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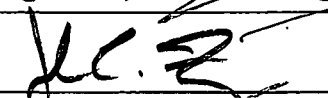
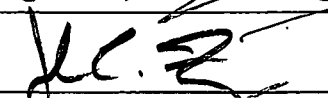
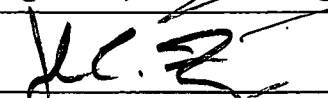
CHAR500NYS Annual Filing for Charitable Organizations
www.CharitiesNYS.comSend with fee and attachments to:
NYS Office of the Attorney General
Charities Bureau Registration Section
28 Liberty Street
New York, NY 10005**2018**
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Inspection**1 General Information**

For Fiscal Year Beginning (mm/dd/yyyy) <u>01</u> / <u>01</u> / 2018 and Ending (mm/dd/yyyy) <u>12</u> / <u>31</u> / <u>2018</u>									
Check if Applicable: <input type="checkbox"/> Address Change <input type="checkbox"/> Name Change <input type="checkbox"/> Initial Filing <input type="checkbox"/> Final Filing <input type="checkbox"/> Amended Filing <input type="checkbox"/> Reg ID Pending	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>Name of Organization: National Rifle Association of America</td> <td>Employer Identification Number (EIN): 530116130</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Mailing Address: 11250 Waples Mill Road,</td> <td>NY Registration Number: 02 - 21 - 64</td> </tr> <tr> <td>City / State / Zip: Fairfax, VA 22030</td> <td>Telephone: 703-267-1250</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Website: www.nra.org</td> <td>Email: GCOUNSEL@NRAHQ.ORG</td> </tr> </table>	Name of Organization: National Rifle Association of America	Employer Identification Number (EIN): 530116130	Mailing Address: 11250 Waples Mill Road,	NY Registration Number: 02 - 21 - 64	City / State / Zip: Fairfax, VA 22030	Telephone: 703-267-1250	Website: www.nra.org	Email: GCOUNSEL@NRAHQ.ORG
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Check your organization's registration category: <input type="checkbox"/> 7A only <input type="checkbox"/> EPTL only <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> DUAL (7A & EPTL) <input type="checkbox"/> EXEMPT*									
Confirm your Registration Category in the Charities Registry at www.CharitiesNYS.com .									

2 Certification

See Instructions for certification requirements. Improper certification is a violation of law that may be subject to penalties. The certification requires two signatories.

We certify under penalties of perjury that we reviewed this report, including all attachments, and to the best of our knowledge and belief, they are true, correct and complete in accordance with the laws of the State of New York applicable to this report.

Treasurer	Signature 	Print Name and Title Craig B. Spray	Date 11/13/19
President or Authorized Officer:	Signature 	Print Name and Title John C. Fraser, CFO.	Date 11/13/19
Secretary	Signature 	Print Name and Title John C. Fraser, Secretary	Date 11/13/19
Chief Financial Officer or Treasurer:	Signature 	Print Name and Title John C. Fraser, CFO.	Date 11/13/19

3 Annual Reporting Exemption

Check the exemption(s) that apply to your filing. If your organization is claiming an exemption under one category (7A or EPTL only filers) or both categories (DUAL filers) that apply to your registration, complete only parts 1, 2, and 3, and submit the certified Char500. No fee, schedules, or additional attachments are required. If you cannot claim an exemption or are a DUAL filer that claims only one exemption, you must file applicable schedules and attachments and pay applicable fees.

- ☐ **3a. 7A filing exemption:** Total contributions from NY State including residents, foundations, government agencies, etc. did not exceed \$25,000 and the organization did not engage a professional fund raiser (PFR) or fund raising counsel (FRC) to solicit contributions during the fiscal year.
- ☐ **3b. EPTL filing exemption:** Gross receipts did not exceed \$25,000 and the market value of assets did not exceed \$25,000 at any time during the fiscal year.

4. Schedules and Attachments

See the following page for a checklist of schedules and attachments to complete your filing.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	4a. Did your organization use a professional fund raiser, fund raising counsel or commercial co-venturer for fund raising activity in NY State? If yes, complete Schedule 4a.
	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	4b. Did the organization receive government grants? If yes, complete Schedule 4b.

5 Fee

See the checklist on the next page to calculate your fee(s). Indicate fee(s) you are submitting here:	7A filing fee: \$ 25	EPTL filing fee: \$ 750	Total fee: \$ 775	Make a single check or money order payable to: "Department of Law"
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** PUBLIC DISCLOSURE COPY **

Form **990**Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service**Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax**
Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except private foundations)

▶ Do not enter social security numbers on this form as it may be made public.

▶ Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for instructions and the latest information.

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A For the 2018 calendar year, or tax year beginning and ending																	
B Check if applicable: <input type="checkbox"/> Address change <input type="checkbox"/> Name change <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return <input type="checkbox"/> Final return/terminated <input type="checkbox"/> Amended return <input type="checkbox"/> Application pending	<table border="1" style="width:100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td colspan="2">C Name of organization NATIONAL RIFLE ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA</td> <td>D Employer identification number 53-0116130</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2">Doing business as</td> <td rowspan="3">E Telephone number 703-267-1000</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address)</td> <td>Room/suite</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2">11250 WAPLES MILL ROAD</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2">City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code FAIRFAX, VA 22030</td> <td>G Gross receipts \$ 367,702,748.</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2">F Name and address of principal officer: CRAIG B. SPRAY SAME AS C ABOVE</td> <td> H(a) Is this a group return for subordinates? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No H(b) Are all subordinates included? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If "No," attach a list. (see instructions) H(c) Group exemption number ▶ </td> </tr> </table>	C Name of organization NATIONAL RIFLE ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA		D Employer identification number 53-0116130	Doing business as		E Telephone number 703-267-1000	Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address)	Room/suite	11250 WAPLES MILL ROAD		City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code FAIRFAX, VA 22030		G Gross receipts \$ 367,702,748.	F Name and address of principal officer: CRAIG B. SPRAY SAME AS C ABOVE		H(a) Is this a group return for subordinates? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No H(b) Are all subordinates included? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If "No," attach a list. (see instructions) H(c) Group exemption number ▶
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I Tax-exempt status: <input type="checkbox"/> 501(c)(3) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 501(c) (4) ◀ (insert no.) <input type="checkbox"/> 4947(a)(1) or <input type="checkbox"/> 527																	
J Website: ▶ WWW.NRA.ORG																	
K Form of organization: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Trust <input type="checkbox"/> Association <input type="checkbox"/> Other ▶																	
L Year of formation: 1871 M State of legal domicile: NY																	

Part I Summary

Activities & Governance	1 Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities: FIREARMS SAFETY, EDUCATION, AND TRAINING; AND ADVOCACY ON BEHALF OF SAFE AND RESPONSIBLE GUN OWNERS			
	2 Check this box <input type="checkbox"/> if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its net assets.			
	3 Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a)	3	76	
	4 Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)	4	67	
	5 Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2018 (Part V, line 2a)	5	816	
	6 Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)	6	150000	
	7a Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12	7a	23,943,194.	
b Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 38	7b	0.		
Revenue			Prior Year	Current Year
	8 Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)	98,026,531.	108,599,726.	
	9 Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)	146,955,303.	193,010,155.	
	10 Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)	4,893,990.	2,192,041.	
	11 Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)	62,111,910.	48,748,942.	
	12 Total revenue - add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	311,987,734.	352,550,864.	
Expenses	13 Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3)	93,334.	75,661.	
	14 Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)	0.	0.	
	15 Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-10)	66,789,561.	63,864,842.	
	16a Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)	8,943,038.	7,798,658.	
	b Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) ▶ 48,091,585.			
	17 Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24e)	254,005,718.	283,536,156.	
18 Total expenses. Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	329,831,651.	355,275,317.		
19 Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 18 from line 12	-17,843,917.	-2,724,453.		
Net Assets or Fund Balances			Beginning of Current Year	End of Year
	20 Total assets (Part X, line 16)	196,125,681.	197,212,080.	
	21 Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)	171,175,478.	181,180,554.	
22 Net assets or fund balances. Subtract line 21 from line 20	24,950,203.	16,031,526.		

Part II Signature Block

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

Sign Here	Signature of officer	Date	11/14/19		
	CRAIG B. SPRAY, TREASURER Type or print name and title				
Paid Preparer Use Only	Print/Type preparer's name	Preparer's signature	Date	Check if self-employed <input type="checkbox"/>	PTIN
	ZACK FORTSCH, CPA		11/14/19	<input type="checkbox"/>	P00052725
	Firm's name ▶ RSM US LLP	Firm's EIN ▶ 42-0714325	Phone no. 312-634-3400		
	Firm's address ▶ ONE SOUTH WACKER DR STE 800 CHICAGO, IL 60606-3392				

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

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Part VI Governance, Management, and Disclosure

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

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

☒**Section A. Governing Body and Management**

	1a	1b	Yes	No
1a Enter the number of voting members of the governing body at the end of the tax year	76			
If there are material differences in voting rights among members of the governing body, or if the governing body delegated broad authority to an executive committee or similar committee, explain in Schedule O.				
b Enter the number of voting members included in line 1a, above, who are independent		67		
2 Did any officer, director, trustee, or key employee have a family relationship or a business relationship with any other officer, director, trustee, or key employee?			2	X
3 Did the organization delegate control over management duties customarily performed by or under the direct supervision of officers, directors, or trustees, or key employees to a management company or other person?			3	X
4 Did the organization make any significant changes to its governing documents since the prior Form 990 was filed?			4	X
5 Did the organization become aware during the year of a significant diversion of the organization's assets?			5	X
6 Did the organization have members or stockholders?			6	X
7a Did the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who had the power to elect or appoint one or more members of the governing body?			7a	X
b Are any governance decisions of the organization reserved to (or subject to approval by) members, stockholders, or persons other than the governing body?			7b	X
8 Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year by the following:				
a The governing body?			8a	X
b Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body?			8b	X
9 Is there any officer, director, trustee, or key employee listed in Part VII, Section A, who cannot be reached at the organization's mailing address? If "Yes," provide the names and addresses in Schedule O			9	X

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

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

Section C. Disclosure

17 List the states with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed **AL, AZ, AR, CA, CO, CT, DC, FL, GA, HI, ID, IL**

18 Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Forms 1023 (1024 or 1024-A if applicable), 990, and 990-T (Section 501(c)(3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you made these available. Check all that apply.

☐ Own website ☐ Another's website ☒ Upon request ☐ Other (explain in Schedule O)

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

20 State the name, address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the organization's books and records **CRAIG B. SPRAY, TREASURER - 703-267-1000**
11250 WAPLES MILL RD, FAIRFAX, VA 22030

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

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

☒**Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees****1a** Complete this table for all persons required to be listed. Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year.

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

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) RICHARD CHILDRESS 1ST VICE PRESIDENT	10.00 1.00	X		X				0.	0.	0.
(2) CAROLYN D. MEADOWS 2ND VICE PRESIDENT	10.00 1.00	X		X				0.	0.	0.
(3) JOE M. ALLBAUGH DIRECTOR	1.00 X	X						0.	0.	0.
(4) WILLIAM H. ALLEN DIRECTOR (ENDING 6/1/2018)	1.00 X	X						0.	0.	0.
(5) THOMAS P. ARVAS DIRECTOR	1.00 X	X						0.	0.	0.
(6) PAUL BABAZ DIRECTOR (STARTING 6/1/2018)	1.00 X	X						0.	0.	0.
(7) SCOTT L. BACH DIRECTOR	1.00 X	X						0.	0.	0.
(8) WILLIAM A. BACHENBERG DIRECTOR	1.00 X	X						0.	0.	0.
(9) BOB BARR DIRECTOR	1.00 X	X						0.	0.	0.
(10) RONNIE G. BARRETT DIRECTOR	1.00 X	X						0.	0.	0.
(11) CLEL BAUDLER DIRECTOR	1.00 X	X						0.	0.	0.
(12) J. KENNETH BLACKWELL DIRECTOR	1.00 X	X						0.	0.	0.
(13) MATT BLUNT DIRECTOR	1.00 X	X						0.	0.	0.
(14) DAN BOREN DIRECTOR	1.00 X	X						0.	0.	0.
(15) ROBERT K. BROWN DIRECTOR	1.00 X	X						0.	0.	0.
(16) PETE R. BROWNELL DIRECTOR	1.00 1.00	X						2,997.	0.	0.
(17) DAVID BUTZ DIRECTOR	5.00 X	X						100,000.	0.	0.

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

(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below 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) DEAN CAIN DIRECTOR (STARTING 5/5/2018)	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(19) TED W. CARTER DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(20) PATRICIA A. CLARK DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(21) ALLAN D. CORS DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(22) CHARLES L. COTTON DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(23) DAVID G. COY DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(24) LARRY E. CRAIG DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(25) JOHN L. CUSHMAN DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(26) R. LEE ERMEY DIRECTOR (ENDING 4/15/2018)	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
1b Sub-total								102,997.	0.	0.
c Total from continuation sheets to Part VII, Section A								12,820,292.	0.	756,013.
d Total (add lines 1b and 1c)								12,923,289.	0.	756,013.

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 **122**

	Yes	No
3 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	
4 For any individual listed on line 1a, is the sum of reportable compensation and other compensation from the organization and related organizations greater than \$150,000? If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual	X	
5 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
ACKERMAN MCQUEEN INC 1601 NW EXPRESSWAY, OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73118	PUBLIC RELATIONS AND ADVERTISING	31,994,168.
INFOCISION MANAGEMENT CORP 325 SPRINGSIDE DR, AKRON, OH 44333	MEMBERSHIP PROCESSING AND CONTR	25,727,854.
BREWER ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELORS 1717 MAIN ST, SUITE 5900, DALLAS, TX 75201	LEGAL SERVICES	13,832,060.
MEMBERSHIP MARKETING PARTNERS LLC, 11250 WAPLES MILL TD, SUITE 310, FAIRFAX, VA	FUNDRAISING PRINTING AND MAILING	12,561,213.
VALTIM INC 1095 VENTURE DR, FOREST, VA 24551	FULFILLMENT CENTER	8,836,104.

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 **123**

SEE PART VII, SECTION A CONTINUATION SHEETS

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

(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below line)	(C) Position (check all that apply)						(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			
(27) EDIE P. FLEEMAN DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(28) CAROL FRAMPTON DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(29) JOEL FRIEDMAN DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(30) SANDRA S. FROMAN DIRECTOR	5.00	X						13,060.	0.	0.
(31) JULIE GOLOB DIRECTOR (STARTING 5/5/2018)	5.00	X						28,661.	0.	0.
(32) MARIA HEIL DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(33) GRAHAM HILL DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(34) STEVE HORNADY DIRECTOR (ENDING 5/5/2018)	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(35) SUSAN HOWARD DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(36) CURTIS S. JENKINS DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(37) DAVID A. KEENE DIRECTOR	1.00	X						40,000.	0.	0.
(38) TOM KING DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(39) TIMOTHY KNIGHT DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(40) HERBERT A. LANFORD JR. DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(41) WILLES K. LEE DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(42) CARRIE LIGHTFOOT DIRECTOR (STARTING 5/5/2018)	1.00	X						2,907.	0.	0.
(43) DUANE LIPTAK, JR. DIRECTOR (STARTING 5/5/2018)	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(44) KARL A. MALONE DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(45) SEAN MALONEY DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(46) ROBERT E. MANSELL DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
Total to Part VII, Section A, line 1c										

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

(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below line)	(C) Position (check all that apply)						(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			
(47) BILL MILLER DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(48) OWEN BUZ MILLS DIRECTOR	1.00	X						5,553.	0.	0.
(49) CRAIG MORGAN DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(50) IL LING NEW DIRECTOR (STARTING 5/5/2018)	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(51) GROVER NORQUIST DIRECTOR (ENDING 5/5/2018)	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(52) ROBERT A. NOSLER DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(53) JOHNNY NUGENT DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(54) TED NUGENT DIRECTOR	1.00	X						64,234.	0.	0.
(55) LANCE OLSON DIRECTOR	5.00	X						75,000.	0.	0.
(56) MELANIE PEPPER DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(57) JAMES W. PORTER II DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(58) JAY PRINTZ DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(59) TODD J. RATHNER DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(60) KIM RHODE DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(61) WAYNE ANTHONY ROSS DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(62) CARL T. ROWAN, JR. DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(63) DON SABA DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(64) WILLIAM H. SATTERFIELD DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(65) RONALD L. SCHMEITS DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(66) ESTHER Q. SCHNEIDER DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
Total to Part VII, Section A, line 1c										

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(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below line)	(C) Position (check all that apply)						(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			
(67) STEVEN C. SCHREINER DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(68) TOM SELLECK DIRECTOR (ENDING 9/8/2018)	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(69) JOHN C. SIGLER DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(70) LEROY SISCO DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(71) BART SKELTON DIRECTOR	5.00	X						15,000.	0.	0.
(72) STEPHANIE SPIKA DIRECTOR (4/15/2018-5/5/2018)	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(73) KRISTY TITUS DIRECTOR (STARTING 5/5/2018)	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(74) DWIGHT D. VAN HORN DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(75) BLAINE E. WADE DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(76) LINDA L. WALKER DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(77) HOWARD J. WALTER DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(78) HEIDI E. WASHINGTON DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(79) ALLEN B. WEST DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(80) ROBERT J. WOS DIRECTOR (ENDING 5/5/2018)	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(81) DONALD E. YOUNG DIRECTOR	1.00	X						0.	0.	0.
(82) WAYNE LAPIERRE CEO AND EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT	60.00 1.00			X				2,150,634.	0.	73,793.
(83) CHRIS W. COX EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, NRALA	49.00 1.00			X				1,285,318.	0.	107,350.
(84) WILSON H. PHILLIPS TREASURER (ENDING 9/13/2018)	29.00 11.00			X				900,537.	0.	48,232.
(85) JOSHUA L. POWELL CHIEF OF STAFF AND EXEC. DIR	40.00			X				844,137.	0.	75,832.
(86) CRAIG B. SPRAY TREASURER (FROM 9/13/2018)	39.00 11.00			X				596,958.	0.	51,257.
Total to Part VII, Section A, line 1c										

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(A) Name and title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below line)	(C) Position (check all that apply)						(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			
(87) JOHN C. FRAZER SECRETARY AND GENERAL COUNSEL	50.00 1.00		X					413,076.	0.	76,577.
(88) JOSEPH P. DEBERGALIS, JR. EXEC DIR, GENERAL OPS (STARTING 12/3	50.00		X					403,226.	0.	57,802.
(89) TYLER SCHROPP MANAGING DIRECTOR, ADVANCEMENT	50.00 1.00				X			733,145.	0.	73,623.
(90) TODD GRABLE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, MEMBERSHIP	50.00				X			667,386.	0.	66,154.
(91) DOUGLAS HAMLIN EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, PUBLICATIONS	50.00				X			581,321.	0.	74,409.
(92) DAVID LEHMAN DEPUTY EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, NRAILA	50.00 1.00				X			571,732.	0.	31,121.
(93) ERIC FROHARDT DIRECTOR, EDUCATION AND TRAINING	40.00				X			525,745.	0.	19,863.
(94) ROBERT K. WEAVER FMR EXE. DIR, GENERAL OPERATIONS	0.00					X		720,000.	0.	0.
(95) MICHEL MARCELLIN FMR MANAGING DIR, AFFINITY AND LICEN	0.00					X		535,045.	0.	0.
(96) OLIVER L. NORTH PRESIDENT	20.00 1.00	X	X					1,377,617.	0.	0.
(97) MARION P. HAMMER DIRECTOR	5.00	X						270,000.	0.	0.
Total to Part VII, Section A, line 1c								12,820,292.		756,013.

**SCHEDULE J
(Form 990)****Compensation Information**

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

Name of the organization

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Employer identification number

53-0116130**Part I Questions Regarding Compensation**

1a Check the appropriate box(es) if the organization provided any of the following to or for a person listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a. Complete Part III to provide any relevant information regarding these items.

- | | |
|---|---|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> First-class or charter travel | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Housing allowance or residence for personal use |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Travel for companions | <input type="checkbox"/> Payments for business use of personal residence |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Tax indemnification and gross-up payments | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Health or social club dues or initiation fees |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Discretionary spending account | <input type="checkbox"/> Personal services (such as maid, chauffeur, chef) |

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

1b ☒ Yes ☐ No

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

2 ☒ Yes ☐ No

3 Indicate which, if any, of the following the filing organization used to establish the compensation of the organization's CEO/Executive Director. Check all that apply. Do not check any boxes for methods used by a related organization to establish compensation of the CEO/Executive Director, but explain in Part III.

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

4 During the year, did any person listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, with respect to the filing organization or a related organization:

a Receive a severance payment or change-of-control payment?

4a ☒ Yes ☐ No

b Participate in, or receive payment from, a supplemental nonqualified retirement plan?

4b ☒ Yes ☐ No

c Participate in, or receive payment from, an equity-based compensation arrangement?

4c ☐ Yes ☒ No

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

Only section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations must complete lines 5-9.

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

a The organization?

5a ☐ Yes ☒ No

b Any related organization?

5b ☐ Yes ☒ No

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

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

a The organization?

6a ☐ Yes ☒ No

b Any related organization?

6b ☐ Yes ☒ No

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

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

7 ☐ Yes ☒ No

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

8 ☐ Yes ☒ No

9 If "Yes" on line 8, did the organization also follow the rebuttable presumption procedure described in Regulations section 53.4958-6(c)?

9 ☐ Yes ☐ No

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

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

(A) Name and Title		(B) Breakdown of W-2 and/or 1099-MISC compensation			(C) Retirement and other deferred compensation	(D) Nontaxable benefits	(E) Total of columns (B)(i)-(D)	(F) Compensation in column (B) reported as deferred on prior Form 990
		(i) Base compensation	(ii) Bonus & incentive compensation	(iii) Other reportable compensation				
(1) WAYNE LAPIERRE CEO AND EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT	(i)	1,267,878.	455,000.	427,756.	20,280.	53,513.	2,224,427.	0.
	(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
(2) CHRIS W. COX EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, NRAILA	(i)	1,057,586.	200,000.	27,732.	35,484.	71,866.	1,392,668.	0.
	(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
(3) WILSON H. PHILLIPS TREASURER (ENDING 9/13/2018)	(i)	573,567.	210,000.	116,970.	20,280.	27,952.	948,769.	0.
	(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
(4) JOSHUA L. POWELL CHIEF OF STAFF AND EXEC. DIR	(i)	782,739.	0.	61,398.	16,500.	59,332.	919,969.	0.
	(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
(5) CRAIG B. SPRAY TREASURER (FROM 9/13/2018)	(i)	401,111.	0.	195,847.	16,500.	34,757.	648,215.	0.
	(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
(6) JOHN C. FRAZER SECRETARY AND GENERAL COUNSEL	(i)	325,953.	54,100.	33,023.	16,500.	60,077.	489,653.	0.
	(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
(7) JOSEPH P. DEBERGALIS, JR. EXEC DIR, GENERAL OPS (STARTING 12/3	(i)	347,452.	0.	55,774.	16,500.	41,302.	461,028.	0.
	(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
(8) TYLER SCHROPP MANAGING DIRECTOR, ADVANCEMENT	(i)	604,803.	122,206.	6,136.	16,500.	57,123.	806,768.	0.
	(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
(9) TODD GRABLE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, MEMBERSHIP	(i)	438,703.	217,553.	11,130.	16,500.	49,654.	733,540.	0.
	(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
(10) DOUGLAS HAMLIN EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, PUBLICATIONS	(i)	443,585.	80,000.	57,736.	16,443.	57,966.	655,730.	0.
	(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
(11) DAVID LEHMAN DEPUTY EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, NRAILA	(i)	450,057.	50,000.	71,675.	16,500.	14,621.	602,853.	0.
	(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
(12) ERIC PROHARDT DIRECTOR, EDUCATION AND TRAINING	(i)	500,000.	0.	25,745.	15,000.	4,863.	545,608.	0.
	(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
(13) ROBERT K. WEAVER FMR EXE. DIR, GENERAL OPERATIONS	(i)	0.	0.	720,000.	0.	0.	720,000.	0.
	(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
(14) MICHEL MARCELLIN FMR MANAGING DIR, AFFINITY AND LICEN	(i)	0.	0.	535,045.	0.	0.	535,045.	0.
	(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
(15) OLIVER L. NORTH PRESIDENT	(i)	1,377,617.	0.	0.	0.	0.	1,377,617.	0.
	(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
(16) MARION P. HAMMER DIRECTOR	(i)	270,000.	0.	0.	0.	0.	270,000.	0.
	(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.

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PART I, LINE 1A:

CHARTER TRAVEL WAS USED ON OCCASIONS WHEN TRAVEL LOGISTICS OR SECURITY CONCERNS PRECLUDED OTHER AVAILABLE OPTIONS. COMPANIONS OCCASIONALLY TRAVEL VIA PRIVATE AIRCRAFT WITH NRA OFFICIALS AND VENDORS IN CONNECTION WITH THEIR PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITIES. CERTAIN COMPENSATION ELEMENTS WERE GROSSED UP FOR ONE INDIVIDUAL FOR ONE TIME RELOCATION COSTS AND THE TAX GROSS UP WAS PROPERLY INCLUDED IN TAXABLE COMPENSATION. HOUSING EXPENSES WERE PROVIDED FOR FIVE INDIVIDUALS AND WERE PROPERLY INCLUDED IN TAXABLE COMPENSATION. DUES FOR CLUBS USED FOR BUSINESS PURPOSES WERE PROPERLY EXCLUDED FROM TAXABLE COMPENSATION.

PART I, LINE 3:

COMPENSATION OF THE NRA'S TOP MANAGEMENT OFFICIALS IS ESTABLISHED BY METHODS INCLUDING INDEPENDENT COMPENSATION CONSULTANTS, COMPENSATION SURVEYS AND STUDIES, AND COMPARABILITY DATA. IN ADDITION, UNDER THE NRA BYLAWS COMPENSATION OF CERTAIN ELECTED OFFICERS (INCLUDING THE EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT) MUST BE APPROVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS, BASED ON RECOMMENDATIONS BY THE COMPENSATION COMMITTEE. ALL DECISIONS ARE PROPERLY DOCUMENTED.

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PART I, LINES 4A-B:

ROBERT K. WEAVER'S EMPLOYMENT AS EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF GENERAL OPERATIONS

ENDED IN 2016 AND DURING CALENDAR YEAR 2018 MR. WEAVER RECEIVED TAXABLE

COMPENSATION OF \$720,000.

MICHEL MARCELLIN'S EMPLOYMENT AS MANAGING DIRECTOR OF AFFINITY AND

LICENSING ENDED IN 2016 AND DURING CALENDAR YEAR 2018 MR. MARCELLIN

RECEIVED TAXABLE COMPENSATION OF \$535,045.

THE NRA HAS DEFERRED COMPENSATION RETIREMENT BENEFIT PLANS FOR CERTAIN

EMPLOYEES AND NONQUALIFIED SUPPLEMENTAL EXECUTIVE RETIREMENT PLANS FOR

CERTAIN EMPLOYEES. FOR NONQUALIFIED PLANS, THE FILING ORGANIZATION DECIDES

THE BENEFIT AMOUNT AND TIMEFRAME FOR VESTING OF EACH PARTICIPANT USING

DIFFERENT FACTORS PARTICULAR TO EACH RELEVANT INDIVIDUAL AND HIS OR HER

SPECIFIC CIRCUMSTANCES. PAYOUTS ARE PROPERLY INCLUDED IN TAXABLE WAGES AND

REPORTED IN W-2 INCOME.

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COLUMN B(I) MR. NORTH RECEIVED \$1,377,617 PAID BY AN UNRELATED ORGANIZATION, ACKERMAN MCQUEEN (AS FURTHER DETAILED ON SCHEDULE O).

COLUMN B(III) OTHER REPORTABLE COMPENSATION WITHIN TAXABLE WAGES FOR MR. LAPIERRE INCLUDED \$365,909 457(F) PAYOUT, \$38,862 GROUP LIFE INSURANCE, \$18,500 457(B) PLAN, AND \$4,485 TAXABLE PERSONAL EXPENSES.

OTHER REPORTABLE COMPENSATION WITHIN TAXABLE WAGES FOR MR. COX INCLUDED \$18,500 457(B) PLAN, \$7,830 GROUP LIFE INSURANCE, AND \$1,402 TAXABLE PERSONAL EXPENSES. OTHER REPORTABLE COMPENSATION WITHIN TAXABLE WAGES

FOR MR. PHILLIPS INCLUDED \$73,978 457(F) PAYOUT, \$21,012 GROUP LIFE INSURANCE, \$18,500 457(B) PLAN, AND \$3,480 TAXABLE PERSONAL EXPENSES.

OTHER REPORTABLE COMPENSATION WITHIN TAXABLE WAGES FOR MR. POWELL INCLUDED \$57,168 TAXABLE PERSONAL EXPENSES AND \$4,230 GROUP LIFE INSURANCE. OTHER REPORTABLE COMPENSATION WITHIN TAXABLE WAGES FOR MR.

SPRAY INCLUDED \$175,174 ONE-TIME RELOCATION COSTS AND TEMPORARY LIVING EXPENSES, \$18,500 457(B) PLAN, AND \$2,173 GROUP LIFE INSURANCE. OTHER

REPORTABLE COMPENSATION WITHIN TAXABLE WAGES FOR MR. FRAZER INCLUDED \$18,500 457(B) PLAN, \$10,681 TAXABLE PERSONAL EXPENSES, AND \$3,842 GROUP LIFE INSURANCE. OTHER REPORTABLE COMPENSATION WITHIN TAXABLE

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WAGES FOR MR. DEBERGALIS INCLUDED \$35,342 TAXABLE PERSONAL EXPENSES,
\$18,500 457(B) PLAN, AND \$1,932 GROUP LIFE INSURANCE. OTHER REPORTABLE
COMPENSATION WITHIN TAXABLE WAGES FOR MR. SCHROPP INCLUDED \$1,530 GROUP
LIFE INSURANCE AND \$2,842 TAXABLE PERSONAL EXPENSES. OTHER REPORTABLE
COMPENSATION WITHIN TAXABLE WAGES FOR MR. GRABLE INCLUDED \$9,600
TAXABLE PERSONAL EXPENSES AND \$1,530 GROUP LIFE INSURANCE. OTHER
REPORTABLE COMPENSATION WITHIN TAXABLE WAGES FOR MR. HAMLIN INCLUDED
\$24,505 TAXABLE PERSONAL EXPENSES, \$18,500 457(B) PLAN, AND \$14,731
GROUP LIFE INSURANCE. OTHER REPORTABLE COMPENSATION WITHIN TAXABLE
WAGES FOR MR. LEHMAN INCLUDED \$50,691 457(F) PAYOUT, \$18,500 457(B)
PLAN, AND \$2,484 GROUP LIFE INSURANCE. OTHER REPORTABLE COMPENSATION
WITHIN TAXABLE WAGES FOR MR. FROHARDT INCLUDED \$24,605 TAXABLE PERSONAL
EXPENSES AND \$1,140 GROUP LIFE INSURANCE.

COLUMN C EMPLOYER DEPOSITS TOWARD BENEFITS THAT WILL NOT BE PAID UNTIL
A FUTURE DATE ARE SHOWN IN COLUMN C. THE AMOUNT FOR MR. LAPIERRE
INCLUDED \$16,500 401(K) AND \$3,780 PENSION PLAN. THE AMOUNT FOR MR. COX
INCLUDED \$16,500 401(K), \$15,204 457(F), AND \$3,780 PENSION PLAN. THE
AMOUNT FOR MR. PHILLIPS INCLUDED \$16,500 401(K) AND \$3,780 PENSION
PLAN. THE AMOUNT FOR MR. POWELL INCLUDED \$16,500 401(K). THE AMOUNT FOR

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MR. SPRAY INCLUDED \$16,500 401(K). THE AMOUNT FOR MR. FRAZER INCLUDED

\$16,500 401(K). THE AMOUNT FOR MR. DEBERGALIS INCLUDED \$16,500 401(K).

THE AMOUNT FOR MR. SCHROPP INCLUDED \$16,500 401(K). THE AMOUNT FOR MR.

GRABLE INCLUDED \$16,500 401(K). THE AMOUNT FOR MR. HAMLIN INCLUDED

\$16,443 401(K). THE AMOUNT FOR MR. LEHMAN INCLUDED \$16,500 401(K). THE

AMOUNT FOR MR. FROHARDT INCLUDED \$15,000 401(K).

COLUMN D NONTAXABLE BENEFITS ARE PROVIDED TO EMPLOYEES CONSISTENT WITH

ASSOCIATION INDUSTRY STANDARDS AND BEST PRACTICES. STANDARD NONTAXABLE

BENEFITS INCLUDE EMPLOYEE BENEFITS SUCH AS THE EMPLOYER PAID PORTIONS

OF MEDICAL AND DENTAL PLANS AND LONG-TERM AND SHORT-TERM DISABILITY

PLANS.

SCHEDULE L

(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Transactions With Interested Persons

► Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 25a, 25b, 26, 27, 28a, 28b, or 28c, or Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 38a or 40b.

▶ **Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.**

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Part I	Excess Benefit Transactions (section 501(c)(3), section 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations only).
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Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 25a or 25b, or Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 40b.

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2 Enter the amount of tax incurred by the organization managers or disqualified persons during the year under section 4958

3 Enter the amount of tax, if any, on line 2, above, reimbursed by the organization

Part II	Loans to and/or From Interested Persons.
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Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 38a or Form 990, Part IV, line 26; or if the organization reported an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 5, 6, or 22.

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Total

Part III		Grants or Assistance Benefiting Interested Persons.
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Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 27.

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Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 28a, 28b, or 28c.

(a) Name of interested person	(b) Relationship between interested person and the organization	(c) Amount of transaction	(d) Description of transaction	(e) Sharing of organization's revenues?	
				Yes	No
TOM SELLECK	SEE PART V	476,000.	SEE PART V		X
JIM POWELL ADVER.PHOTOGRAP	SEE PART V	11,513.	SEE PART V		X

Part V Supplemental Information.

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

SCH L, PART IV, BUSINESS TRANSACTIONS INVOLVING INTERESTED PERSONS:**(A) NAME OF PERSON: JIM POWELL ADVER.PHOTOGRAPHY****SCH L, PART IV, BUSINESS TRANSACTIONS INVOLVING INTERESTED PERSONS:****(A) NAME OF PERSON: TOM SELLECK****(B) RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN INTERESTED PERSON AND ORGANIZATION:****BOARD MEMBER****(D) DESCRIPTION OF TRANSACTION: THE NRA PURCHASED A GROUP OF****COLLECTIBLE FIREARMS THAT ORIGINATED FROM THE COLLECTION OF THEN-BOARD****MEMBER TOM SELLECK FOR \$476,000. THE NRA INTENDS TO RESELL THE FIREARMS****OR OTHERWISE USE THEM IN NRA FUNDRAISING EFFORTS. BOARD MEMBER LANCE****OLSON, A LICENSED FIREARMS DEALER WHO PROVIDED CONSULTING SERVICES TO****THE NRA ON GUN COLLECTOR OUTREACH, ASSISTED IN THE TRANSACTION.****(A) NAME OF PERSON: JIM POWELL ADVERTISING PHOTOGRAPHY****(B) RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN INTERESTED PERSON AND ORGANIZATION:****OWNER IS AN OFFICER'S RELATIVE****(D) DESCRIPTION OF TRANSACTION: THE NRA PURCHASED JIM POWELL****ADVERTISING PHOTOGRAPY SERVICES FOR NRA COMPETITIONS EVENTS. THE OWNER****OF THE PHOTOGRAPHY SERVICES COMPANY, JIM POWELL, IS THE FATHER OF NRA**

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Complete this part to provide additional information for responses to questions on Schedule L (see instructions):

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.

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FORM 990, PART I, SECTION 1, LINE 1

THE NRA IS A 501(C)(4) MEMBERSHIP ASSOCIATION WITH FOUR 501(C)(3)
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND A SECTION 527 POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE (PAC)
WHICH IS A SEPARATE SEGREGATED FUND. THE FOUR CHARITIES AFFILIATED WITH
THE NRA ARE NRA CIVIL RIGHTS DEFENSE FUND, NRA FOUNDATION INC, NRA
FREEDOM ACTION FOUNDATION, AND NRA SPECIAL CONTRIBUTION FUND DBA NRA
WHITTINGTON CENTER. THE POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE IS NRA POLITICAL
VICTORY FUND. SEE SCHEDULE R, PART II.

FORM 990, PART I, LINE 7

THIS INFORMATIONAL NOTE REGARDS THE NRA'S UNRELATED BUSINESS INCOME.
FORM 990 PAGE 1 SHOWS GROSS UNRELATED BUSINESS REVENUE ON LINE 7A AND
NET UNRELATED BUSINESS TAXABLE INCOME ON LINE 7B. THE NRA DID NOT OWE
UNRELATED BUSINESS INCOME TAX FOR THE YEAR 2018 BECAUSE DIRECTLY
CONNECTED DEDUCTIONS WERE GREATER THAN THE ASSOCIATED INCOME IN 2018.
THE MAIN SOURCES OF NRA UNRELATED BUSINESS INCOME, AS SHOWN ON 990 PART
VIII, COLUMN C, ARE CERTAIN MERCHANDISE SALES FROM THE E-COMMERCE
PLATFORMS, ADVERTISING, AND OTHER ACTIVITIES NOT RELATED TO THE NRA'S
TAX EXEMPT PURPOSES. ADDITIONAL INFORMATIONAL NOTES RELATED TO THE
NRA'S TAXES ARE SHARED ON SCHEDULE C REGARDING 527(F) PROXY TAXES AND
SCHEDULE D REGARDING STATE AND LOCAL TAXES. THE NRA CHOOSES TO SHARE
THIS EXTRA INFORMATION ABOUT THE TAXES IN ORDER TO DEMONSTRATE IN GOOD
FAITH THAT THE ORGANIZATION IS A TAXPAYER IN GOOD STANDING.

FORM 990 PART I, LINE 8

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

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THIS INFORMATIONAL NOTE REGARDS THE NRA'S CONTRIBUTION REVENUE. THE VAST MAJORITY OF CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE NRA COMES FROM MILLIONS OF SMALL INDIVIDUAL DONORS. GIFTS FROM COMPANIES AND EXECUTIVES IN THE FIREARMS, HUNTING, AND SHOOTING SPORTS INDUSTRIES TYPICALLY COMPRISE LESS THAN 5% OF THE NRA'S CONTRIBUTION REVENUE EVERY YEAR, AS APPLIED TO CONTRIBUTION REVENUE REPORTED ON FORM 990, PART VIII, LINE 1.

FORM 990, PART III, LINE 4D, OTHER PROGRAM SERVICES:

THIS NOTE PROVIDES FURTHER INFORMATION ON PART III PROGRAM SERVICE ACCOMPLISHMENTS. NRA PROGRAM SERVICES ARE CENTERED ON THE NRA'S CORE MISSION OF FIREARMS SAFETY, EDUCATION, AND TRAINING, INCLUDING MESSAGING THAT PROMOTES FREEDOM AND LIBERTY. THE ADDITIONAL PROGRAM SERVICE EXPENSES OF \$59,426,544 NOTED ON 990 CORE FORM PART III LINE 4D INCLUDE THE PROGRAM SERVICES COMPONENTS OF PUBLIC AFFAIRS, EXECUTIVE, AND ADVANCEMENT OPERATIONS. 990 READERS ARE ENCOURAGED TO ACCESS NRA.ORG FOR OPPORTUNITIES TO CONTINUE TO ENGAGE WITH THE NRA. EXPENSES \$ 59,426,544. INCLUDING GRANTS OF \$ 0. REVENUE \$ 1,330,515.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 2:

SEVERAL NRA DIRECTORS ARE EMPLOYED IN THE FIREARMS INDUSTRY AS MANUFACTURERS OR SELLERS OF FIREARMS, AMMUNITION, OR COMPONENTS THEREOF. THESE BOARD MEMBERS ROUTINELY BUY AND SELL PRODUCTS FROM ONE ANOTHER IN THE ORDINARY COURSE OF BUSINESS.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 6:

THE NATIONAL RIFLE ASSOCIATION IS A MEMBERSHIP ASSOCIATION THAT REPRESENTS ONLY INDIVIDUAL CITIZENS. MEMBERSHIP DUES ARE PROPERLY REPORTED ON FORM

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990, PART VIII, LINE 2 PURSUANT TO THE INSTRUCTIONS FOR SUCH REPORTING.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 7A:

NRA MEMBERS ELECT ALL 76 MEMBERS OF THE NRA BOARD OF DIRECTORS. 75

DIRECTORS ARE ELECTED FOR STAGGERED THREE YEAR TERMS, AND THE 76TH DIRECTOR IS ELECTED FOR ONE YEAR TERM ON THE OCCASION OF EACH ANNUAL MEETING OF MEMBERS.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 7B:

CERTAIN BOARD OF DIRECTORS DECISIONS ARE SUBJECT TO MEMBERSHIP APPROVAL PER NRA BYLAWS AND NEW YORK NOT FOR PROFIT CORPORATE LAW.

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

FORM 990 IS REVIEWED BY THE EXTERNAL AUDITING FIRM, PRESENTED TO THE NRA BOARD OF DIRECTORS AUDIT COMMITTEE, AND MADE AVAILABLE TO THE FULL NRA BOARD OF DIRECTORS, BEFORE IT IS FILED WITH THE IRS.

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

THE ORGANIZATION'S CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY APPLIES TO OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, AND KEY EMPLOYEES OF THE FILING ORGANIZATION AND ITS AFFILIATES, AS WELL AS TO THEIR RELATIVES. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS AND POTENTIAL CONFLICTS ARE SELF-REPORTED ON A QUESTIONNAIRE THAT IS DISTRIBUTED AT LEAST ANNUALLY AND REVIEWED BY THE SECRETARY AND GENERAL COUNSEL. ISSUES MAY ALSO BE REPORTED THROUGH OTHER MEANS OR INDEPENDENTLY DISCOVERED BY STAFF. REGARDLESS OF HOW THEY ARE REPORTED, RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS AND ISSUES OF APPARENT CONFLICT ARE PRESENTED TO THE BODY DESIGNATED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS (THE AUDIT COMMITTEE) FOR APPROVAL, DISAPPROVAL, OR PRECAUTIONARY MEASURES AS NEEDED.

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

COMPENSATION OF THE NRA'S TOP MANAGEMENT OFFICIALS IS ESTABLISHED BY METHODS INCLUDING INDEPENDENT COMPENSATION CONSULTANTS, COMPENSATION SURVEYS AND STUDIES, AND COMPARABILITY DATA. IN ADDITION, UNDER THE NRA BYLAWS COMPENSATION OF CERTAIN ELECTED OFFICERS (INCLUDING THE EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT) MUST BE APPROVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS, BASED ON RECOMMENDATIONS BY THE COMPENSATION COMMITTEE. ALL DECISIONS ARE PROPERLY DOCUMENTED.

FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 17, LIST OF STATES RECEIVING COPY OF FORM 990:

AL, AZ, AR, CA, CO, CT, DC, FL, GA, HI, ID, IL, IN, IA, KS, KY, LA, ME, MD, MA, MI, MN, MS, MO, NE
NV, NH, NJ, MT, NM, NY, ND, NC, OH, OK, OR, PA, PR, RI, SC, DE, SD, TN, TX, UT, VT, VA, WV, WA, WI,
WY

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION C, LINE 19:

THE ORGANIZATION'S CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY APPLIES TO OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, AND KEY EMPLOYEES OF THE FILING ORGANIZATION AND ITS AFFILIATES, AS WELL AS TO THEIR RELATIVES. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS AND POTENTIAL CONFLICTS ARE SELF-REPORTED ON A QUESTIONNAIRE THAT IS DISTRIBUTED AT LEAST ANNUALLY AND REVIEWED BY THE SECRETARY AND GENERAL COUNSEL. ISSUES MAY ALSO BE REPORTED THROUGH OTHER MEANS OR INDEPENDENTLY DISCOVERED BY STAFF. REGARDLESS OF HOW THEY ARE REPORTED, RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS AND ISSUES OF APPARENT CONFLICT ARE PRESENTED TO THE BODY DESIGNATED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS (THE AUDIT COMMITTEE) FOR APPROVAL, DISAPPROVAL, OR PRECAUTIONARY MEASURES AS NEEDED.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION C, LINE 18

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READERS ARE POLITELY REMINDED THE NRA WAS FOUNDED 147 YEARS AGO, IN 1871. THE NRA'S 1944 DETERMINATION LETTER FROM THE INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE IS AVAILABLE ON GUIDESTAR.ORG AND CAN ALSO BE REQUESTED DIRECTLY FROM THE NRA AS REQUIRED BY LAW. FORMS 990 CAN BE REQUESTED DIRECTLY FROM THE NRA AS REQUIRED BY LAW.

FORM 990, PART VII, SECTION A, LINE 1

THIS INFORMATIONAL NOTE REGARDS SERVICE ON THE NRA BOARD OF DIRECTORS, WHICH IS NOT COMPENSATED. BOARD MEMBERS WHO RECEIVED COMPENSATION IN 2018 WERE COMPENSATED FOR OTHER REASONS, NOT FOR THEIR VOLUNTARY BOARD SERVICE. MR. BUTZ, MS. FROMAN, MS. GOLOB, MS. HAMMER, MR. KEENE, MR. NUGENT, MR. OLSON, AND MR. SKELTON WERE COMPENSATED FOR OTHER PROFESSIONAL SERVICES THEY PERFORMED FOR THE ORGANIZATION. MR. BROWNELL, MS. LIGHTFOOT, AND MR. MILLS, AND MR. TED NUGENT RECEIVED MEMBERSHIP RECRUITING COMMISSIONS THAT WERE PAID TO THEIR COMPANIES. FOR THE PURPOSE OF DETERMINING THE COUNT OF INDEPENDENT DIRECTORS AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2018 SHOWN ON PART I LINE 3 AND PART VI LINE 1B, THE NINE DIRECTORS NOT CONSIDERED INDEPENDENT FOR 2018 WERE MR. BUTZ, MS. FROMAN, MS. GOLOB, MS. HAMMER, MR. KEENE, MR. NORTH, MR. NUGENT, MR. OLSON, AND MR. SKELTON.

FORM 990, PART VII, SECTION A, LINE 5

IN 2018, MR. NORTH RECEIVED NO COMPENSATION FROM THE NRA FOR HIS 20 HOURS PER WEEK AS NRA PRESIDENT. THE PAYMENTS OF \$1,377,617 WERE FROM AN UNRELATED ORGANIZATION, ACKERMAN MCQUEEN INC. CERTAIN OF THESE PAYMENTS ARE DISPUTED AND SUBJECT TO ONGOING LITIGATION. IN 2018. MS. GOLOB WAS ALSO COMPENSATED BY AN UNRELATED ORGANIZATION, ACKERMAN

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MCQUEEN INC, \$28,661 FOR PROFESSIONAL SERVICES PERFORMED ON NRA DIGITAL
MEDIA PROJECTS.

FORM 990, PART VII SECTION B, LINE 1

THIS INFORMATIONAL NOTE PROVIDES ADDITIONAL DETAIL ABOUT AMOUNTS PAID
TO OUTSIDE SERVICES PROVIDERS. THE FILING ORGANIZATION REPORTS
COMPENSATION PAID TO SERVICES PROVIDERS EXCLUSIVE OF ADVERTISING AND
OTHER MEDIA PLACED ON BEHALF OF THE FILING ORGANIZATION AND EXPENSES
INCURRED ON BEHALF OF THE FILING ORGANIZATION. FOR EXAMPLE, THE FIGURE
OF \$31,994,168 STATED ON PART VII SECTION B LINE 1 REFLECTS
COMPENSATION FOR SERVICES PAID TO ACKERMAN MCQUEEN INC. IT EXCLUDES
\$6,337,508 INCURRED FOR OUT OF POCKET EXPENDITURES ON BEHALF OF THE
FILING ORGANIZATION INCLUDING MEDIA, OUTSIDE VENDOR COSTS, AND
REIMBURSEMENT OF TRAVEL AND BUSINESS EXPENSES.

FORM 990, PART VIII, LINE 2B

THIS INFORMATIONAL NOTE REGARDS THE REPORTING OF MEMBER DUES ON FORM
990. LINE 1B OF THE REVENUE STATEMENT IS PROPERLY LEFT BLANK. PURSUANT
TO 990 INSTRUCTIONS, MEMBERSHIP DUES THAT ARE NOT CONTRIBUTIONS BECAUSE
THEY COMPARE REASONABLY WITH AVAILABLE BENEFITS ARE SHOWN ON LINE 2.
THUS, ALL NRA MEMBER DUES ARE PROPERLY SHOWN ON THE 990 REVENUE
STATEMENT AS PROGRAM SERVICE REVENUE ON LINE 2, OTHER THAN NRA
LIFE-PLUS CONTRIBUTIONS WHICH ARE PROPERLY COUNTED AS CONTRIBUTION
REVENUE IN LINE 1F OF THE 990 REVENUE STATEMENT.

FORM 990, PART IX, LINE 11

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THIS INFORMATIONAL NOTE REGARDS THE NRA'S PAYMENT OF FEES FOR OUTSIDE PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AS STATED ON LINE 11 OF THE 990 EXPENSE STATEMENT. LINE 11B REPORTS LEGAL FEES PAID TO OUTSIDE ATTORNEYS, SUCH AS FOR SECOND AMENDMENT CASE WORK AND RELATED LITIGATION AT THE FEDERAL AND STATE LEVELS AND FOR REGULATORY AND COMPLIANCE MATTERS. LINE 11C REPORTS ACCOUNTING FEES PAID TO THE OUTSIDE CPA FIRM THAT PROVIDES THE NRA'S AUDITING AND TAX SERVICES. LINE 11D REPORTS LOBBYING EXPENSE PAID TO EXTERNAL REGISTERED LOBBYISTS. LINE 11E REPORTS FUNDRAISING COSTS PAID TO THE AUTHORIZED VENDORS LISTED ON SCHEDULE G. LINE 11F REPORTS INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT FEES PAID TO INVESTMENT ADVISORS THAT MANAGE THE NRA'S PORTFOLIOS. LINE 11G SHOWS TELEMARKETING COSTS FOR MEMBERSHIP SERVICING. PROFESSIONAL SERVICES PERFORMED BY NRA EMPLOYEES (IN HOUSE COUNSEL, IN HOUSE ACCOUNTANTS, IN HOUSE LOBBYISTS, IN HOUSE FUNDRAISERS, AND IN HOUSE INVESTMENT MANAGERS, RESPECTIVELY) ARE PROPERLY REPORTED WITHIN LINES 5-7 OF THE 990 EXPENSE STATEMENT, AS REQUIRED BY 990 FORM INSTRUCTIONS. PROFESSIONAL SERVICES PERFORMED BY THE TELEMARKETING VENDOR FOR FUNDRAISING PURPOSES, RATHER THAN FOR MEMBERSHIP, ARE PROPERLY REPORTED WITHIN LINE 11E, AS REQUIRED BY 990 FORM INSTRUCTIONS.

FORM 990, PART IX, LINE 24E

THIS RESPONSE EXPLAINS \$12,581,928 OF OTHER EXPENSES STATED ON LINE 24E OF THE 990, PART IX EXPENSE STATEMENT WHICH WERE NOT ACCOMMODATED BY OTHER EXPENSE LINE DESCRIPTIONS. THIS FIGURE INCLUDES \$9,204,256 OF FULFILLMENT MATERIALS, \$5,747,802 BANKING FEES, \$1,276,567 MEMBERSHIP PREMIUMS, \$560,407 OF NON-PAYROLL TAXES, AND (\$4,927,105) FASB ASC 715 PENSION ACCOUNTING VALUATION ADJUSTMENT.

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FORM 990, PART XI, LINE 9, CHANGES IN NET ASSETS:

AGENCY TRANSACTIONS -1,910,739.

UNREALIZED GAIN ON DERIVATIVE INSTRUMENT 745,782.

TOTAL TO FORM 990, PART XI, LINE 9 -1,164,957.

FORM 990, PART XI, LINE 9

THIS RESPONSE EXPLAINS (\$1,164,957) OF OTHER CHANGES IN THE NET ASSETS

RECONCILIATION SCHEDULE. THE FIGURE INCLUDES (\$1,910,739) AGENCY

TRANSACTIONS BETWEEN THE NRA AND NRA FOUNDATION AND \$745,782 UNREALIZED

GAIN ON DERIVATIVE INSTRUMENT. THE AGENCY TRANSACTIONS FIGURE OF

(\$1,910,739) INCLUDES ENDOWMENT CONTRIBUTIONS AND ENDOWMENT EARNINGS

DESIGNATED BY NRA FOUNDATION DONORS FOR ELIGIBLE NRA PROGRAMS. AN

INFORMATION NOTE REGARDING THE PURPOSE OF THE DERIVATIVE INSTRUMENT IS

INCLUDED WITH SCHEDULE D PART X, LINE 1(2).