

Form 990

Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

OMB No 1545-0047

2017

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Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except private foundations)

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Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Header section A-M containing organization details: Central Fund of Israel, 980 Avenue of the Americas, New York NY 10018, and financial data like Gross receipts \$ 31,996,189.

Part I Summary

Summary table with columns for Revenue, Expenses, and Net Assets or Fund Balances. Rows include mission statement, governance metrics, and financial statements for Prior Year and Current Year.

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.

Signature block containing the signature of Jay Marcus, President, dated 11/15/18.

Paid Preparer Use Only section with fields for Preparer's name, signature, date, and firm information.

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

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Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

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

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission:

Established in 1979 as a volunteer charity with the motto " what you give is what they get " , CFI was designed to enable 100% of donations to reach charities in Israel . Over the years we received the Jerusalem prize for voluntarism, accolades from the chief rabbinate ,an award from PM Menachem Begin and accolades from 100's of charities in Israel. We do not solicit or advertize . By word of mouth alone we have grown into a significant charitable force in Israel, which helps the nation of Israel to thrive

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 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 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 \$ 11,148,864 including grants of \$ 11,148,864) (Revenue \$ _____)
community projects which benefit the welfare of the Citizens and the land of Israel . The world around us is changing very rapidly . and the threats to the state of israel , and the people of israel and by extension to the supporters of Israel , has risen dramatically . Voices of demonization and boycotts and anti semitism in its classic forms and in new 2017 versions can be heard all around the world . Not only in the gutters but in parliaments and classrooms and campuses around the world . If the threats arent physical threats (though they are on the rise as well) they are certainly economic and social threats . If we have learnt anything from the horrible history of the 1930's and 40's that such threats can have disastrous consequences . this year CFI has felt it necessary to donate to causes which are trying to educate the world about antisemitism and its evil effects . not even 100 years after the holocaust and we can see history starting to repeat itself
grants in this category also go to assist in the construction & maintenance of community facilities

4b (Code: _____) (Expenses \$ 7,853,871 including grants of \$ 7,853,871) (Revenue \$ _____)
support of educational programs and institutions .
There is a great overlap of humaitarian services as many educational programs service the humanitarian aspects of education as in scholarships and special education . There is also an overlap with communtity projects as there is a constant need to build new schools as the population increases

4c (Code: _____) (Expenses \$ 6,934,556 including grants of \$ 6,934,556) (Revenue \$ _____)
Social services , Humaitarian aid , aid to the poor
This year the amount of donations increased by 800,000 dollars in this area . It is always a core part of our donations helping those people who are in need . It can be monetary need or physical needs or emotional needs
This Category includes aid to food kitchens , children at risk , aid to terror victims and their families , aid to refugees & new immigrants , special ed , after school programs etc..

4d Other program services (Describe in Schedule O.)
(Expenses \$ 2,714,198 including grants of \$ 2,714,198) (Revenue \$ _____)

4e Total program service expenses ▶ 28,651,489

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules

Table with 3 columns: Question number, Question text, and Yes/No checkboxes. Rows 1-19 contain various questions about organizational activities and reporting requirements.

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)

	Yes	No
20 a Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities? If "Yes," complete Schedule H		✓
b If "Yes" to line 20a, did the organization attach a copy of its audited financial statements to this return?		✓
21 Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to any domestic organization or domestic government on Part IX, column (A), line 1? If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II		✓
22 Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to or for domestic individuals on Part IX, column (A), line 2? If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and III		✓
23 Did the organization answer "Yes" to Part VII, Section A, line 3, 4, or 5 about compensation of the organization's current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees? If "Yes," complete Schedule J		✓
24a Did the organization have a tax-exempt bond issue with an outstanding principal amount of more than \$100,000 as of the last day of the year, that was issued after December 31, 2002? If "Yes," answer lines 24b through 24d and complete Schedule K. If "No," go to line 25a		✓
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 Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations. Did the organization engage in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person during the year? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I		✓
b Is the organization aware that it engaged in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person in a prior year, and that the transaction has not been reported on any of the organization's prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I		✓
26 Did the organization report any amount on Part X, line 5, 6, or 22 for receivables from or payables to any current or former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, or disqualified persons? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II		✓
27 Did the organization provide a grant or other assistance to an officer, director, trustee, key employee, substantial contributor or employee thereof, a grant selection committee member, or to a 35% controlled entity or family member of any of these persons? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III		✓
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? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV		✓
b A family member of a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV		✓
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? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV		✓
29 Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? If "Yes," complete Schedule M	✓	
30 Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? If "Yes," complete Schedule M		✓
31 Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I		✓
32 Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part II		✓
33 Did the organization own 100% of an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations sections 301.7701-2 and 301.7701-3? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part I		✓
34 Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part II, III, or IV, and Part V, line 1		✓
35a Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?		✓
b If "Yes" to line 35a, did the organization receive any payment from or engage in any transaction with a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2		✓
36 Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2		✓
37 Did the organization conduct more than 5% of its activities through an entity that is not a related organization and that is treated as a partnership for federal income tax purposes? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part VI		✓
38 Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations in Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11b and 19? Note. All Form 990 filers are required to complete Schedule O.	✓	

Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance

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

Input box for Schedule O

Table with columns for question number, description, and Yes/No checkboxes. Includes questions 1a-14b regarding Form 1096, W-2G forms, employee reporting, foreign accounts, and charitable contributions.

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

Table with 3 columns: Question, Yes, No. Rows include: 1a Enter the number of voting members of the governing body at the end of the tax year; 1b Enter the number of voting members included in line 1a, above, who are independent; 2 Did any officer, director, trustee, or key employee have a family relationship or a business relationship with any other officer, director, trustee, or key employee?; 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?; 4 Did the organization make any significant changes to its governing documents since the prior Form 990 was filed?; 5 Did the organization become aware during the year of a significant diversion of the organization's assets?; 6 Did the organization have members or stockholders?; 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?; 7b Are any governance decisions of the organization reserved to (or subject to approval by) members, stockholders, or persons other than the governing body?; 8 Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year by the following: a The governing body? b Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body?; 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

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

Table with 3 columns: Question, Yes, No. Rows include: 10a Did the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates?; 10b 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?; 11a Has the organization provided a complete copy of this Form 990 to all members of its governing body before filing the form?; 11b Describe in Schedule O the process, if any, used by the organization to review this Form 990.; 12a Did the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? If "No," go to line 13; 12b Were officers, directors, or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give rise to conflicts?; 12c Did the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? If "Yes," describe in Schedule O how this was done; 13 Did the organization have a written whistleblower policy?; 14 Did the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy?; 15 Did the process for determining compensation of the following persons include a review and approval by independent persons, comparability data, and contemporaneous substantiation of the deliberation and decision?; 15a The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official; 15b Other officers or key employees of the organization; 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?; 16b 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?

Section C. Disclosure

- 17 List the states with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed New York
18 Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Forms 1023 (or 1024 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.
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: Jay Marcus - 13 Hagoel St Efrat Israel phone 212-519-0247

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 dotted 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) Jay Marcus president	40	✓					50,000			
(2) Jeff Most Secretary	2	✓		✓						
(3) Dr Linda Kalish Marcus secretary	10	✓								
(4) Mitchell Eichen director	1	✓								
(5) Michael Fischberger director	1	✓								
(6)										
(7)										
(8)										
(9)										
(10)										
(11)										
(12)										
(13)										
(14)										

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 dotted 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			
(15)										
(16)										
(17)										
(18)										
(19)										
(20)										
(21)										
(22)										
(23)										
(24)										
(25)										
1b Sub-total							0	0	0	
c Total from continuation sheets to Part VII, Section A							0	0	0	
d Total (add lines 1b and 1c)							0	0	0	

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 ▶

	Yes	No
3 Did the organization list any former officer, director, or trustee, key employee, or highest compensated employee on line 1a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual</i>		✓
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? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual</i>		✓
5 Did any person listed on line 1a receive or accrue compensation from any unrelated organization or individual for services rendered to the organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such person</i>		✓

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

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 ▶

Part VIII Statement of Revenue

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

			(A) Total revenue	(B) Related or exempt function revenue	(C) Unrelated business revenue	(D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512-514	
Contributions, Gifts, Grants and Other Similar Amounts	1a Federated campaigns	1a					
	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	31,468,473				
	g Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f: \$		236,921				
	h Total. Add lines 1a-1f ▶		31,468,473				
Program Service Revenue	Business Code						
	2a _____						
	b _____						
	c _____						
	d _____						
	e _____						
	f All other program service revenue .						
g Total. Add lines 2a-2f ▶							
Other Revenue	3 Investment income (including dividends, interest, and other similar amounts) ▶		29,358			29,358	
	4 Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds ▶						
	5 Royalties ▶						
	6a Gross rents	(i) Real					
		(ii) Personal					
	b Less: rental expenses						
	c Rental income or (loss)						
	d Net rental income or (loss) ▶						
	7a Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory	(i) Securities					
		(ii) Other					
	b Less: cost or other basis and sales expenses						
	c Gain or (loss)						
	d Net gain or (loss) ▶						
	8a 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 . ▶					
	9a Gross income from gaming activities. See Part IV, line 19	a					
b Less: direct expenses		b					
c Net income or (loss) from gaming activities . . ▶							
10a Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	a						
	b Less: cost of goods sold	b					
	c Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory . . ▶						
Miscellaneous Revenue		Business Code					
11a gains from currency conversions		523000	498,358		498,358		
b _____							
c _____							
d All other revenue							
e Total. Add lines 11a-11d ▶							
12 Total revenue. See instructions. ▶			31,996,189				

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 or note to any line 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 domestic organizations and domestic governments. See Part IV, line 21				
2 Grants and other assistance to domestic individuals. See Part IV, line 22				
3 Grants and other assistance to foreign organizations, foreign governments, and foreign individuals. See Part IV, lines 15 and 16	28,651,489	28,651,489		
4 Benefits paid to or for members				
5 Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees	50,000		50,000	
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				
8 Pension plan accruals and contributions (include section 401(k) and 403(b) employer contributions)				
9 Other employee benefits				
10 Payroll taxes				
11 Fees for services (non-employees):				
a Management				
b Legal				
c Accounting				
d Lobbying				
e Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17				
f Investment management fees	2,054		2,054	
g Other. (If line 11g amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 11g expenses on Schedule O.)	250		250	
12 Advertising and promotion				
13 Office expenses	2037		2037	
14 Information technology				
15 Royalties				
16 Occupancy				
17 Travel	12027		12027	
18 Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials				
19 Conferences, conventions, and meetings				
20 Interest				
21 Payments to affiliates				
22 Depreciation, depletion, and amortization				
23 Insurance				
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 -----				
b -----				
c -----				
d -----				
e All other expenses -----				
25 Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24e	28,717,857		66,368	
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 type="checkbox"/> if following SOP 98-2 (ASC 958-720)				

Part X Balance Sheet

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

		(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year
Assets	1 Cash—non-interest-bearing	2,336,207	1	7,338,945
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments	6,647,984	2	5,029,687
	3 Pledges and grants receivable, net		3	
	4 Accounts receivable, net		4	
	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 instructions). Complete Part II of Schedule L		6	
	7 Notes and loans receivable, net	490080	7	383,971
	8 Inventories for sale or use		8	
	9 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges		9	
	10a Land, buildings, and equipment: cost or other basis. Complete Part VI of Schedule D	10a		
	b Less: accumulated depreciation	10b	10c	
	11 Investments—publicly traded securities		11	
	12 Investments—other securities. See Part IV, line 11		12	
	13 Investments—program-related. See Part IV, line 11		13	
	14 Intangible assets		14	
	15 Other assets. See Part IV, line 11		15	
16 Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34)	9,474,271	16	12,752,603	
Liabilities	17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses		17	
	18 Grants payable		18	
	19 Deferred revenue		19	
	20 Tax-exempt bond liabilities		20	
	21 Escrow or custodial account liability. Complete Part IV of Schedule D		21	
	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		25	
	26 Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25	0	26	0
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Organizations that follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 and 34.			
	27 Unrestricted net assets		27	
	28 Temporarily restricted net assets		28	
	29 Permanently restricted net assets		29	
	Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 30 through 34.			
	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 Total net assets or fund balances	9,474,271	33	12,752,603	
34 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances	9,474,271	34	12,752,603	

Part XI Reconciliation of Net Assets

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

1	Total revenue (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1	31,996,189
2	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	28,717,857
3	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	3,278,332
4	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 33, column (A))	4	9,474,271
5	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	5	
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	
10	Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 3 through 9 (must equal Part X, line 33, column (B))	10	12,752,603

Part XII Financial Statements and Reporting

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

	Yes	No
1 Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cash <input 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		✓
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 type="checkbox"/> Separate basis <input type="checkbox"/> Consolidated basis <input type="checkbox"/> Both consolidated and separate basis		✓
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.		
3a As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set forth in the Single Audit Act and OMB Circular A-133?		✓
b If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? 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.		

SCHEDULE A
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Public Charity Status and Public Support

Complete if the organization is a section 501(c)(3) organization or a section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust.
▶ Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.

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

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Name of the organization Central Fund of Israel	Employer identification number 13-2992985
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Part I Reason for Public Charity Status (All organizations must complete this part.) See instructions.

The organization is not a private foundation because it is: (For lines 1 through 12, check only one box.)

- 1 A church, convention of churches, or association of churches described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(i).**
- 2 A school described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii).** (Attach Schedule E (Form 990 or 990-EZ).)
- 3 A hospital or a cooperative hospital service organization described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii).**
- 4 A medical research organization operated in conjunction with a hospital described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii).** Enter the hospital's name, city, and state
- 5 An organization operated for the benefit of a college or university owned or operated by a governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(iv).** (Complete Part II.)
- 6 A federal, state, or local government or governmental unit described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(v).**
- 7 An organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi).** (Complete Part II.)
- 8 A community trust described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi).** (Complete Part II.)
- 9 An agricultural research organization described in **section 170(b)(1)(A)(ix)** operated in conjunction with a land-grant college or university or a non-land-grant college of agriculture (see instructions). Enter the name, city, and state of the college or university.
- 10 An organization that normally receives (1) more than 33 1/3% of its support from contributions, membership fees, and gross receipts from activities related to its exempt functions—subject to certain exceptions, and (2) no more than 33 1/3% of its support from gross investment income and unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 tax) from businesses acquired by the organization after June 30, 1975. See **section 509(a)(2).** (Complete Part III.)
- 11 An organization organized and operated exclusively to test for public safety. See **section 509(a)(4).**
- 12 An organization organized and operated exclusively for the benefit of, to perform the functions of, or to carry out the purposes of one or more publicly supported organizations described in **section 509(a)(1)** or **section 509(a)(2).** See **section 509(a)(3).** Check the box in lines 12a through 12d that describes the type of supporting organization and complete lines 12e, 12f, and 12g.
 - a **Type I.** A supporting organization operated, supervised, or controlled by its supported organization(s), typically by giving the supported organization(s) the power to regularly appoint or elect a majority of the directors or trustees of the supporting organization. **You must complete Part IV, Sections A and B.**
 - b **Type II.** A supporting organization supervised or controlled in connection with its supported organization(s), by having control or management of the supporting organization vested in the same persons that control or manage the supported organization(s). **You must complete Part IV, Sections A and C.**
 - c **Type III functionally integrated.** A supporting organization operated in connection with, and functionally integrated with, its supported organization(s) (see instructions). **You must complete Part IV, Sections A, D, and E.**
 - d **Type III non-functionally integrated.** A supporting organization operated in connection with its supported organization(s) that is not functionally integrated. The organization generally must satisfy a distribution requirement and an attentiveness requirement (see instructions). **You must complete Part IV, Sections A and D, and Part V.**
 - e Check this box if the organization received a written determination from the IRS that it is a Type I, Type II, Type III functionally integrated, or Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organization.
 - f Enter the number of supported organizations 07
 - g Provide the following information about the supported organization(s).

(i) Name of supported organization	(ii) EIN	(iii) Type of organization (described on lines 1–10 above (see instructions))	(iv) Is the organization listed in your governing document?		(v) Amount of monetary support (see instructions)	(vi) Amount of other support (see instructions)
			Yes	No		
(A)						
(B)						
(C)						
(D)						
(E)						
Total						

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) 2013	(b) 2014	(c) 2015	(d) 2016	(e) 2017	(f) Total
1 Gifts, grants, contributions, and membership fees received. (Do not include any "unusual grants.")	19,673,626	25,657,201	22,992,907	20,123,375	31,468,473	119,915,582
2 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to or expended on its behalf						
3 The value of services or facilities furnished by a governmental unit to the organization without charge						
4 Total. Add lines 1 through 3	19,673,626	25,657,201	22,992,907	20,123,375	31,468,473	119,915,582
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)						19,832,917
6 Public support. Subtract line 5 from line 4						100,082,665

Section B. Total Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2013	(b) 2014	(c) 2015	(d) 2016	(e) 2017	(f) Total
7 Amounts from line 4	19,673,626	25,657,201	22,992,907	20,123,375	31,468,473	119,915,582
8 Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties, and income from similar sources	7,408	8365	9,325	11,317	29,358	65,773
9 Net income from unrelated business activities, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
10 Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital assets (Explain in Part VI.)						
11 Total support. Add lines 7 through 10						119,981,355
12 Gross receipts from related activities, etc (see instructions)					12	
13 First five years. If the Form 990 is for the organization's first, second, third, fourth, or fifth tax year as a section 501(c)(3) organization, check this box and stop here ► <input type="checkbox"/>						

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

14 Public support percentage for 2017 (line 6, column (f) divided by line 11, column (f))	14	83 %
15 Public support percentage from 2016 Schedule A, Part II, line 14	15	78 %
16a 33 1/3% support test—2017. If the organization did not check the box on line 13, and line 14 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ► <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
b 33 1/3% support test—2016. If the organization did not check a box on line 13 or 16a, and line 15 is 33 1/3% or more, check this box and stop here. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ► <input type="checkbox"/>		
17a 10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2017. 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 VI how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ► <input type="checkbox"/>		
b 10%-facts-and-circumstances test—2016. 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 VI how the organization meets the "facts-and-circumstances" test. The organization qualifies as a publicly supported organization ► <input type="checkbox"/>		
18 Private foundation. If the organization did not check a box on line 13, 16a, 16b, 17a, or 17b, check this box and see instructions ► <input type="checkbox"/>		

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

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

Section A. Public Support

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2013	(b) 2014	(c) 2015	(d) 2016	(e) 2017	(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) 2013	(b) 2014	(c) 2015	(d) 2016	(e) 2017	(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 VI.)						
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 <input type="checkbox"/>						

Section C. Computation of Public Support Percentage

15 Public support percentage for 2017 (line 8, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	15	%
16 Public support percentage from 2016 Schedule A, Part III, line 15	16	%

Section D. Computation of Investment Income Percentage

17 Investment income percentage for 2017 (line 10c, column (f) divided by line 13, column (f))	17	%
18 Investment income percentage from 2016 Schedule A, Part III, line 17	18	%

- 19a 33 1/3% support tests—2017.** 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—2016.** 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

Part IV Supporting Organizations

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

Section A. All Supporting Organizations

		Yes	No
1	Are all of the organization's supported organizations listed by name in the organization's governing documents? <i>If "No," describe in Part VI how the supported organizations are designated. If designated by class or purpose, describe the designation. If historic and continuing relationship, explain.</i>		
2	Did the organization have any supported organization that does not have an IRS determination of status under section 509(a)(1) or (2)? <i>If "Yes," explain in Part VI how the organization determined that the supported organization was described in section 509(a)(1) or (2).</i>		
3a	Did the organization have a supported organization described in section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6)? <i>If "Yes," answer (b) and (c) below.</i>		
b	Did the organization confirm that each supported organization qualified under section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6) and satisfied the public support tests under section 509(a)(2)? <i>If "Yes," describe in Part VI when and how the organization made the determination.</i>		
c	Did the organization ensure that all support to such organizations was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B) purposes? <i>If "Yes," explain in Part VI what controls the organization put in place to ensure such use.</i>		
4a	Was any supported organization not organized in the United States ("foreign supported organization")? <i>If "Yes," and if you checked 12a or 12b in Part I, answer (b) and (c) below.</i>		
b	Did the organization have ultimate control and discretion in deciding whether to make grants to the foreign supported organization? <i>If "Yes," describe in Part VI how the organization had such control and discretion despite being controlled or supervised by or in connection with its supported organizations.</i>		
c	Did the organization support any foreign supported organization that does not have an IRS determination under sections 501(c)(3) and 509(a)(1) or (2)? <i>If "Yes," explain in Part VI what controls the organization used to ensure that all support to the foreign supported organization was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B) purposes.</i>		
5a	Did the organization add, substitute, or remove any supported organizations during the tax year? <i>If "Yes," answer (b) and (c) below (if applicable). Also, provide detail in Part VI, including (i) the names and EIN numbers of the supported organizations added, substituted, or removed, (ii) the reasons for each such action, (iii) the authority under the organization's organizing document authorizing such action; and (iv) how the action was accomplished (such as by amendment to the organizing document).</i>		
b	Type I or Type II only. Was any added or substituted supported organization part of a class already designated in the organization's organizing document?		
c	Substitutions only. Was the substitution the result of an event beyond the organization's control?		
6	Did the organization provide support (whether in the form of grants or the provision of services or facilities) to anyone other than (i) its supported organizations, (ii) individuals that are part of the charitable class benefited by one or more of its supported organizations, or (iii) other supporting organizations that also support or benefit one or more of the filing organization's supported organizations? <i>If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.</i>		
7	Did the organization provide a grant, loan, compensation, or other similar payment to a substantial contributor (defined in section 4958(c)(3)(C)), a family member of a substantial contributor, or a 35% controlled entity with regard to a substantial contributor? <i>If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990 or 990-EZ)</i>		
8	Did the organization make a loan to a disqualified person (as defined in section 4958) not described in line 7? <i>If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990 or 990-EZ)</i>		
9a	Was the organization controlled directly or indirectly at any time during the tax year by one or more disqualified persons as defined in section 4946 (other than foundation managers and organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or (2))? <i>If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.</i>		
b	Did one or more disqualified persons (as defined in line 9a) hold a controlling interest in any entity in which the supporting organization had an interest? <i>If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.</i>		
c	Did a disqualified person (as defined in line 9a) have an ownership interest in, or derive any personal benefit from, assets in which the supporting organization also had an interest? <i>If "Yes," provide detail in Part VI.</i>		
10a	Was the organization subject to the excess business holdings rules of section 4943 because of section 4943(f) (regarding certain Type II supporting organizations, and all Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organizations)? <i>If "Yes," answer 10b below.</i>		
b	Did the organization have any excess business holdings in the tax year? <i>(Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine whether the organization had excess business holdings.)</i>		

Part IV Supporting Organizations (continued)

	Yes	No
11 Has the organization accepted a gift or contribution from any of the following persons?		
a A person who directly or indirectly controls, either alone or together with persons described in (b) and (c) below, the governing body of a supported organization?		
11a		
b A family member of a person described in (a) above?		
11b		
c A 35% controlled entity of a person described in (a) or (b) above? If "Yes" to a, b, or c, provide detail in Part VI .		
11c		

Section B. Type I Supporting Organizations

	Yes	No
1 Did the directors, trustees, or membership of one or more supported organizations have the power to regularly appoint or elect at least a majority of the organization's directors or trustees at all times during the tax year? If "No," describe in Part VI how the supported organization(s) effectively operated, supervised, or controlled the organization's activities. If the organization had more than one supported organization, describe how the powers to appoint and/or remove directors or trustees were allocated among the supported organizations and what conditions or restrictions, if any, applied to such powers during the tax year		
1		
2 Did the organization operate for the benefit of any supported organization other than the supported organization(s) that operated, supervised, or controlled the supporting organization? If "Yes," explain in Part VI how providing such benefit carried out the purposes of the supported organization(s) that operated, supervised, or controlled the supporting organization		
2		

Section C. Type II Supporting Organizations

	Yes	No
1 Were a majority of the organization's directors or trustees during the tax year also a majority of the directors or trustees of each of the organization's supported organization(s)? If "No," describe in Part VI how control or management of the supporting organization was vested in the same persons that controlled or managed the supported organization(s)		
1		

Section D. All Type III Supporting Organizations

	Yes	No
1 Did the organization provide to each of its supported organizations, by the last day of the fifth month of the organization's tax year, (i) a written notice describing the type and amount of support provided during the prior tax year, (ii) a copy of the Form 990 that was most recently filed as of the date of notification, and (iii) copies of the organization's governing documents in effect on the date of notification, to the extent not previously provided?		
1		
2 Were any of the organization's officers, directors, or trustees either (i) appointed or elected by the supported organization(s) or (ii) serving on the governing body of a supported organization? If "No," explain in Part VI how the organization maintained a close and continuous working relationship with the supported organization(s)		
2		
3 By reason of the relationship described in (2), did the organization's supported organizations have a significant voice in the organization's investment policies and in directing the use of the organization's income or assets at all times during the tax year? If "Yes," describe in Part VI the role the organization's supported organizations played in this regard		
3		

Section E. Type III Functionally Integrated Supporting Organizations

1 Check the box next to the method that the organization used to satisfy the Integral Part Test during the year (see instructions)			
a <input type="checkbox"/> The organization satisfied the Activities Test. Complete line 2 below.			
b <input type="checkbox"/> The organization is the parent of each of its supported organizations. Complete line 3 below.			
c <input type="checkbox"/> The organization supported a governmental entity. Describe in Part VI how you supported a government entity (see instructions)			
2 Activities Test. Answer (a) and (b) below.		Yes	No
a Did substantially all of the organization's activities during the tax year directly further the exempt purposes of the supported organization(s) to which the organization was responsive? If "Yes," then in Part VI identify those supported organizations and explain how these activities directly furthered their exempt purposes, how the organization was responsive to those supported organizations, and how the organization determined that these activities constituted substantially all of its activities			
2a			
b Did the activities described in (a) constitute activities that, but for the organization's involvement, one or more of the organization's supported organization(s) would have been engaged in? If "Yes," explain in Part VI the reasons for the organization's position that its supported organization(s) would have engaged in these activities but for the organization's involvement			
2b			
3 Parent of Supported Organizations. Answer (a) and (b) below.			
a Did the organization have the power to regularly appoint or elect a majority of the officers, directors, or trustees of each of the supported organizations? Provide details in Part VI .			
3a			
b Did the organization exercise a substantial degree of direction over the policies, programs, and activities of each of its supported organizations? If "Yes," describe in Part VI the role played by the organization in this regard.			
3b			

Part V Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)(3) Supporting Organizations

1 Check here if the organization satisfied the Integral Part Test as a qualifying trust on Nov. 20, 1970 (explain in Part VI). See instructions. All other Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organizations must complete Sections A through E.

Section A - Adjusted Net Income		(A) Prior Year	(B) Current Year (optional)
1 Net short-term capital gain	1		
2 Recoveries of prior-year distributions	2		
3 Other gross income (see instructions)	3		
4 Add lines 1 through 3.	4		
5 Depreciation and depletion	5		
6 Portion of operating expenses paid or incurred for production or collection of gross income or for management, conservation, or maintenance of property held for production of income (see instructions)	6		
7 Other expenses (see instructions)	7		
8 Adjusted Net Income (subtract lines 5, 6, and 7 from line 4).	8		
Section B - Minimum Asset Amount		(A) Prior Year	(B) Current Year (optional)
1 Aggregate fair market value of all non-exempt-use assets (see instructions for short tax year or assets held for part of year).			
a Average monthly value of securities	1a		
b Average monthly cash balances	1b		
c Fair market value of other non-exempt-use assets	1c		
d Total (add lines 1a, 1b, and 1c)	1d		
e Discount claimed for blockage or other factors (explain in detail in Part VI)			
2 Acquisition indebtedness applicable to non-exempt-use assets	2		
3 Subtract line 2 from line 1d.	3		
4 Cash deemed held for exempt use. Enter 1-1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions).	4		
5 Net value of non-exempt-use assets (subtract line 4 from line 3)	5		
6 Multiply line 5 by .035.	6		
7 Recoveries of prior-year distributions	7		
8 Minimum Asset Amount (add line 7 to line 6)	8		
Section C - Distributable Amount			Current Year
1 Adjusted net income for prior year (from Section A, line 8, Column A)	1		
2 Enter 85% of line 1.	2		
3 Minimum asset amount for prior year (from Section B, line 8, Column A)	3		
4 Enter greater of line 2 or line 3.	4		
5 Income tax imposed in prior year	5		
6 Distributable Amount. Subtract line 5 from line 4, unless subject to emergency temporary reduction (see instructions).	6		
7 <input type="checkbox"/> Check here if the current year is the organization's first as a non-functionally integrated Type III supporting organization (see instructions).			

Part V Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)(3) Supporting Organizations (continued)

Section D - Distributions		Current Year
1	Amounts paid to supported organizations to accomplish exempt purposes	
2	Amounts paid to perform activity that directly furthers exempt purposes of supported organizations, in excess of income from activity	
3	Administrative expenses paid to accomplish exempt purposes of supported organizations	
4	Amounts paid to acquire exempt-use assets	
5	Qualified set-aside amounts (prior IRS approval required)	
6	Other distributions (describe in Part VI). See instructions	
7	Total annual distributions. Add lines 1 through 6.	
8	Distributions to attentive supported organizations to which the organization is responsive (provide details in Part VI). See instructions.	
9	Distributable amount for 2017 from Section C, line 6	
10	Line 8 amount divided by line 9 amount	

Section E - Distribution Allocations (see instructions)		(i) Excess Distributions	(ii) Underdistributions Pre-2017	(iii) Distributable Amount for 2017
1	Distributable amount for 2017 from Section C, line 6			
2	Underdistributions, if any, for years prior to 2017 (reasonable cause required—explain in Part VI). See instructions.			
3	Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2017			
a				
b	From 2013			
c	From 2014			
d	From 2015			
e	From 2016			
f	Total of lines 3a through e			
g	Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
h	Applied to 2017 distributable amount			
i	Carryover from 2012 not applied (see instructions)			
j	Remainder. Subtract lines 3g, 3h, and 3i from 3f.			
4	Distributions for 2017 from Section D, line 7			
a	Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
b	Applied to 2017 distributable amount			
c	Remainder. Subtract lines 4a and 4b from 4.			
5	Remaining underdistributions for years prior to 2017, if any. Subtract lines 3g and 4a from line 2. For result greater than zero, explain in Part VI. See instructions.			
6	Remaining underdistributions for 2017. Subtract lines 3h and 4b from line 1. For result greater than zero, explain in Part VI. See instructions.			
7	Excess distributions carryover to 2018. Add lines 3j and 4c.			
8	Breakdown of line 7			
a	Excess from 2013			
b	Excess from 2014			
c	Excess from 2015			
d	Excess from 2016			
e	Excess from 2017			

**SCHEDULE F
(Form 990)**

Statement of Activities Outside the United States

OMB No 1545-0047

2017

**Open to Public
Inspection**

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 14b, 15, or 16.

▶ Attach to Form 990.

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

Name of the organization

Employer identification number

Central Fund of Israel

13-2992985

Part I **General Information on Activities Outside the United States.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on 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 the region	(d) Activities conducted in the region (by type) (such as, 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 the region	(f) Total expenditures for and investments in the region
(1) middle east	0	0	grants		28,651,489
(2) middle east	0	0	free loans		183,701
(3)					
(4)					
(5)					
(6)					
(7)					
(8)					
(9)					
(10)					
(11)					
(12)					
(13)					
(14)					
(15)					
(16)					
(17)					
3a Sub-total					28,835,190
b Total from continuation sheets to Part I					
c Totals (add lines 3a and 3b)					28,835,190

Part II Grants and Other Assistance to Organizations or Entities Outside the United States. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on 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.

1	(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)
(1)			middle east	educational prgrms	11,000	check			
(2)			middle east	humanitarian aid	25,000	check			
(3)			middle east	special education	10,000	check			
(4)			middle east	educational prgrms	5,800	check			
(5)			middle east	community projects	52,032	check			
(6)			middle east	community projects	25,000	check			
(7)			middle east	humanitarian aid	13,502	check			
(8)			middle east	humanitarian aid	39,250	check			
(9)			middle east	humanitarian aid	15,000	check			
(10)			middle east	educational prgrms	29,325	check			
(11)			middle east	aid for the needy	8,850	check			
(12)			middle east	community projects	176,500	check			
(13)			middle east	humanitarian aid	20,000	check			
(14)			middle east	educational prgrms	226,910	check			
(15)			middle east	educational prgrms	10,875	check			
(16)			middle east	special education	12,900	check			

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 303

3 Enter total number of other organizations or entities 0

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1	(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)
(1)			middle east	special education	15,000	check			
(2)			middle east	religious prgrms	7,710	check			
(3)			middle east	pub awareness prgm	30,500	check			
(4)			middle east	educational prgrms	544,461	check			
(5)			middle east	religious prgrms	347,750	check			
(6)			middle east	humanitarian aid	50,000	check			
(7)			middle east	youth at risk	25,000	check			
(8)			middle east	aid for the needy	10,000	check			
(9)			middle east	food kitchen	35,100	check			
(10)			middle east	womens health	103,450	check			
(11)			middle east	religious prgrms	5,718	check			
(12)			middle east	educational prgrms	9,000	check			
(13)			middle east	synagogue cnst	139,976	check			
(14)			middle east	synagogue cnst	38,000	check			
(15)			middle east	religious prgrms	28,355	check			
(16)			middle east	religious prgrms	7,915	check			

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(1)			middle east	medical aid	6,000	check			
(2)			middle east	religious prgrms	17,500	check			
(3)			middle east	religious prgrms	15,325	check			
(4)			middle east	synagogue cnst	50,000	check			
(5)			middle east	synagogue cnst	14,985	check			
(6)			middle east	aft school prgrms	51,024	check			
(7)			middle east	pub awareness prgim	52,456	check			
(8)			middle east	aid for the needy	21,270	check			
(9)			middle east	pub awareness prgim	722,560	check			
(10)			middle east	religious prgrms	20,000	check			
(11)			middle east	humanitarian aid	40,693	check			
(12)			middle east	humanitarian aid	25,000	check			
(13)			middle east	community projects	14,796	check			
(14)			middle east	aid for the needy	24,238	check			
(15)			middle east	humanitarian aid	20,600	check			
(16)			middle east	humanitarian aid	25,000	check			

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(1)			middle east	educational prgrms	11,380	check			
(2)			middle east	religious prgrms	9,000	check			
(3)			middle east	aid for the needy	7,250	check			
(4)			middle east	food kitchen	11,244	check			
(5)			middle east	religious prgrms	11,021	check			
(6)			middle east	religious prgrms	80,000	check			
(7)			middle east	religious prgrms	130,000	check			
(8)			middle east	educational prgrms	11,500	check			
(9)			middle east	religious prgrms	26,000	check			
(10)			middle east	humanitarian aid	55,000	check			
(11)			middle east	educational prgrms	550,000	check			
(12)			middle east	pub awareness prgm	700,000	check			
(13)			middle east	educational prgrms	12,000	check			
(14)			middle east	medical aid	14,995	check			
(15)			middle east	humanitarian aid	105,503	check			
(16)			middle east	womens health	358,084	check			

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(1)			middle east	humanitarian aid	36,005	check			
(2)			middle east	educational prgrms	184,251	check			
(3)			middle east	pub awareness prgim	120,930	check			
(4)			middle east	food kitchen	5,000	check			
(5)			middle east	pub awareness prgim	125,199	check			
(6)			middle east	humanitarian aid	50,000	check			
(7)			middle east	humanitarian aid	24,307	check			
(8)			middle east	community projects	50,000	check			
(9)			middle east	community projects	20,000	check			
(10)			middle east	community projects	101,752	check			
(11)			middle east	aid for the needy	6,430	check			
(12)			middle east	youth at risk	164,014	check			
(13)			middle east	aid for the needy	48,018	check			
(14)			middle east	educational prgrms	45,397	check			
(15)			middle east	educational prgrms	222,875	check			
(16)			middle east	security	21,500	check			

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(1)			middle east	medical aid	11,430	check			
(2)			middle east	synagogue cnst	16,665	check			
(3)			middle east	religious prgrms	14,965	check			
(4)			middle east	community projects	20,000	check			
(5)			middle east	humanitarian aid	60,889	check			
(6)			middle east	aid for the needy	112,500	check			
(7)			middle east	community projects	168,015	check			
(8)			middle east	religious prgrms	8,000	check			
(9)			middle east	educational prgrms	18,000	check			
(10)			middle east	pub awareness prgrm	11,910	check			
(11)			middle east	community projects	78,000	check			
(12)			middle east	community projects	404,464	check			
(13)			middle east	pub awareness prgrm	34,300	check			
(14)			middle east	medical aid	25,117	check			
(15)			middle east	pub awareness prgrm	26,600	check			
(16)			middle east	humanitarian aid	208,080	check			

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(1)			middle east	youth at risk	97,084	check			
(2)			middle east	pub awareness prgm	25,000	check			
(3)			middle east	educational prgrms	22,500	check			
(4)			middle east	refugee aid	158,270	check			
(5)			middle east	educational prgrms	15,000	check			
(6)			middle east	community projects	500,000	check			
(7)			middle east	aid for the needy	75,000	check			
(8)			middle east	youth at risk	16,000	check			
(9)			middle east	community projects	175,000	check			
(10)			middle east	community projects	6,700	check			
(11)			middle east	religious prgrms	18,302	check			
(12)			middle east	pub awareness prgm	895,000	check			
(13)			middle east	aid for the needy	80,000	check			
(14)			middle east	humanitarian aid	17,500	check			
(15)			middle east	humanitarian aid	11,175	check			
(16)			middle east	womens health	14,285	check			

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(1)			middle east	humanitarian aid	13,000	check			
(2)			middle east	humanitarian aid	5,000	check			
(3)			middle east	holocaust aid	25,786	check			
(4)			middle east	aid for the needy	40,870	check			
(5)			middle east	aid for the needy	25,812	check			
(6)			middle east	aid for the needy	31,325	check			
(7)			middle east	humanitarian aid	5,130	check			
(8)			middle east	educational prgrms	30,000	check			
(9)			middle east	humanitarian aid	5,000	check			
(10)			middle east	humanitarian aid	5,500	check			
(11)			middle east	educational prgrms	7,696	check			
(12)			middle east	humanitarian aid	21,000	check			
(13)			middle east	religious prgrms	62,100	check			
(14)			middle east	humanitarian aid	10,000	check			
(15)			middle east	aid for the needy	29,225	check			
(16)			middle east	youth at risk	15,000	check			

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(1)			middle east	pub awareness prgms	29,000	check			
(2)			middle east	pub awareness prgms	320,521	check			
(3)			middle east	food kitchen	204,820	check			
(4)			middle east	educational prgrms	5,500	check			
(5)			middle east	educational prgrms	87,316	check			
(6)			middle east	community projects	418,382	check			
(7)			middle east	religious prgrms	7,500	check			
(8)			middle east	educational prgrms	435,280	check			
(9)			middle east	religious prgrms	5,000	check			
(10)			middle east	educational prgrms	5,750	check			
(11)			middle east	educational prgrms	44,765	check			
(12)			middle east	aid for the needy	11,211	check			
(13)			middle east	school construction	37,808	check			
(14)			middle east	humanitarian aid	5,150	check			
(15)			middle east	womens health	15,000	check			
(16)			middle east	educational prgrms	75,206	check			

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(1)			middle east	educational prgrms	748,250	check			
(2)			middle east	educational prgrms	5,450	check			
(3)			middle east	youth at risk	113,000	check			
(4)			middle east	educational prgrms	49,862	check			
(5)			middle east	educational prgrms	50,000	check			
(6)			middle east	educational prgrms	87,180	check			
(7)			middle east	employment aids	1,300,000	check			
(8)			middle east	pub awareness prgm	1,285	check			
(9)			middle east	humanitarian aid	61,476	check			
(10)			middle east	food kitchen	8,481	check			
(11)			middle east	educational prgrms	42,016	check			
(12)			middle east	religious prgrms	211,869	check			
(13)			middle east	community projects	5,000	check			
(14)			middle east	aft school prgrms	5,000	check			
(15)			middle east	educational prgrms	5,000	check			
(16)			middle east	community projects	25,000	check			

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(1)			middle east	security	144,800	check			
(2)			middle east	educational prgrms	7,500	check			
(3)			middle east	educational prgrms	31,455	check			
(4)			middle east	religious prgrms	8,017	check			
(5)			middle east	humanitarian aid	57,920	check			
(6)			middle east	educational prgrms	75,000	check			
(7)			middle east	synagogue cnst	701,800	check			
(8)			middle east	aid for the needy	10,000	check			
(9)			middle east	synagogue cnst	53,408	check			
(10)			middle east	educational prgrms	5,000	check			
(11)			middle east	religious prgrms	8,600	check			
(12)			middle east	community projects	78,000	check			
(13)			middle east	religious prgrms	10,342	check			
(14)			middle east	religious prgrms	11,235	check			
(15)			middle east	religious prgrms	65,000	check			
(16)			middle east	religious prgrms	87,565	check			

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(1)			middle east	educational prgrms	115,950	check			
(2)			middle east	educational prgrms	55,000	check			
(3)			middle east	educational prgrms	11,000	check			
(4)			middle east	humanitarian aid	5,000	check			
(5)			middle east	humanitarian aid	217,409	check			
(6)			middle east	religious prgrms	31,778	check			
(7)			middle east	womens health	59,712	check			
(8)			middle east	aid for the needy	5,000	check			
(9)			middle east	religious prgrms	100,796	check			
(10)			middle east	educational prgrms	30,855	check			
(11)			middle east	humanitarian aid	133,331	check			
(12)			middle east	community projects	75,000	check			
(13)			middle east	educational prgrms	11,543	check			
(14)			middle east	humanitarian aid	10,650	check			
(15)			middle east	humanitarian aid	35,189	check			
(16)			middle east	humanitarian aid	32,730	check			

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(1)			middle east	food kitchen	15,324	check			
(2)			middle east	aid for the needy	17,050	check			
(3)			middle east	pub awareness prgm	136,520	check			
(4)			middle east	pub awareness prgm	860,969	check			
(5)			middle east	educational prgrms	18,688	check			
(6)			middle east	educational prgrms	45,934	check			
(7)			middle east	religious prgrms	9,000	check			
(8)			middle east	humanitarian aid	50,000	check			
(9)			middle east	special education	8,875	check			
(10)			middle east	humanitarian aid	10,875	check			
(11)			middle east	humanitarian aid	5,726	check			
(12)			middle east	community projects	42,552	check			
(13)			middle east	community projects	25,000	check			
(14)			middle east	religious prgrms	19,889	check			
(15)			middle east	community projects	350,000	check			
(16)			middle east	humanitarian aid	6,000	check			

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(1)			middle east	humanitarian aid	41,600	check			
(2)			middle east	pub awareness prgms	66,000	check			
(3)			middle east	community projects	1,800,000	check			
(4)			middle east	special education	73,122	check			
(5)			middle east	employment aids	43,000	check			
(6)			middle east	humanitarian aid	123,953	check			
(7)			middle east	religious prgrms	15,000	check			
(8)			middle east	religious prgrms	5,050	check			
(9)			middle east	educational prgrms	21,222	check			
(10)			middle east	religious prgrms	83,900	check			
(11)			middle east	pub awareness prgms	490,816	check			
(12)			middle east	educational prgrms	33,852	check			
(13)			middle east	security	400,000	check			
(14)			middle east	religious prgrms	50,000	check			
(15)			middle east	community projects	17,300	check			
(16)			middle east	community projects	57,020	check			

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(1)			middle east	aid for the needy	40,000	check			
(2)			middle east	food kitchen	15,000	check			
(3)			middle east	religious prgrms	37,660	check			
(4)			middle east	religious prgrms	13,330	check			
(5)			middle east	educational prgrms	277,200	check			
(6)			middle east	pub awareness prgm	115,518	check			
(7)			middle east	humanitarian aid	13,506	check			
(8)			middle east	religious prgrms	25,000	check			
(9)			middle east	synagogue cnst	120,000	check			
(10)			middle east	community projects	7,100	check			
(11)			middle east	community projects	41,000	check			
(12)			middle east	community projects	353,530	check			
(13)			middle east	religious prgrms	21,317	check			
(14)			middle east	womens health	5,000	check			
(15)			middle east	aid for the needy	15,480	check			
(16)			middle east	food kitchen	8,845	check			

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(1)			middle east	aid for the needy	5,000	check			
(2)			middle east	food kitchen	366,900	check			
(3)			middle east	community projects	21,350	check			
(4)			middle east	environment protecti	54,100	check			
(5)			middle east	humanitarian aid	101,000	check			
(6)			middle east	security	41,680	check			
(7)			middle east	humanitarian aid	9,830	check			
(8)			middle east	educational prgrms	219,040	check			
(9)			middle east	religious prgrms	98,000	check			
(10)			middle east	religious prgrms	7,200	check			
(11)			middle east	religious prgrms	20,000	check			
(12)			middle east	religious prgrms	321,000	check			
(13)			middle east	educational prgrms	6,680	check			
(14)			middle east	religious prgrms	128,719	check			
(15)			middle east	religious prgrms	15,105	check			
(16)			middle east	religious prgrms	63,522	check			

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(1)			middle east	religious prgrms	64,880	check			
(2)			middle east	educational prgrms	200,000	check			
(3)			middle east	educational prgrms	10,100	check			
(4)			middle east	religious prgrms	117,100	check			
(5)			middle east	educational prgrms	130,700	check			
(6)			middle east	educational prgrms	31,500	check			
(7)			middle east	educational prgrms	23,500	check			
(8)			middle east	religious prgrms	7,000	check			
(9)			middle east	religious prgrms	13,815	check			
(10)			middle east	religious prgrms	5,000	check			
(11)			middle east	educational prgrms	150,000	check			
(12)			middle east	educational prgrms	18,000	check			
(13)			middle east	community projects	15,000	check			
(14)			middle east	humanitarian aid	5,054	check			
(15)			middle east	humanitarian aid	10,500	check			
(16)			middle east	medical aid	54,900	check			

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 II Grants and Other Assistance to Organizations or Entities Outside the United States. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on 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.

1	(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)
(1)			middle east	humanitarian aid	7,000	check			
(2)			middle east	religious prgrms	150,360	check			
(3)			middle east	youth at risk	10,000	check			
(4)			middle east	synagogue cnst	250,000	check			
(5)			middle east	synagogue cnst	10,800	check			
(6)			middle east	educational prgrms	10,000	check			
(7)			middle east	educational prgrms	25,000	check			
(8)			middle east	community projects	10,000	check			
(9)			middle east	religious prgrms	23,005	check			
(10)			middle east	religious prgrms	5,500	check			
(11)			middle east	community projects	17,500	check			
(12)			middle east	religious prgrms	6,750	check			
(13)			middle east	pub awareness prgm	39,325	check			
(14)			middle east	special education	22,600	check			
(15)			middle east	educational prgrms	10,000	check			
(16)			middle east	humanitarian aid	50,000	check			

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3 Enter total number of other organizations or entities ▶

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1	(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)
(1)			middle east	educational prgrms	16,000	check			
(2)			middle east	educational prgrms	25,000	check			
(3)			middle east	religious prgrms	36,000	check			
(4)			middle east	educational prgrms	5,500	check			
(5)			middle east	humanitarian aid	6,000	check			
(6)			middle east	community projects	7,500	check			
(7)			middle east	humanitarian aid	60,000	check			
(8)			middle east	religious prgrms	16,200	check			
(9)			middle east	community projects	100,000	check			
(10)			middle east	synagogue crst	199,569	check			
(11)			middle east	aid for the needy	6,750	check			
(12)			middle east	community projects	10,000	check			
(13)			middle east	educational prgrms	115,152	check			
(14)			middle east	community projects	497,200	check			
(15)			middle east	educational prgrms	50,000	check			
(16)									

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3 Enter total number of other organizations or entities

Part III **Grants and Other Assistance to Individuals Outside the United States.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 16.
 Part III can be duplicated if additional space is needed.

(a) Type of grant or assistance	(b) Region	(c) Number of recipients	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Manner of cash disbursement	(f) Amount of noncash assistance	(g) Description of noncash assistance	(h) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)
(1) free loan - short term aid	middle east	1	5,000				
(2) free loan - short term aid	middle east	1	5,680				
(3) free loan - short term bridge lo	middle east	1	10,000				
(4) free loan - home renovation	middle east	1	11,430				
(5) free loan - home renovation	middle east	1	27,500				
(6)							
(7)							
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(18)							

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 separately 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, don't file with Form 990)* 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 separately file Form 5713, International Boycott Report (see Instructions for Form 5713; don't file with Form 990)* Yes No

Part V Supplemental Information

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. See instructions.

schedule F part 1 line 2

some of the volunteers and administrators are residing in Israel and are in contact with the recipients on a recurring basis by phone and e mail and on site visits

schedule F part 1 line 3 col f

there are no expenditures in the region other than the grants (and loans) themselves which are by checks or bank transfer

schedule F part 3 accounting method

our free loans to individuals and organizations are made by checks and are reflected in the accounts receivable section of the 990 part x if a loan is defaulted it is deducted from accounts receivables . we have over a 90% return on our loans though very often it takes a lot longer than originally anticipated to collect on the loans

we made 9 free loans this past year , 2 to charitable institutions and 7 to individuals

**SCHEDULE M
(Form 990)**

Noncash Contributions

OMB No 1545-0047

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Internal Revenue Service

- ▶ Complete if the organizations answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, lines 29 or 30.
- ▶ Attach to Form 990.
- ▶ Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for the latest information.

Name of the organization

Employer identification number

Central Fund of Israel

13-2992985

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	✓	12	236,921	selling price of stock
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

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

**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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990 part III line 4d

Category # 4 - support of religious institutions. Grants in this category are primarily for the support, maintenance and the

construction of synagogues and other religious institutions and religious programs. total expenses - 2,285,691 total grants - 2,285,691

category # 5 medical services includes support for clinics and hospitals - aid to the blind & disabled - postpartum depression.

medical aid and therapy, in addition to construction & improvements to medical facilities. This category overlaps with social welfare

humanitarian aid. total expenses - 190,648 total grants - 190,648

category # 6 security programs - We saw an increase in terrorist in Israel in 2017. Israel security precautions are getting better as well

and CFI is proud to help out where possible to prevent the spread of terrorism in and out of Israel

Total expenses in this category for 2017 were - 237,859 total grants - 237,859

990 part V I line 2

Jay Marcus and Dr. Linda Kalish-Marcus - Family Relationship

990 part V1 line 9

Jay Marcus - 13 Hagoel St - Efrat Israel

Dr Linda Kalish Marcus - 13 Hagoel St - Efrat Israel

Mitchell Eichen - 5 HaMa'ayan St, Efrat Israel

Michael Fischberger - 37 Shivat Tziyon St, Efrat Israel

990 part VI line 11A

copies of the 990 are e mailed to the different board members. The review is done by e mail and at our annual meeting

990 part VI line 3

As the charity has grown over the years we now have added a management consulting firm to help manage the day to day activities

Name of the organization Central Fund of Israel	Employer identification number 13-2992985
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990 part VI line 19

upon request - financial & other documents are e-mailed or they are directed to public websites which maintain them

990 Part VII The organization utilized the services of an unrelated corporation to manage the day-to-day activities of the organization of which Jay Marcus, President and Director, is the sole shareholder