Form **990-T**

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service (77)

Exempt Organization Business Income Tax Return
(and proxy tax under section 6033(e))

For calendar year 2009 or other tax year beginning , and ending

OMB No 1545-0687

2009

Open to Public Inspection for 501(c)(3) Organizations Only

A ☐ Check box if address changed

B Exempt under section
☒ 501(c)(3)
☐ 408(e) ☐ 220(e)
☐ 408A ☐ 530(a)
☐ 529(a)

Print or Type

Name of organization (☐ Check box if name changed and see instructions.)
THE AARON FOUNDATION

Number, street, and room or suite no. If a P.O. box, see page 8 of instructions.
225 FRANKLIN ST., NO. 1450

City or town, state, and ZIP code
BOSTON, MA 02110-2804

D Employer identification number (Employees' trust, see instructions for Block D on page 9)
04-6039593

E Unrelated business activity codes (See instructions for Block E on page 9)
523000

C Book value of all assets at end of year
7,132,244.

F Group exemption number (See instructions for Block F.) ▶

G Check organization type ▶ ☐ 501(c) corporation ☒ 501(c) trust ☐ 401(a) trust ☐ Other trust

H Describe the organization's primary unrelated business activity. ▶ SEE STATEMENT 15

I During the tax year, was the corporation a subsidiary in an affiliated group or a parent-subsidiary controlled group? ▶ ☐ Yes ☒ No

If "Yes," enter the name and identifying number of the parent corporation. ▶

J The books are in care of ▶ AVRAM J. GOLDBERG Telephone number ▶ 617-695-1300

Part I Unrelated Trade or Business Income		(A) Income	(B) Expenses	(C) Net
1a Gross receipts or sales _____ b Less returns and allowances _____ c Balance ▶	1c			
2 Cost of goods sold (Schedule A, line 7)	2			
3 Gross profit. Subtract line 2 from line 1c	3			
4a Capital gain net income (attach Schedule D)	4a			
b Net gain (loss) (Form 4797, Part II, line 17) (attach Form 4797)	4b			
c Capital loss deduction for trusts	4c			
5 Income (loss) from partnerships and S corporations (attach statement)	5			
6 Rent income (Schedule C)	6			
7 Unrelated debt-financed income (Schedule E)	7			
8 Interest, annuities, royalties, and rents from controlled organizations (Sch. F)	8			
9 Investment income of a section 501(c)(7), (9), or (17) organization (Schedule G)	9			
10 Exploited exempt activity income (Schedule I)	10			
11 Advertising income (Schedule J)	11			
12 Other income (See instructions; attach schedule.)	12			
13 **Total.** Combine lines 3 through 12	13	0.		

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Part II Deductions Not Taken Elsewhere (See instructions for limitations on deductions.)
(Except for contributions, deductions must be directly connected with the unrelated business income.)

14	Compensation of officers, directors, and trustees (Schedule K)		14	
15	Salaries and wages		15	
16	Repairs and maintenance		16	
17	Bad debts		17	
18	Interest (attach schedule)		18	
19	Taxes and licenses		19	
20	Charitable contributions (See instructions for limitation rules.)		20	
21	Depreciation (attach Form 4562)	21		
22	Less depreciation claimed on Schedule A and elsewhere on return	22a	22b	
23	Depletion		23	
24	Contributions to deferred compensation plans		24	
25	Employee benefit programs		25	
26	Excess exempt expenses (Schedule I)		26	
27	Excess readership costs (Schedule J)		27	
28	Other deductions (attach schedule)		28	
29	**Total deductions.** Add lines 14 through 28		29	0.
30	Unrelated business taxable income before net operating loss deduction. Subtract line 29 from line 13		30	0.
31	Net operating loss deduction (limited to the amount on line 30)		31	
32	Unrelated business taxable income before specific deduction. Subtract line 31 from line 30		32	0.
33	Specific deduction (Generally $1,000, but see instructions for exceptions.)		33	1,000.
34	**Unrelated business taxable income.** Subtract line 33 from line 32. If line 33 is greater than line 32, enter the smaller of zero or line 32		34	0.

Part III Tax Computation

35	**Organizations Taxable as Corporations.** See instructions for tax computation. Controlled group members (sections 1561 and 1563) check here ▶ ☐ **See instructions** and:		
a	Enter your share of the $50,000, $25,000, and $9,925,000 taxable income brackets (in that order): (1) $ (2) $ (3) $		
b	Enter organization's share of: (1) Additional 5% tax (not more than $11,750) $ (2) Additional 3% tax (not more than $100,000) $		
c	Income tax on the amount on line 34 ▶	35c	
36	**Trusts Taxable at Trust Rates.** See instructions for tax computation. Income tax on the amount on line 34 from: [X] Tax rate schedule or ☐ Schedule D (Form 1041) ▶	36	0.
37	**Proxy tax.** See instructions ▶	37	
38	Alternative minimum tax	38	
39	**Total.** Add lines 37 and 38 to line 35c or 36, whichever applies	39	0.

Part IV Tax and Payments

40a	Foreign tax credit (corporations attach Form 1118; trusts attach Form 1116)	40a			
b	Other credits (see instructions)	40b			
c	General business credit. Attach Form 3800	40c			
d	Credit for prior year minimum tax (attach Form 8801 or 8827)	40d			
e	**Total credits.** Add lines 40a through 40d			40e	
41	Subtract line 40e from line 39			41	0.
42	Other taxes. Check if from: ☐ Form 4255 ☐ Form 8611 ☐ Form 8697 ☐ Form 8866 ☐ Other (attach schedule)			42	
43	**Total tax** Add lines 41 and 42			43	0.
44 a	Payments: A 2008 overpayment credited to 2009	44a	760.		
b	2009 estimated tax payments	44b			
c	Tax deposited with Form 8868	44c			
d	Foreign organizations: Tax paid or withheld at source (see instructions)	44d			
e	Backup withholding (see instructions)	44e			
f	Other credits and payments: ☐ Form 2439 ☐ Form 4136 ☐ Other Total ▶	44f			
45	**Total payments.** Add lines 44a through 44f			45	760.
46	Estimated tax penalty (see instructions). Check if Form 2220 is attached ▶ ☐			46	
47	**Tax due.** If line 45 is less than the total of lines 43 and 46, enter amount owed ▶			47	
48	**Overpayment** If line 45 is larger than the total of lines 43 and 46, enter amount overpaid ▶			48	760.
49	Enter the amount of line 48 you want: **Credited to 2010 estimated tax** ▶ **Refunded** ▶			49	760.

Part V Statements Regarding Certain Activities and Other Information (See instructions on page 17)

		Yes	No
1	At any time during the 2009 calendar year, did the organization have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a financial account (bank, securities, or other) in a foreign country? If YES, the organization may have to file Form TD F 90-22.1, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts. If YES, enter the name of the foreign country here ▶		X
2	During the tax year, did the organization receive a distribution from, or was it the grantor of, or transferor to, a foreign trust? If YES, see page 5 of the instructions for other forms the organization may have to file		X
3	Enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year ▶ $		

Schedule A - Cost of Goods Sold. Enter method of inventory valuation ▶

N/A

1	Inventory at beginning of year	1		6	Inventory at end of year	6	
2	Purchases	2		7	**Cost of goods sold.** Subtract line 6 from line 5. Enter here and in Part I, line 2	7	
3	Cost of labor	3					
4a	Additional section 263A costs	4a		8	Do the rules of section 263A (with respect to property produced or acquired for resale) apply to the organization?	Yes	No
b	Other costs (attach schedule)	4b					
5	**Total.** Add lines 1 through 4b	5					

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

▶ Aurand Faldney, Trustee — Signature of officer | 5/11/10 — Date | ▶ TRUSTEE — Title

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown below (see instructions)? [X] Yes ☐ No

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Preparer's signature ▶	Date 05/10/10	Check if self-employed ☐	Preparer's SSN or PTIN P00435727
Firm's name (or yours if self-employed), address, and ZIP code ▶ CCR LLP 1400 COMPUTER DR WESTBOROUGH, MA 01581			EIN 04-3069946 Phone no. 508-926-2200

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