

**IRS e-file Signature Authorization  
for an Exempt Organization**

For calendar year 2012, or fiscal year beginning NOV 1, 2012, and ending OCT 31, 2013

**2012**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

▶ **Do not send to the IRS. Keep for your records.**

Name of exempt organization <b>SOUTHERN POVERTY LAW CENTER, INC.</b>	Employer identification number <b>63-0598743</b>
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Name and title of officer  
**TEENIE HUTCHISON  
SECRETARY/TREASURER**

**Part I Type of Return and Return Information** (Whole Dollars Only)

Check the box for the return for which you are using this Form 8879-EO and enter the applicable amount, if any, from the return. If you check the box on line 1a, 2a, 3a, 4a, or 5a, below, and the amount on that line for the return being filed with this form was blank, then leave line 1b, 2b, 3b, 4b, or 5b, whichever is applicable, blank (do not enter -0-). But, if you entered -0- on the return, then enter -0- on the applicable line below. Do not complete more than 1 line in Part I.

1a Form 990 check here ▶ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	b Total revenue, if any (Form 990, Part VIII, column (A), line 12) .....	1b	<u>42742124</u>
2a Form 990-EZ check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>	b Total revenue, if any (Form 990-EZ, line 9) .....	2b	
3a Form 1120-POL check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>	b Total tax (Form 1120-POL, line 22) .....	3b	
4a Form 990-PF check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>	b Tax based on investment income (Form 990-PF, Part VI, line 5) .....	4b	
5a Form 8868 check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>	b Balance Due (Form 8868, Part I, line 3c or Part II, line 8c) .....	5b	

**Part II Declaration and Signature Authorization of Officer**

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I am an officer of the above organization and that I have examined a copy of the organization's 2012 electronic return and accompanying schedules and statements and to the best of my knowledge and belief, they are true, correct, and complete. I further declare that the amount in Part I above is the amount shown on the copy of the organization's electronic return. I consent to allow my intermediate service provider, transmitter, or electronic return originator (ERO) to send the organization's return to the IRS and to receive from the IRS (a) an acknowledgement of receipt or reason for rejection of the transmission, (b) the reason for any delay in processing the return or refund, and (c) the date of any refund. If applicable, I authorize the U.S. Treasury and its designated Financial Agent to initiate an electronic funds withdrawal (direct debit) entry to the financial institution account indicated in the tax preparation software for payment of the organization's federal taxes owed on this return, and the financial institution to debit the entry to this account. To revoke a payment, I must contact the U.S. Treasury Financial Agent at 1-888-353-4537 no later than 2 business days prior to the payment (settlement) date. I also authorize the financial institutions involved in the processing of the electronic payment of taxes to receive confidential information necessary to answer inquiries and resolve issues related to the payment. I have selected a personal identification number (PIN) as my signature for the organization's electronic return and, if applicable, the organization's consent to electronic funds withdrawal.

**Officer's PIN: check one box only**

I authorize JACKSON THORNTON & CO., P.C. to enter my PIN 08130

ERO firm name Enter five numbers, but do not enter all zeros

as my signature on the organization's tax year 2012 electronically filed return. If I have indicated within this return that a copy of the return is being filed with a state agency(ies) regulating charities as part of the IRS Fed/State program, I also authorize the aforementioned ERO to enter my PIN on the return's disclosure consent screen.

As an officer of the organization, I will enter my PIN as my signature on the organization's tax year 2012 electronically filed return. If I have indicated within this return that a copy of the return is being filed with a state agency(ies) regulating charities as part of the IRS Fed/State program, I will enter my PIN on the return's disclosure consent screen.

Officer's signature ▶ Teenie Hutchison Date ▶ February 6, 2014

**Part III Certification and Authentication**

**ERO's EFIN/PIN.** Enter your six-digit electronic filing identification number (EFIN) followed by your five-digit self-selected PIN.

**63479397613**  
do not enter all zeros

I certify that the above numeric entry is my PIN, which is my signature on the 2012 electronically filed return for the organization indicated above. I confirm that I am submitting this return in accordance with the requirements of Pub. 4163, Modernized e-File (MeF) Information for Authorized IRS e-file Providers for Business Returns.

ERO's signature ▶ [Signature] Date ▶ 01/07/14

**ERO Must Retain This Form - See Instructions  
Do Not Submit This Form To the IRS Unless Requested To Do So**

# 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)

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

**A For the 2012 calendar year, or tax year beginning** NOV 1, 2012 **and ending** OCT 31, 2013

<b>B</b> Check if applicable:  <input type="checkbox"/> Address change <input type="checkbox"/> Name change <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return <input type="checkbox"/> Terminated <input type="checkbox"/> Amended return <input type="checkbox"/> Application pending	<b>C Name of organization</b> SOUTHERN POVERTY LAW CENTER, INC. <b>Doing Business As</b> Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite P. O. BOX 548 City, town, or post office, state, and ZIP code MONTGOMERY, AL 36104 <b>F Name and address of principal officer:</b> J. RICHARD COHEN 403 WASHINGTON AVENUE, MONTGOMERY, AL 36104	<b>D Employer identification number</b> 63-0598743 <b>E Telephone number</b> (334)956-8349 <b>G Gross receipts \$</b> 66,935,392. <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)(3) <input type="checkbox"/> 501(c) ( ) (insert no.) <input type="checkbox"/> 4947(a)(1) or <input type="checkbox"/> 527		
<b>J Website:</b> ▶ SPLCENTER.ORG; TEACHINGTOLERANCE.ORG		
<b>K Form 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> 1971		<b>M State of legal domicile:</b> AL

**Part I Summary**

<b>1</b>	Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities: THE CENTER IS DEDICATED TO FIGHTING HATE AND BIGOTRY AND TO SEEKING JUSTICE FOR THE MOST		
<b>2</b>	Check this box <input type="checkbox"/> if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its net assets.		
<b>3</b>	Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a)	<b>3</b>	10
<b>4</b>	Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)	<b>4</b>	10
<b>5</b>	Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2012 (Part V, line 2a)	<b>5</b>	271
<b>6</b>	Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)	<b>6</b>	17
<b>7a</b>	Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12	<b>7a</b>	0.
<b>7b</b>	Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34	<b>7b</b>	-209,371.
<b>Revenue</b>	<b>8</b> Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)	Prior Year	Current Year
	<b>9</b> Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)	38,759,765.	37,503,868.
	<b>10</b> Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)	157,287.	1,219,629.
	<b>11</b> Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)	1,390,097.	3,895,158.
	<b>12</b> Total revenue - add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	111,219.	123,469.
		40,418,368.	42,742,124.
<b>Expenses</b>	<b>13</b> Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3)	0.	0.
	<b>14</b> Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)	0.	0.
	<b>15</b> Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-10)	15,844,141.	16,527,919.
	<b>16a</b> Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)	2,218,356.	2,537,049.
	<b>b</b> Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) ▶ 8,797,876.		
	<b>17</b> Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24e)	20,174,853.	20,961,821.
	<b>18</b> Total expenses. Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	38,237,350.	40,026,789.
<b>19</b> Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 18 from line 12	2,181,018.	2,715,335.	
<b>Net Assets or Fund Balances</b>	<b>20</b> Total assets (Part X, line 16)	Beginning of Current Year	End of Year
	<b>21</b> Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)	279,420,404.	314,344,507.
	<b>22</b> Net assets or fund balances. Subtract line 21 from line 20	22,865,646.	23,139,626.
		256,554,758.	291,204,881.

**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.

<b>Sign Here</b>	Signature of officer: <i>Teenie Hutchison</i> TEENIE HUTCHISON, SECRETARY/TREASURER Type or print name and title	Date: 2/6/14 02/06/2014
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<b>Paid Preparer Use Only</b>	Print/Type preparer's name LUCINDA S. BOLLINGER	Preparer's signature LUCINDA S. BOLLINGER	Date 02/03/14	Check if self-employed <input type="checkbox"/>	PTIN P00187613
	Firm's name ▶ JACKSON THORNTON & CO., P.C. Firm's address ▶ P. O. BOX 96 MONTGOMERY, AL 36101-0096	Firm's EIN ▶ 63-1035228	Phone no. 334-834-7660		

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

Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part III [X]

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission: THE CENTER IS DEDICATED TO FIGHTING HATE AND BIGOTRY AND TO SEEKING JUSTICE FOR THE MOST VULNERABLE MEMBERS OF OUR SOCIETY. USING LITIGATION, EDUCATION AND OTHER FORMS OF ADVOCACY, THE CENTER WORKS TOWARD THE DAY WHEN THE IDEALS OF EQUAL JUSTICE AND EQUAL OPPORTUNITY

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

4a (Code: ) (Expenses \$ 12,901,226. including grants of \$ ) (Revenue \$ 1,218,302.) THE SOUTHERN POVERTY LAW CENTER (SPLC) SEEKS JUSTICE BY SUPPORTING VICTIMS OF CIVIL RIGHTS ABUSES AND HATE CRIMES, AND PROMOTING THE CIVIL AND HUMAN RIGHTS OF GROUPS MOST AFFECTED BY BIAS AND DISCRIMINATION IN OUR SOCIETY: MINORITIES, IMMIGRANTS, GUEST WORKERS, CHILDREN, THE POOR, AND THE LGBT COMMUNITY - BOTH IN THE DEEP SOUTH AND NATIONWIDE. ITS CASE DOCKET FOCUSES ON HOLDING HATE GROUPS ACCOUNTABLE FOR MURDERS AND OTHER VIOLENT ACTS COMMITTED BY THEIR MEMBERS; ENDING WORKPLACE EXPLOITATION OF IMMIGRANTS; CHALLENGING UNCONSTITUTIONAL OR DISCRIMINATORY LAWS AND POLICIES AFFECTING IMMIGRANTS, MINORITIES AND THE LGBT COMMUNITY; AND WORKING TO REFORM JUVENILE JUSTICE, MENTAL HEALTH, AND EDUCATION SYSTEMS THAT FAIL CHILDREN AND ROUTINELY PUSH STUDENTS OUT OF CLASSROOMS AND INTO THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM,

4b (Code: ) (Expenses \$ 13,259,237. including grants of \$ ) (Revenue \$ 37,412.) THE SPLC'S PUBLIC INFORMATION AND EDUCATION EFFORTS SEEK TO COMBAT HATE AND BIAS IN OUR SOCIETY, EXPOSE EXTREMISM, AND REDUCE DISCRIMINATION AND INJUSTICE. THE SPLC PROVIDES INFORMATION ABOUT HATE GROUPS AND OTHER EXTREMISTS, THEIR ACTIVITIES AND THEIR CRIMES TO THE PUBLIC, LAW ENFORCEMENT, POLICYMAKERS, HUMAN RIGHTS ORGANIZATIONS, AND THE MEDIA WITH THE GOAL OF PREVENTING HATE AND EXTREMISM FROM ENTERING THE MAINSTREAM. THE SPLC PROVIDES INFORMATION AND TRAINING MATERIALS TO TENS OF THOUSANDS OF LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS NATIONWIDE AND CONDUCTS IN-PERSON TRAINING WITH THOUSANDS OF OFFICERS PER YEAR. THE SPLC ALSO SEEKS TO FOSTER EQUALITY IN THE CLASSROOM AND SUPPORT TOLERANCE EDUCATION BY PROVIDING AWARD-WINNING, ANTI-BIAS MATERIALS TO MORE THAN 400,000 TEACHERS AND SCHOOLS NATIONWIDE. THE SPLC EDUCATES THE PUBLIC

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 26,160,463.

**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 <i>Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors</i> ?	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, or have a section 501(h) election in effect during the tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II</i>	X	
5 Is the organization a section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6) organization that receives membership dues, assessments, or similar amounts as defined in Revenue Procedure 98-19? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III</i>		X
6 Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds or any similar funds or accounts for which donors have the right to provide advice on the distribution or investment of amounts in such funds or accounts? <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, for escrow or custodial account liability; serve as a custodian for amounts not listed in Part X; or provide credit counseling, debt management, credit repair, or debt negotiation services? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IV</i>	X	
10 Did the organization, directly or through a related organization, hold assets in temporarily restricted endowments, permanent endowments, or quasi-endowments? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V</i>	X	
11 If the organization's answer to any of the following questions is "Yes," then complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VII, VIII, IX, or X as applicable.		
a Did the organization report an amount for land, buildings, and equipment in Part X, line 10? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VI</i>	X	
b Did the organization report an amount for investments - other securities in Part X, line 12 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VII</i>	X	
c Did the organization report an amount for investments - program related in Part X, line 13 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VIII</i>		X
d Did the organization report an amount for other assets in Part X, line 15 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IX</i>		X
e Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X</i>	X	
f Did the organization's separate or consolidated financial statements for the tax year include a footnote that addresses the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48 (ASC 740)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X</i>		X
12a Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts XI and XII</i>	X	
b Was the organization included in consolidated, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? <i>If "Yes," and if the organization answered "No" to line 12a, then completing Schedule D, Parts XI and XII is optional</i>		X
13 Is the organization a school 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 United States?		X
b Did the organization have aggregate revenues or expenses of more than \$10,000 from grantmaking, fundraising, business, investment, and program service activities outside the United States, or aggregate foreign investments valued at \$100,000 or more? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts I and IV</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, Parts II and IV</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, Parts III and IV</i>		X
17 Did the organization report a total of more than \$15,000 of expenses for professional fundraising services on Part IX, column (A), lines 6 and 11e? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part I</i>	X	
18 Did the organization report more than \$15,000 total of fundraising event gross income and contributions on Part VIII, lines 1c and 8a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part II</i>		X
19 Did the organization report more than \$15,000 of gross income from gaming activities on Part VIII, line 9a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part III</i>		X
20a Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule H</i>		X
b If "Yes" to line 20a, did the organization attach a copy of its audited financial statements to this return?		

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

		Yes	No
21	Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants and other assistance to any government or organization in the United States on Part IX, column (A), line 17? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II</i>		X
22	Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants and other assistance to individuals in the United States 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, line 3, 4, or 5 about compensation of the organization's current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J</i>	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 lines 24b through 24d and complete Schedule K. If "No," go to line 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	Is the organization aware that it engaged in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person in a prior year, and that the transaction has not been reported on any of the organization's prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i>		X
26	Was a loan to or by a current or former officer, director, trustee, key employee, highest 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, substantial contributor or employee thereof, a grant selection committee member, or to a 35% controlled entity or family member of any of these persons? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III</i>		X
28	Was the organization a party to a business transaction with one of the following parties (see Schedule L, Part IV instructions for applicable filing thresholds, conditions, and exceptions):		
a	A current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>		X
b	A family member of a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>		X
c	An entity of which a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee (or a family member thereof) was an officer, director, trustee, or direct or indirect owner? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>		X
29	Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i>	X	
30	Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i>		X
31	Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I</i>		X
32	Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part II</i>		X
33	Did the organization own 100% of an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations sections 301.7701-2 and 301.7701-3? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part I</i>		X
34	Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part II, III, or IV, and Part V, line 1</i>		X
35a	Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?		X
b	If "Yes" to line 35a, did the organization receive any payment from or engage in any transaction with a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i>		
36	<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
37	Did the organization conduct more than 5% of its activities through an entity that is not a related organization and that is treated as a partnership for federal income tax purposes? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part VI</i>		X
38	Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations in Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11b and 19? <b>Note.</b> All Form 990 filers are required to complete Schedule O	X	

Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part V

Table with columns for question number, description, sub-questions (1a-14b), and Yes/No columns. Includes questions about Form 1096, Form W-2G, backup withholding, employees, unrelated business income, foreign accounts, tax shelter transactions, charitable contributions, and sponsoring organizations.

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

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part VI

X

Section A. Governing Body and Management

Table with columns for question number, description, and Yes/No responses. Includes questions 1a through 9 regarding governing body members, relationships, and documentation.

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

Table with columns for question number, description, and Yes/No responses. Includes questions 10a through 16b regarding local chapters, conflict of interest, whistleblower policies, and joint ventures.

Section C. Disclosure

- List of disclosure questions 17 through 20, including state requirements for Form 990 availability and physical address information for Teenie Hutchison.

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

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part VII

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

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

- List all of the organization's **current** officers, directors, trustees (whether individuals or organizations), regardless of amount of compensation. Enter -0- in columns (D), (E), and (F) if no compensation was paid.
- List all of the organization's **current** key employees, if any. See instructions for definition of "key employee."
- List the organization's five **current** highest compensated employees (other than an officer, director, trustee, or key employee) who received reportable compensation (Box 5 of Form W-2 and/or Box 7 of Form 1099-MISC) of more than \$100,000 from the organization and any related organizations.
- List all of the organization's **former** officers, key employees, and highest compensated employees who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations.
- List all of the organization's **former** directors or trustees that received, in the capacity as a former director or trustee of the organization, more than \$10,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations.

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

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

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
(1) ELLEN SUDOW DIRECTOR	0.00	X					0.	0.	0.	
(2) HOWARD MANDELL OUTGOING DIRECTOR	0.00	X					0.	0.	0.	
(3) JAMES MCELROY DIRECTOR	0.00	X					0.	0.	0.	
(4) VANZETTA MCPHERSON DIRECTOR	0.00	X					0.	0.	0.	
(5) MARSHA LEVICK DIRECTOR	0.00	X					0.	0.	0.	
(6) JAMES RUCKER DIRECTOR	0.00	X					0.	0.	0.	
(7) ALAN HOWARD DIRECTOR	0.00	X					0.	0.	0.	
(8) RICHARD COHEN PRESIDENT/CEO	40.00	X		X			309,785.	0.	40,058.	
(9) TEENIE HUTCHISON SECRETARY/TREASURER	40.00	X		X			140,472.	0.	28,015.	
(10) WILL LITTLE DIRECTOR	0.00	X					0.	0.	0.	
(11) LIDA ORZECK DIRECTOR	0.00	X					0.	0.	0.	
(12) ELDEN ROSENTHAL DIRECTOR	0.00	X					0.	0.	0.	
(13) HENRY SOLANO DIRECTOR	0.00	X					0.	0.	0.	
(14) BRYAN FAIR DIRECTOR	0.00	X					0.	0.	0.	
(15) JOSEPH J. LEVIN, JR. GENERAL COUNSEL	40.00				X		159,655.	0.	30,114.	
(16) MORRIS DEES CHIEF TRIAL COUNSEL	40.00				X		316,295.	0.	38,432.	
(17) WENDY VIA DIRECTOR - DEVELOPMENT	40.00					X	158,978.	0.	24,140.	



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

(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
(18) DAVID UTTER LEGISLATIVE POLICY DIRECTOR	40.00					X		135,318.	0.	27,324.
(19) MARK POTOX SENIOR FELLOW	40.00					X		135,508.	0.	27,807.
(20) MARY BAUER OUTGOING DIRECTOR-LEGAL	40.00					X		160,298.	0.	30,211.
(21) MARION CHARTOFF FORMER SENIOR ATTORNEY	40.00					X		122,458.	0.	18,298.
(22) MICHAEL TOOHEY FORMER COO	40.00						X	136,986.	0.	11,399.
<b>1b Sub-total</b>								1,775,753.	0.	275,798.
<b>c Total from continuation sheets to Part VII, Section A</b>								0.	0.	0.
<b>d Total (add lines 1b and 1c)</b>								1,775,753.	0.	275,798.

**2** Total number of individuals (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization **22**

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

**Section B. Independent Contractors**

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

(A) Name and business address	(B) Description of services	(C) Compensation
GRASSROOTS CAMPAIGNS INC., 1321 15TH STREET, SUITE 100, DENVER, CO 80202	TELEMARKETING	1,901,654.
BLACKBAUD, INC. P. O. BOX 930256, ATLANTA, GA 31193	DATA BASE PROVIDER	564,047.
TELEFUND, INC. P. O. BOX 2366, DENVER, CO 80201	TELEMARKETING	457,590.
NAMES IN THE NEWS, 180 GRAND AVE, SUITE 1545, OAKLAND, CA 94612	LIST RENTAL, MERGE/PURGE SERVICES	358,383.
BLPS CONTENT CONNECTIONS, LLC 117 EAST GRAND STREET, CHILTON, WI 53014	WEBSITE/PORTAL DESIGN	222,095.

**2** Total number of independent contractors (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization **6**

**Part VIII Statement of Revenue**

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part VIII

				(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	
				Total revenue	Related or exempt function revenue	Unrelated business revenue	Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512, 513, or 514	
Contributions, Gifts, Grants and Other Similar Amounts	1 a	Federated campaigns	1a	162,213.				
	b	Membership dues	1b					
	c	Fundraising events	1c					
	d	Related organizations	1d					
	e	Government grants (contributions)	1e					
	f	All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above	1f	37,341,655.				
	g	Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f: \$		800,446.				
	h	<b>Total.</b> Add lines 1a-1f			37,503,868.			
Program Service Revenue	2 a	COURT AWARDS	Business Code	900099	1,218,302.	1,218,302.		
	b	SALE OF EDUCATIONAL MA	Business Code	900099	1,327.	1,327.		
	c							
	d							
	e							
	f	All other program service revenue						
	g	<b>Total.</b> Add lines 2a-2f			1,219,629.			
Other Revenue	3	Investment income (including dividends, interest, and other similar amounts)			1,071,011.		1,071,011.	
	4	Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds						
	5	Royalties			87,384.		87,384.	
	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	60,926.					
	b	Less: cost of goods sold	b	24,841.				
	c	Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory			36,085.	36,085.		
Miscellaneous Revenue			Business Code					
11 a								
b								
c								
d	All other revenue							
e	<b>Total.</b> Add lines 11a-11d							
12	<b>Total revenue.</b> See instructions.				42,742,124.	1,255,714.	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).

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part IX

Do not include amounts reported on lines 6b, 7b, 8b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII.	(A) Total expenses	(B) Program service expenses	(C) Management and general expenses	(D) Fundraising expenses
1 Grants and other assistance to governments and organizations in the United States. See Part IV, line 21				
2 Grants and other assistance to individuals in the United States. See Part IV, line 22				
3 Grants and other assistance to governments, organizations, and individuals outside the United States. See Part IV, lines 15 and 16				
4 Benefits paid to or for members				
5 Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees	1,097,382.	622,490.	275,435.	199,457.
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	11,666,538.	8,733,639.	962,581.	1,970,318.
8 Pension plan accruals and contributions (include section 401(k) and 403(b) employer contributions)	1,010,163.	756,214.	83,346.	170,603.
9 Other employee benefits	1,803,167.	1,349,005.	149,574.	304,588.
10 Payroll taxes	950,669.	711,676.	78,438.	160,555.
11 Fees for services (non-employees):				
a Management				
b Legal	43,617.		43,617.	
c Accounting	97,368.		97,368.	
d Lobbying	289,639.	289,639.		
e Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17	2,537,049.			2,537,049.
f Investment management fees	509,808.		509,808.	
g Other. (If line 11g amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 11g expenses on Sch O.)	481,480.	100,271.	352,937.	28,272.
12 Advertising and promotion	231,300.	231,300.		
13 Office expenses	925,189.	719,397.	90,830.	114,962.
14 Information technology	533,395.	379,100.	65,925.	88,370.
15 Royalties				
16 Occupancy	1,160,112.	904,334.	113,406.	142,372.
17 Travel	419,675.	282,299.	103,342.	34,034.
18 Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials				
19 Conferences, conventions, and meetings	386,029.	301,040.	31,027.	53,962.
20 Interest	29,710.		29,710.	
21 Payments to affiliates				
22 Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	1,325,550.	1,122,696.	69,775.	133,079.
23 Insurance	251,270.	134,907.	95,759.	20,604.
24 Other expenses. Itemize expenses not covered above. (List miscellaneous expenses in line 24e. If line 24e amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 24e expenses on Schedule O.)				
a EDUCATION PUBLICATIONS	4,334,583.	3,907,523.	25,101.	401,959.
b PRINTING & LETTERSHOP E	3,057,478.	1,411,769.	855,005.	790,704.
c POSTAGE & SHIPPING COST	2,636,086.	1,040,748.	770,023.	825,315.
d CASE COST EXPENSE	1,876,999.	1,876,999.		
e All other expenses	2,372,533.	1,285,417.	265,443.	821,673.
25 Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24e	40,026,789.	26,160,463.	5,068,450.	8,797,876.
26 Joint costs. Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation. Check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> if following SOP 98-2 (ASC 958-720)	8,309,820.	2,989,145.	1,900,763.	3,419,912.

**Part X Balance Sheet**

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part X

		(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year
Assets	1 Cash - non-interest-bearing .....	3,949,884.	1	2,163,188.
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments .....		2	
	3 Pledges and grants receivable, net .....	3,212,533.	3	3,148,690.
	4 Accounts receivable, net .....	643,602.	4	1,486,132.
	5 Loans and other receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees. Complete Part II of Schedule L .....		5	
	6 Loans and other receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)), persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B), and contributing employers and sponsoring organizations of section 501(c)(9) voluntary employees' beneficiary organizations (see instr). Complete Part II of Sch L .....		6	
	7 Notes and loans receivable, net .....		7	
	8 Inventories for sale or use .....	312,979.	8	347,617.
	9 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges .....	706,409.	9	1,204,746.
	10a Land, buildings, and equipment: cost or other basis. Complete Part VI of Schedule D .....	10a 33,178,551.		
	b Less: accumulated depreciation .....	10b 17,689,227.	10c	15,489,324.
	11 Investments - publicly traded securities .....	9,165,413.	11	9,381,337.
	12 Investments - other securities. See Part IV, line 11 .....	245,280,476.	12	281,123,473.
	13 Investments - program-related. See Part IV, line 11 .....		13	
	14 Intangible assets .....		14	
	15 Other assets. See Part IV, line 11 .....		15	
16 <b>Total assets.</b> Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34) .....	279,420,404.	16	314,344,507.	
Liabilities	17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses .....	1,508,970.	17	1,918,731.
	18 Grants payable .....		18	
	19 Deferred revenue .....		19	
	20 Tax-exempt bond liabilities .....	15,000,000.	20	15,000,000.
	21 Escrow or custodial account liability. Complete Part IV of Schedule D .....	518.	21	18.
	22 Loans and other payables to current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, and disqualified persons. Complete Part II of Schedule L .....		22	
	23 Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties .....		23	
	24 Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties .....		24	
	25 Other liabilities (including federal income tax, payables to related third parties, and other liabilities not included on lines 17-24). Complete Part X of Schedule D .....	6,356,158.	25	6,220,877.
	26 <b>Total liabilities.</b> Add lines 17 through 25 .....	22,865,646.	26	23,139,626.
Net Assets or Fund Balances	<b>Organizations that follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 and 34.</b>			
	27 Unrestricted net assets .....	250,753,626.	27	286,762,187.
	28 Temporarily restricted net assets .....	3,579,233.	28	2,220,795.
	29 Permanently restricted net assets .....	2,221,899.	29	2,221,899.
	<b>Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 30 through 34.</b>			
	30 Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds .....		30	
	31 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, or equipment fund .....		31	
	32 Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds .....		32	
33 <b>Total net assets or fund balances</b> .....	256,554,758.	33	291,204,881.	
34 <b>Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances</b> .....	279,420,404.	34	314,344,507.	

**Part XI Reconciliation of Net Assets**

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part XI

1	Total revenue (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1	42,742,124.
2	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	40,026,789.
3	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	2,715,335.
4	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 33, column (A))	4	256,554,758.
5	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	5	31,934,788.
6	Donated services and use of facilities	6	
7	Investment expenses	7	
8	Prior period adjustments	8	
9	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O)	9	0.
10	Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 3 through 9 (must equal Part X, line 33, column (B))	10	291,204,881.

**Part XII Financial Statements and Reporting**

Check if Schedule O contains a response to any question in this Part XII

		Yes	No
1	Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990: <input type="checkbox"/> Cash <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Accrual <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked "Other," explain in Schedule O.		
2a	Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant? _____ If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were compiled or reviewed on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both: <input type="checkbox"/> Separate basis <input type="checkbox"/> Consolidated basis <input type="checkbox"/> Both consolidated and separate basis		X
b	Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant? _____ If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were audited on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Separate basis <input type="checkbox"/> Consolidated basis <input type="checkbox"/> Both consolidated and separate basis	X	
c	If "Yes" to line 2a or 2b, does the organization have a committee that assumes responsibility for oversight of the audit, review, or compilation of its financial statements and selection of an independent accountant? _____ If the organization changed either its oversight process or selection process during the tax year, explain in Schedule O.	X	
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? _____		X
b	If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? If the organization did not undergo the required audit or audits, explain why in Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits _____		



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

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

**Section A. Public Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2008	(b) 2009	(c) 2010	(d) 2011	(e) 2012	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.") .....	28,808,327.	32,773,404.	36,125,562.	38,759,765.	37,503,868.	173,970,926.
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 <b>Total.</b> Add lines 1 through 3 .....	28,808,327.	32,773,404.	36,125,562.	38,759,765.	37,503,868.	173,970,926.
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 <b>Public support.</b> Subtract line 5 from line 4.						173,970,926.

**Section B. Total Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2008	(b) 2009	(c) 2010	(d) 2011	(e) 2012	(f) Total
7 Amounts from line 4 .....	28,808,327.	32,773,404.	36,125,562.	38,759,765.	37,503,868.	173,970,926.
8 Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources .....	1,818,576.	1,294,228.	887,214.	966,425.	1,158,395.	6,124,838.
9 Net income from unrelated business activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on .....				164,054.		164,054.
10 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV.) .....	4,475.	7,794.				12,269.
11 <b>Total support.</b> Add lines 7 through 10 .....						180,272,087.

12 Gross receipts from related activities, etc. (see instructions) ..... 12 2,241,415.

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 .....

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

14 Public support percentage for 2012 (line 6, column (f) divided by line 11, column (f)) .....	14	96.50	%
15 Public support percentage from 2011 Schedule A, Part II, line 14 .....	15	94.27	%

16a **33 1/3% support test - 2012.** 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 .....

b **33 1/3% support test - 2011.** 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 .....

17a **10% -facts-and-circumstances test - 2012.** 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 .....

b **10% -facts-and-circumstances test - 2011.** 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 .....

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 .....

**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 or if the organization failed to qualify under Part II. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part II.)

**Section A. Public Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2008	(b) 2009	(c) 2010	(d) 2011	(e) 2012	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.") .....						
2 Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services performed, or facilities furnished in any activity that is related to the organization's tax-exempt purpose .....						
3 Gross receipts from activities that are not an unrelated trade or business under section 513 .....						
4 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf .....						
5 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge .....						
6 Total. Add lines 1 through 5 .....						
7a Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and 3 received from disqualified persons .....						
b Amounts included on lines 2 and 3 received from other than disqualified persons that exceed the greater of \$5,000 or 1% of the amount on line 13 for the year .....						
c Add lines 7a and 7b .....						
8 Public support (Subtract line 7c from line 6.)						

**Section B. Total Support**

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2008	(b) 2009	(c) 2010	(d) 2011	(e) 2012	(f) Total
9 Amounts from line 6 .....						
10a Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources .....						
b Unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired after June 30, 1975 .....						
c Add lines 10a and 10b .....						
11 Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on .....						
12 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part IV.) .....						
13 Total support. (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**

15 Public support percentage for 2012 (line 8, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f)) .....	15	%
16 Public support percentage from 2011 Schedule A, Part III, line 15 .....	16	%

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

17 Investment income percentage for 2012 (line 10c, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f)) .....	17	%
18 Investment income percentage from 2011 Schedule A, Part III, line 17 .....	18	%

19a 33 1/3% support tests - 2012. 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 - 2011. 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 B**  
(Form 990, 990-EZ,  
or 990-PF)

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

**Schedule of Contributors**

▶ Attach to Form 990, Form 990-EZ, or Form 990-PF.

OMB No. 1545-0047

**2012**

Name of the organization

SOUTHERN POVERTY LAW CENTER, INC.

Employer identification number

63-0598743

Organization type (check one):

Filers of:

Section:

Form 990 or 990-EZ

501(c)( 3 ) (enter number) organization

4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust not treated as a private foundation

527 political organization

Form 990-PF

501(c)(3) exempt private foundation

4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust treated as a private foundation

501(c)(3) taxable private foundation

Check if your organization is covered by the **General Rule** or a **Special Rule**.

**Note.** Only a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization can check boxes for both the General Rule and a Special Rule. See instructions.

**General Rule**

For an organization filing Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF that received, during the year, \$5,000 or more (in money or property) from any one contributor. Complete Parts I and II.

**Special Rules**

For a section 501(c)(3) organization filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that met the 33 1/3% support test of the regulations under sections 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi) and received from any one contributor, during the year, a contribution of the greater of (1) \$5,000 or (2) 2% of the amount on (i) Form 990, Part VIII, line 1h, or (ii) Form 990-EZ, line 1. Complete Parts I and II.

For a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of more than \$1,000 for use *exclusively* for religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or the prevention of cruelty to children or animals. Complete Parts I, II, and III.

For a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, contributions for use *exclusively* for religious, charitable, etc., purposes, but these contributions did not total to more than \$1,000. If this box is checked, enter here the total contributions that were received during the year for an *exclusively* religious, charitable, etc., purpose. Do not complete any of the parts unless the **General Rule** applies to this organization because it received nonexclusively religious, charitable, etc., contributions of \$5,000 or more during the year ..... ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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

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Name of organization

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**Part I Contributors** (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part I if additional space is needed.

(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
1	ANONYMOUS DONOR  403 WASHINGTON AVENUE  MONTGOMERY, AL 36104	\$ 823,441.	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
		\$ _____	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
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**Part II Noncash Property** (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part II if additional space is needed.

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (see instructions)	(d) Date received
	<hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	\$ _____	_____
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (see instructions)	(d) Date received
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	<hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>	\$ _____	_____

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**Part III** Exclusively religious, charitable, etc., individual contributions to section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organizations that total more than \$1,000 for the year. Complete columns (a) through (e) and the following line entry. For organizations completing Part III, enter the total of exclusively religious, charitable, etc., contributions of \$1,000 or less for the year. (Enter this information once.) ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Use duplicate copies of Part III if additional space is needed.

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held

(e) Transfer of gift	
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held

(e) Transfer of gift	
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held

(e) Transfer of gift	
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held

(e) Transfer of gift	
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee

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

**Political Campaign and Lobbying Activities**

OMB No. 1545-0047

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

**2012**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

▶ **Complete if the organization is described below.** ▶ **Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.**  
▶ **See separate instructions.**

**Open to Public Inspection**

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

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

If the organization answered "Yes," 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), or Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 35c (Proxy Tax), then

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

Name of organization SOUTHERN POVERTY LAW CENTER, INC. Employer identification number 63-0598743

**Part I-A Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c) or is a section 527 organization.**

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

- A** Check  if the filing organization belongs to an affiliated group (and list in Part IV each affiliated group member's name, address, EIN, expenses, and share of excess lobbying expenditures).
- B** Check  if the filing organization checked box A and "limited control" provisions apply.

Limits on Lobbying Expenditures (The term "expenditures" means amounts paid or incurred.)		(a) Filing organization's totals	(b) Affiliated group totals												
<b>1a</b> Total lobbying expenditures to influence public opinion (grass roots lobbying)		131,982.													
<b>b</b> Total lobbying expenditures to influence a legislative body (direct lobbying)		375,199.													
<b>c</b> Total lobbying expenditures (add lines 1a and 1b)		507,181.													
<b>d</b> Other exempt purpose expenditures		39,519,608.													
<b>e</b> Total exempt purpose expenditures (add lines 1c and 1d)		40,026,789.													
<b>f</b> Lobbying nontaxable amount. Enter the amount from the following table in both columns.		1,000,000.													
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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.														
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Over \$17,000,000	\$1,000,000.														
<b>g</b> Grassroots nontaxable amount (enter 25% of line 1f)		250,000.													
<b>h</b> Subtract line 1g from line 1a. If zero or less, enter -0-		0.													
<b>i</b> Subtract line 1f from line 1c. If zero or less, enter -0-		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 on page 4.)

Lobbying Expenditures During 4-Year Averaging Period					
Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2009	(b) 2010	(c) 2011	(d) 2012	(e) Total
<b>2a</b> Lobbying nontaxable amount	1,000,000.	1,000,000.	1,000,000.	1,000,000.	4,000,000.
<b>b</b> Lobbying ceiling amount (150% of line 2a, column(e))					6,000,000.
<b>c</b> Total lobbying expenditures	231,752.	337,478.	400,660.	507,181.	1,477,071.
<b>d</b> Grassroots nontaxable amount	250,000.	250,000.	250,000.	250,000.	1,000,000.
<b>e</b> Grassroots ceiling amount (150% of line 2d, column (e))					1,500,000.
<b>f</b> Grassroots lobbying expenditures	49,588.	13,407.	128,243.	131,982.	323,220.

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

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

	(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 similar means?			
<b>i</b> Other activities?			
<b>j</b> Total. Add 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** Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(4), section 501(c)(5), or section 501(c)(6).

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

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

<b>1</b> Dues, assessments and similar amounts from members	<b>1</b>	
<b>2</b> Section 162(e) nondeductible 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 (see instructions)	<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; Part II-A (affiliated group list); Part II-A, line 2; and Part II-B, line 1. 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**

▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes," to Form 990, Part IV, line 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11a, 11b, 11c, 11d, 11e, 11f, 12a, or 12b.  
▶ Attach to Form 990. ▶ See separate instructions.

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Name of the organization

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Employer identification number

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**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 can be used only for charitable purposes and not for the benefit of the donor or donor advisor, or for any other purpose conferring impermissible private benefit? .....		<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 education)       Preservation of an historically important land area

Protection of natural habitat       Preservation of a certified historic structure

Preservation of open space

2 Complete lines 2a through 2d if the organization held a qualified conservation contribution in the form of a conservation easement on the last day of the tax year.

	Held at the End of the Tax 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, and not on a historic structure listed in the National Register .....	2d

3 Number of conservation easements modified, transferred, released, extinguished, or terminated by the organization during the tax year ▶ \_\_\_\_\_

4 Number of states where property subject to conservation easement is located ▶ \_\_\_\_\_

5 Does the organization have a written policy regarding the periodic monitoring, inspection, handling of violations, and enforcement of the conservation easements it holds? .....

Yes  No

6 Staff and volunteer hours devoted to monitoring, inspecting, and enforcing conservation easements during the year ▶ \_\_\_\_\_

7 Amount of expenses incurred in monitoring, inspecting, and enforcing conservation easements during the year ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

8 Does each conservation easement reported on line 2(d) above satisfy the requirements of section 170(h)(4)(B)(i) and section 170(h)(4)(B)(ii)? .....

Yes  No

9 In Part XIII, describe how the organization reports conservation easements in its revenue and expense statement, and balance sheet, and include, if applicable, the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that describes the organization's accounting for conservation easements.

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

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

1a If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116 (ASC 958), not to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide, in Part XIII, the text of the footnote to its financial statements that describes these items.

b If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116 (ASC 958), to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide the following amounts relating to these items:

(i) 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 (ASC 958) 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 acquisition, accession, and other records, check any of the following that are a significant use of its collection items (check all that apply):

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

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

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

**Part IV Escrow and Custodial Arrangements.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" 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 XIII and complete the following table:

	Amount
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 XIII. Check here if the explanation has been provided in Part XIII

**Part V Endowment Funds.** Complete if the 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	245,280,476.	223,794,607.	216,231,251.	189,667,327.	156,180,777.
b Contributions	1,336,210.	4,987,108.	735,000.	552,580.	4,000,505.
c Net investment earnings, gains, and losses	35,016,595.	16,953,399.	7,278,466.	26,406,067.	29,804,458.
d Grants or scholarships					
e Other expenditures for facilities and programs					
f Administrative expenses	509,808.	454,638.	450,110.	394,723.	318,413.
g End of year balance	281,123,473.	245,280,476.	223,794,607.	216,231,251.	189,667,327.

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

- a Board designated or quasi-endowment  99.21 %
- b Permanent endowment  .79 %
- c Temporarily restricted endowment  %

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Description of property	(a) Cost or other basis (investment)	(b) Cost or other basis (other)	(c) Accumulated depreciation	(d) Book value
1a Land		669,682.		669,682.
b Buildings		24,862,807.	11,556,952.	13,305,855.
c Leasehold improvements		86,680.	57,946.	28,734.
d Equipment		7,405,945.	5,920,892.	1,485,053.
e Other		153,437.	153,437.	0.
<b>Total.</b> Add lines 1a through 1e. (Column (d) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10(c).)				15,489,324.

**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
(1) Financial derivatives .....		
(2) Closely-held equity interests .....		
(3) Other .....		
(A) PRIVATE INVESTMENT FUNDS	281,123,473.	END-OF-YEAR MARKET VALUE
(B)		
(C)		
(D)		
(E)		
(F)		
(G)		
(H)		
(I)		
<b>Total.</b> (Col. (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 12.) ▶	281,123,473.	

**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
(1)		
(2)		
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		
(7)		
(8)		
(9)		
(10)		
<b>Total.</b> (Col. (b) must 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
(1)	
(2)	
(3)	
(4)	
(5)	
(6)	
(7)	
(8)	
(9)	
(10)	
<b>Total.</b> (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 15.) ▶	

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

1. (a) Description of liability	(b) Book value
(1) Federal income taxes	
(2) GIFT ANNUITY & POOLED INCOME FUND LIABILITIES	6,220,877.
(3)	
(4)	
(5)	
(6)	
(7)	
(8)	
(9)	
(10)	
(11)	
<b>Total.</b> (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 25.) ▶	6,220,877.

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

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

1	Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements		1	74,838,231.
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12:			
a	Net unrealized gains on investments	2a	31,934,788.	
b	Donated services and use of facilities	2b	136,478.	
c	Recoveries of prior year grants	2c		
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	2d	24,841.	
e	Add lines 2a through 2d		2e	32,096,107.
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1		3	42,742,124.
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, but not on line 1:			
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a		
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	4b		
c	Add lines 4a and 4b		4c	0.
5	Total revenue. Add lines 3 and 4c. (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 12.)		5	42,742,124.

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

1	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements		1	40,188,108.
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part IX, line 25:			
a	Donated services and use of facilities	2a	136,478.	
b	Prior year adjustments	2b		
c	Other losses	2c		
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	2d	24,841.	
e	Add lines 2a through 2d		2e	161,319.
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1		3	40,026,789.
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part IX, line 25, but not on line 1:			
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a		
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	4b		
c	Add lines 4a and 4b		4c	0.
5	Total expenses. Add lines 3 and 4c. (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 18.)		5	40,026,789.

**Part XIII 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, line 2; Part XI, lines 2d and 4b; and Part XII, lines 2d and 4b. Also complete this part to provide any additional information.

PART IV, LINE 2B: AN IOLTA TRUST ACCOUNT HAS BEEN SET UP IN A SEPARATE

BANK ACCOUNT TO HOLD ANY MONEY RECEIVED ON BEHALF OF A CLIENT OR A THIRD

PARTY IN A LEGAL MATTER FOR DISTRIBUTION TO DESIGNATED RECIPIENTS. THE

BALANCE AT THE END OF THE YEAR IS \$18.

PART V, LINE 4: THE CENTER INVESTS CONSIDERING THE LONG-TERM EXPECTED

RETURN ON ITS FUNDS WHICH TARGETS A DIVERSIFIED ASSET ALLOCATION MADE UP

OF PUBLIC AND PRIVATE EQUITY, HEDGE FUNDS, FIXED INCOME, AND REAL ESTATE

**Part XIII** Supplemental Information *(continued)*

TO ACHIEVE ITS LONG-TERM RETURN OBJECTIVES WITHIN PRUDENT RISK

CONSTRAINTS, THE GOAL IS TO HAVE AN ENDOWMENT LARGE ENOUGH TO SUSTAIN ITS

CURRENT LEVEL OF ACTIVITIES, TO FUND NEW PROJECTS AND LAWSUITS AS THE NEED

ARISES, AND TO PROTECT THE CENTER FROM INFLATION.

PART XI, LINE 2D - OTHER ADJUSTMENTS:

COST OF GOODS SOLD 24,841.

PART XII, LINE 2D - OTHER ADJUSTMENTS:

COST OF GOODS SOLD 24,841.

**SCHEDULE F  
(Form 990)**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

**Statement of Activities Outside the United States**

▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990,  
Part IV, line 14b, 15, or 16.  
▶ Attach to Form 990. ▶ See separate instructions.

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SOUTHERN POVERTY LAW CENTER, INC.

63-0598743

**Part I** General Information on Activities Outside the United States. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 14b.

- 1 For grantmakers.** Does the organization maintain records to substantiate the amount of its grants and other assistance, the grantees' eligibility for the grants or assistance, and the selection criteria used to award the grants or assistance? .....  Yes  No
- 2 For grantmakers.** Describe in Part V the organization's procedures for monitoring the use of its grants and other assistance outside the United States.
- 3 Activities per Region.** (The following Part I, line 3 table can be duplicated if additional space is needed.)

(a) Region	(b) Number of offices in the region	(c) Number of employees, agents, and independent contractors in region	(d) Activities conducted in region (by type) (e.g., fundraising, program services, investments, grants to recipients located in the region)	(e) If activity listed in (d) is a program service, describe specific type of service(s) in region	(f) Total expenditures for and investments in region
CENTRAL AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN	0	0	FUNDRAISING		0.
EAST ASIA AND THE PACIFIC	0	0	FUNDRAISING		0.
EUROPE (INCLUDING ICELAND AND GREENLAND)	0	0	FUNDRAISING		0.
MIDDLE EAST AND NORTH AFRICA	0	0	FUNDRAISING		0.
NORTH AMERICA	0	0	FUNDRAISING		0.
NORTH AMERICA	0	0	INVESTING		0.
SOUTH ASIA	0	0	FUNDRAISING		0.
SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA	0	0	FUNDRAISING		0.
<b>3 a</b> Sub-total .....	0	0			0.
<b>b</b> Total from continuation sheets to Part I .....	0	0			0.
<b>c</b> Totals (add lines 3a and 3b) .....	0	0			0.

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Part II Grants and Other Assistance to Organizations or Entities Outside the United States. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 15, for any recipient who received more than \$5,000. Part II can be duplicated if additional space is needed.

Table with 9 columns: (a) Name of organization, (b) IRS code section and EIN (if applicable), (c) Region, (d) Purpose of grant, (e) Amount of cash grant, (f) Manner of cash disbursement, (g) Amount of non-cash assistance, (h) Description of non-cash assistance, (i) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other). The table contains 8 empty rows.

2 Enter total number of recipient organizations listed above that are recognized as charities by the foreign country, recognized as tax-exempt by the IRS, or for which the grantee or counsel has provided a section 501(c)(3) equivalency letter

3 Enter total number of other organizations or entities





**Part IV Foreign Forms**

- 1 Was the organization a U.S. transferor of property to a foreign corporation during the tax year? If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 926, Return by a U.S. Transferor of Property to a Foreign Corporation (see Instructions for Form 926) .....  Yes  No
- 2 Did the organization have an interest in a foreign trust during the tax year? If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 3520, Annual Return to Report Transactions with Foreign Trusts and Receipt of Certain Foreign Gifts, and/or Form 3520-A, Annual Information Return of Foreign Trust With a U.S. Owner (see Instructions for Forms 3520 and 3520-A) .....  Yes  No
- 3 Did the organization have an ownership interest in a foreign corporation during the tax year? If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 5471, Information Return of U.S. Persons With Respect To Certain Foreign Corporations. (see Instructions for Form 5471) .....  Yes  No
- 4 Was the organization a direct or indirect shareholder of a passive foreign investment company or a qualified electing fund during the tax year? If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 8621, Information Return by a Shareholder of a Passive Foreign Investment Company or Qualified Electing Fund. (see Instructions for Form 8621) .....  Yes  No
- 5 Did the organization have an ownership interest in a foreign partnership during the tax year? If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 8865, Return of U.S. Persons With Respect To Certain Foreign Partnerships. (see Instructions for Form 8865) .....  Yes  No
- 6 Did the organization have any operations in or related to any boycotting countries during the tax year? If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 5713, International Boycott Report. (see Instructions for Form 5713) .....  Yes  No

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**Part V** Supplemental Information

Complete this part to provide the information required by Part I, line 2 (monitoring of funds); Part I, line 3, column (f) (accounting method; amounts of investments vs. expenditures per region); Part II, line 1 (accounting method); Part III (accounting method); and Part III, column (c) (estimated number of recipients), as applicable. Also complete this part to provide any additional information.

PART IV, QUESTION 3

THE CENTER HAS OWNERSHIP IN SEVERAL FOREIGN CORPORATIONS. HOWEVER, THE CENTER'S OWNERSHIP PERCENTAGE IN THESE CORPORATIONS DOES NOT RISE TO THE LEVEL OF REPORTING ON THE FORM 5471.

PART IV, QUESTION 4

THE CENTER IS AN INDIRECT OWNER IN SEVERAL PASSIVE FOREIGN INVESTMENT COMPANIES. THE DIRECT OWNER HAS PROPERLY REPORTED THESE INVESTMENTS ON FORM 8621. THEREFORE, THE CENTER DOES NOT HAVE A FILING REQUIREMENT.



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

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

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

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

9 Enter the state(s) in which the organization operates gaming activities: \_\_\_\_\_

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

b If "No," explain: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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

b If "Yes," explain: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

- 11 Does the organization operate gaming activities with nonmembers?  Yes  No
- 12 Is the organization a grantor, beneficiary or trustee of a trust or a member of a partnership or other entity formed to administer charitable gaming?  Yes  No
- 13 Indicate the percentage of gaming activity operated in:
 

a The organization's facility		%
b An outside facility		
- 14 Enter the name and address of the person who prepares the organization's gaming/special events books and records:

Name ▶ \_\_\_\_\_

Address ▶ \_\_\_\_\_

15a Does the organization have a contract with a third party from whom the organization receives gaming revenue?  Yes  No

b If "Yes," enter the amount of gaming revenue received by the organization ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_ and the amount of gaming revenue retained by the third party ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

c If "Yes," enter name and address of the third party:

Name ▶ \_\_\_\_\_

Address ▶ \_\_\_\_\_

16 Gaming manager information:

Name ▶ \_\_\_\_\_

Gaming manager compensation ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Description of services provided ▶ \_\_\_\_\_

- Director/officer
- Employee
- Independent contractor

17 Mandatory distributions:

a Is the organization required under state law to make charitable distributions from the gaming proceeds to retain the state gaming license?  Yes  No

b Enter the amount of distributions required under state law to be distributed to other exempt organizations or spent in the organization's own exempt activities during the tax year ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Part IV** Supplemental Information. Complete this part to provide the explanations required by Part I, line 2b, columns (iii) and (v), and Part III, lines 9, 9b, 10b, 15b, 15c, 16, and 17b, as applicable. Also complete this part to provide any additional information (see instructions).

SCHEDULE G, PART I, LINE 2B, LIST OF TEN HIGHEST PAID FUNDRAISERS:

(I) NAME OF FUNDRAISER: TELEFUND INC

(I) ADDRESS OF FUNDRAISER: P. O. BOX 2366, DENVER, CO 80201

(I) NAME OF FUNDRAISER: GRASSROOTS CAMPAIGN INC

(I) ADDRESS OF FUNDRAISER: 1321 15TH STREET, STE 100, DENVER, CO 80202

(I) NAME OF FUNDRAISER: HARRIS DIRECT

**Part IV** Supplemental Information (continued)

(I) ADDRESS OF FUNDRAISER: 6800 OWENSMOUTH AVE #200, CANOGA PARK, CA 91303

(I) NAME OF FUNDRAISER: DONOR SERVICES GROUP

(I) ADDRESS OF FUNDRAISER: 6715 W. SUNSET BLVD, LOS ANGELES, CA 90028

**SCHEDULE J  
(Form 990)**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

**Compensation Information**

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

▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 23.

▶ Attach to Form 990. ▶ See separate instructions.

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Employer identification number

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**Part I Questions Regarding Compensation**

	Yes	No
<p><b>1a</b> 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.</p> <p> <input type="checkbox"/> First-class or charter travel  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Travel for companions  <input type="checkbox"/> Tax indemnification and gross-up payments  <input type="checkbox"/> Discretionary spending account                 </p> <p> <input type="checkbox"/> Housing allowance or residence for personal use  <input type="checkbox"/> Payments for business use of personal residence  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Health or social club dues or initiation fees  <input type="checkbox"/> Personal services (e.g., maid, chauffeur, chef)                 </p>		
<p><b>b</b> If any of the boxes on line 1a are checked, did the organization follow a written policy regarding payment or reimbursement or provision of all of the expenses described above? If "No," complete Part III to explain</p>	X	
<p><b>2</b> 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?</p>	X	
<p><b>3</b> Indicate which, if any, of the following the filing organization used to establish the compensation of the organization's CEO/Executive Director. Check all that apply. Do not check any boxes for methods used by a related organization to establish compensation of the CEO/Executive Director, but explain in Part III.</p> <p> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Compensation committee  <input type="checkbox"/> Independent compensation consultant  <input type="checkbox"/> Form 990 of other organizations                 </p> <p> <input type="checkbox"/> Written employment contract  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Compensation survey or study  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Approval by the board or compensation committee                 </p>		
<p><b>4</b> During the year, did any person listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, with respect to the filing organization or a related organization:</p> <p><b>a</b> Receive a severance payment or change-of-control payment?</p> <p><b>b</b> Participate in, or receive payment from, a supplemental nonqualified retirement plan?</p> <p><b>c</b> Participate in, or receive payment from, an equity-based compensation arrangement?</p> <p>If "Yes" to any of lines 4a-c, list the persons and provide the applicable amounts for each item in Part III.</p>		
		X
		X
		X
<p><b>Only section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations must complete lines 5-9.</b></p>		
<p><b>5</b> 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:</p> <p><b>a</b> The organization?</p> <p><b>b</b> Any related organization?</p> <p>If "Yes" to line 5a or 5b, describe in Part III.</p>		
		X
		X
<p><b>6</b> 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:</p> <p><b>a</b> The organization?</p> <p><b>b</b> Any related organization?</p> <p>If "Yes" to line 6a or 6b, describe in Part III.</p>		
		X
		X
<p><b>7</b> 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</p>		X
<p><b>8</b> 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 Regulations section 53.4958-4(a)(3)? If "Yes," describe in Part III</p>		X
<p><b>9</b> If "Yes" to line 8, did the organization also follow the rebuttable presumption procedure described in Regulations section 53.4958-6(c)?</p>		

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Schedule J (Form 990) 2012

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

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

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

(A) Name and Title		(B) Breakdown of W-2 and/or 1099-MISC compensation			(C) Retirement and other deferred compensation	(D) Nontaxable benefits	(E) Total of columns (B)(i)-(D)	(F) Compensation reported as deferred in prior Form 990
		(i) Base compensation	(ii) Bonus & incentive compensation	(iii) Other reportable compensation				
(1) RICHARD COHEN PRESIDENT/CRO	(i)	304,818.	0.	4,967.	25,000.	15,058.	349,843.	0.
	(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
(2) TRENNIE HUTCHISON SECRETARY/TREASURER	(i)	136,772.	2,546.	1,154.	13,677.	14,338.	168,487.	0.
	(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
(3) JOSEPH J. LEVIN, JR. GENERAL COUNSEL	(i)	158,431.	0.	1,224.	15,843.	14,271.	189,769.	0.
	(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
(4) MORRIS DEES CHIEF TRIAL COUNSEL	(i)	290,152.	0.	26,143.	25,000.	13,432.	354,727.	0.
	(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
(5) WENDY VIA DIRECTOR - DEVELOPMENT	(i)	158,077.	0.	901.	15,808.	8,332.	183,118.	0.
	(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
(6) DAVID UTTER LEGISLATIVE POLICY DIRECTOR	(i)	133,763.	955.	600.	13,376.	13,948.	162,642.	0.
	(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
(7) MARK POTOK SENIOR FELLOW	(i)	134,275.	0.	1,233.	13,427.	14,380.	163,315.	0.
	(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
(8) MARY BAUER OUTGOING DIRECTOR-LEGAL	(i)	159,705.	0.	593.	15,971.	14,240.	190,509.	0.
	(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
(9) MICHAEL TOOHEY FORMER COO	(i)	80,272.	0.	56,714.	8,009.	3,390.	148,385.	0.
	(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
	(i)							
	(ii)							
	(i)							
	(ii)							
	(i)							
	(ii)							
	(i)							
	(ii)							
	(i)							
	(ii)							



Part III Supplemental Information

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

PART I, LINE 1A: PERIODICALLY, THE SPOUSE OF THE CHIEF TRIAL COUNSEL

ACCOMPANIES HIM ON TRIPS WHEN HER PRESENCE SUPPORTS THE BUSINESS PURPOSE,

THIS OCCURS INFREQUENTLY AND AT DE MINIMIS COST TO THE CENTER.

DUES FOR MEMBERSHIP IN A SOCIAL (BUSINESS LUNCHEON) CLUB IS PAID BY THE

ORGANIZATION ON BEHALF OF THE CEO/PRESIDENT FOR A DE MINIMIS COST TO THE

CENTER. IT IS USED FOR BUSINESS PURPOSES.

THE ORGANIZATION PAYS 1/2 THE COST OF MEMBERSHIP FEES TO A HEALTH CLUB FOR

EVERY EMPLOYEE, INCLUDING THE CEO/PRESIDENT, COO, LEGAL DIRECTOR AND

DIRECTOR INTELLIGENCE PROJECT, WHO CHOOSES TO PARTICIPATE IN THE HEALTH

PROGRAM. THE AMOUNT IS INCLUDED IN EACH EMPLOYEE'S COMPENSATION,

**SCHEDULE M  
(Form 990)**

**Noncash Contributions**

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Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

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

Name of the organization

SOUTHERN POVERTY LAW CENTER, INC.

Employer identification number

63-0598743

**Part I** Types of Property

	(a) Check if applicable	(b) Number of contributions or items contributed	(c) Noncash contribution amounts reported on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1g	(d) Method of determining noncash contribution amounts
1 Art - Works of art .....				
2 Art - Historical treasures .....				
3 Art - Fractional interests .....				
4 Books and publications .....				
5 Clothing and household goods .....				
6 Cars and other vehicles .....				
7 Boats and planes .....				
8 Intellectual property .....				
9 Securities - Publicly traded .....	X	146	800,446.	FMV
10 Securities - Closely held stock .....				
11 Securities - Partnership, LLC, or trust interests .....				
12 Securities - Miscellaneous .....				
13 Qualified conservation contribution - Historic structures .....				
14 Qualified conservation contribution - Other .....				
15 Real estate - Residential .....				
16 Real estate - Commercial .....				
17 Real estate - Other .....				
18 Collectibles .....				
19 Food inventory .....				
20 Drugs and medical supplies .....				
21 Taxidermy .....				
22 Historical artifacts .....				
23 Scientific specimens .....				
24 Archeological artifacts .....				
25 Other ▶ ( .....				
26 Other ▶ ( .....				
27 Other ▶ ( .....				
28 Other ▶ ( .....				

29 Number of Forms 8283 received by the organization during the tax year for contributions for which the organization completed Form 8283, Part IV, Donee Acknowledgement ..... **29** 0

	Yes	No
30a During the year, did the organization receive by contribution any property reported in Part I, lines 1-28 that it must hold for at least three years from the date of the initial contribution, and which is not required to be used for exempt purposes for the entire holding period? .....		X
b If "Yes," describe the arrangement in Part II.		
31 Does the organization have a gift acceptance policy that requires the review of any non-standard contributions? .....	X	
32a Does the organization hire or use third parties or related organizations to solicit, process, or sell noncash contributions? .....		X
b If "Yes," describe in Part II.		
33 If the organization did not report an amount in column (c) for a type of property for which column (a) is checked, describe in Part II.		

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Schedule M (Form 990) (2012)



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

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

**Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ**

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

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FORM 990, PART I, LINE 1, DESCRIPTION OF ORGANIZATION MISSION:

VULNERABLE MEMBERS OF OUR SOCIETY, USING LITIGATION, EDUCATION, AND

OTHER FORMS OF ADVOCACY, THE CENTER WORKS TOWARD THE DAY WHEN THE

IDEALS OF EQUAL JUSTICE AND EQUAL OPPORTUNITY WILL BE A REALITY.

FORM 990, PART III, LINE 1, DESCRIPTION OF ORGANIZATION MISSION:

WILL BE A REALITY.

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

DISPROPORTIONATELY HARMING AFRICAN-AMERICAN AND LATINO STUDENTS LIVING

IN POVERTY, THE SPLC ATTORNEYS FOCUS ON THESE CRITICAL CIVIL RIGHTS

ISSUES FROM FIVE SPLC OFFICES IN THE DEEP SOUTH.

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

ON THE STRUCTURAL CAUSES, AND IMPACTS, OF INEQUALITY AND USES A

MULTIFACETED APPROACH OF COMMUNITY EDUCATION, MOBILIZATION, MEDIA AND

LEGISLATIVE ADVOCACY TO COMBAT BIAS AND DISCRIMINATION AGAINST

MINORITIES, IMMIGRANTS, THE POOR, THE LGBT COMMUNITY AND OTHER

VULNERABLE MEMBERS OF SOCIETY, ALL OF THE SPLC

WORK IS PROVIDED FREE OF CHARGE.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 4: THE BY-LAWS WERE AMENDED TO ALLOW

BOARD MEMBERS TO SERVE A THIRD THREE YEAR TERM.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 11: AFTER FORM 990 IS PREPARED BY AN

EXTERNAL ACCOUNTING FIRM, JACKSON THORNTON, THE RETURN IS THOROUGHLY

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Schedule O (Form 990 or 990-EZ) (2012)

Name of the organization SOUTHERN POVERTY LAW CENTER, INC.	Employer identification number 63-0598743
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REVIEWED BY OUR SECRETARY/TREASURER, THE FINANCIAL INFORMATION AND DISCLOSURES ARE EXAMINED AND TRACED FROM INTERNALLY PREPARED DOCUMENTS TO THE TAX RETURN TO ENSURE COMPLETENESS AND ACCURACY. THE 990 IS THEN PRESENTED TO THE AUDIT COMMITTEE FOR REVIEW AND APPROVAL BEFORE SUBMISSION TO THE IRS. IT IS SIGNED BY OUR SECRETARY/TREASURER.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 12C: EVERY YEAR IN APRIL, BOARD MEMBERS, DIRECTORS, OFFICERS, KEY EMPLOYEES, AND OTHER PERSONS AS DESIGNATED BY THE BOARD OR PRESIDENT SIGN A CONFLICTS OF INTEREST ACKNOWLEDGEMENT STATEMENT CERTIFYING THAT THEY (1) HAVE RECEIVED A COPY OF THE CONFLICTS POLICY, (2) HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THE CONFLICTS POLICY, (3) HAVE AGREED TO COMPLY WITH THE CONFLICTS POLICY, (4) HAVE AGREED TO NOTIFY THE CENTER OF ANY POTENTIAL CONFLICTS IN WRITING AND (5) UNDERSTAND THAT THE CENTER IS A CHARITABLE ORGANIZATION AND THAT IN ORDER TO MAINTAIN ITS FEDERAL TAX EXEMPTION, MUST ENGAGE PRIMARILY IN ACTIVITIES WHICH ACCOMPLISH ONE OR MORE OF ITS STATED TAX-EXEMPT PURPOSES. MANAGEMENT REVIEWS POTENTIAL CONFLICTS OF INTEREST AND RESOLVES THE CONFLICT OR PRESENTS TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS FOR RESOLUTION.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 15: THE CENTER'S BYLAWS CALL FOR THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS TO SET AND DETERMINE, AS REASONABLE, THE SALARIES OF THE OFFICERS AND CO-FOUNDERS. COMPARATIVE AND INDEPENDENT DATA ON LIKE POSITIONS IN SIMILAR ORGANIZATIONS IS GATHERED BY THE COMPENSATION COMMITTEE. THE COMPENSATION COMMITTEE COMMUNICATES PROPOSED SALARIES TO THE FINANCE COMMITTEE. THE FINANCE COMMITTEE REVIEWS THE SALARIES AND RECOMMENDS THE SALARIES TO THE BOARD FOR APPROVAL. THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS APPROVES SALARIES ANNUALLY IN OCTOBER.

Name of the organization SOUTHERN POVERTY LAW CENTER, INC.	Employer identification number 63-0598743
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FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 17, LIST OF STATES RECEIVING COPY OF FORM 990:

AK, AZ, AR, CA, CO, CT, DC, FL, GA, HI, IL, KS, KY, LA, ME, MD, MA, MI, MN, MS, NV, NH, NJ, NM, NY

NC, ND, OH, OK, OR, PA, RI, SC, TN, UT, VA, WA, WV, WI

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION C, LINE 19: THE MOST CURRENT AND UPDATED COPY

OF THE ANNUAL REPORT AND AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS ARE POSTED ON OUR

WEB-SITE AND ARE AVAILABLE FOR MAILING TO AN INDIVIDUAL OR ORGANIZATION AS

REQUESTED. THE BY-LAWS AND CONFLICTS OF INTEREST POLICY ARE AVAILABLE TO

THE PUBLIC UPON REQUEST.

FORM 990, PART XII, LINE 2C

THIS PROCESS HAS NOT CHANGED SINCE THE PRIOR YEAR.

**Return by a U.S. Transferor of Property  
 to a Foreign Corporation**

OMB No. 1545-0026

Attachment  
 Sequence No. **128**

▶ Attach to your income tax return for the year of the transfer or distribution.

**Part I U.S. Transferor Information** (see instructions)

Name of transferor SOUTHERN POVERTY LAW CENTER, INC.	Identifying number (see instructions) 63-0598743
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- 1 If the transferor was a corporation, complete questions 1a through 1d.
- a If the transfer was a section 361(a) or (b) transfer, was the transferor controlled (under section 368(c)) by 5 or fewer domestic corporations?  Yes  No
- b Did the transferor remain in existence after the transfer?  Yes  No
- If not, list the controlling shareholder(s) and their identifying number(s):

Controlling shareholder	Identifying number

- c If the transferor was a member of an affiliated group filing a consolidated return, was it the parent corporation?  Yes  No
- If not, list the name and employer identification number (EIN) of the parent corporation:

Name of parent corporation	EIN of parent corporation

- d Have basis adjustments under section 367(a)(5) been made?  Yes  No

- 2 If the transferor was a partner in a partnership that was the actual transferor (but is not treated as such under section 367), complete questions 2a through 2d.
- a List the name and EIN of the transferor's partnership:

Name of partnership	EIN of partnership
DAVIDSON KEMPNER INSTUTIONAL PARTNERS L.P.	13-3597020

- b Did the partner pick up its pro rata share of gain on the transfer of partnership assets?  Yes  No
- c Is the partner disposing of its entire interest in the partnership?  Yes  No
- d Is the partner disposing of an interest in a limited partnership that is regularly traded on an established securities market?  Yes  No

**Part II Transferee Foreign Corporation Information** (see instructions)

3 Name of transferee (foreign corporation) BKM HOLDINGS (CAYMAN) LTD.	4 Identifying number, if any 000000000
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5 Address (including country)  
 90 ELGIN AVENUE  
 GEORGE TOWN, GRAND CAYMAN KY1-9005 CAYMAN ISLANDS

6 Country code of country of incorporation or organization  
 CJ

7 Foreign law characterization (see instructions)  
 CORPORATION

- 8 Is the transferee foreign corporation a controlled foreign corporation?  Yes  No

**Part III** Information Regarding Transfer of Property (see instructions)

Type of property	(a) Date of transfer	(b) Description of property	(c) Fair market value on date of transfer	(d) Cost or other basis	(e) Gain recognized on transfer
Cash	12/20/2012		274,050.		
Stock and securities					
Installment obligations, account receivables or similar property					
Foreign currency or other property denominated in foreign currency					
Inventory					
Assets subject to depreciation recapture (see Temp. Regs. sec. 1.367(a)-4T(b))					
Tangible property used in trade or business not listed under another category					
Intangible property					
Property to be leased (as described in final and temp. Regs. sec. 1.367(a)-4(c))					
Property to be sold (as described in Temp. Regs. sec. 1.367(a)-4T(d))					
Transfers of oil and gas working interests (as described in Temp. Regs. sec. 1.367(a)-4T(e))					
Other property					

**Supplemental Information Required To Be Reported** (see instructions):

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**Part IV Additional Information Regarding Transfer of Property** (see instructions)

9 Enter the transferor's interest in the foreign transferee corporation before and after the transfer:

(a) Before .1056 % (b) After .1047 %

10 Type of nonrecognition transaction (see instructions) ▶ 351

11 Indicate whether any transfer reported in Part III is subject to any of the following:

- a Gain recognition under section 904(f)(3)  Yes  No
- b Gain recognition under section 904(f)(5)(F)  Yes  No
- c Recapture under section 1503(d)  Yes  No
- d Exchange gain under section 987  Yes  No

12 Did this transfer result from a change in the classification of the transferee to that of a foreign corporation?  Yes  No

13 Indicate whether the transferor was required to recognize income under final and temporary Regulations sections 1.367(a)-4 through 1.367(a)-6 for any of the following:

- a Tainted property  Yes  No
- b Depreciation recapture  Yes  No
- c Branch loss recapture  Yes  No
- d Any other income recognition provision contained in the above-referenced regulations  Yes  No

14 Did the transferor transfer assets which qualify for the trade or business exception under section 367(a)(3)?  Yes  No

15 a Did the transferor transfer foreign goodwill or going concern value as defined in Temporary Regulations section 1.367(a)-1T(d)(5)(iii)?  Yes  No

b If the answer to line 15a is "Yes," enter the amount of foreign goodwill or going concern value transferred ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

16 Was cash the only property transferred?  Yes  No

17 a Was intangible property (within the meaning of section 936(h)(3)(B)) transferred as a result of the transaction?  Yes  No

b If "Yes," describe the nature of the rights to the intangible property that was transferred as a result of the transaction:

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BAUPOSE VALUE PARTNERS, LP III	04-3530415

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3 Name of transferee (foreign corporation) BVP-III CAYMAN A LIMITED	4 Identifying number, if any 000000000
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5 Address (including country)  
 P. O. BOX 309, UGLAND HOUSE, SOUTH CHURCH STREET  
 GEORGE TOWN, GRAND CAYMAN KY1-1104 CAYMAN ISLANDS

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	12/20/2012	SECURITIES	972,305.	371,693.	600,612.
Stock and securities					
Installment obligations, account receivables or similar property					
Foreign currency or other property denominated in foreign currency					
Inventory					
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