BEFORE ALL THREE BRANCHES OF GOVERNMENT. WHEN EFFORTS AT CONFLICT RESOLUTION FAIL, ELC ATTORNEYS PROVIDE LEGAL REPRESENTATION AT ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS AND IN COURT IN INDIVIDUAL AND CLASS ACTION CASES WHICH HAVE WIDESPREAD APPLICATION.

A SIGNIFICANT PORTION OF STAFF TIME IS DEVOTED TO PROVIDING DIRECT LEGAL ASSISTANCE TO INDIVIDUAL PARENTS AND STUDENTS AND TO PROVIDING TRAINING TO PARENT GROUPS AND TO STAFF OF NON-PROFIT AND PUBLIC AGENCIES. PARENTS OR STUDENT IN NEW JERSEY WHO HAS AN "EDUCATION LAW" PROBLEM CAN SPEAK WITH ONE OF ELC'S THREE ATTORNEYS, OR BE REFERRED ELSEWHERE. OVER THE YEARS THOUSANDS OF PARENTS, SERVICE-PROVIDERS, AND ATTORNEYS CALL EACH YEAR; AND, IN ADDITION, TO LEGAL ADVICE, THEY RECEIVE COPIES OF ELC PUBLICATIONS ON SPECIFIC PROBLEMS ARISING IN EVERY AREA OF PUBLIC SCHOOL EDUCATION.

**Depreciation and Amortization** 990  
 (Including Information on Listed Property)

▶ See separate instructions. ▶ Attach to your tax return.

Name(s) shown on return: **EDUCATION LAW CENTER, INC.**  
 Business or activity to which this form relates: **FORM 990 PAGE 10**  
 Identifying number: **22-2014555**

**Part I Election To Expense Certain Property Under Section 179** Note: If you have any listed property, complete Part V before you complete Part I

1	Maximum amount See the instructions for a higher limit for certain businesses	1	250,000.
2	Total cost of section 179 property placed in service (see instructions)	2	
3	Threshold cost of section 179 property before reduction in limitation	3	800,000.
4	Reduction in limitation Subtract line 3 from line 2. If zero or less, enter -0-	4	
5	Dollar limitation for tax year Subtract line 4 from line 1. If zero or less, enter -0-. If married filing separately, see instructions	5	
6	(a) Description of property	(b) Cost (business use only)	(c) Elected cost
7	Listed property Enter the amount from line 29	7	
8	Total elected cost of section 179 property Add amounts in column (c), lines 6 and 7	8	
9	Tentative deduction Enter the smaller of line 5 or line 8	9	
10	Carryover of disallowed deduction from line 13 of your 2007 Form 4562	10	
11	Business income limitation Enter the smaller of business income (not less than zero) or line 5	11	
12	Section 179 expense deduction Add lines 9 and 10, but do not enter more than line 11	12	
13	Carryover of disallowed deduction to 2009 Add lines 9 and 10, less line 12	13	

Note: Do not use Part II or Part III below for listed property. Instead, use Part V

**Part II Special Depreciation Allowance and Other Depreciation (Do not include listed property)**

14	Special depreciation for qualified property (other than listed property) placed in service during the tax year	14	5,998.
15	Property subject to section 168(f)(1) election	15	
16	Other depreciation (including ACRS)	16	117.

**Part III MACRS Depreciation (Do not include listed property)** (See instructions)

**Section A**

17	MACRS deductions for assets placed in service in tax years beginning before 2008	17	5,627.
18	If you are electing to group any assets placed in service during the tax year into one or more general asset accounts, check here		<input type="checkbox"/>

**Section B - Assets Placed in Service During 2008 Tax Year Using the General Depreciation System**

(a) Classification of property	(b) Month and year placed in service	(c) Basis for depreciation (business/investment use only - see instructions)	(d) Recovery period	(e) Convention	(f) Method	(g) Depreciation deduction
19a 3-year property						
b 5-year property		5,997.	5 YRS.	MO	200DB	813.
c 7-year property						
d 10-year property						
e 15-year property						
f 20-year property						
g 25-year property			25 yrs		S/L	
h Residential rental property	/		27 5 yrs	MM	S/L	
	/		27 5 yrs	MM	S/L	
i Nonresidential real property	/		39 yrs	MM	S/L	
	/			MM	S/L	

**Section C - Assets Placed in Service During 2008 Tax Year Using the Alternative Depreciation System**

20a	Class life				S/L	
b	12-year		12 yrs		S/L	
c	40-year	/	40 yrs	MM	S/L	

**Part IV Summary (See instructions)**

21	Listed property Enter amount from line 28	21	
22	Total. Add amounts from line 12, lines 14 through 17, lines 19 and 20 in column (g), and line 21. Enter here and on the appropriate lines of your return. Partnerships and S corporations - see instr	22	12,555.
23	For assets shown above and placed in service during the current year, enter the portion of the basis attributable to section 263A costs	23	

Part V Listed Property (Include automobiles, certain other vehicles, cellular telephones, certain computers, and property used for entertainment, recreation, or amusement)

Note: For any vehicle for which you are using the standard mileage rate or deducting lease expense, complete only 24a, 24b, columns (a) through (c) of Section A, all of Section B, and Section C if applicable

Section A - Depreciation and Other Information (Caution: See the instructions for limits for passenger automobiles)

24a Do you have evidence to support the business/investment use claimed? [X] Yes [ ] No 24b If "Yes," is the evidence written? [X] Yes [ ] No

Table with columns (a) Type of property, (b) Date placed in service, (c) Business/investment use percentage, (d) Cost or other basis, (e) Basis for depreciation, (f) Recovery period, (g) Method/Convention, (h) Depreciation deduction, (i) Elected section 179 cost. Row 25: Special depreciation allowance for qualified listed property placed in service during the tax year and used more than 50% in a qualified business use.

Row 26: Property used more than 50% in a qualified business use. Includes a table with columns (a) through (i) and a percentage column.

Row 27: Property used 50% or less in a qualified business use. Includes a table with columns (a) through (i) and a percentage column.

28 Add amounts in column (h), lines 25 through 27 Enter here and on line 21, page 1

29 Add amounts in column (i), line 26 Enter here and on line 7, page 1

Section B - Information on Use of Vehicles

Complete this section for vehicles used by a sole proprietor, partner, or other "more than 5% owner," or related person. If you provided vehicles to your employees, first answer the questions in Section C to see if you meet an exception to completing this section for those vehicles

Table for Section B with columns (a) through (f) Vehicle. Rows 30-36: 30 Total business/investment miles driven during the year (do not include commuting miles); 31 Total commuting miles driven during the year; 32 Total other personal (noncommuting) miles driven; 33 Total miles driven during the year; 34 Was the vehicle available for personal use during off duty hours?; 35 Was the vehicle used primarily by a more than 5% owner or related person?; 36 Is another vehicle available for personal use?

Section C - Questions for Employers Who Provide Vehicles for Use by Their Employees

Answer these questions to determine if you meet an exception to completing Section B for vehicles used by employees who are not more than 5% owners or related persons

Table for Section C with columns Yes/No. Rows 37-41: 37 Do you maintain a written policy statement that prohibits all personal use of vehicles, including commuting, by your employees?; 38 Do you maintain a written policy statement that prohibits personal use of vehicles, except commuting, by your employees?; 39 Do you treat all use of vehicles by employees as personal use?; 40 Do you provide more than five vehicles to your employees, obtain information from your employees about the use of the vehicles, and retain the information received?; 41 Do you meet the requirements concerning qualified automobile demonstration use?

Note. If your answer to 37, 38, 39, 40, or 41 is "Yes," do not complete Section B for the covered vehicles

Part VI Amortization

Table for Part VI with columns (a) Description of costs, (b) Date amortization begins, (c) Amortizable amount, (d) Code section, (e) Amortization period or percentage, (f) Amortization for this year. Rows 42-44: 42 Amortization of costs that begins during your 2008 tax year; 43 Amortization of costs that began before your 2008 tax year; 44 Total. Add amounts in column (f) See the instructions for where to report

FORM 4562, PART V LISTED PROPERTY INFORMATION-MORE THAN 50% STATEMENT 2

(A) DESCRIPTION	(B) DATE	(C) BUS. %	(D) COST	(E) BASIS	(F) LIFE	(G) MTH/CV	(H) DEDUCTION	(I) 179 ELECTED
(J) AUTO NO	(K) TOTAL MILES	(L) BUSINESS MILES	(M) COMMUTING MILES	(N) PERSONAL MILES	(O) WAS VEH. AVAIL.? Y N	(P) > 5% OWNER? Y N	(Q) ANOTHER VEH. AVAILABLE? Y N	
COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	01/09/96	100.00	1,410.	1,410.	5.00	200DB-HY		
COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	01/03/96	100.00	3,033.	3,033.	5.00	200DB-HY		
COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	01/03/96	100.00	2,743.	2,743.	5.00	200DB-HY		
COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	01/03/96	100.00	2,594.	2,594.	5.00	200DB-HY		
COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	01/30/96	100.00	2,153.	2,153.	5.00	200DB-HY		
COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	03/05/96	100.00	1,249.	1,249.	5.00	200DB-HY		
COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	09/20/96	100.00	1,673.	1,673.	5.00	200DB-HY		
COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	02/08/96	100.00	481.	481.	5.00	200DB-HY		
COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	02/16/96	100.00	2,498.	2,498.	5.00	200DB-HY		
COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	02/14/96	100.00	1,424.	1,424.	5.00	200DB-HY		
OFFICE EQUIPMENT AND	VARIOUS	100.00	28,042.	28,042.	.000	200DB-HY		
COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	05/06/97	100.00	1,893.	1,893.	5.00	200DB-HY		
COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	09/12/97	100.00	1,908.	1,908.	5.00	200DB-HY		

COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	02/24/97	100.00	3,858.	3,858.	5.00	200DB-HY
COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	10/01/96	100.00	564.	564.	7.00	200DB-HY
COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	05/18/97	100.00	416.	416.	7.00	200DB-HY
COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	06/29/98	100.00	2,038.	2,038.	5.00	200DB-HY
COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	02/19/98	100.00	3,173.	3,173.	5.00	200DB-HY
COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	02/24/98	100.00	495.	495.	5.00	200DB-HY

TOTAL TO FORM 4562, PART V, LINE 26

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Form **8868**  
(Rev April 2008)  
Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

### Application for Extension of Time To File an Exempt Organization Return

OMB No 1545-1709

► File a separate application for each return

- If you are filing for an **Automatic 3-Month Extension**, complete only **Part I** and check this box
  - If you are filing for an **Additional (Not Automatic) 3-Month Extension**, complete only **Part II** (on page 2 of this form).
- Do not complete Part II unless you have already been granted an automatic 3-month extension on a previously filed Form 8868**

**Part I Automatic 3-Month Extension of Time.** Only submit original (no copies needed).

A corporation required to file Form 990-T and requesting an automatic 6-month extension—check this box and complete Part I only

All other corporations (including 1120-C filers), partnerships, REMICs, and trusts must use Form 7004 to request an extension of time to file income tax returns

**Electronic Filing (e-file).** Generally, you can electronically file Form 8868 if you want a 3-month automatic extension of time to file one of the returns noted below (6 months for a corporation required to file Form 990-T) However, you cannot file Form 8868 electronically if (1) you want the additional (not automatic) 3-month extension or (2) you file Forms 990-BL, 6069, or 8870, group returns, or a composite or consolidated Form 990-T. Instead, you must submit the fully completed and signed page 2 (Part II) of Form 8868. For more details on the electronic filing of this form, visit [www.irs.gov/efile](http://www.irs.gov/efile) and click on *e-file for Charities & Nonprofits*.

Type or print  File by the due date for filing your return. See instructions	Name of Exempt Organization Education Law Center, Inc.	Employer identification number 22-2014555
	Number, street, and room or suite no. If a P O box, see instructions c/o M.I. Grossman & Co., CPA's, LLC 1496 Morris Avenue	
	City, town or post office, state, and ZIP code. For a foreign address, see instructions Union, New Jersey 07083	

**Check type of return to be filed (file a separate application for each return)**

- |  |  |                                    |
|--|--|------------------------------------|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form 990 | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-T (corporation)                | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 4720 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-BL         | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-T (sec 401(a) or 408(a) trust) | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 5227 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-EZ         | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-T (trust other than above)     | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 6069 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-PF         | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 1041-A                             | <input type="checkbox"/> Form 8870 |

• The books are in the care of ► Education Law Center, Inc.

Telephone No ► (973) 624-1815 FAX No ► (973) 624-7339

- If the organization does not have an office or place of business in the United States, check this box
- If this is for a Group Return, enter the organization's four digit Group Exemption Number (GEN) \_\_\_\_\_ . If this is for the whole group, check this box  . If it is for part of the group, check this box  and attach a list with the names and EINs of all members the extension will cover

1 I request an automatic 3-month (6 months for a corporation required to file Form 990-T) extension of time until May 15, 2010, to file the exempt organization return for the organization named above. The extension is for the organization's return for  
►  calendar year 20\_\_\_\_ or  
►  tax year beginning October 1, 2008, and ending September 30, 2009

2 If this tax year is for less than 12 months, check reason  Initial return  Final return  Change in accounting period

3a If this application is for Form 990-BL, 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter the tentative tax, less any nonrefundable credits. See instructions	3a \$	0.
b If this application is for Form 990-PF or 990-T, enter any refundable credits and estimated tax payments made. Include any prior year overpayment allowed as a credit.	3b \$	
c <b>Balance Due.</b> Subtract line 3b from line 3a. Include your payment with this form, or, if required, deposit with FTD coupon or, if required, by using EFTPS (Electronic Federal Tax Payment System). See instructions	3c \$	0.

**Caution.** If you are going to make an electronic fund withdrawal with this Form 8868, see Form 8453-EO and Form 8879-EO for payment instructions

For Privacy Act and Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see Instructions.

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- If you are filing for an **Additional (Not Automatic) 3-Month Extension**, complete only **Part II** and check this box  **Note.** Only complete Part II if you have already been granted an automatic 3-month extension on a previously filed Form 8868
- If you are filing for an **Automatic 3-Month Extension**, complete only **Part I** (on page 1)

<b>Part II Additional (Not Automatic) 3-Month Extension of Time.</b> You must file original and one copy.			
Type or print  File by the extended due date for filing the return See instructions	Name of Exempt Organization		Employer identification number
	Education Law Center, Inc.		22-2014555
	Number, street, and room or suite no If a P O box, see instructions		For IRS use only
	c/o M I Grossman & Co , CPA's, LLC 1496 Morris Avenue		
	City, town or post office, state, and ZIP code For a foreign address, see instructions		
	Union, New Jersey 07083		

**Check type of return to be filed** (File a separate application for each return):

<input type="checkbox"/> Form 990	<input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-PF	<input type="checkbox"/> Form 1041-A	<input type="checkbox"/> Form 6069
<input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-BL	<input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-T (sec 401(a) or 408(a) trust)	<input type="checkbox"/> Form 4720	<input type="checkbox"/> Form 8870
<input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-EZ	<input type="checkbox"/> Form 990-T (trust other than above)	<input type="checkbox"/> Form 5227	

**STOP! Do not complete Part II if you were not already granted an automatic 3-month extension on a previously filed Form 8868.**

- The books are in the care of \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone No ▶ \_\_\_\_\_ FAX No ▶ \_\_\_\_\_
  - If the organization does not have an office or place of business in the United States, check this box
  - If this is for a Group Return, enter the organization's four digit Group Exemption Number (GEN) \_\_\_\_\_ If this is for the whole group, check this box  If it is for part of the group, check this box  and attach a list with the names and EINs of all members the extension is for
- 4 I request an additional 3-month extension of time until \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_
- 5 For calendar year \_\_\_\_\_, or other tax year beginning \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, and ending \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_.
- 6 If this tax year is for less than 12 months, check reason.  Initial return  Final return  Change in accounting period
- 7 State in detail why you need the extension

<b>8a</b> If this application is for Form 990-BL, 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter the tentative tax, less any nonrefundable credits See instructions	<b>8a</b> \$	
<b>b</b> If this application is for Form 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter any refundable credits and estimated tax payments made Include any prior year overpayment allowed as a credit and any amount paid previously with Form 8868	<b>8b</b> \$	
<b>c Balance Due.</b> Subtract line 8b from line 8a Include your payment with this form, or, if required, deposit with FTD coupon or, if required, by using EFTPS (Electronic Federal Tax Payment System) See instructions	<b>8c</b> \$	0.

**Signature and Verification**

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this form, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete, and that I am authorized to prepare this form

Signature ▶ *M. I. Grossman, CPA* Title ▶ CPA Date ▶ 02/02/2010