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**Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax**

**2007**

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

**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 2007 calendar year, or tax year beginning** \_\_\_\_\_, **and ending** \_\_\_\_\_

**B** Check if applicable:  
 Address change  
 Name change  
 Initial return *corrected*  
 Termination  
 Amended return  
 Application pending

**C Name of organization**  
 Please use IRS label or print or type See Specific Instructions  
**Equal Justice Society**  
 Number and street (or P O box if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite  
**220 Sansome Street, 14th Floor**  
 City or town State or country ZIP + 4  
**San Francisco CA 94104**

**D Employer identification number**  
**20-0490698**

**E Telephone number**  
**415-288-8700**

**F Accounting method**  Cash  Accrual  
 Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

**G Website.** **www.equaljusticesociety.org**

**J Organization type** (check only one)  501(c) ( 3 ) (insert no)  4947(a)(1) or  527

**K** Check here  if the organization is not a 509(a)(3) supporting organization and its gross receipts are normally not more than \$25,000. A return is not required, but if the organization chooses to file a return, be sure to file a complete return.

**L Gross receipts.** Add lines 6b, 8b, 9b, and 10b to line 12 **2,259,514**

**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?  Yes  No (If "No," attach a list. See instructions.)  
**H(d)** Is this a separate return filed by an organization covered by a group ruling?  Yes  No  
**I** Group Exemption Number \_\_\_\_\_

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

**Part I Revenue, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances (See the instructions)**

SCANNED COPY	<b>1</b> Contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts received					
	<b>a</b> Contributions to donor advised funds	<b>1a</b>		0		
	<b>b</b> Direct public support (not included on line 1a)	<b>1b</b>		2,254,563		
	<b>c</b> Indirect public support (not included on line 1a)	<b>1c</b>		0		
	<b>d</b> Government contributions (grants) (not included on line 1a)	<b>1d</b>		0		
	<b>e Total</b> (add lines 1a through 1d) (cash \$ <u>2,254,563</u> noncash \$ <u>0</u> )	<b>1e</b>			2,254,563	
	<b>2</b> Program service revenue including government fees and contracts (from Part VII, line 93)	<b>2</b>			2,800	
	<b>3</b> Membership dues and assessments	<b>3</b>			0	
	<b>4</b> Interest on savings and temporary cash investments	<b>4</b>			1,239	
	<b>5</b> Dividends and interest from securities	<b>5</b>			0	
	<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>			0		
<b>7</b> Other investment income (describe _____)	<b>7</b>			0		
<b>8 a</b> Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory	(A) Securities		(B) Other			
	<b>8a</b>	0	<b>8a</b>	0		
	<b>8b</b>	0	<b>8b</b>	0		
<b>c</b> Gain or (loss) (attach schedule)	<b>8c</b>	0	<b>8c</b>	0		
<b>d</b> Net gain or (loss). Combine line 8c, columns (A) and (B)	<b>8d</b>			0		
<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 1b)	<b>9a</b>		0			
<b>b</b> Less direct expenses other than fundraising expenses	<b>9b</b>		0			
<b>c</b> Net income or (loss) from special events. Subtract line 9b from line 9a	<b>9c</b>			0		
<b>10 a</b> Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	<b>10a</b>		0			
	<b>10b</b>		0			
<b>c</b> Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory (attach schedule). Subtract line 10b from line 10a	<b>10c</b>			0		
<b>11</b> Other revenue (from Part VII, line 103)	<b>11</b>			912		
<b>12 Total revenue.</b> Add lines 1e, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6c, 7, 8d, 9c, 10c, and 11	<b>12</b>			2,259,514		
<b>Expenses</b>	<b>13</b> Program services (from line 44, column (B))	<b>13</b>		1,031,713		
	<b>14</b> Management and general (from line 44, column (C))	<b>14</b>		206,890		
	<b>15</b> Fundraising (from line 44, column (D))	<b>15</b>		168,631		
	<b>16</b> Payments to affiliates (attach schedule)	<b>16</b>		0		
	<b>17 Total expenses.</b> Add lines 16 and 44, column (A)	<b>17</b>			1,407,234	
<b>Net Assets</b>	<b>18</b> Excess or (deficit) for the year. Subtract line 17 from line 12	<b>18</b>		852,280		
	<b>19</b> Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (from line 73, column (A))	<b>19</b>		177,178		
	<b>20</b> Other changes in net assets or fund balances (attach explanation)	<b>20</b>		0		
	<b>21</b> Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 18, 19, and 20	<b>21</b>			1,029,458	

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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. (See the instructions.)

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
<b>22 a</b>	Grants paid from donor advised funds (attach schedule) (cash \$ 0 noncash \$ 0) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here <input type="checkbox"/>	0	0		
<b>22 b</b>	Other grants and allocations (attach schedule) See Stmt 1 (cash \$ 5,150 noncash \$ 0) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here <input type="checkbox"/>	5,150	5,150		
<b>23</b>	Specific assistance to individuals (attach schedule)	0	0		
<b>24</b>	Benefits paid to or for members (attach schedule)	0	0		
<b>25 a</b>	Compensation of current officers, directors, key employees, etc. listed in Part V-A	354,825	238,876	77,722	38,227
<b>b</b>	Compensation of former officers, directors, key employees, etc. listed in Part V-B	0	0	0	0
<b>c</b>	Compensation and other distributions not included above, to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B)	0	0	0	0
<b>26</b>	Salaries and wages of employees not included on lines 25a, b, and c	386,683	276,489	46,155	64,039
<b>27</b>	Pension plan contributions not included on lines 25a, b, and c	0	0	0	0
<b>28</b>	Employee benefits not included on lines 25a - 27	78,768	49,583	10,350	18,835
<b>29</b>	Payroll taxes	49,915	34,531	8,441	6,943
<b>30</b>	Professional fundraising fees	0	0	0	0
<b>31</b>	Accounting fees	10,245	0	10,245	0
<b>32</b>	Legal fees	767	0	767	0
<b>33</b>	Supplies	34,404	30,983	1,877	1,544
<b>34</b>	Telephone	19,469	13,468	3,292	2,709
<b>35</b>	Postage and shipping	8,333	5,765	1,409	1,159
<b>36</b>	Occupancy	112,086	77,541	18,954	15,591
<b>37</b>	Equipment rental and maintenance	20,483	14,170	3,464	2,849
<b>38</b>	Printing and publications	12,567	8,158	0	4,409
<b>39</b>	Travel	93,487	90,418	0	3,069
<b>40</b>	Conferences, conventions, and meetings	0	0	0	0
<b>41</b>	Interest	18,280	0	18,280	0
<b>42</b>	Depreciation, depletion, etc. (attach schedule) See Stmt 2	13,419	9,283	2,269	1,867
<b>43</b>	Other expenses not covered above (itemize)				
<b>a</b>	Training and staff development	5,868	4,060	992	816
<b>b</b>	Professional services	122,188	122,188	0	0
<b>c</b>	Insurance	15,809	10,937	2,673	2,199
<b>d</b>	Dues and subscriptions	7,356	7,356	0	0
<b>e</b>	Promotion and outreach	15,910	11,535	0	4,375
<b>f</b>	Miscellaneous	21,222	21,222	0	0
<b>g</b>		0	0	0	0
<b>44</b>	<b>Total functional expenses.</b> Add lines 22a through 43g. (Organizations completing columns (B)-(D) carry these totals to lines 13-15)	1,407,234	1,031,713	206,890	168,631

**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 \$ 0 (ii) the amount allocated to Program services \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (iii) the amount allocated to Management and general \$ \_\_\_\_\_ and (iv) the amount allocated to Fundraising \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**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.

<p>What is the organization's primary exempt purpose? ► <u>To advance racial and social justice</u></p> <p>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.)</p>	<p><b>Program Service Expenses</b> (Required for 501(c)(3) and (4) orgs. and 4947(a)(1) trusts but optional for others.)</p>
<p><b>a See Statement 3</b></p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p> <p>(Grants and allocations \$ <u>5,150</u> ) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ► <input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>1,031,713</p>
<p><b>b</b></p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p> <p>(Grants and allocations \$ <u>0</u> ) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ► <input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>0</p>
<p><b>c</b></p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p> <p>(Grants and allocations \$ <u>0</u> ) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ► <input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>0</p>
<p><b>d</b></p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p> <p>(Grants and allocations \$ <u>0</u> ) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ► <input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>0</p>
<p><b>e Other program services (attach schedule)</b></p> <p>(Grants and allocations \$ <u>-5,150</u> ) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ► <input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p></p>
<p><b>f Total of Program Service Expenses</b> (should equal line 44, column (B), Program services) ►</p>	<p>1,031,713</p>

**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)		(B)
		Beginning of year		End of year
Assets	45 Cash—non-interest-bearing	0	45	0
	46 Savings and temporary cash investments	201,547	46	154,735
	47 a Accounts receivable	47a 0		
	b Less allowance for doubtful accounts	47b 0	47c	0
	48 a Pledges receivable	48a 0		
	b Less allowance for doubtful accounts	48b 0	48c	0
	49 Grants receivable	60,000	49	883,000
	50 a Receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, and key employees (attach schedule)	0	50a	0
	b Receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B) (attach schedule)	0	50b	0
	51 a Other notes and loans receivable (attach schedule)	51a 0		
	b Less allowance for doubtful accounts	51b 0	51c	0
	52 Inventories for sale or use	0	52	0
	53 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges	1,064	53	0
	54 a Investments—publicly-traded securities	<input type="checkbox"/> Cost <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FMV	0	54a 26,326
	b Investments—other securities (attach schedule)	<input type="checkbox"/> Cost <input type="checkbox"/> FMV	0	54b 0
	55 a Investments—land, buildings, and equipment basis	55a 0		
	b Less accumulated depreciation (attach schedule)	55b 0	55c	0
	56 Investments—other (attach schedule)	0	56	0
	57 a Land, buildings, and equipment basis	57a 50,087		
b Less accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) See Stmt 2	57b 27,340	57c	22,747	
58 Other assets, including program-related investments (describe <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Deposits )	6,103	58	6,903	
59 <b>Total assets</b> (must equal line 74) Add lines 45 through 58	302,541	59	1,093,711	
Liabilities	60 Accounts payable and accrued expenses	76,363	60	64,253
	61 Grants payable	0	61	0
	62 Deferred revenue	0	62	0
	63 Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and key employees (attach schedule)	0	63	0
	64 a Tax-exempt bond liabilities (attach schedule)	0	64a	0
	b Mortgages and other notes payable (attach schedule)	0	64b	0
	65 Other liabilities (describe <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Line of credit )	49,000	65	0
66 <b>Total liabilities.</b> Add lines 60 through 65	125,363	66	64,253	
Net Assets or Fund Balances	<b>Organizations that follow SFAS 117, check here</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 67 through 69 and lines 73 and 74			
	67 Unrestricted	4,528	67	19,797
	68 Temporarily restricted	172,650	68	1,009,661
	69 Permanently restricted	0	69	0
	<b>Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here</b> <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 70 through 74			
	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	
73 <b>Total net assets or fund balances.</b> Add lines 67 through 69 or lines 70 through 72 (Column (A) must equal line 19 and column (B) must equal line 21)	177,178	73	1,029,458	
74 <b>Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances.</b> Add lines 66 and 73	302,541	74	1,093,711	

**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>	2,259,514
<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>		0
	Add lines b1 through b4		<b>b</b>	0
<b>c</b>	Subtract line b from line a		<b>c</b>	2,259,514
<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>		0
	Add lines d1 and d2		<b>d</b>	0
<b>e</b>	<b>Total revenue</b> (Part I, line 12). Add lines c and d		<b>e</b>	2,259,514

**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>	1,407,234
<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>		0
	Add lines b1 through b4		<b>b</b>	0
<b>c</b>	Subtract line b from line a		<b>c</b>	1,407,234
<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>		0
	Add lines d1 and d2		<b>d</b>	0
<b>e</b>	<b>Total expenses</b> (Part I, line 17). Add lines c and d		<b>e</b>	1,407,234

**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
Name <u>Eva Patterson</u> Str <u>220 Sansome St., 14th Fl.</u> City <u>San Francisco</u> ST <u>CA</u> ZIP <u>94105</u>	Title <u>President</u> Hr/WK <u>35</u>	<u>199,035</u>	<u>13,329</u>	<u>0</u>
Name <u>David Sainkei</u> Str <u>220 Sansome St., 14th Fl.</u> City <u>San Francisco</u> ST <u>CA</u> ZIP <u>94105</u>	Title <u>Fiscal Officer</u> Hr/WK <u>35</u>	<u>140,629</u>	<u>1,832</u>	<u>0</u>
Name <u>Board of Directors</u> Str _____ City <u>See Statement 4</u> ST _____ ZIP _____	Title _____ Hr/WK _____	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Name <u>N/A</u> Str _____ City _____ ST _____ ZIP _____	Title _____ Hr/WK _____			
Name <u>N/A</u> Str _____ City _____ ST _____ ZIP _____	Title _____ Hr/WK _____			
Name <u>N/A</u> Str _____ City _____ ST _____ ZIP _____	Title _____ Hr/WK _____			
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Name <u>N/A</u> Str _____ City _____ ST _____ ZIP _____	Title _____ Hr/WK _____			
Name <u>N/A</u> Str _____ City _____ ST _____ ZIP _____	Title _____ Hr/WK _____			

<b>Part V-A</b> <b>Current Officers, Directors, Trustees, and Key Employees</b> <i>(continued)</i>	Yes	No
<b>75 a</b> Enter the total number of officers, directors, and trustees permitted to vote on organization business at board meetings <span style="float: right;">▶ ..... 8</span>		
<b>b</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)	<b>75b</b>	X
<b>c</b> 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 the organization? See the instructions for the definition of "related organization" If "Yes," attach a statement that includes the information described in the instructions	<b>75c</b>	X
<b>d</b> Does the organization have a written conflict of interest policy?	<b>75d</b>	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.)

(A) Name and address	(B) Loans and Advances	(C) Compensation <i>(if not paid, enter -0-)</i>	(D) Contributions to employee benefit plans & deferred compensation plans	(E) Expense account and other allowances
Name <i>N/A</i> Str City ST ZIP				
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<b>Part VI</b> <b>Other Information</b> <i>(See the instructions)</i>	Yes	No
<b>76</b> Did the organization make a change in its activities or methods of conducting activities? If "Yes," attach a detailed statement of each change	<b>76</b>	X
<b>77</b> 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	<b>77</b>	X
<b>78 a</b> Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year covered by this return?	<b>78a</b>	X
<b>b</b> If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on Form 990-T for this year?	<b>78b</b>	N/A
<b>79</b> Was there a liquidation, dissolution, termination, or substantial contraction during the year? If "Yes," attach a statement	<b>79</b>	X
<b>80 a</b> 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?	<b>80a</b>	X
<b>b</b> If "Yes," enter the name of the organization <span style="float: right;">▶ .....</span> ..... and check whether it is <input type="checkbox"/> exempt or <input type="checkbox"/> nonexempt		
<b>81 a</b> Enter direct and indirect political expenditures. (See line 81 instructions)	<b>81a</b>	0
<b>b</b> Did the organization file Form 1120-POL for this year?	<b>81b</b>	X



**Part VI Other Information (continued)**

		Yes	No
<b>82 a</b>	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?	X	
<b>b</b>	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 (See instructions in Part III )		
	<b>82b</b> _____		
<b>83 a</b>	Did the organization comply with the public inspection requirements for returns and exemption applications?	X	
<b>b</b>	Did the organization comply with the disclosure requirements relating to <i>quid pro quo</i> contributions?	X	
<b>84 a</b>	Did the organization solicit any contributions or gifts that were not tax deductible?		X
<b>b</b>	If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible?	N/A	
<b>85</b>	<b>501(c)(4), (5), or (6)</b> Were substantially all dues nondeductible by members?	N/A	
<b>b</b>	Did the organization make only in-house lobbying expenditures of \$2,000 or less? If "Yes" was answered to either 85a or 85b, <b>do not</b> complete 85c through 85h below unless the organization received a waiver for proxy tax owed for the prior year	N/A	
<b>c</b>	Dues, assessments, and similar amounts from members	<b>85c</b> N/A	
<b>d</b>	Section 162(e) lobbying and political expenditures	<b>85d</b> N/A	
<b>e</b>	Aggregate nondeductible amount of section 6033(e)(1)(A) dues notices	<b>85e</b> N/A	
<b>f</b>	Taxable amount of lobbying and political expenditures (line 85d less 85e)	<b>85f</b> N/A	
<b>g</b>	Does the organization elect to pay the section 6033(e) tax on the amount on line 85f?	<b>85g</b> N/A	
<b>h</b>	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?	<b>85h</b> N/A	
<b>86</b>	<b>501(c)(7) orgs</b> Enter <b>a</b> Initiation fees and capital contributions included on line 12	<b>86a</b> N/A	
<b>b</b>	Gross receipts, included on line 12, for public use of club facilities	<b>86b</b> N/A	
<b>87</b>	<b>501(c)(12) orgs</b> Enter <b>a</b> Gross income from members or shareholders	<b>87a</b> N/A	
<b>b</b>	Gross income from other sources (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against amounts due or received from them )	<b>87b</b> N/A	
<b>88 a</b>	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? If "Yes," complete Part IX		X
<b>b</b>	At any time during the year did the organization, directly or indirectly, own a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes " complete Part XI		X
<b>89 a</b>	<b>501(c)(3) organizations</b> Enter Amount of tax imposed on the organization during the year under section 4911 ▶ 0 , section 4912 ▶ 0 , section 4955 ▶ 0		
<b>b</b>	<b>501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) orgs</b> 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? If "Yes," attach a statement explaining each transaction		X
<b>c</b>	Enter Amount of tax imposed on the organization managers or disqualified persons during the year under sections 4912, 4955, and 4958 ▶ 0		
<b>d</b>	Enter Amount of tax on line 89c, above, reimbursed by the organization ▶ 0		
<b>e</b>	<b>All organizations</b> At any time during the tax year, was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?		X
<b>f</b>	<b>All organizations</b> Did the organization acquire a direct or indirect interest in any applicable insurance contract?		X
<b>g</b>	<b>For supporting organizations and sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds</b> Did the supporting organization or a fund maintained by a sponsoring organization, have excess business holdings at any time during the year?		X
<b>90 a</b>	List the states with which a copy of this return is filed ▶ CA		
<b>b</b>	Number of employees employed in the pay period that includes March 12, 2007 (See instructions )	<b>90b</b> 9	
<b>91 a</b>	The books are in care of ▶ Name Equal Justice Society Telephone no ▶ 415-288-8700 Located at ▶ 220 Sansome St 14th Floor City San Francisco ST CA ZIP + 4 ▶ 94104		
<b>b</b>	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)? If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country ▶ See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22.1, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts	<b>91b</b>	X

**Part VI Other Information (continued)**

Yes No

- c At any time during the calendar year, did the organization maintain an office outside of the United States? **91c**  Yes  No  
If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country ▶
- 92** Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990 in lieu of Form 1041—Check here  **92** N/A  
and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year ▶

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

Note: Enter gross amounts unless otherwise indicated

	Unrelated business income		Excluded by section 512, 513, or 514		(E) Related or exempt function income
	(A) Business code	(B) Amount	(C) Exclusion code	(D) Amount	
<b>93</b> Program service revenue					
<b>a</b> Honorarium					2,800
<b>b</b>					
<b>c</b>					
<b>d</b>					
<b>e</b>					
<b>f</b> Medicare/Medicaid payments					
<b>g</b> Fees and contracts from government agencies					
<b>94</b> Membership dues and assessments					
<b>95</b> Interest on savings and temporary cash investments			14	1,239	
<b>96</b> Dividends and interest from securities					
<b>97</b> Net rental income or (loss) from real estate					
<b>a</b> debt-financed property					
<b>b</b> not debt-financed property					
<b>98</b> Net rental income or (loss) from personal property					
<b>99</b> Other investment income					
<b>100</b> Gain or (loss) from sales of assets other than inventory					
<b>101</b> Net income or (loss) from special events					
<b>102</b> Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory					
<b>103</b> Other revenue					
<b>a</b> Miscellaneous			01	912	
<b>b</b>					
<b>c</b>					
<b>d</b>					
<b>e</b>					
<b>104</b> Subtotal (add columns (B), (D), and (E))		0		2,151	2,800
<b>105</b> Total (add line 104, columns (B), (D), and (E))					4,951

Note: Line 105 plus line 1e, 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)**

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)
93a	Revenue received as honorarium in exchange for speaking engagements for EJS staff

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

(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
N/A	%		0	0
	%		0	0
	%		0	0
	%		0	0

**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?  Yes  No
  - (b) Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?  Yes  No
- Note: If "Yes" to (b), file Form 8870 and Form 4720 (see instructions)

**Part XI Information Regarding Transfers To and From Controlled Entities.** Complete only if the organization is a controlling organization as defined in section 512(b)(13)

**106** Did the reporting organization make any transfers to a controlled entity as defined in section 512(b)(13) of the Code? If "Yes," complete the schedule below for each controlled entity. Yes No  
X

	(A) Name, address, of each controlled entity	(B) Employer Identification Number	(C) Description of transfer	(D) Amount of transfer
a	N/A			
b				
c				
<b>Totals</b>				0

**107** Did the reporting organization receive any transfers from a controlled entity as defined in section 512(b)(13) of the Code? If "Yes," complete the schedule below for each controlled entity. Yes No  
X

	(A) Name, address, of each controlled entity	(B) Employer Identification Number	(C) Description of transfer	(D) Amount of transfer
a	N/A			
b				
c				
<b>Totals</b>				0

**108** Did the organization have a binding written contract in effect on August 17, 2006, covering the interest, rents, royalties, and annuities described in question 107 above? Yes No  
X

**Please Sign Here**

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

*David Salniker* Signature of officer 5-13-08 Date

David Salniker, Dir. of Admin. + Finance Type or print name and title

**Paid Preparer's Use Only**

Preparer's signature: *Crosby & Kaneda* Date: 5/7/2008 Check if self-employed:  Preparer's SSN or PTIN (See Gen. Inst. X)

Firm's name (or yours if self-employed), address, and ZIP + 4: Crosby & Kaneda, Certified Public Accountants EIN: 94-3243888  
1611 Telegraph Ave., Ste 318 Oakland, CA 94612 Phone no: 510-835-2727

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

**Organization Exempt Under Section 501(c)(3)**

(Except Private Foundation) and Section 501(e), 501(f), 501(k), 501(n),  
or 4947(a)(1) Nonexempt Charitable Trust

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**2007**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

**Supplementary Information—(See separate instructions.)**

**MUST be completed by the above organizations and attached to their Form 990 or 990-EZ**

Name of the organization

Employer identification number

Equal Justice Society

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**Part I Compensation of the Five Highest Paid Employees Other Than Officers, Directors, and Trustees**

(See page 1 of the instructions List each one If there are none, enter "None")

(a) Name and address of each employee paid more than \$50,000	(b) Title and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans & deferred compensation	(e) Expense account and other allowances
Kimberly D. Thomas Rapp, 220 Sansome St 14th Fl San Francisco CA 94105	Dir of Law and Policy	93,758	9,123	0
Mike J Galvador, 220 Sansome St 14th Fl San Francisco, 94105	Development Dir	80,238	22,838	0
Swati Kapadia, 220 Sansome St 14th Fl San Francisco, CA 94105	Executive / Fin Assist	53,354	10,294	0
Keith K. Kamisugi, 220 Sansome St 14th Fl San Francisco, CA 94105	Asso Dir of Comm	67,527	11,203	0
Total number of other employees paid over \$50,000 0				

**Part II-A Compensation of the Five Highest Paid Independent Contractors for Professional Services**

(See page 2 of the instructions List each one (whether individuals or firms) If there are none, enter "None")

(a) Name and address of each independent contractor paid more than \$50,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
None		
Total number of others receiving over \$50,000 for professional services 0		

**Part II-B Compensation of the Five Highest Paid Independent Contractors for Other Services**

(List each contractor who performed services other than professional services, whether individuals or firms If there are none, enter "None" See page 2 of the instructions)

(a) Name and address of each independent contractor paid more than \$50,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
None		
Total number of other contractors receiving over \$50,000 for other services 0		

For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the instructions for Form 990 and Form 990-EZ

Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2007

**Part III** Statements About Activities (See page 2 of the instructions )

		Yes	No
1	During the year has the organization attempted to influence national, state, or local legislation including any attempt to influence public opinion on a legislative matter or referendum? If "Yes" enter the total expenses paid or incurred in connection with the lobbying activities ► \$ <u>5,366</u> (Must equal amounts on line 38 Part VI-A or line 1 of Part VI-B )	X	
Organizations that made an election under section 501(h) by filing Form 5768 must complete Part VI-A Other organizations checking "Yes" must complete Part VI-B AND attach a statement giving a detailed description of the lobbying activities			
2	During the year has the organization either directly or indirectly engaged in any of the following acts with any substantial contributors trustees, directors officers creators, key employees or members of their families or with any taxable organization with which any such person is affiliated as an officer, director, trustee, majority owner or principal beneficiary? (If the answer to any question is "Yes," attach a detailed statement explaining the transactions )		
a	Sale, exchange or leasing of property?		X
b	Lending of money or other extension of credit?		X
c	Furnishing of goods services or facilities?		X
d	Payment of compensation (or payment or reimbursement of expenses if more than \$1,000)? See Part V 990	X	
e	Transfer of any part of its income or assets?		X
3 a	Did the organization make grants for scholarships fellowships student loans etc ? (If "Yes," attach an explanation of how the organization determines that recipients qualify to receive payments )		X
b	Did the organization have a section 403(b) annuity plan for its employees?	X	
c	Did the organization receive or hold an easement for conservation purposes including easements to preserve open space, the environment historic land areas or historic structures? If "Yes," attach a detailed statement		X
d	Did the organization provide credit counseling debt management credit repair or debt negotiation services?		X
4 a	Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds? If "Yes" complete lines 4b through 4g If "No" complete lines 4f and 4g		X
b	Did the organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966?		X
c	Did the organization make a distribution to a donor donor advisor or related person?		X
d	Enter the total number of donor advised funds owned at the end of the tax year	► N/A	
e	Enter the aggregate value of assets held in all donor advised funds owned at the end of the tax year	► N/A	
f	Enter the total number of separate funds or accounts owned at the end of the tax year (excluding donor advised funds included on line 4d) where donors have the right to provide advice on the distribution or investment of amounts in such funds or accounts	► N/A	
g	Enter the aggregate value of assets held in all funds or accounts included on line 4f at the end of the tax year	► N/A	

**Part IV Reason for Non-Private Foundation Status** (See pages 4 through 8 of the instructions )

I certify that the organization is not a private foundation because it is (Please check only **ONE** applicable box )

- 5  A church, convention of churches, or association of churches Section 170(b)(1)(A)(i)
- 6  A school Section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii) (Also complete Part V )
- 7  A hospital or a cooperative hospital service organization Section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii)
- 8  A federal, state, or local government or governmental unit Section 170(b)(1)(A)(v)
- 9  A medical research organization operated in conjunction with a hospital Section 170(b)(1)(A)(iii) Enter the hospital's name, city, and state  City  ST  Country
- 10  An organization operated for the benefit of a college or university owned or operated by a governmental unit Section 170(b)(1)(A)(iv) (Also complete the **Support Schedule** in Part IV-A )
- 11 a  An organization that normally receives a substantial part of its support from a governmental unit or from the general public Section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi) (Also complete the **Support Schedule** in Part IV-A )
- 11 b  A community trust Section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi) (Also complete the **Support Schedule** in Part IV-A )
- 12  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 charitable, etc , 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) (Also complete the **Support Schedule** in Part IV-A )
- 13  An organization that is not controlled by any disqualified persons (other than foundation managers) and otherwise meets the requirements of section 509(a)(3) Check the box that describes the type of supporting organization  
 Type I       Type II       Type III-Functionally Integrated       Type III-Other

**Provide the following information about the supported organizations.** (See page 8 of the instructions )

(a) Name(s) of supported organization(s)	(b) Employer identification number (EIN)	(c) Type of organization (described in lines 5 through 12 above or IRC section)	(d) Is the supported organization listed in the supporting organization's governing documents?		(e) Amount of support
			Yes	No	
					0
					0
					0
					0
					0
					0
<b>Total</b>					0

- 14  An organization organized and operated to test for public safety Section 509(a)(4) (See page 8 of the instructions )

**Part IV-A Support Schedule** (Complete only if you checked a box on line 10, 11, or 12) Use cash method of accounting.

Note: You may use the worksheet in the instructions for converting from the accrual to the cash method of accounting

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2006	(b) 2005	(c) 2004	(d) 2003	(e) Total
15 Gifts, grants, and contributions received (Do not include unusual grants See line 28)	1,116,106	1,261,289	930,337	N/A	3,307,732
16 Membership fees received					0
17 Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services performed or furnishing of facilities in any activity that is related to the organization's charitable etc. purpose	43,535	75,000	9,633		128,168
18 Gross income from interest dividends amounts received from payments on securities loans (section 512(a)(5)), rents royalties, income from similar sources and unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired by the organization after June 30, 1975	0	0	20		20
19 Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 18					0
20 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to it or expended on its behalf					0
21 The value of services or facilities furnished to the organization by a governmental unit without charge Do not include the value of services or facilities generally furnished to the public without charge					0
22 Other income Attach a schedule Do not include gain or (loss) from sale of capital assets	28	3,417	0		3,445
23 Total of lines 15 through 22	1,159,669	1,339,706	939,990	0	3,439,365
24 Line 23 minus line 17	1,116,134	1,264,706	930,357	0	3,311,197
25 Enter 1% of line 23	11,597	13,397	9,400	0	
26 Organizations described on lines 10 or 11	a Enter 2% of amount in column (e), line 24				26a 66,224
b Prepare a list for your records to show the name of and amount contributed by each person (other than a governmental unit or publicly supported organization) whose total gifts for 2003 through 2006 exceeded the amount shown in line 25a Do not file this list with your return Enter the total of all these excess amounts					26b 1,482,656
c Total support for section 509(a)(1) test Enter line 24 column (e)					26c 3,311,197
d Add Amounts from column (e) for lines 18 20 19 22	20 3,445	26b 1,482,656			26d 1,486,121
e Public support (line 26c minus line 26d total)					26e 1,825,076
f Public support percentage (line 26e (numerator) divided by line 26c (denominator))					26f 55.12%
27 Organizations described on line 12	a For amounts included in lines 15 16 and 17 that were received from a "disqualified person," prepare a list for your records to show the name of and total amounts received in each year from each "disqualified person." Do not file this list with your return Enter the sum of such amounts for each year				
	(2006)	(2005)	(2004)	(2003)	
b For any amount included in line 17 that was received from each person (other than "disqualified persons") prepare a list for your records to show the name of and amount received for each year that was more than the larger of (1) the amount on line 25 for the year or (2) \$5,000 (Include in the list organizations described in lines 5 through 11b as well as individuals) Do not file this list with your return After computing the difference between the amount received and the larger amount described in (1) or (2) enter the sum of these differences (the excess amounts) for each year	(2006)	(2005)	(2004)	(2003)	
c Add Amounts from column (e) for lines 15 16 17 20 21					27c 0
d Add Line 27a total and line 27b total					27d 0
e Public support (line 27c total minus line 27d total)					27e 0
f Total support for section 509(a)(2) test Enter amount from line 23, column (e)	27f				
g Public support percentage (line 27e (numerator) divided by line 27f (denominator))					27g 0.00%
h Investment income percentage (line 18, column (e) (numerator) divided by line 27f (denominator))					27h 0.00%
28 Unusual Grants For an organization described in line 10 11 or 12 that received any unusual grants during 2003 through 2006, prepare a list for your records to show for each year the name of the contributor the date and amount of the grant and a brief description of the nature of the grant Do not file this list with your return Do not include these grants in line 15					

**Part V Private School Questionnaire** (See page 9 of the instructions )

**(To be completed ONLY by schools that checked the box on line 6 in Part IV)**

**N/A**

	Yes	No
29 Does the organization have a racially nondiscriminatory policy toward students by statement in its charter, bylaws, other governing instrument, or in a resolution of its governing body?		
30 Does the organization include a statement of its racially nondiscriminatory policy toward students in all its brochures, catalogues, and other written communications with the public dealing with student admissions, programs, and scholarships?		
31 Has the organization publicized its racially nondiscriminatory policy through newspaper or broadcast media during the period of solicitation for students, or during the registration period if it has no solicitation program, in a way that makes the policy known to all parts of the general community it serves? If "Yes," please describe, if "No," please explain (If you need more space, attach a separate statement ) ..... ..... .....		
32 Does the organization maintain the following		
a Records indicating the racial composition of the student body, faculty, and administrative staff?		
b Records documenting that scholarships and other financial assistance are awarded on a racially nondiscriminatory basis?		
c Copies of all catalogues, brochures, announcements, and other written communications to the public dealing with student admissions, programs, and scholarships?		
d Copies of all material used by the organization or on its behalf to solicit contributions?  If you answered "No" to any of the above, please explain (If you need more space, attach a separate statement ) ..... .....		
33 Does the organization discriminate by race in any way with respect to		
a Students' rights or privileges?		
b Admissions policies?		
c Employment of faculty or administrative staff?		
d Scholarships or other financial assistance?		
e Educational policies?		
f Use of facilities?		
g Athletic programs?		
h Other extracurricular activities?  If you answered "Yes" to any of the above, please explain (If you need more space, attach a separate statement ) ..... .....		
34 a Does the organization receive any financial aid or assistance from a governmental agency?		
b Has the organization's right to such aid ever been revoked or suspended? If you answered "Yes" to either 34a or b, please explain using an attached statement		
35 Does the organization certify that it has complied with the applicable requirements of sections 4 01 through 4 05 of Rev Proc 75-50, 1975-2 C B 587, covering racial nondiscrimination? If "No," attach an explanation		



**Part VI-A Lobbying Expenditures by Electing Public Charities** (See page 11 of the instructions )

(To be completed **ONLY** by an eligible organization that filed Form 5768)

Check  **a**  if the organization belongs to an affiliated group Check  **b**  if you checked "a" and "limited control" provisions apply

**Limits on Lobbying Expenditures**

(The term "expenditures" means amounts paid or incurred )

		(a) Affiliated group totals	(b) To be completed for all electing organizations
36	Total lobbying expenditures to influence public opinion (grassroots lobbying)	0	0
37	Total lobbying expenditures to influence a legislative body (direct lobbying)	0	5,366
38	Total lobbying expenditures (add lines 36 and 37)	0	5,366
39	Other exempt purpose expenditures	0	1,233,237
40	Total exempt purpose expenditures (add lines 38 and 39)	0	1,238,603
41	Lobbying nontaxable amount Enter the amount from the following table— <b>If the amount on line 40 is—</b> Not over \$500,000 Over \$500,000 but not over \$1,000,000 Over \$1,000,000 but not over \$1,500,000 Over \$1,500,000 but not over \$17,000,000 Over \$17,000,000 <b>The lobbying nontaxable amount is—</b> 20% of the amount on line 40 \$100,000 plus 15% of the excess over \$500,000 \$175,000 plus 10% of the excess over \$1,000,000 \$225,000 plus 5% of the excess over \$1,500,000 \$1,000,000	0	198,860
42	Grassroots nontaxable amount (enter 25% of line 41)	0	49,715
43	Subtract line 42 from line 36 Enter -0- if line 42 is more than line 36	0	0
44	Subtract line 41 from line 38 Enter -0- if line 41 is more than line 38	0	0

Caution: If there is an amount on either line 43 or line 44, you must file Form 4720

**4-Year Averaging Period Under Section 501(h)**

(Some organizations that made a section 501(h) election do not have to complete all of the five columns below  
See the instructions for lines 45 through 50 on page 13 of the instructions )

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	Lobbying Expenditures During 4-Year Averaging Period					
	(a) 2007	(b) 2006	(c) 2005	(d) 2004	(e) Total	
45	Lobbying nontaxable amount	198,860	161,484	183,340	170,083	713,767
46	Lobbying ceiling amount (150% of line 45(e))					1,070,651
47	Total lobbying expenditures	5,366	242,226	42,009	15,000	304,601
48	Grassroots nontaxable amount	49,715	40,371	45,835	42,521	178,442
49	Grassroots ceiling amount (150% of line 48(e))					267,663
50	Grassroots lobbying expenditures	0	0	15,000	5,000	20,000

**Part VI-B Lobbying Activity by Nonelecting Public Charities**

(For reporting only by organizations that did not complete Part VI-A) (See page 14 of the instructions ) **N/A**

During the year, did the organization attempt to influence national, state or local legislation, including any attempt to influence public opinion on a legislative matter or referendum, through the use of

- a Volunteers
  - b Paid staff or management (Include compensation in expenses reported on lines c through h )
  - c Media advertisements
  - d Mailings to members, legislators, or the public
  - e Publications, or published or broadcast statements
  - f Grants to other organizations for lobbying purposes
  - g Direct contact with legislators, their staffs, government officials, or a legislative body
  - h Rallies, demonstrations, seminars, conventions, speeches, lectures, or any other means
  - i Total lobbying expenditures (Add lines c through h.)
- If "Yes" to any of the above, also attach a statement giving a detailed description of the lobbying activities

Yes	No	Amount
	X	
	X	
	X	
	X	
	X	
	X	
	X	
	X	
		0



**Equal Justice Society**  
**20-0490698**  
**Year Ended December 31, 2007**

**Statement 1**  
**Form 990, Part II**  
**Line 22**  
**Grants and Allocations**

<p>Lawyers Committee for Civil Rights            131 Steuart St, # 400            San Francisco, CA 94105            \$500 Contribution for Martin Luther King Luncheon</p> <p>UC Student Assoc            385 Grand Ave, Suite 302            Oakland, CA 94610            \$50 contribution</p> <p>National Lawyers Guild            558 Capp            SF 94110            \$250 – ad in dinner journal</p> <p>Impact Fund            125 University            Berkeley, CA 94710            \$350 contribution</p> <p>Legal Services of Northern California            515 12<sup>th</sup> St            Sacramento, CA 95814            \$1,000 contribution</p> <p>ACLU of Northern Calif            39 Drumm St            SF 94111            \$250 contrib</p> <p>Love Life Foundaion            PO Box 70351            Oakland 94612            \$750 contribution</p>	<p>CTWO            1218 E 21<sup>st</sup> St            Oakland, cA 94606            \$100 for ad</p> <p>Calif For Justice            1611 Telegraph Ave #317            Oakland, CA 94612            \$100 for ad in journal</p> <p>Data Center            4200 Park Blvd #128            Oakland 94602            \$500</p> <p>Applied Research Center            900 Alice St. #400            Oakland 94607            \$500</p> <p>Kirwan Institute            Ohio State Univ            423 Mendenhall Lab            125 So Oval Drive            Columbus Ohio 42310            \$500 contribution</p> <p>Justice Matters            605 Market St.. # 1350            San Francisco, CA 94105            \$250 Contribution</p>	<p>Angela Hierro            77 Beale Street            Mail Code B32            San Francisco, CA 9410            \$50 for Robert Harris event</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Total \$5,150</b></p>
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Statement 2  
Part II, Line 42  
Part IV, Line 57b  
Fixed Asset Schedule

No.	Description	Date acquired	Cost Basis	Prior Depr.	Rate	Current Depr.	Net Book Value	
1	Computer	1/20/04	1,933	1,289	0.3333	644	-	
2	Office Furniture - various	1/20/04	7,302	3,212	0.2000	1,460	2,629	
3	Office Furniture - desk for Eva	1/20/04	2,474	1,088	0.2000	495	891	
4	Office Furniture - workstations	2/12/04	812	357	0.2000	162	293	
5	Office Furniture - 3 lateral file cabinets	3/26/04	1,221	537	0.2000	244	440	
6	Office Furniture - conference table	4/15/04	6,114	2,690	0.2000	1,223	2,201	
7	Office Furniture - ergonomic chairs	5/9/05	1,928	540	0.2000	386	1,002	
8	Office Furniture - custom cabinet	3/14/06	1,800	180	0.2000	360	1,260	
9	Computer - servers and network upgrades	1/3/06	22,341	3,724	0.3333	7,447	11,171	
10	Computer - cable system for network upgrade	1/16/06	1,823	304	0.3333	608	911	
11	Laptop	5/17/07	2,339	-	0.1667	390	1,949	
			50,087	13,921			13,419	22,747

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**Statement of Program Service Accomplishments**

The Equal Justice Society (EJS) is a national advocacy organization strategically advancing racial justice through law and public policy, communications and the arts, and alliance building. We play two essential roles in advancing racial justice: 1) to serve as a catalyst to draw more institutional and public attention to race, and 2) to serve as a connective tissue for disparate groups with an interest in advancing a racial justice agenda who lack the capacity to gather the momentum necessary to effect structural change.

Fulfilling a critical role as a West Coast-based national civil rights organization, the mission of EJS is to give voice to those reaching for racial and social justice. Using a three-prong strategy of law and public policy discourse, cross-disciplinary convenings of scholars and activists, and strategic public communications, EJS seeks to restore racial issues to the national consciousness, build effective alliances for social justice, and create a meaningful dialogue on the positive role of government.

The foundation of EJS is based on the premise that justice cannot be achieved when the law fails to reflect actual experience. To that end, EJS engaged in the following program and projects:

- Organized and coordinated several strategic convenings of legal scholars, attorneys, social scientists and communication experts to counter recent attempts to limit protections of the Equal Protection clause and anti-discrimination laws. Examined current litigation by the EEOC. Compared use of the "intent doctrine" by U.S. Courts to limit remedies in discrimination cases to comparative cases nationally and internationally.
- Initiated a convening of Supreme Court scholars, litigators and legal service organizations to assess the impact of the recent Supreme Court decisions and recent appointees to the Court. Analyzed other Federal Court nominees regarding civil rights and provided leadership to the California Coalition for Fair and Independent Judges. Met with Federal Judges to present research on unconscious bias and its potential impact on issues of "intent."
- Continued to explore the impact of anti-affirmative action legislation and to defend and promote the need for affirmative action by communicating with the public and policy makers about policies and practices aimed at protecting diversity in our public institutions. Worked with coalitions regionally and nationally to examine impact of anti-affirmative action legislation on public education, public employment and contracting.
- Commissioned or sponsored creative, artistic performances celebrating racial or ethnic history, including an original performance by a highly regarded ballet company and also the performance of a jazz "oratorio" celebrating the life of Harriet Tubman. Worked through various multi-media to examine presentations of race in the media and to expand coverage of racial justice issues.
- Held a community forum on tensions regarding immigration issues in the Black and Brown communities with speakers from leading organizations and the public.



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- Continued to work with education unions to explore unconscious bias in the classroom and its impact on the achievement gap. Expanded a pilot project with a California school district, did extensive survey of the literature regarding unconscious bias and potential interventions, and collaborated with national experts and organizations in addressing unconscious bias.