Form **990-PF**

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Return of Private Foundation

or Section 4947(a)(1) Trust Treated as Private Foundation
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For calendar year 2024 or tax year beginning , **and ending**

Name of foundation: WORLD COCOA FOUNDATION, INC.

A Employer identification number: 54-1715875

Number and street (or P.O. box number if mail is not delivered to street address): 1025 CONNECTICUT AVE NW — Room/suite: 415

B Telephone number: (202)737-7870

City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code: WASHINGTON, DC 20036

C If exemption application is pending, check here ☐

G Check all that apply: ☐ Initial return ☐ Initial return of a former public charity ☐ Final return ☐ Amended return ☐ Address change ☐ Name change

D 1. Foreign organizations, check here ☐
2. Foreign organizations meeting the 85% test, check here and attach computation ☐

H Check type of organization: [X] Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation ☐ Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust ☐ Other taxable private foundation

E If private foundation status was terminated under section 507(b)(1)(A), check here ☐

I Fair market value of all assets at end of year (from Part II, col. (c), line 16) $ 6,196,371.

J Accounting method: ☐ Cash [X] Accrual ☐ Other (specify) (Part I, column (d), must be on cash basis.)

F If the foundation is in a 60-month termination under section 507(b)(1)(B), check here ☐

Part I Analysis of Revenue and Expenses

(The total of amounts in columns (b), (c), and (d) may not necessarily equal the amounts in column (a).)

		(a) Revenue and expenses per books	(b) Net investment income	(c) Adjusted net income	(d) Disbursements for charitable purposes (cash basis only)
Revenue	1 Contributions, gifts, grants, etc., received	3,564,718.			
	2 Check ☐ if the foundation is not required to attach Sch. B				
	3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments	183,077.	183,077.	183,077.	STATEMENT 1
	4 Dividends and interest from securities				
	5a Gross rents				
	b Net rental income or (loss)				
	6a Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10	2,146.			STATEMENT 2
	b Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a 2,146.				
	7 Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2)		0.		
	8 Net short-term capital gain			0.	
	9 Income modifications				
	10a Gross sales less returns and allowances				
	b Less: Cost of goods sold				
	c Gross profit or (loss)				
	11 Other income	3,209,625.	38,712.	3,209,625.	STATEMENT 3
	12 **Total.** Add lines 1 through 11	6,959,566.	221,789.	3,392,702.	
Operating and Administrative Expenses	13 Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc.	716,196.	0.	0.	716,196.
	14 Other employee salaries and wages	1,966,218.	0.	486,834.	1,422,421.
	15 Pension plans, employee benefits	493,222.	0.	83,848.	403,710.
	16a Legal fees STMT 4	506,610.	0.	0.	644,374.
	b Accounting fees STMT 5	78,674.	2,000.	0.	72,339.
	c Other professional fees STMT 6	2,949,174.	0.	176,950.	3,128,715.
	17 Interest				
	18 Taxes STMT 7	223,730.	0.	0.	206,708.
	19 Depreciation and depletion	44,840.	0.	0.	
	20 Occupancy	321,658.	0.	3,665.	314,341.
	21 Travel, conferences, and meetings	919,867.	0.	9,199.	988,096.
	22 Printing and publications				
	23 Other expenses STMT 8	910,306.	29,378.	51,183.	855,400.
	24 **Total operating and administrative expenses.** Add lines 13 through 23	9,130,495.	31,378.	811,679.	8,752,300.
	25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid	0.			0.
	26 **Total expenses and disbursements.** Add lines 24 and 25	9,130,495.	31,378.	811,679.	8,752,300.
	27 Subtract line 26 from line 12:				
	a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements	-2,170,929.			
	b **Net investment income** (if negative, enter -0-)		190,411.		
	c **Adjusted net income** (if negative, enter -0-)			2,581,023.	

Part II Balance Sheets

Attached schedules and amounts in the description column should be for end-of-year amounts only.

			Beginning of year (a) Book Value	End of year (b) Book Value	End of year (c) Fair Market Value
Assets	1	Cash - non-interest-bearing	147,468.	180,270.	180,270.
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments	6,615,943.	4,793,607.	4,793,607.
	3	Accounts receivable 30,587.			
		Less: allowance for doubtful accounts	265,107.	30,587.	30,587.
	4	Pledges receivable			
		Less: allowance for doubtful accounts			
	5	Grants receivable	289,488.	425,945.	425,945.
	6	Receivables due from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons			
	7	Other notes and loans receivable			
		Less: allowance for doubtful accounts			
	8	Inventories for sale or use			
	9	Prepaid expenses and deferred charges	211,919.	191,462.	191,462.
	10a	Investments - U.S. and state government obligations			
	b	Investments - corporate stock			
	c	Investments - corporate bonds			
	11	Investments - land, buildings, and equipment: basis			
		Less: accumulated depreciation			
	12	Investments - mortgage loans			
	13	Investments - other			
	14	Land, buildings, and equipment: basis 240,082.			
		Less: accumulated depreciation 132,228.	186,019.	107,854.	107,854.
	15	Other assets (describe STATEMENT 10)	660,859.	466,646.	466,646.
	16	Total assets (to be completed by all filers - see the instructions. Also, see page 1, item I)	8,376,803.	6,196,371.	6,196,371.
Liabilities	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses	1,085,007.	1,555,327.	
	18	Grants payable			
	19	Deferred revenue	75,000.	152,089.	
	20	Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons			
	21	Mortgages and other notes payable			
	22	Other liabilities (describe STATEMENT 11)	751,366.	466,064.	
	23	Total liabilities (add lines 17 through 22)	1,911,373.	2,173,480.	
Net Assets or Fund Balances		Foundations that follow FASB ASC 958, check here [X] and complete lines 24, 25, 29, and 30.			
	24	Net assets without donor restrictions	5,551,891.	2,865,062.	
	25	Net assets with donor restrictions	913,539.	1,157,829.	
		Foundations that do not follow FASB ASC 958, check here [ ] and complete lines 26 through 30.			
	26	Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds			
	27	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg., and equipment fund			
	28	Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds			
	29	Total net assets or fund balances	6,465,430.	4,022,891.	
	30	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances	8,376,803.	6,196,371.	

Part III Analysis of Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances

1	Total net assets or fund balances at beginning of year - Part II, column (a), line 29 (must agree with end-of-year figure reported on prior year's return)	1	6,465,430.
2	Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2	-2,170,929.
3	Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize)	3	0.
4	Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4	4,294,501.
5	Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize) SEE STATEMENT 9	5	271,610.
6	Total net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5) - Part II, column (b), line 29	6	4,022,891.

Part IV Capital Gains and Losses for Tax on Investment Income

	(a) List and describe the kind(s) of property sold (for example, real estate, 2-story brick warehouse; or common stock, 200 shs. MLC Co.)	(b) How acquired P - Purchase D - Donation	(c) Date acquired (mo., day, yr.)	(d) Date sold (mo., day, yr.)
1a				
b	NONE			
c				
d				
e				

	(e) Gross sales price	(f) Depreciation allowed (or allowable)	(g) Cost or other basis plus expense of sale	(h) Gain or (loss) ((e) plus (f) minus (g))
a				
b				
c				
d				
e				

Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69.

	(i) FMV as of 12/31/69	(j) Adjusted basis as of 12/31/69	(k) Excess of col. (i) over col. (j), if any	(l) Gains (Col. (h) gain minus col. (k), but not less than -0-) **or** Losses (from col. (h))
a				
b				
c				
d				
e				

2	Capital gain net income or (net capital loss) { If gain, also enter in Part I, line 7; If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 7 }	2	
3	Net short-term capital gain or (loss) as defined in sections 1222(5) and (6): If gain, also enter in Part I, line 8, column (c). See instructions. If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 8	3	

Part V Excise Tax Based on Investment Income (Section 4940(a), 4940(b), or 4948 - see instructions)

1a	Exempt operating foundations described in section 4940(d)(2), check here ☐ and enter "N/A" on line 1. Date of ruling or determination letter: ______ **(attach copy of letter if necessary - see instructions)**	1	2,647.
b	All other domestic foundations enter 1.39% (0.0139) of line 27b. Exempt foreign organizations, enter 4% (0.04) of Part I, line 12, col. (b)		
2	Tax under section 511 (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only; others, enter -0-)	2	0.
3	Add lines 1 and 2	3	2,647.
4	Subtitle A (income) tax (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only; others, enter -0-)	4	0.
5	**Tax based on investment income.** Subtract line 4 from line 3. If zero or less, enter -0-	5	2,647.
6	Credits/Payments:		
a	2024 estimated tax payments and 2023 overpayment credited to 2024 — 6a: 12,200.		
b	Exempt foreign organizations - tax withheld at source — 6b: 0.		
c	Tax paid with application for extension of time to file (Form 8868) — 6c: 0.		
d	Backup withholding erroneously withheld — 6d: 0.		
7	Total credits and payments. Add lines 6a through 6d	7	12,200.
8	Enter any **penalty** for underpayment of estimated tax. Check here ☐ if Form 2220 is attached	8	6.
9	**Tax due.** If the total of lines 5 and 8 is more than line 7, enter **amount owed**	9	
10	**Overpayment.** If line 7 is more than the total of lines 5 and 8, enter the **amount overpaid**	10	9,547.
11	Enter the amount of line 10 to be: **Credited to 2025 estimated tax** 9,547. **Refunded**	11	0.

Part VI-A Statements Regarding Activities

		Line	Yes	No
1a	During the tax year, did the foundation attempt to influence any national, state, or local legislation or did it participate or intervene in any political campaign?	1a		X
b	Did it spend more than $100 during the year (either directly or indirectly) for political purposes? See the instructions for the definition	1b		X
	If the answer is "Yes" to 1a or 1b, attach a detailed description of the activities and copies of any materials published or distributed by the foundation in connection with the activities.			
c	Did the foundation file Form 1120-POL for this year?	1c		X
d	Enter the amount (if any) of tax on political expenditures (section 4955) imposed during the year: (1) On the foundation. $ 0. (2) On foundation managers. $ 0.			
e	Enter the reimbursement (if any) paid by the foundation during the year for political expenditure tax imposed on foundation managers. $ 0.			
2	Has the foundation engaged in any activities that have not previously been reported to the IRS? If "Yes," attach a detailed description of the activities.	2		X
3	Has the foundation made any changes, not previously reported to the IRS, in its governing instrument, articles of incorporation, or bylaws, or other similar instruments? If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the changes	3		X
4a	Did the foundation have unrelated business gross income of $1,000 or more during the year?	4a		X
b	If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on Form 990-T for this year? N/A	4b		
5	Was there a liquidation, termination, dissolution, or substantial contraction during the year? If "Yes," attach the statement required by *General Instruction T.*	5		X
6	Are the requirements of section 508(e) (relating to sections 4941 through 4945) satisfied either: • By language in the governing instrument, or • By state legislation that effectively amends the governing instrument so that no mandatory directions that conflict with the state law remain in the governing instrument?	6	X	
7	Did the foundation have at least $5,000 in assets at any time during the year? If "Yes," complete Part II, col. (c), and Part XIV	7	X	
8a	Enter the states to which the foundation reports or with which it is registered. See instructions. DC			
b	If the answer is "Yes" to line 7, has the foundation furnished a copy of Form 990-PF to the Attorney General (or designate) of each state as required by *General Instruction G?* If "No," attach explanation SEE STATEMENT 13	8b		X
9	Is the foundation claiming status as a private operating foundation within the meaning of section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5) for calendar year 2024 or the tax year beginning in 2024? See the instructions for Part XIII. If "Yes," complete Part XIII	9	X	
10	Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year? If "Yes," attach a schedule listing their names and addresses	10		X
11	At any time during the year, did the foundation, directly or indirectly, own a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," attach schedule. See instructions	11		X
12	Did the foundation make a distribution to a donor advised fund over which the foundation or a disqualified person had advisory privileges? If "Yes," attach statement. See instructions	12		X
13	Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements for its annual returns and exemption application?	13	X	

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15 Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-PF in lieu of Form 1041 - check here ☐

and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year | 15 | N/A

		Line	Yes	No
16	At any time during calendar year 2024, did the foundation have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a bank, securities, or other financial account in a foreign country?	16	X	
	See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114. If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country SEE STATEMENT 12			

Part VI-B Statements Regarding Activities for Which Form 4720 May Be Required

File Form 4720 if any item is checked in the "Yes" column, unless an exception applies.		Yes	No
1a During the year, did the foundation (either directly or indirectly):			
(1) Engage in the sale or exchange, or leasing of property with a disqualified person?	1a(1)		X
(2) Borrow money from, lend money to, or otherwise extend credit to (or accept it from) a disqualified person?	1a(2)		X
(3) Furnish goods, services, or facilities to (or accept them from) a disqualified person?	1a(3)	X	
(4) Pay compensation to, or pay or reimburse the expenses of, a disqualified person?	1a(4)	X	
(5) Transfer any income or assets to a disqualified person (or make any of either available for the benefit or use of a disqualified person)?	1a(5)		X
(6) Agree to pay money or property to a government official? (**Exception.** Check "No" if the foundation agreed to make a grant to or to employ the official for a period after termination of government service, if terminating within 90 days.)	1a(6)		X
b If any answer is "Yes" to 1a(1)-(6), did **any** of the acts fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4941(d)-3 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance? See instructions	1b		X
c Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance, check here ☐			
d Did the foundation engage in a prior year in any of the acts described in 1a, other than excepted acts, that were not corrected before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2024?	1d		X
2 Taxes on failure to distribute income (section 4942) (does not apply for years the foundation was a private operating foundation defined in section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5)):			
a At the end of tax year 2024, did the foundation have any undistributed income (Part XII, lines 6d and 6e) for tax year(s) beginning before 2024?	2a		X
If "Yes," list the years ____, ____, ____, ____			
b Are there any years listed in 2a for which the foundation is **not** applying the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) (relating to incorrect valuation of assets) to the year's undistributed income? (If applying section 4942(a)(2) to **all** years listed, answer "No" and attach statement - see instructions.) N/A	2b		
c If the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) are being applied to **any** of the years listed in 2a, list the years here. ____, ____, ____, ____			
3a Did the foundation hold more than a 2% direct or indirect interest in any business enterprise at any time during the year?	3a		X
b If "Yes," did it have excess business holdings in 2024 as a result of **(1)** any purchase by the foundation or disqualified persons after May 26, 1969; **(2)** the lapse of the 5-year period (or longer period approved by the Commissioner under section 4943(c)(7)) to dispose of holdings acquired by gift or bequest; or **(3)** the lapse of the 10-, 15-, or 20-year first phase holding period? (Use Form 4720, Schedule C, to determine if the foundation had excess business holdings in 2024.) N/A	3b		
4a Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes?	4a		X
b Did the foundation make any investment in a prior year (but after December 31, 1969) that could jeopardize its charitable purpose that had not been removed from jeopardy before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2024?	4b		X

Part VI-B Statements Regarding Activities for Which Form 4720 May Be Required *(continued)*

		Yes	No
5a During the year, did the foundation pay or incur any amount to:			
(1) Carry on propaganda, or otherwise attempt to influence legislation (section 4945(e))?	5a(1)		X
(2) Influence the outcome of any specific public election (see section 4955); or to carry on, directly or indirectly, any voter registration drive?	5a(2)		X
(3) Provide a grant to an individual for travel, study, or other similar purposes?	5a(3)		X
(4) Provide a grant to an organization other than a charitable, etc., organization described in section 4945(d)(4)(A)? See instructions	5a(4)		X
(5) Provide for any purpose other than religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals?	5a(5)		X
b If any answer is "Yes" to 5a(1)-(5), did **any** of the transactions fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4945 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance? See instructions N/A	5b		
c Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance, check here ☐			
d If the answer is "Yes" to question 5a(4), does the foundation claim exemption from the tax because it maintained expenditure responsibility for the grant? N/A	5d		
If "Yes," attach the statement required by Regulations section 53.4945-5(d).			
6a Did the foundation, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?	6a		X
b Did the foundation, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?	6b		X
If "Yes" to 6b, file Form 8870.			
7a At any time during the tax year, was the foundation a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?	7a		X
b If "Yes," did the foundation receive any proceeds or have any net income attributable to the transaction? N/A	7b		
8 Is the foundation subject to the section 4960 tax on payment(s) of more than $1,000,000 in remuneration or excess parachute payment(s) during the year?	8		X

Part VII Information About Officers, Directors, Trustees, Foundation Managers, Highly Paid Employees, and Contractors

1 List all officers, directors, trustees, and foundation managers and their compensation.

(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 and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account, other allowances
SEE STATEMENT 14		716,196.	72,305.	53,100.

2 Compensation of five highest-paid employees (other than those included on line 1). If 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 and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account, other allowances
PETER KOEGLER - 1025 CONNECTICUT AVE NW STE 415, WASHINGTON, DC 20036	VP OF PROGRAMS 40.00	222,912.	34,498.	0.
MARIETTE VERBRUGGEN - 1025 CONNECTICUT AVE NW STE 415,	VP OF COMMUNICATIONS 40.00	220,008.	24,723.	2,100.
BERNARD KRAMER - 1025 CONNECTICUT AVE NW STE 415, WASHINGTON, DC 20036	DIRECTOR OF FINANCE 40.00	170,000.	33,793.	0.
MICHAEL MATARASSO - 1025 CONNECTICUT AVE NW STE 415, WASHINGTON, DC 20036	DIR. OF MONITORING & EVAL 40.00	147,480.	26,198.	0.
HANNAH WARD - 1025 CONNECTICUT AVE NW STE 415, WASHINGTON, DC 20036	CFI DIRECTOR 40.00	147,642.	23,439.	0.
Total number of other employees paid over $50,000				6

Part VII **Information About Officers, Directors, Trustees, Foundation Managers, Highly Paid Employees, and Contractors** *(continued)*

3 Five highest-paid independent contractors for professional services. If none, enter "NONE."

(a) Name and address of each person paid more than $50,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
HOGAN LOVELLS US LLP - COLUMBIA SQ 555 THIRTEENTH STM NW, WASHINGTON, DC 20004	LEGAL	333,031.
Total number of others receiving over $50,000 for professional services		0

Part VIII-A **Summary of Direct Charitable Activities**

List the foundation's four largest direct charitable activities during the tax year. Include relevant statistical information such as the number of organizations and other beneficiaries served, conferences convened, research papers produced, etc.	Expenses
1 SEE STATEMENT 15	1,422,832.
2 SEE STATEMENT 16	1,013,388.
3 SEE STATEMENT 17	878,474.
4 SEE STATEMENT 18	476,006.

Part VIII-B **Summary of Program-Related Investments**

Describe the two largest program-related investments made by the foundation during the tax year on lines 1 and 2.	Amount
1 N/A	
2	
All other program-related investments. See instructions.	
3	
Total. Add lines 1 through 3	0.

Part IX **Minimum Investment Return** (All domestic foundations must complete this part. Foreign foundations, see instructions.)

1	Fair market value of assets not used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes:		
a	Average monthly fair market value of securities	1a	0.
b	Average of monthly cash balances	1b	5,835,361.
c	Fair market value of all other assets (see instructions)	1c	
d	**Total** (add lines 1a, b, and c)	1d	5,835,361.
e	Reduction claimed for blockage or other factors reported on lines 1a and 1c (attach detailed explanation) — 1e: 0.		
2	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to line 1 assets	2	0.
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1d	3	5,835,361.
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities. Enter 1.5% (0.015) of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions) STMT 19	4	5,835,361.
5	**Net value of noncharitable-use assets.** Subtract line 4 from line 3	5	0.
6	**Minimum investment return.** Enter 5% (0.05) of line 5	6	0.

Part X **Distributable Amount** (see instructions) (Section 4942(j)(3) and (j)(5) private operating foundations and certain foreign organizations, check here [X] and do not complete this part.)

1	Minimum investment return from Part IX, line 6	1	
2a	Tax on investment income for 2024 from Part V, line 5 — 2a:		
b	Income tax for 2024. (This does not include the tax from Part V.) — 2b:		
c	Add lines 2a and 2b	2c	
3	Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1	3	
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions	4	
5	Add lines 3 and 4	5	
6	Deduction from distributable amount (see instructions)	6	
7	**Distributable amount** as adjusted. Subtract line 6 from line 5. Enter here and on Part XII, line 1	7	

Part XI **Qualifying Distributions** (see instructions)

1	Amounts paid (including administrative expenses) to accomplish charitable, etc., purposes:		
a	Expenses, contributions, gifts, etc. - total from Part I, column (d), line 26	1a	8,752,300.
b	Program-related investments - total from Part VIII-B	1b	0.
2	Amounts paid to acquire assets used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes	2	
3	Amounts set aside for specific charitable projects that satisfy the:		
a	Suitability test (prior IRS approval required)	3a	
b	Cash distribution test (attach the required schedule)	3b	
4	**Qualifying distributions.** Add lines 1a through 3b. Enter here and on Part XII, line 4	4	8,752,300.

Part XII Undistributed Income (see instructions)

N/A

	(a) Corpus	(b) Years prior to 2023	(c) 2023	(d) 2024
1 Distributable amount for 2024 from Part X, line 7				
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2024:				
a Enter amount for 2023 only				
b Total for prior years: ____ , ____ , ____				
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2024:				
a From 2019				
b From 2020				
c From 2021				
d From 2022				
e From 2023				
f **Total** of lines 3a through e				
4 Qualifying distributions for 2024 from Part XI, line 4: $				
a Applied to 2023, but not more than line 2a				
b Applied to undistributed income of prior years (Election required - see instructions)				
c Treated as distributions out of corpus (Election required - see instructions)				
d Applied to 2024 distributable amount				
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus				
5 Excess distributions carryover applied to 2024 (If an amount appears in column (d), the same amount must be shown in column (a).)				
6 **Enter the net total of each column as indicated below:**				
a Corpus. Add lines 3f, 4c, and 4e. Subtract line 5				
b Prior years' undistributed income. Subtract line 4b from line 2b				
c Enter the amount of prior years' undistributed income for which a notice of deficiency has been issued, or on which the section 4942(a) tax has been previously assessed				
d Subtract line 6c from line 6b. Taxable amount - see instructions				
e Undistributed income for 2023. Subtract line 4a from line 2a. Taxable amount - see instr.				
f Undistributed income for 2024. Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1. This amount must be distributed in 2025				
7 Amounts treated as distributions out of corpus to satisfy requirements imposed by section 170(b)(1)(F) or 4942(g)(3) (Election may be required - see instructions)				
8 Excess distributions carryover from 2019 not applied on line 5 or line 7				
9 **Excess distributions carryover to 2025.** Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a				
10 Analysis of line 9:				
a Excess from 2020				
b Excess from 2021				
c Excess from 2022				
d Excess from 2023				
e Excess from 2024				

Part XIII Private Operating Foundations (see instructions and Part VI-A, question 9)

1 a If the foundation has received a ruling or determination letter that it is a private operating foundation, and the ruling is effective for 2024, enter the date of the ruling 08/01/94

b Check box to indicate whether the foundation is a private operating foundation described in section .... [X] 4942(j)(3) or [ ] 4942(j)(5)

	Tax year	Prior 3 years			
	(a) 2024	(b) 2023	(c) 2022	(d) 2021	(e) Total
2 a Enter the lesser of the adjusted net income from Part I or the minimum investment return from Part IX for each year listed	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
b 85% (0.85) of line 2a	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
c Qualifying distributions from Part XI, line 4, for each year listed	8,752,300.	5,651,913.	5,976,243.	5,419,004.	25,799,460.
d Amounts included in line 2c not used directly for active conduct of exempt activities	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
e Qualifying distributions made directly for active conduct of exempt activities. Subtract line 2d from line 2c	8,752,300.	5,651,913.	5,976,243.	5,419,004.	25,799,460.
3 Complete 3a, b, or c for the alternative test relied upon:					
a "Assets" alternative test - enter: (1) Value of all assets					0.
(2) Value of assets qualifying under section 4942(j)(3)(B)(i)					0.
b "Endowment" alternative test - enter 2/3 of minimum investment return shown in Part IX, line 6, for each year listed	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
c "Support" alternative test - enter:					
(1) Total support other than gross investment income (interest, dividends, rents, payments on securities loans (section 512(a)(5)), or royalties)					0.
(2) Support from general public and 5 or more exempt organizations as provided in section 4942(j)(3)(B)(iii)					0.
(3) Largest amount of support from an exempt organization					0.
(4) Gross investment income					0.

Part XIV Supplementary Information (Complete this part only if the foundation had $5,000 or more in assets at any time during the year-see instructions.)

1 **Information Regarding Foundation Managers:**

a List any managers of the foundation who have contributed more than 2% of the total contributions received by the foundation before the close of any tax year (but only if they have contributed more than $5,000). (See section 507(d)(2).)

NONE

b List any managers of the foundation who own 10% or more of the stock of a corporation (or an equally large portion of the ownership of a partnership or other entity) of which the foundation has a 10% or greater interest.

NONE

2 **Information Regarding Contribution, Grant, Gift, Loan, Scholarship, etc., Programs:**

Check here [X] if the foundation only makes contributions to preselected charitable organizations and does not accept unsolicited requests for funds. If the foundation makes gifts, grants, etc., to individuals or organizations under other conditions, complete items 2a, b, c, and d.

a The name, address, and telephone number or email address of the person to whom applications should be addressed:

b The form in which applications should be submitted and information and materials they should include:

c Any submission deadlines:

d Any restrictions or limitations on awards, such as by geographical areas, charitable fields, kinds of institutions, or other factors:

Part XIV Supplementary Information *(continued)*

3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year or Approved for Future Payment

Recipient Name and address (home or business)	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
a *Paid during the year*				
NONE				
Total			**3a**	0.
b *Approved for future payment*				
NONE				
Total			**3b**	0.

Part XV-A **Analysis of Income-Producing Activities**

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	
1 Program service revenue:					
a					
b					
c					
d					
e					
f					
g Fees and contracts from government agencies					
2 Membership dues and assessments					2,685,663.
3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments			14	183,077.	
4 Dividends and interest from securities					
5 Net rental income or (loss) from real estate:					
a Debt-financed property					
b Not debt-financed property					
6 Net rental income or (loss) from personal property					
7 Other investment income			18	38,712.	
8 Gain or (loss) from sales of assets other than inventory			18	2,146.	
9 Net income or (loss) from special events					
10 Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory					
11 Other revenue:					
a REGISTRATIONS					485,250.
b					
c					
d					
e					
12 Subtotal. Add columns (b), (d), and (e)		0.		223,935.	3,170,913.

13 Total. Add line 12, columns (b), (d), and (e) .... 13 3,394,848.

(See worksheet in line 13 instructions to verify calculations.)

Part XV-B **Relationship of Activities to the Accomplishment of Exempt Purposes**

Line No.	Explain below how each activity for which income is reported in column (e) of Part XV-A contributed importantly to the accomplishment of the foundation's exempt purposes (other than by providing funds for such purposes).
2	TO HELP DELIVER PROGRAMMING AND INCREASE AWARENESS
2	FURTHERING THE WORLD COCOA FOUNDATION'S SUSTAINABILITY MISSION.

Part XVI Information Regarding Transfers to and Transactions and Relationships With Noncharitable Exempt Organizations

		Yes	No
1 Did the organization directly or indirectly engage in any of the following with any other organization described in section 501(c) (other than section 501(c)(3) organizations) or in section 527, relating to political organizations?			
a Transfers from the reporting foundation to a noncharitable exempt organization of:			
(1) Cash	1a(1)		X
(2) Other assets	1a(2)		X
b Other transactions:			
(1) Sales of assets to a noncharitable exempt organization	1b(1)		X
(2) Purchases of assets from a noncharitable exempt organization	1b(2)		X
(3) Rental of facilities, equipment, or other assets	1b(3)		X
(4) Reimbursement arrangements	1b(4)		X
(5) Loans or loan guarantees	1b(5)		X
(6) Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations	1b(6)		X
c Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, other assets, or paid employees	1c		X

d If the answer to any of the above is "Yes," complete the following schedule. Column **(b)** should always show the fair market value of the goods, other assets, or services given by the reporting foundation. If the foundation received less than fair market value in any transaction or sharing arrangement, show in column **(d)** the value of the goods, other assets, or services received.

(a) Line no.	(b) Amount involved	(c) Name of noncharitable exempt organization	(d) Description of transfers, transactions, and sharing arrangements
		N/A	

2a Is the foundation directly or indirectly affiliated with, or related to, one or more tax-exempt organizations described in section 501(c) (other than section 501(c)(3)) or in section 527? ☐ Yes ☒ No

b If "Yes," complete the following schedule.

(a) Name of organization	(b) Type of organization	(c) Description of relationship
N/A		

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 taxpayer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown below? See instr. ☒ Yes ☐ No

Signature of officer or trustee | Date | Title: VP OF OPERATIONS

Paid Preparer Use Only

Preparer's name	Preparer's signature	Date	Check ☐ if self-employed	PTIN
ELIZABETH W. HELLER	Elizabeth W. Heller	10/27/2025		P00397829

Firm's name GELMAN, ROSENBERG & FREEDMAN — Firm's EIN 52-1392008

Firm's address 4550 MONTGOMERY AVE SUITE 800N
BETHESDA, MD 20814-2930 — Phone no. 301-951-9090

Schedule B (Form 990)
(Rev. December 2024)
Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Schedule of Contributors

Attach to Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF.
Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for the latest information.

OMB No. 1545-0047

Name of the organization	Employer identification number
WORLD COCOA FOUNDATION, INC.	54-1715875

Organization type (check one):

Filers of:	Section:
Form 990 or 990-EZ	☐ 501(c)( ) (enter number) organization
	☐ 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust **not** treated as a private foundation
	☐ 527 political organization
Form 990-PF	☒ 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation
	☐ 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust treated as a private foundation
	☐ 501(c)(3) taxable private foundation

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

General Rule

☒ For an organization filing Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF that received, during the year, contributions totaling $5,000 or more (in money or property) from any one contributor. Complete Parts I and II. See instructions for determining a contributor's total contributions.

Special Rules

☐ For an organization described in section 501(c)(3) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that met the 33 1/3% support test of the regulations under sections 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi), that checked Schedule A (Form 990), Part II, line 13, 16a, or 16b, and that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of the greater of **(1)** $5,000; or **(2)** 2% of the amount on (i) Form 990, Part VIII, line 1h; or (ii) Form 990-EZ, line 1. Complete Parts I and II.

☐ For an organization described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of more than $1,000 *exclusively* for religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals. Complete Parts I (entering "N/A" in column (b) instead of the contributor name and address), II, and III.

☐ For an organization described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, contributions *exclusively* for religious, charitable, etc., purposes, but no such contributions totaled more than $1,000. If this box is checked, enter here the total contributions that were received during the year for an *exclusively* religious, charitable, etc., purpose. Don't complete any of the parts unless the **General Rule** applies to this organization because it received *nonexclusively* religious, charitable, etc., contributions totaling $5,000 or more during the year .... $ ____________

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

Name of organization: WORLD COCOA FOUNDATION, INC.

Employer identification number: 54-1715875

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

(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
1	BLOMMER 1011 BLOMMER DR. E. GREENVILLE, PA 18041	$ 62,092.	Person [X] Payroll [ ] Noncash [ ] (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
2	CARGILL BV., CARGILL COCOA & CHOCOLATE EVERT VAN DE BEEKSTRAAT 378 SCHIPHOL NL-1118 CZ, NETHERLANDS	$ 353,926.	Person [X] Payroll [ ] Noncash [ ] (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
3	ECOM AGROTRADE LTD NIGHTINGALE HOUSE 65 CURZON STREET LONDON WIJ 8PE, UNITED KINGDOM	$ 30,484.	Person [X] Payroll [ ] Noncash [ ] (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
4	FERRERO FERRERO TRADING LUX SA FINDEL BUS. CNT., COMPLEXE B RUE DE TREVES L-2632 FINDEL, LUXEMBOURG	$ 325,231.	Person [X] Payroll [ ] Noncash [ ] (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
5	THE HERSHEY COMPANY 100 CRYSTAL A DRIVE HERSHEY, PA 17033-8524	$ 325,231.	Person [X] Payroll [ ] Noncash [ ] (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
6	MARS GLOBAL CHOCOLATE PO BOX 696517 SAN ANTONIO, TX 78269	$ 420,681.	Person [X] Payroll [ ] Noncash [ ] (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)

Name of organization	Employer identification number
WORLD COCOA FOUNDATION, INC.	54-1715875

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

(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
7	MONDELEZ EUROPE GMBH LINDBERG ALLEE 1, GLATTPARK 8152 ZURICH, SWITZERLAND	$ 598,651.	Person [X] Payroll [ ] Noncash [ ] (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
8	NESTLE - NESTRADE AV. NESTLE 55 1800 VEVEY SWITZERLAND	$ 598,651.	Person [X] Payroll [ ] Noncash [ ] (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
9	OLAM 16TH FLOOR NEW ZEALAND HOUSE 80 HAYMARKET LONDON, UNITED KINGDOM	$ 258,066.	Person [X] Payroll [ ] Noncash [ ] (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
10	TOUTON SA BP 13 - 1 RUE RENE MAGNE CENTRE COMMERCIAL DE GROS BORDEAUX BORDEAUX CEDEX, FRANCE	$ 30,690.	Person [X] Payroll [ ] Noncash [ ] (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
11	BARRY CALLEBAUT AG HARDTURMSTRASSE 181, 8005 ZURICH, SWITZERLAND	$ 353,925.	Person [X] Payroll [ ] Noncash [ ] (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
12	DENGO DO BRASIL LTDA R NEBRASKA, 323, SAO PAULO, SP BRAZIL 04560-010	$ 14,550.	Person [X] Payroll [ ] Noncash [ ] (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)

Name of organization: WORLD COCOA FOUNDATION, INC.

Employer identification number: 54-1715875

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

(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
13	SUCRES ET DENREES 20/22 RUE DE LA VILLE L'EVEQUE PARIS, FRANCE	$ 30,484.	Person [X] Payroll [ ] Noncash [ ] (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
14	HARALD INDSTRIA DE ALIMENTOS LTDA ESTRADA TENENTE MARQUES, 5.555 VILA POUPANA SANTANA DE, BRAZIL POSTAL CODE: 065	$ 95,150.	Person [X] Payroll [ ] Noncash [ ] (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
		$	Person [ ] Payroll [ ] Noncash [ ] (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
		$	Person [ ] Payroll [ ] Noncash [ ] (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
		$	Person [ ] Payroll [ ] Noncash [ ] (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
		$	Person [ ] Payroll [ ] Noncash [ ] (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)

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WORLD COCOA FOUNDATION, INC.	54-1715875

Part II **Noncash Property** (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part II if additional space is needed.

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (See instructions.)	(d) Date received
		$	

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (See instructions.)	(d) Date received
		$	

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (See instructions.)	(d) Date received
		$	

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (See instructions.)	(d) Date received
		$	

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (See instructions.)	(d) Date received
		$	

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (See instructions.)	(d) Date received
		$	

Name of organization	Employer identification number
WORLD COCOA FOUNDATION, INC.	54-1715875

Part III **Exclusively religious, charitable, etc., contributions to organizations described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) that total more than $1,000 for the year from any one contributor.** Complete columns **(a)** through **(e) and** the following line entry. For organizations completing Part III, enter the total of exclusively religious, charitable, etc., contributions of **$1,000 or less** for the year. (Enter this info. once.) $

Use duplicate copies of Part III if additional space is needed.

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

(e) Transfer of gift

Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee

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

(e) Transfer of gift

Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee

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

(e) Transfer of gift

Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee

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

(e) Transfer of gift

Transferee's name, address, and ZIP + 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee

FORM 990-PF INTEREST ON SAVINGS AND TEMPORARY CASH INVESTMENTS STATEMENT 1

SOURCE	(A) REVENUE PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVESTMENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME
BANK ACCOUNTS	183,077.	183,077.	183,077.
TOTAL TO PART I, LINE 3	183,077.	183,077.	183,077.

FORM 990-PF GAIN OR (LOSS) FROM SALE OF ASSETS STATEMENT 2

(A) DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY	MANNER ACQUIRED	DATE ACQUIRED	DATE SOLD
GAIN ON ON SALE OF ASSETS	PURCHASED		

(B) GROSS SALES PRICE	(C) COST OR OTHER BASIS	(D) EXPENSE OF SALE	(E) DEPREC.	(F) GAIN OR LOSS
2,146.	0.	0.	0.	2,146.

NET GAIN OR LOSS FROM SALE OF ASSETS	2,146.
CAPITAL GAINS DIVIDENDS FROM PART IV	0.
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART I, LINE 6A	2,146.

FORM 990-PF OTHER INCOME STATEMENT 3

DESCRIPTION	(A) REVENUE PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST-MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME
GAIN FOR FOREIGN CURRENCY EXCHANGE	38,712.	38,712.	38,712.
REGISTRATIONS	485,250.	0.	485,250.
MEMBERSHIP DUES AND ASSESSMENTS	2,685,663.	0.	2,685,663.
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART I, LINE 11	3,209,625.	38,712.	3,209,625.

FORM 990-PF LEGAL FEES STATEMENT 4

DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST-MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES
LEGAL	506,610.	0.	0.	644,374.
TO FM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 16A	506,610.	0.	0.	644,374.

FORM 990-PF ACCOUNTING FEES STATEMENT 5

DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST-MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES
ACCOUNTING	78,674.	2,000.	0.	72,339.
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 16B	78,674.	2,000.	0.	72,339.

FORM 990-PF OTHER PROFESSIONAL FEES STATEMENT 6

DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST-MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES
CONSULTANTS AND CONTRACTED SERVICES	2,949,174.	0.	176,950.	3,128,715.
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 16C	2,949,174.	0.	176,950.	3,128,715.

FORM 990-PF TAXES STATEMENT 7

DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST-MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES
PAYROLL TAXES	181,314.	0.	0.	164,846.
TAXES AND REGULATORY FEES	42,416.	0.	0.	41,862.
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 18	223,730.	0.	0.	206,708.

FORM 990-PF OTHER EXPENSES STATEMENT 8

DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES
INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY	359,524.	0.	17,976.	331,718.
CREDIT LOSSES	240,905.	0.	0.	240,905.
SUPPLIES	48,817.	0.	3,829.	59,988.
UNCOLLECTABLE CONTRIBUTIONS	11,912.	0.	0.	11,912.
BANK FEES AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE	29,378.	29,378.	29,378.	0.
OFFICE EXPENSES	201,962.	0.	0.	193,069.
SPONSORSHIP EXPENSE	17,808.	0.	0.	17,808.
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 23	910,306.	29,378.	51,183.	855,400.

FORM 990-PF OTHER DECREASES IN NET ASSETS OR FUND BALANCES STATEMENT 9

DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT
LEASE MODIFICATION COSTS	270,104.
STICHTING EXPENSES INCLUDED IN AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS	1,506.
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART III, LINE 5	271,610.

FORM 990-PF OTHER ASSETS STATEMENT 10

DESCRIPTION	BEGINNING OF YR BOOK VALUE	END OF YEAR BOOK VALUE	FAIR MARKET VALUE
SECURITY DEPOSITS	34,592.	34,592.	34,592.
RIGHT OF USE ASSET	626,267.	432,054.	432,054.
TO FORM 990-PF, PART II, LINE 15	660,859.	466,646.	466,646.

FORM 990-PF OTHER LIABILITIES STATEMENT 11

DESCRIPTION	BOY AMOUNT	EOY AMOUNT
OPERATING LEASE LIABILITY	751,366.	466,064.
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART II, LINE 22	751,366.	466,064.

FORM 990-PF NAME OF FOREIGN COUNTRY IN WHICH ORGANIZATION HAS FINANCIAL INTEREST STATEMENT 12

NAME OF COUNTRY

GHANA
COTE DIVOIRE (IVORY COAST)

FORM 990-PF EXPLANATION CONCERNING PART VI-A, LINE 8B STATEMENT 13

EXPLANATION

THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA DOES NOT REQUIRE A COPY OF THE FEDERAL FORM 990-PF TO BE FILED WITH IT.

FORM 990-PF PART VII - LIST OF OFFICERS, DIRECTORS TRUSTEES AND FOUNDATION MANAGERS STATEMENT 14

NAME AND ADDRESS	TITLE AND AVRG HRS/WK	COMPEN-SATION	EMPLOYEE BEN PLAN CONTRIB	EXPENSE ACCOUNT
CHRIS VINCENT 1025 CONNECTICUT AVE NW STE 415 WASHINGTON, DC 20036	CEO 45.00	466,200.	36,440.	53,100.
DOUGAL FREEMAN 1025 CONNECTICUT AVE NW STE 415 WASHINGTON, DC 20036	VP OF OPERATIONS 40.00	249,996.	35,865.	0.
TRICIA BRANNIGAN 1025 CONNECTICUT AVE NW STE 415 WASHINGTON, DC 20036	WCF CHAIR 2.00	0.	0.	0.
LIBERATO MILO 1025 CONNECTICUT AVE NW STE 415 WASHINGTON, DC 20036	WCF VICE-CHAIR TREASURER 2.00	0.	0.	0.
TEJINDER SARAON 1025 CONNECTICUT AVE NW STE 415 WASHINGTON, DC 20036	WCF SECRETARY 2.00	0.	0.	0.
KOJO AMOO-GOTTFRIED 1025 CONNECTICUT AVE NW STE 415 WASHINGTON, DC 20036	WCF VICE-CHAIR 2.00	0.	0.	0.
CHRISTINE MCGRATH 1025 CONNECTICUT AVE NW STE 415 WASHINGTON, DC 20036	MEMBER 2.00	0.	0.	0.
HAJIA MARIA ADAMU-ZIBO 1025 CONNECTICUT AVE NW STE 415 WASHINGTON, DC 20036	MEMBER 2.00	0.	0.	0.
ILARIA IDA WALTON 1025 CONNECTICUT AVE NW STE 415 WASHINGTON, DC 20036	MEMBER 2.00	0.	0.	0.
FRANCISCO GOMEZ 1025 CONNECTICUT AVE NW STE 415 WASHINGTON, DC 20036	MEMBER 2.00	0.	0.	0.

GARY GUITTARD 1025 CONNECTICUT AVE NW STE 415 WASHINGTON, DC 20036	MEMBER 2.00	0.	0.	0.
ANDY HARNER 1025 CONNECTICUT AVE NW STE 415 WASHINGTON, DC 20036	MEMBER 2.00	0.	0.	0.
JOSEPH LARROSE 1025 CONNECTICUT AVE NW STE 415 WASHINGTON, DC 20036	MEMBER 2.00	0.	0.	0.
NICOLAS DE WASSEIGE 1025 CONNECTICUT AVE NW STE 415 WASHINGTON, DC 20036	MEMBER 2.00	0.	0.	0.
DR. DIETER WEISSKOPF 1025 CONNECTICUT AVE NW STE 415 WASHINGTON, DC 20036	MEMBER 2.00	0.	0.	0.
BENJAMIN GUILBERT 1025 CONNECTICUT AVE NW STE 415 WASHINGTON, DC 20036	MEMBER 2.00	0.	0.	0.
NICOLAS MOUNDARD 1025 CONNECTICUT AVE NW STE 415 WASHINGTON, DC 20036	MEMBER 2.00	0.	0.	0.
NICOLAS SOMENZI 1025 CONNECTICUT AVE NW STE 415 WASHINGTON, DC 20036	MEMBER 2.00	0.	0.	0.
TOTALS INCLUDED ON 990-PF, PAGE 6, PART VII		716,196.	72,305.	53,100.

FORM 990-PF SUMMARY OF DIRECT CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES STATEMENT 15

ACTIVITY ONE

FIELD PROGRAMS: FIELD PROGRAMS INCLUDE VARIOUS COUNTRY ENGAGEMENT AND POLICY DIALOGUE SUCH AS COCOA FOREST INITIATIVE, GREENHOUSE GAS STUDIES, SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT, AND GENDER POLICY.
WCF'S FLAGSHIP PROGRAM IS THE COCOA AND FORESTS INITIATIVE (THE INITIATIVE), WHICH IS THE FIRST AND LARGEST SECTOR WIDE PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP IN THE COCOA SECTOR. THE INITIATIVE REPRESENTS A GROUND-BREAKING COMMITMENT TO TRANSFORMING THE COCOA INDUSTRY BY STOPPING AND REVERSING DEFORESTATION AND INCREASING FOREST RESTORATION.
(CONTINUED ON STATEMENT #20)

	EXPENSES
TO FORM 990-PF, PART VIII-A, LINE 1	1,422,832.

FORM 990-PF SUMMARY OF DIRECT CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES STATEMENT 16

ACTIVITY TWO

MONITORING & EVALUATION: MONITORING AND EVALUATION ACTIVITIES OCCUR IN VARIOUS COUNTRIES AND INCLUDE CLIMATE FOCUSED PROGRAMS, FOREST IMPACT MONITORING, HOUSEHOLD INCOME STUDY, LAND USE MAPPING, AND SUSTAINABILITY BENCHMARKS.

	EXPENSES
TO FORM 990-PF, PART VIII-A, LINE 2	1,013,388.

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ACTIVITY THREE

GRANTS: WITH SUPPORT FROM WCF, IN OCTOBER 2018, LEADING MEMBERS OF BRAZIL'S CHOCOLATE AND COCOA SECTOR LAUNCHED COCOAACTION BRAZIL TO ADDRESS A RANGE OF SUSTAINABILITY ISSUES IN THE COUNTRY'S COCOA SECTOR. COCOAACTION BRAZIL IS A COALITION THAT WORKS TO FIND SOLUTIONS THAT INCREASE PRODUCTIVITY, IMPROVE THE QUALITY OF BRAZIL'S COCOA, CONTROL PESTS AND DISEASES, IMPROVE FARMER'S LIVING AND WORKING CONDITIONS, STRENGTHEN FARMERS' ORGANIZATIONS, AND SUPPORT SUSTAINABLE FOREST-POSITIVE COCOA PRODUCTION SYSTEMS.

	EXPENSES
TO FORM 990-PF, PART VIII-A, LINE 3	878,474.

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ACTIVITY FOUR

PARTNERSHIP MEETING: THE PARTNERSHIP MEETING UNITES COCOA FARMERS AND EXPERTS FROM COMPANIES, GOVERNMENTS, ACADEMIA, CIVIL SOCIETY, AND MEDIA IN A SINGLE FORUM FOR DISCUSSION ON SHARED CHALLENGES, PROGRESS, AND LEARNINGS ON SUSTAINABILITY IN A CONDUCIVE DIALOGUE CENTERED ON ALIGNMENT FOR GLOBAL ACTION. THE CONFERENCE TAKES PLACE EACH YEAR IN A DIFFERENT COUNTRY, ONE WITH EITHER PRODUCER OR CONSUMER TIES TO COCOA. THE PARTNERSHIP MEETING IS THE LEADING GLOBAL EVENT FOCUSED ON COCOA SUSTAINABILITY AND PROVIDES A PLATFORM FOR ALL REPRESENTATIVES OF THE COCOA SUPPLY CHAIN. THE PARTNERSHIP MEETING WAS HELD IN AMSTERDAM IN 2024.

	EXPENSES
TO FORM 990-PF, PART VIII-A, LINE 4	476,006.

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THE FOUNDATION DOES NOT OWN ANY CASH FOR INVESTMENT PURPOSES. ALL CASH IS HELD TO FUND CURRENT OPERATIONS AND THE AMOUNT EXPENDED DURING THE NEXT YEAR FOR CHARITABLE PURPOSES WILL EXCEED THE TOTAL CASH HELD AT YEAR END.

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FORM 990-PF, PART VIII, LINE 1 - CONTINUATION OF ACTIVITY #1

EXPLANATION:

AT THE NOVEMBER 2017 UNITED NATIONS CLIMATE CHANGE CONFERENCE (COP23), IN COORDINATION WITH THE PRINCE OF WALES (NOW KING CHARLES ILL), THE GOVERNMENTS OF COTE D'IVOIRE AND GHANA AND LEADING CHOCOLATE AND COCOA COMPANIES SIGNED THE COCOA & FORESTS INITIATIVE FRAMEWORKS FOR ACTION, WHICH ESTABLISHED THE GROUNDWORK FOR THE PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP PLATFORM BY OUTLINING COMMITMENTS TO DRIVE SECTOR WIDE PROGRESS TOWARD ZERO DEFORESTATION AS WELL AS ALIGNMENT TO ENSURE COMMON DEFINITIONS, DATA AND REGULATIONS. THIRTY-SIX WCF MEMBER COMPANIES, REPRESENTING 85% OF GLOBAL COCOA USE, HAVE SIGNED THE FRAMEWORKS FOR ACTION FOR COTE D'IVOIRE AND GHANA.
FIELD PROGRAMS IN WEST AFRICA INCLUDE PUBLIC-PRIVATE ENGAGEMENT AND INVESTMENT, SECTOR-WIDE SYSTEMIC INTERVENTION, AND ACTIVE INVOLVEMENT FROM THE GOVERNMENTS OF COCOA-PRODUCING COUNTRIES.