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# Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

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

**2005**

Open to Public Inspection

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

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

**A** For the 2005 calendar year, or tax year beginning **JUL 1, 2005** and ending **JUN 30, 2006**

<b>B</b> Check if applicable: <input type="checkbox"/> Address change <input type="checkbox"/> Name change <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return <input type="checkbox"/> Final return <input type="checkbox"/> Amended return <input type="checkbox"/> Application pending	Please use IRS label or print or type See Specific Instructions	<b>C</b> Name of organization <b>ENVIRONMENTAL ACTION, INC.</b>		<b>D</b> Employer identification number <b>57-1176128</b>
		Number and street (or P O box if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite <b>44 WINTER STREET</b>		<b>E</b> Telephone number <b>(617) 747-4404</b>
		City or town, state or country, and ZIP + 4 <b>BOSTON, MA 02108</b>		<b>F</b> Accounting method: <input type="checkbox"/> Cash <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Accrual <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) ▶

• Section 501(c)(3) organizations and 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts must attach a completed Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ).

**G** Website: ▶ **WWW.ENVIRONMENTAL-ACTION.ORG**

**J** Organization type (check only one) ▶  501(c) ( 4 ) ◀ (insert no)  4947(a)(1) or  527

**K** Check here  if the organization's gross receipts are normally not more than \$25,000. The organization need not file a return with the IRS, but if the organization chooses to file a return, be sure to file a complete return. Some states require a complete return.

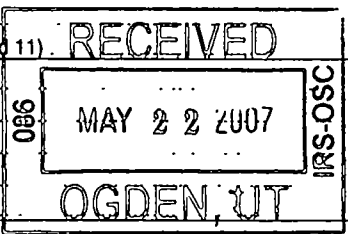
**H** and **I** are not applicable to section 527 organizations.  
**H(a)** Is this a group return for affiliates?  Yes  No  
**H(b)** If "Yes," enter number of affiliates ▶ **N/A**  
**H(c)** Are all affiliates included? **N/A**  Yes  No (If "No," attach a list)  
**H(d)** Is this a separate return filed by an organization covered by a group ruling?  Yes  No  
**I** Group Exemption Number ▶ **N/A**

**L** Gross receipts. Add lines 6b, 8b, 9b, and 10b to line 12 ▶ **2,365,359.**

**M** Check  if the organization is not required to attach Sch B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF)

**Part 1 Revenue, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances**

Revenue	<b>1</b> Contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts received				
	<b>a</b> Direct public support	<b>1a</b>	<b>2,365,359.</b>		
	<b>b</b> Indirect public support	<b>1b</b>			
	<b>c</b> Government contributions (grants)	<b>1c</b>			
	<b>d</b> Total (add lines 1a through 1c) (cash \$ <b>2,365,359.</b> noncash \$ _____)	<b>1d</b>		<b>2,365,359.</b>	
	<b>2</b> Program service revenue including government fees and contracts (from Part VII, line 93)	<b>2</b>			
	<b>3</b> Membership dues and assessments	<b>3</b>			
	<b>4</b> Interest on savings and temporary cash investments	<b>4</b>			
	<b>5</b> Dividends and interest from securities	<b>5</b>			
	<b>6 a</b> Gross rents	<b>6a</b>			
	<b>b</b> Less rental expenses	<b>6b</b>			
	<b>c</b> Net rental income or (loss) (subtract line 6b from line 6a)	<b>6c</b>			
<b>7</b> Other investment income (describe ▶ _____)	<b>7</b>				
	<b>8 a</b> Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory	(A) Securities		(B) Other	
	<b>b</b> Less cost or other basis and sales expenses	<b>8a</b>			
	<b>c</b> Gain or (loss) (attach schedule)	<b>8b</b>			
	<b>d</b> Net gain or (loss) (combine line 8c, columns (A) and (B))	<b>8c</b>			
<b>8d</b>					
	<b>9</b> Special events and activities (attach schedule) If any amount is from gaming, check here <input type="checkbox"/>				
	<b>a</b> Gross revenue (not including \$ _____ of contributions reported on line 1a)	<b>9a</b>			
	<b>b</b> Less direct expenses other than fundraising expenses	<b>9b</b>			
<b>9c</b>					
	<b>10 a</b> Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	<b>10a</b>			
	<b>b</b> Less cost of goods sold	<b>10b</b>			
	<b>c</b> Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory (attach schedule) (subtract line 10b from line 10a)	<b>10c</b>			
<b>11</b>					
Expenses	<b>12</b> Total revenue (add lines 1d, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6c, 7, 8d, 9c, 10c, and 11)	<b>12</b>		<b>2,365,359.</b>	
	<b>13</b> Program services (from line 44, column (B))	<b>13</b>		<b>2,125,789.</b>	
	<b>14</b> Management and general (from line 44, column (C))	<b>14</b>		<b>27,699.</b>	
	<b>15</b> Fundraising (from line 44, column (D))	<b>15</b>		<b>752,323.</b>	
	<b>16</b> Payments to affiliates (attach schedule)	<b>16</b>			
<b>17</b> Total expenses (add lines 16 and 44, column (A))	<b>17</b>		<b>2,905,811.</b>		
Net Assets	<b>18</b> Excess or (deficit) for the year (subtract line 17 from line 12)	<b>18</b>		<b>&lt;540,452.&gt;</b>	
	<b>19</b> Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (from line 73, column (A))	<b>19</b>		<b>1,045,906.</b>	
	<b>20</b> Other changes in net assets or fund balances (attach explanation)	<b>20</b>		<b>0.</b>	
	<b>21</b> Net assets or fund balances at end of year (combine lines 18, 19, and 20)	<b>21</b>		<b>505,454.</b>	



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**Part II Statement of Functional Expenses**

All organizations must complete column (A) Columns (B), (C), and (D) are required for section 501(c)(3) and (4) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts but optional for others

Do not include amounts reported on line 6b, 8b, 9b, 10b, or 16 of Part I.		(A) Total	(B) Program services	(C) Management and general	(D) Fundraising
22	Grants and allocations (attach schedule) (cash \$ <u>0</u> • noncash \$ <u>0</u> .) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here <input type="checkbox"/>				
23	Specific assistance to individuals (attach schedule)				
24	Benefits paid to or for members (attach schedule)				
25	Compensation of officers, directors, etc.	0.	0.	0.	0.
26	Other salaries and wages				
27	Pension plan contributions				
28	Other employee benefits				
29	Payroll taxes				
30	Professional fundraising fees	702,843.			702,843.
31	Accounting fees	18,248.		18,248.	
32	Legal fees				
33	Supplies	199.	199.		
34	Telephone	1,188.		1,188.	
35	Postage and shipping	526.	473.		53.
36	Occupancy	5,161.	4,129.	516.	516.
37	Equipment rental and maintenance				
38	Printing and publications	10,666.	9,600.		1,066.
39	Travel	3,448.	2,758.	345.	345.
40	Conferences, conventions, and meetings				
41	Interest				
42	Depreciation, depletion, etc. (attach schedule)				
43	Other expenses not covered above (itemize):				
a	BANK SERVICE CHARGES	5,820.		5,120.	700.
b	STATE FILING FEES	2,936.		1,468.	1,468.
c	INSURANCE	1,018.	102.	814.	102.
d	CREDIT CARD FEES	45,230.			45,230.
e	PUBLIC EDUCATION &				
f	GRASSROOTS ORGANIZING	2,108,528.	2,108,528.		
g					
44	<b>Total functional expenses.</b> Add lines 22 through 43. (Organizations completing columns (B)-(D), carry these totals to lines 13-15)	2,905,811.	2,125,789.	27,699.	752,323.

Joint Costs. Check  if you are following SOP 98-2.

Are any joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation reported in (B) Program services?  Yes  No  
 If "Yes," enter (i) the aggregate amount of these joint costs \$ 2,822,563. , (ii) the amount allocated to Program services \$ 2,118,601. ,  
 (iii) the amount allocated to Management and general \$ 0. ; and (iv) the amount allocated to Fundraising \$ 703,962.

Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments (See the instructions.)

Form 990 is available for public inspection and, for some people, serves as the primary or sole source of information about a particular organization. How the public perceives an organization in such cases may be determined by the information presented on its return. Therefore, please make sure the return is complete and accurate and fully describes, in Part III, the organization's programs and accomplishments.

What is the organization's primary exempt purpose? <b>ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION AND ADVOCACY</b>	Program Service Expenses (Required for 501(c)(3) and (4) orgs, and 4947(a)(1) trusts, but optional for others )
All organizations must describe their exempt purpose achievements in a clear and concise manner. State the number of clients served, publications issued, etc. Discuss achievements that are not measurable. (Section 501(c)(3) and (4) organizations and 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts must also enter the amount of grants and allocations to others.)	
<b>a ENVIRONMENTAL ACTION EDUCATES AND MOBILIZES THE PUBLIC AND BUILDS SUPPORT FOR CLEAN AIR, CLEAN WATER, PROTECTING WILD PLACES, AND OTHER PRESSING ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES. THREE TIMES A YEAR THE GROUP SENDS NEWSLETTERS TO MEMBERS AND SUPPORTERS.</b>  (Grants and allocations \$ ) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here <input type="checkbox"/>	2,125,789.
<b>b</b>  (Grants and allocations \$ ) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here <input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>c</b>  (Grants and allocations \$ ) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here <input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>d</b>  (Grants and allocations \$ ) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here <input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>e Other program services (attach schedule)</b> (Grants and allocations \$ ) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here <input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>f Total of Program Service Expenses</b> (should equal line 44, column (B), Program services)	2,125,789.

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**Part IV Balance Sheets** (See the instructions.)

**Note:** Where required, attached schedules and amounts within the description column should be for end-of-year amounts only.

		(A) Beginning of year	(B) End of year
<b>Assets</b>	45 Cash - non-interest-bearing	232,806.	45 527,469.
	46 Savings and temporary cash investments		46
	47 a Accounts receivable	47a	
	b Less: allowance for doubtful accounts	47b	47c
	48 a Pledges receivable	48a	
	b Less: allowance for doubtful accounts	48b	48c
	49 Grants receivable	1,310,000.	49
	50 Receivables from officers, directors, trustees, and key employees		50
	51 a Other notes and loans receivable	51a	
	b Less: allowance for doubtful accounts	51b	51c
	52 Inventories for sale or use		52
	53 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges		53
	54 Investments - securities <input type="checkbox"/> Cost <input type="checkbox"/> FMV		54
	55 a Investments - land, buildings, and equipment: basis	55a	
b Less: accumulated depreciation	55b	55c	
56 Investments - other		56	
57 a Land, buildings, and equipment: basis	57a		
b Less: accumulated depreciation	57b	57c	
58 Other assets (describe <input type="checkbox"/> )		58	
<b>59 Total assets (must equal line 74). Add lines 45 through 58</b>	<b>1,542,806.</b>	<b>59 527,469.</b>	
<b>Liabilities</b>	60 Accounts payable and accrued expenses	496,900.	60 22,015.
	61 Grants payable		61
	62 Deferred revenue		62
	63 Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and key employees		63
	64 a Tax-exempt bond liabilities		64a
	b Mortgages and other notes payable		64b
	65 Other liabilities (describe <input type="checkbox"/> )		65
<b>66 Total liabilities. Add lines 60 through 65</b>	<b>496,900.</b>	<b>66 22,015.</b>	
<b>Net Assets or Fund Balances</b>	<b>Organizations that follow SFAS 117, check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 67 through 69 and lines 73 and 74.</b>		
	67 Unrestricted	<264,094.>	67 505,454.
	68 Temporarily restricted	1,310,000.	68 0.
	69 Permanently restricted		69
	<b>Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 70 through 74.</b>		
	70 Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds		70
	71 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, and equipment fund		71
	72 Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds		72
<b>73 Total net assets or fund balances (add lines 67 through 69 or lines 70 through 72, column (A) must equal line 19, column (B) must equal line 21)</b>	<b>1,045,906.</b>	<b>73 505,454.</b>	
<b>74 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances. Add lines 66 and 73</b>	<b>1,542,806.</b>	<b>74 527,469.</b>	

**Part IV-A Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial Statements With Revenue per Return** (See the instructions.)

<b>a</b>	Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements		<b>a</b>	2,365,359.
<b>b</b>	Amounts included on line a but not on Part I, line 12:			
<b>1</b>	Net unrealized gains on investments	<b>b1</b>		
<b>2</b>	Donated services and use of facilities	<b>b2</b>		
<b>3</b>	Recoveries of prior year grants	<b>b3</b>		
<b>4</b>	Other (specify):	<b>b4</b>		
	Add lines <b>b1</b> through <b>b4</b>		<b>b</b>	0.
<b>c</b>	Subtract line <b>b</b> from line <b>a</b>		<b>c</b>	2,365,359.
<b>d</b>	Amounts included on Part I, line 12, but not on line a:			
<b>1</b>	Investment expenses not included on Part I, line 6b	<b>d1</b>		
<b>2</b>	Other (specify):	<b>d2</b>		
	Add lines <b>d1</b> and <b>d2</b>		<b>d</b>	0.
<b>e</b>	<b>Total revenue</b> (Part I, line 12). Add lines <b>c</b> and <b>d</b>		<b>e</b>	2,365,359.

**Part IV-B Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial Statements With Expenses per Return**

<b>a</b>	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements		<b>a</b>	2,905,811.
<b>b</b>	Amounts included on line a but not on Part I, line 17:			
<b>1</b>	Donated services and use of facilities	<b>b1</b>		
<b>2</b>	Prior year adjustments reported on Part I, line 20	<b>b2</b>		
<b>3</b>	Losses reported on Part I, line 20	<b>b3</b>		
<b>4</b>	Other (specify):	<b>b4</b>		
	Add lines <b>b1</b> through <b>b4</b>		<b>b</b>	0.
<b>c</b>	Subtract line <b>b</b> from line <b>a</b>		<b>c</b>	2,905,811.
<b>d</b>	Amounts included on Part I, line 17, but not on line a:			
<b>1</b>	Investment expenses not included on Part I, line 6b	<b>d1</b>		
<b>2</b>	Other (specify):	<b>d2</b>		
	Add lines <b>d1</b> and <b>d2</b>		<b>d</b>	0.
<b>e</b>	<b>Total expenses</b> (Part I, line 17). Add lines <b>c</b> and <b>d</b>		<b>e</b>	2,905,811.

**Part V-A Current Officers, Directors, Trustees, and Key Employees** (List each person who was an officer, director, trustee, or key employee at any time during the year even if they were not compensated.) (See the instructions.)

(A) Name and address	(B) Title and average hours per week devoted to position	(C) Compensation (If not paid, enter -0-.)	(D) Contributions to employee benefit plans & deferred compensation plans	(E) Expense account and other allowances
JOHN RUMPLER 44 WINTER STREET BOSTON, MA 02108	PRESIDENT 12.00	0.	0.	0.
RICHARD HANNIGAN 44 WINTER STREET BOSTON, MA 02108	TREASURER 3.00	0.	0.	0.
MATTHEW WILSON 44 WINTER STREET BOSTON, MA 02108	CLERK 1.00	0.	0.	0.

Part V-A Current Officers, Directors, Trustees, and Key Employees (continued)

Yes No

75 a Enter the total number of officers, directors, and trustees permitted to vote on organization business at board meetings 3

b Are any officers, directors, trustees, or key employees listed in Form 990, Part V-A, or highest compensated employees listed in Schedule A, Part I, or highest compensated professional and other independent contractors listed in Schedule A, Part II-A or II-B, related to each other through family or business relationships? If "Yes," attach a statement that identifies the individuals and explains the relationship(s) 75b X

c Do any officers, directors, trustees, or key employees listed in Form 990, Part V-A, or highest compensated employees listed in Schedule A, Part I, or highest compensated professional and other independent contractors listed in Schedule A, Part II-A or II-B, receive compensation from any other organizations, whether tax exempt or taxable, that are related to this organization through common supervision or common control? 75c X

Note. Related organizations include section 509(a)(3) supporting organizations.

If "Yes," attach a statement that identifies the individuals, explains the relationship between this organization and the other organization(s), and describes the compensation arrangements, including amounts paid to each individual by each related organization

d Does the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? 75d X

Part V-B Former Officers, Directors, Trustees, and Key Employees That Received Compensation or Other Benefits

(If any former officer, director, trustee, or key employee received compensation or other benefits (described below) during the year, list that person below and enter the amount of compensation or other benefits in the appropriate column. See the instructions.)

Table with 5 columns: (A) Name and address, (B) Loans and Advances, (C) Compensation, (D) Contributions to employee benefit plans & deferred compensation plans, (E) Expense account and other allowances. Row 1 contains 'NONE' in column A.

Part VI Other Information (See the instructions.)

Yes No

76 Did the organization engage in any activity not previously reported to the IRS? If "Yes," attach a detailed description of each activity 76 X

77 Were any changes made in the organizing or governing documents but not reported to the IRS? If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the changes. 77 X

78 a Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year covered by this return? 78a X
b If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on Form 990-T for this year? N/A 78b

79 Was there a liquidation, dissolution, termination, or substantial contraction during the year? If "Yes," attach a statement 79 X

80 a Is the organization related (other than by association with a statewide or nationwide organization) through common membership, governing bodies, trustees, officers, etc., to any other exempt or nonexempt organization? 80a X

b If "Yes," enter the name of the organization N/A and check whether it is [ ] exempt or [ ] nonexempt

81 a Enter direct or indirect political expenditures. (See line 81 instructions.) 81a 0.

b Did the organization file Form 1120-POL for this year? 81b X

Part VI Other Information (continued)

82 a Did the organization receive donated services or the use of materials, equipment, or facilities at no charge or at substantially less than fair rental value?
82b If "Yes," you may indicate the value of these items here. Do not include this amount as revenue in Part I or as an expense in Part II.
83 a Did the organization comply with the public inspection requirements for returns and exemption applications?
83b Did the organization comply with the disclosure requirements relating to quid pro quo contributions?
84 a Did the organization solicit any contributions or gifts that were not tax deductible?
84b If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible?
85 501(c)(4), (5), or (6) organizations. a Were substantially all dues nondeductible by members?
85b Did the organization make only in-house lobbying expenditures of \$2,000 or less?
85c Dues, assessments, and similar amounts from members
85d Section 162(e) lobbying and political expenditures
85e Aggregate nondeductible amount of section 6033(e)(1)(A) dues notices
85f Taxable amount of lobbying and political expenditures (line 85d less 85e)
85g Does the organization elect to pay the section 6033(e) tax on the amount on line 85f?
85h If section 6033(e)(1)(A) dues notices were sent, does the organization agree to add the amount on line 85f to its reasonable estimate of dues allocable to nondeductible lobbying and political expenditures for the following tax year?
86 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter: a Initiation fees and capital contributions included on line 12
86b Gross receipts, included on line 12, for public use of club facilities
87 501(c)(12) organizations. Enter: a Gross income from members or shareholders
87b Gross income from other sources. (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against amounts due or received from them.)
88 At any time during the year, did the organization own a 50% or greater interest in a taxable corporation or partnership, or an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations sections 301.7701-2 and 301.7701-3?
89 a 501(c)(3) organizations. Enter: Amount of tax imposed on the organization during the year under: section 4911
89b 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Did the organization engage in any section 4958 excess benefit transaction during the year or did it become aware of an excess benefit transaction from a prior year?
90 a List the states with which a copy of this return is filed
90b Number of employees employed in the pay period that includes March 12, 2005
91 a The books are in care of
91b At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)?
91c At any time during the calendar year, did the organization maintain an office outside of the United States?
92 Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990 in lieu of Form 1041- Check here and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year

Table with 2 columns: Yes, No. Rows 91b, 91c.



Part VII Analysis of Income-Producing Activities (See the instructions)

Table with 5 columns: (A) Business code, (B) Amount, (C) Exclusion code, (D) Amount, (E) Related or exempt function income. Rows include 93 Program service revenue, 94 Membership dues and assessments, 95 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments, 96 Dividends and interest from securities, 97 Net rental income or (loss) from real estate, 98 Net rental income or (loss) from personal property, 99 Other investment income, 100 Gain or (loss) from sales of assets other than inventory, 101 Net income or (loss) from special events, 102 Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory, 103 Other revenue, 104 Subtotal, 105 Total.

Note: Line 105 plus line 1d, Part I, should equal the amount on line 12, Part I.

Part VIII Relationship of Activities to the Accomplishment of Exempt Purposes (See the instructions)

Table with 2 columns: Line No., Explain how each activity for which income is reported in column (E) of Part VII contributed importantly to the accomplishment of the organization's exempt purposes (other than by providing funds for such purposes).

Part IX Information Regarding Taxable Subsidiaries and Disregarded Entities (See the instructions.)

Table with 5 columns: (A) Name, address, and EIN of corporation, partnership, or disregarded entity; (B) Percentage of ownership interest; (C) Nature of activities; (D) Total income; (E) End-of-year assets.

Part X Information Regarding Transfers Associated with Personal Benefit Contracts (See the instructions.)

(a) Did the organization, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract? (b) Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract? Note: If "Yes" to (b), file Form 8870 and Form 4720 (see instructions).

Signature and name section including: Please Sign Here, Signature of officer, Date, Type or print name and title, Preparer's signature, Date, Check if self-employed, Preparer's SSN or PTIN, Firm's name (or yours if self-employed), address, and ZIP + 4, EIN, Phone no.

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

<b>Part II Additional (not automatic) 3-Month Extension of Time - Must file Original and One Copy.</b>		
Type or print.  File by the extended due date for filing the return. See instructions.	Name of Exempt Organization <b>ENVIRONMENTAL ACTION, INC.</b>	Employer identification number <b>57-1176128</b>
	Number, street, and room or suite no. If a P.O. box, see instructions. <b>44 WINTER STREET, 4TH FLOOR</b>	For IRS use only
	City, town or post office, state, and ZIP code. For a foreign address, see instructions. <b>BOSTON, MA 02108</b>	

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

Form 990     Form 990-EZ     Form 990-T (sec. 401(a) or 408(a) trust)     Form 1041-A     Form 5227     Form 8870

Form 990-BL     Form 990-PF     Form 990-T (trust other than above)     Form 4720     Form 6069

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

- The books are in the care of **▶ JOHN RUMPLER**  
Telephone No. **▶ (617) 747-4404**      FAX No. **▶ (617) 292-8057**
- If the organization does not have an office or place of business in the United States, check this box
- If this is for a **Group Return**, enter the organization's four digit Group Exemption Number (GEN) \_\_\_\_\_. If this is for the **whole group**, check this box . If it is for **part of the group**, check this box  and attach a list with the names and EINs of all members the extension is for.

**4** I request an additional 3-month extension of time until **MAY 15, 2007**.

**5** For calendar year \_\_\_\_\_, or other tax year beginning **JUL 1, 2005** and ending **JUN 30, 2006**.

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

**7** State in detail why you need the extension  
**ADDITIONAL TIME IS NECESSARY TO FILE A COMPLETE AND ACCURATE RETURN.**

**8a** If this application is for Form 990-BL, 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter the tentative tax, less any nonrefundable credits. See instructions \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**b** If this application is for Form 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter any refundable credits and estimated tax payments made. Include any prior year overpayment allowed as a credit and any amount paid previously with Form 8868 \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**c Balance Due.** Subtract line 8b from line 8a. Include your payment with this form, or, if required, deposit with FTD coupon or, if required, by using EFTPS (Electronic Federal Tax Payment System). See instructions \$ **N/A**

**Signature and Verification**

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

Signature *Steve M. Rumpfer* Title *CFO* Date *02/15/07*

**Notice to Applicant - To Be Completed by the IRS**

- We have approved this application. Please attach this form to the organization's return.
- We have not approved this application. However, we have granted a 10-day grace period from the later of the date shown below or the due date of the organization's return (including any prior extensions). This grace period is considered to be a valid extension of time for elections otherwise required to be made on a timely return. Please attach this form to the organization's return.
- We have not approved this application. After considering the reasons stated in item 7, we cannot grant your request for an extension of time to file. We are not granting a 10-day grace period.
- We cannot consider this application because it was filed after the extended due date of the return for which an extension was requested.
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

By \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Director

**Alternate Mailing Address** - Enter the address if you want the copy of this application for an additional 3-month extension returned to an address different than the one entered above.

Type or print	Name <b>EDELSTEIN AND COMPANY LLP</b>
	Number and street (include suite, room, or apt. no.) or a P.O. box number <b>24 SCHOOL STREET</b>
	City or town, province or state, and country (including postal or ZIP code) <b>BOSTON, MA 02108</b>

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

OMB No. 1545-1709

▶ File a separate application for each return.

- If you are filing for an **Automatic 3-Month Extension**, complete only **Part I** and check this box
- If you are filing for an **Additional (not automatic) 3-Month Extension**, complete only **Part II** (on page 2 of this form).

**Do not complete Part II unless** you have already been granted an automatic 3-month extension on a previously filed Form 8868.

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

**Form 990-T corporations** requesting an automatic 6-month extension - check this box and complete Part I only

All other corporations (including Form 990-C filers) must use Form 7004 to request an extension of time to file income tax returns. Partnerships, REMICs, and trusts must use Form 8736 to request an extension of time to file Form 1065, 1066, or 1041

**Electronic Filing (e-file).** Form 8868 can be filed electronically if you want a 3-month automatic extension of time to file one of the returns noted below (6 months for corporate Form 990-T filers). However, you cannot file it electronically if you want the additional (not automatic) 3-month extension, instead you must submit the fully completed signed page 2 (Part II) of Form 8868. For more details on the electronic filing of this form, visit [www.irs.gov/efile](http://www.irs.gov/efile).

Type or print  File by the due date for filing your return See instructions	Name of Exempt Organization <b>ENVIRONMENTAL ACTION, INC.</b>	Employer identification number <b>57-1176128</b>
	Number, street, and room or suite no. If a P.O. box, see instructions. <b>44 WINTER STREET, 4TH FLOOR</b>	
	City, town or post office, state, and ZIP code. For a foreign address, see instructions. <b>BOSTON, MA 02108</b>	

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

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

- The books are in the care of ▶ **JOHN RUMPLER**  
Telephone No. ▶ **(617) 747-4404** FAX No. ▶ **(617) 292-8057**
- If the organization does **not** have an office or place of business in the United States, check this box
- If this is for a **Group Return**, enter the organization's four digit Group Exemption Number (GEN) \_\_\_\_\_ . If this is for the **whole** group, check this box  . If it is for part of the group, check this box  and attach a list with the names and EINs of all members the extension will cover.

1 I request an automatic 3-month (6-months for a **Form 990-T corporation**) extension of time until **FEBRUARY 15, 2007** to file the exempt organization return for the organization named above. The extension is for the organization's return for:  
▶  calendar year \_\_\_\_\_ or  
▶  tax year beginning **JUL 1, 2005**, and ending **JUN 30, 2006**

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

3a If this application is for Form 990-BL, 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter the tentative tax, less any nonrefundable credits. See instructions \$ \_\_\_\_\_

b If this application is for Form 990-PF or 990-T, enter any refundable credits and estimated tax payments made. Include any prior year overpayment allowed as a credit \$ \_\_\_\_\_

c **Balance Due.** Subtract line 3b from line 3a. Include your payment with this form, or, if required, deposit with FTD coupon or, if required, by using EFTPS (Electronic Federal Tax Payment System). See instructions \$ **N/A**

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

LHA For Privacy Act and Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see instructions.

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