Form **990** Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

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

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

OMB No. 1545-0047 **2006** **Open to Public Inspection**

A For the 2006 calendar year, or tax year beginning 10/01 **, 2006, and ending** 09/30/2007

B Check if applicable: [X] Address change; [ ] Name change; [ ] Initial return; [ ] Final return; [ ] Amended return; [ ] Application pending

Please use IRS label or print or type. See Specific Instructions.

C Name of organization: THE CHILDREN'S LAW CENTER, INC.

Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address): 616 H STREET, NW — Room/suite: 300

City or town, state or country, and ZIP + 4: WASHINGTON, DC 20001

D Employer identification number 52-1961588

E Telephone number (202)467-4900

F Accounting method: [ ] Cash [X] Accrual [ ] Other (specify) ▶

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

H and I are not applicable to section 527 organizations.

H(a) Is this a group return for affiliates? [ ] Yes [X] No

H(b) If "Yes," enter number of affiliates ▶

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 [X] No

I Group Exemption Number ▶

G Website: ▶ N/A

J Organization type (check only one) ▶ [X] 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.

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

L Gross receipts: Add lines 6b, 8b, 9b, and 10b to line 12 ▶ 4,972,832.

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

Revenue

1	Contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts received:				
a	Contributions to donor advised funds	1a			
b	Direct public support (not included on line 1a)	1b	1,024,021.		
c	Indirect public support (not included on line 1a)	1c	9,813.		
d	Government contributions (grants) (not included on line 1a)	1d			
e	Total (add lines 1a through 1d) (cash $ 1,033,834. noncash $)			1e	1,033,834.
2	Program service revenue including government fees and contracts (from Part VII, line 93)			2	3,829,856.
3	Membership dues and assessments			3	
4	Interest on savings and temporary cash investments			4	79,577.
5	Dividends and interest from securities			5	
6a	Gross rents	6a			
b	Less: rental expenses	6b			
c	Net rental income or (loss). Subtract line 6b from line 6a			6c	
7	Other investment income (describe ▶)			7	

		(A) Securities		(B) Other		
8a	Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory		8a			
b	Less: cost or other basis and sales expenses		8b			
c	Gain or (loss) (attach schedule)		8c			
d	Net gain or (loss). Combine line 8c, columns (A) and (B)				8d	

9	Special events and activities (attach schedule). If any amount is from gaming, check here ▶ [ ]				
a	Gross revenue (not including $ 273,839. of contributions reported on line 1b) STMT 1	9a	29,565.		
b	Less: direct expenses other than fundraising expenses	9b	51,533.		
c	Net income or (loss) from special events. Subtract line 9b from line 9a			9c	-21,968.
10a	Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	10a			
b	Less: cost of goods sold	10b			
c	Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory (attach schedule). Subtract line 10b from line 10a			10c	
11	Other revenue (from Part VII, line 103)			11	
12	**Total revenue.** Add lines 1e, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6c, 7, 8d, 9c, 10c, and 11			12	4,921,299.

Expenses

13	Program services (from line 44, column (B))	13	3,665,846.
14	Management and general (from line 44, column (C))	14	243,928.
15	Fundraising (from line 44, column (D))	15	255,773.
16	Payments to affiliates (attach schedule)	16	
17	**Total expenses.** Add lines 16 and 44, column (A)	17	4,165,547.

Net Assets

18	Excess or (deficit) for the year. Subtract line 17 from line 12	18	755,752.
19	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (from line 73, column (A))	19	2,288,140.
20	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (attach explanation) STMT 2	20	-352.
21	Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 18, 19, and 20	21	3,043,540.

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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
22a Grants paid from donor advised funds (attach schedule) (cash $ ____ noncash $ ____) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ▶ ☐	22a				
22b Other grants and allocations (attach schedule) (cash $ ____ noncash $ ____) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ▶ ☐	22b				
23 Specific assistance to individuals (attach schedule)	23				
24 Benefits paid to or for members (attach schedule)	24				
25a Compensation of current officers, directors, key employees, etc. listed in Part V-A (attach schedule)	25a	108,939.	87,151.	10,894.	STMT 3 10,894.
b Compensation of former officers, directors, key employees, etc. listed in Part V-B (attach schedule)	25b				
c 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) (attach schedule)	25c				
26 Salaries and wages of employees not included on lines 25a, b, and c	26	2,441,750.	2,182,732.	114,590.	144,428.
27 Pension plan contributions not included on lines 25a, b, and c	27	44,113.	39,466.	2,549.	2,098.
28 Employee benefits not included on lines 25a - 27	28	222,346.	202,279.	7,600.	12,467.
29 Payroll taxes	29	209,182.	186,268.	10,266.	12,648.
30 Professional fundraising fees	30				
31 Accounting fees	31	12,751.	11,621.	579.	551.
32 Legal fees	32	1,250.	NONE	1,250.	NONE
33 Supplies	33	29,357.	25,834.	2,188.	1,335.
34 Telephone	34	36,826.	34,666.	1,471.	689.
35 Postage and shipping	35	23,304.	6,451.	505.	16,348.
36 Occupancy	36	425,960.	388,056.	19,518.	18,386.
37 Equipment rental and maintenance	37	50,354.	46,975.	1,645.	1,734.
38 Printing and publications	38	27,024.	22,013.	371.	4,640.
39 Travel	39				
40 Conferences, conventions, and meetings	40	9,086.	8,447.	401.	238.
41 Interest	41				
42 Depreciation, depletion, etc. (attach schedule)	42	75,252.	66,363.	5,952.	2,937.
43 Other expenses not covered above (itemize):					
a STMT 4	43a	448,053.	357,524.	64,149.	26,380.
b	43b				
c	43c				
d	43d				
e	43e				
f	43f				
g	43g				
44 **Total functional expenses.** Add lines 22a through 43g. (Organizations completing columns (B)-(D), carry these totals to lines 13-15)	44	4,165,547.	3,665,846.	243,928.	255,773.

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 $ ________ ; **(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.

What is the organization's primary exempt purpose? ▶ SEE STATEMENT 5 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.)	Program Service Expenses (Required for 501(c)(3) and (4) orgs., and 4947(a)(1) trusts; but optional for others.)
a SEE STATEMENT 6 (Grants and allocations $) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ▶ ☐	209,484.
b GUARDIAN AD LITEM PROGRAM - CLC ATTORNEYS ARE THE VOICE FOR DC'S ABUSED AND NEGLECTED CHILDREN, FIGHTING TO FIND SAFE HOMES AND ENSURE THAT CHILDREN RECEIVE THE SERVICES THEY NEED TO OVERCOME THE TRAUMA THAT FIRST BROUGHT THEM INTO THE CHILD WELFARE SYSTEM. (Grants and allocations $) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ▶ ☐	2,849,945.
c CHILD WITNESSES TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE - THROUGH APPOINTMENT BY THE DC FAMILY COURT, CLC REPRESENTS CHILDREN IN COMPLEX CUSTODY CASES INVOLVING DOMESTIC VIOLENCE. (Grants and allocations $) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ▶ ☐	71,730.
d SEE STATEMENT 6 (Grants and allocations $) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ▶ ☐	523,967.
e Other program services (attach schedule) SEE STATEMENT 7 (Grants and allocations $) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ▶ ☐	10,720.
f Total of Program Service Expenses (should equal line 44, column (B), Program services) ▶	3,665,846.

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

Note: *Where required, attached schedules and amounts within the description column should be for end-of-year amounts only.*			(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year
Assets					
45 Cash - non-interest-bearing			1,124,420.	45	1,301,220.
46 Savings and temporary cash investments			NONE	46	232,204.
47a Accounts receivable	47a	644,321.			
b Less: allowance for doubtful accounts	47b		524,711.	47c	644,321.
48a Pledges receivable	48a	46,423.			
b Less: allowance for doubtful accounts	48b		48,734.	48c	46,423.
49 Grants receivable			68,800.	49	44,250.
50a Receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, and key employees (attach schedule)				50a	
b Receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B) (attach schedule)				50b	
51a Other notes and loans receivable (attach schedule)	51a				
b Less: allowance for doubtful accounts	51b			51c	
52 Inventories for sale or use				52	
53 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges			54,805.	53	100,991.
54a Investments - publicly-traded securities ▶ ☐ Cost ☒ FMV			458,391.	54a	393,664.
b Investments - other securities (attach schedule) ▶ ☐ Cost ☐ FMV				54b	
55a Investments - land, buildings, and equipment: basis	55a				
b Less: accumulated depreciation (attach schedule)	55b			55c	
56 Investments - other (attach schedule)				56	
57a Land, buildings, and equipment: basis	57a	531,857.			
b Less: accumulated depreciation (attach schedule)	57b	176,822.	71,822.	57c	355,035.
58 Other assets, including program-related investments (describe ▶)			5,459.	58	4,801.
59 **Total assets** (must equal line 74). Add lines 45 through 58			2,357,142.	59	3,122,909.
Liabilities					
60 Accounts payable and accrued expenses			69,002.	60	79,369.
61 Grants payable				61	
62 Deferred revenue				62	
63 Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and key employees (attach schedule)				63	
64a Tax-exempt bond liabilities (attach schedule)				64a	
b Mortgages and other notes payable (attach schedule)				64b	
65 Other liabilities (describe ▶)				65	
66 **Total liabilities.** Add lines 60 through 65			69,002.	66	79,369.
Net Assets or Fund Balances					
Organizations that follow SFAS 117, check here ▶ ☒ and complete lines 67 through 69 and lines 73 and 74.					
67 Unrestricted			2,179,755.	67	2,836,207.
68 Temporarily restricted			108,385.	68	207,333.
69 Permanently restricted				69	
Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here ▶ ☐ 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 **Total net assets or fund balances** (add lines 67 through 69 **or** lines 70 through 72. (Column (A) **must** equal line 19 and column (B) **must** equal line 21)			2,288,140.	73	3,043,540.
74 **Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances.** Add lines 66 and 73			2,357,142.	74	3,122,909.

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

a	Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements			a	5,290,209.
b	Amounts included on line a but not on Part I, line 12:				
1	Net unrealized gains on investments	b1	-352.		
2	Donated services and use of facilities	b2	317,729.		
3	Recoveries of prior year grants	b3			
4	Other (specify): SEE STATEMENT 8	b4	51,533.		
	Add lines b1 through b4			b	368,910.
c	Subtract line b from line a			c	4,921,299.
d	Amounts included on Part I, line 12, but not on line a:				
1	Investment expenses not included on Part I, line 6b	d1			
2	Other (specify):	d2			
	Add lines d1 and d2			d	
e	**Total revenue** (Part I, line 12). Add lines c and d ▶			e	4,921,299.

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

a	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements			a	4,534,809.
b	Amounts included on line a but not on Part I, line 17:				
1	Donated services and use of facilities	b1	317,729.		
2	Prior year adjustments reported on Part I, line 20	b2			
3	Losses reported on Part I, line 20	b3			
4	Other (specify): SEE STATEMENT 9	b4	51,533.		
	Add lines b1 through b4			b	369,262.
c	Subtract line b from line a			c	4,165,547.
d	Amounts included on Part I, line 17, but not on line a:				
1	Investment expenses not included on Part I, line 6b	d1			
2	Other (specify):	d2			
	Add lines d1 and d2			d	
e	**Total expenses** (Part I, line 17). Add lines c and d ▶			e	4,165,547.

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
SEE STATEMENT 10		108,939.	3,000.	NONE

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

			Yes	No
75a	Enter the total number of officers, directors, and trustees permitted to vote on organization business at board meetings ▶ 15			
b	Are any officers, directors, trustees, or key employees listed in Form 990, Part V-A, or highest compensated employees listed in Schedule A, Part I, or highest compensated professional and other independent contractors listed in Schedule A, Part II-A or II-B, related to each other through family or business relationships? If "Yes," attach a statement that identifies the individuals and explains the relationship(s)	75b		X
c	Do any officers, directors, trustees, or key employees listed in Form 990, Part V-A, or highest compensated employees listed in Schedule A, Part I, or highest compensated professional and other independent contractors listed in Schedule A, Part II-A or II-B, receive compensation from any other organizations, whether tax exempt or taxable, that are related to the organization? See the instructions for the definition of "related organization." ▶	75c		X
	If "Yes," attach a statement that includes the information described in the instructions.			
d	Does the organization have a written conflict of interest policy?	75d	X	

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

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

(A) Name and address	(B) Loans and Advances	(C) Compensation (if not paid, enter -0-)	(D) Contributions to employee benefit plans & deferred compensation plans	(E) Expense account and other allowances
NONE				

Part VI Other Information *(See the instructions.)*

			Yes	No
76	Did the organization make a change in its activities or methods of conducting activities? If "Yes," attach a detailed statement of each change	76		X
77	Were any changes made in the organizing or governing documents but not reported to the IRS?	77		X
	If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the changes.			
78a	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of $1,000 or more during the year covered by this return?	78a		X
b	If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on Form 990-T for this year?	78b	N/A	
79	Was there a liquidation, dissolution, termination, or substantial contraction during the year? If "Yes," attach a statement	79		X
80a	Is the organization related (other than by association with a statewide or nationwide organization) through common membership, governing bodies, trustees, officers, etc., to any other exempt or nonexempt organization?	80a		X
b	If "Yes," enter the name of the organization ▶ and check whether it is ☐ exempt or ☐ nonexempt			
81a	Enter direct and indirect political expenditures. (See line 81 instructions.) 81a NONE			
b	Did the organization file Form 1120-POL for this year?	81b		X

Part VI Other Information *(continued)*

			Yes	No
82a 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?		82a	X	
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.)	82b 317,729.			
83a Did the organization comply with the public inspection requirements for returns and exemption applications?		83a	X	
b Did the organization comply with the disclosure requirements relating to *quid pro quo* contributions?		83b	X	
84a Did the organization solicit any contributions or gifts that were not tax deductible?		84a		X
b If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible?		84b	N/A	
85 *501(c)(4), (5), or (6) organizations.* a Were substantially all dues nondeductible by members?		85a	N/A	
b Did the organization make only in-house lobbying expenditures of $2,000 or less?		85b	N/A	
If "Yes" was answered to either 85a or 85b, **do not** complete 85c through 85h below unless the organization received a waiver for proxy tax owed for the prior year.				
c Dues, assessments, and similar amounts from members	85c N/A			
d Section 162(e) lobbying and political expenditures	85d N/A			
e Aggregate nondeductible amount of section 6033(e)(1)(A) dues notices	85e N/A			
f Taxable amount of lobbying and political expenditures (line 85d less 85e)	85f N/A			
g Does the organization elect to pay the section 6033(e) tax on the amount on line 85f?		85g	N/A	
h 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?		85h	N/A	
86 *501(c)(7) orgs.* Enter: a Initiation fees and capital contributions included on line 12	86a N/A			
b Gross receipts, included on line 12, for public use of club facilities	86b N/A			
87 *501(c)(12) orgs.* Enter: a Gross income from members or shareholders	87a N/A			
b Gross income from other sources. (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against amounts due or received from them.)	87b N/A			
88b 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		88a		X
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 ▶		88b		X
89a *501(c)(3) organizations.* Enter: Amount of tax imposed on the organization during the year under: section 4911 ▶ N/A ; section 4912 ▶ N/A ; section 4955 ▶ N/A				
b *501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) orgs.* 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		89b		X
c Enter: Amount of tax imposed on the organization managers or disqualified persons during the year under sections 4912, 4955, and 4958 ▶ NONE				
d Enter: Amount of tax on line 89c, above, reimbursed by the organization ▶ NONE				
e *All organizations.* At any time during the tax year, was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?		89e		X
f *All organizations.* Did the organization acquire a direct or indirect interest in any applicable insurance contract?		89f		X
g *For supporting organizations and sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds.* Did the supporting organization, or a fund maintained by a sponsoring organization, have excess business holdings at any time during the year?		89g		X

90a List the states with which a copy of this return is filed ▶ DC,

b Number of employees employed in the pay period that includes March 12, 2006 (See instructions.) 90b 53

91a The books are in care of ▶ THE CHILDREN'S LAW CENTER Telephone no. ▶ 202-467-4900

Located at ▶ 616 H STREET, NW, SUITE 300 WASHINGTON, DC ZIP + 4 ▶ 20001

		Yes	No
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)?	91b		X
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.			

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? If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country ▶	91c		X

92 *Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990 in lieu of* **Form 1041** - Check here ▶ ☐
and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year ▶ 92 NONE

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	
93 Program service revenue:					
a LEGAL ASSISTANCE FEES					21,073.
b DC COURT CONTRACT					3,808,783.
c					
d					
e					
f Medicare/Medicaid payments					
g Fees and contracts from government agencies					
94 Membership dues and assessments					
95 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments			14	79,577.	
96 Dividends and interest from securities					
97 Net rental income or (loss) from real estate:					
a debt-financed property					
b not debt-financed property					
98 Net rental income or (loss) from personal property					
99 Other investment income					
100 Gain or (loss) from sales of assets other than inventory					
101 Net income or (loss) from special events			01	-21,968.	
102 Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory					
103 Other revenue: a					
b					
c					
d					
e					
104 Subtotal (add columns (B), (D), and (E))				57,609.	3,829,856.

105 **Total** (add line 104, columns (B), (D), and (E)) ▶ 3,887,465.

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).
	STMT 12

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
	%			
	%			
	%			
	%			

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).*

		Yes	No
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.		X

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

		Yes	No
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.		X

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

		Yes	No
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?		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.

▶ Signature of officer ✓ [signature] Date ✓ 4/15/08

▶ JUDITH SANDALOW, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR
Type or print name and title

Paid Preparer's Use Only

Preparer's signature ▶ [signature]	Date 4/14/08	Check if self-employed ▶ ☐	Preparer's SSN or PTIN (See Gen. Inst. X) P00308177
Firm's name (or yours if self-employed), address, and ZIP + 4 ▶ SQUIRE, LEMKIN + O'BRIEN, LLP		EIN ▶ 52-2041603	
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SCHEDULE A
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

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

Supplementary Information - (See separate instructions.)

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

OMB No. 1545-0047

2006

Name of the organization: THE CHILDREN'S LAW CENTER, INC.

Employer identification number: 52-1961588

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

(See page 2 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
SEE STATEMENT 13				
Total number of other employees paid over $50,000 . . ▶	12			

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 . . . . ▶ NONE		

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 . . . . ▶ NONE		

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 ▶ $ NONE (Must equal amounts on line 38, Part VI-A, or line i of Part VI-B.)	1		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?	2a		X
b	Lending of money or other extension of credit?	2b		X
c	Furnishing of goods, services, or facilities?	2c		X
d	Payment of compensation (or payment or reimbursement of expenses if more than $1,000)? STMT 14	2d	X	
e	Transfer of any part of its income or assets?	2e		X
3a	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.)	3a		X
b	Did the organization have a section 403(b) annuity plan for its employees?	3b		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	3c		X
d	Did the organization provide credit counseling, debt management, credit repair, or debt negotiation services?	3d		X
4a	Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds? If "Yes," complete lines 4b through 4g. If "No," complete lines 4f and 4g	4a		X
b	Did the organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966?	4b		X
c	Did the organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person?	4c		X

d Enter the total number or donor advised funds owned at the end of the tax year ▶ NONE

e Enter the aggregate value of assets held in all donor advised funds owned at the end of the tax year ▶ NONE

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 rights to provide advice on the distribution or investment of amounts in such funds or accounts ▶ NONE

g Enter the aggregate value of assets held in all funds or accounts included on line 4f at the end of the tax year ▶ NONE

Part IV Reason for Non-Private Foundation Status (See pages 4 through 7 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** ▶

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.)

11a [X] 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.)

11b [ ] 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 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 7 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? Yes	No	(e) Amount of support
Total . . . ▶					

14 [ ] An organization organized and operated to test for public safety. Section 509(a)(4). (See page 7 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) 2005	(b) 2004	(c) 2003	(d) 2002	(e) Total
15 Gifts, grants, and contributions received. (Do not include unusual grants. See line 28.)	908,484.	795,761.	598,926.	446,587.	2,749,758.
16 Membership fees received					
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	5,697,591.	2,250,779.	1,566,847.	29,907.	9,545,124.
18 Gross income from interest, dividends, amounts received from payments on securities loans (section 512(a)(5)), rents, royalties, and unrelated business taxable income (less section 511 taxes) from businesses acquired by the organization after June 30, 1975	38,451.	9,154.	1,480.	363.	49,448.
19 Net income from unrelated business activities not included in line 18					
20 Tax revenues levied for the organization's benefit and either paid to it or expended on its behalf					
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					
22 Other income. Attach a schedule. Do not include gain or (loss) from sale of capital assets	STMT 15	1,674.	518.	1,086.	3,278.
23 Total of lines 15 through 22	6,644,526.	3,057,368.	2,167,771.	477,943.	12,347,608.
24 Line 23 minus line 17	946,935.	806,589.	600,924.	448,036.	2,802,484.
25 Enter 1% of line 23	66,445.	30,574.	21,678.	4,779.	

26 **Organizations described on lines 10 or 11:** a Enter 2% of amount in column (e), line 24 ▶	26a	56,050.
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 2002 through 2005 exceeded the amount shown in line 26a. **Do not file this list with your return.** Enter the total of all these excess amounts ▶	26b	573,700.
c Total support for section 509(a)(1) test: Enter line 24, column (e) ▶	26c	2,802,484.
d Add: Amounts from column (e) for lines: 18 49,448. 19 ____ 22 3,278. 26b 573,700. ▶	26d	626,426.
e Public support (line 26c minus line 26d total) ▶	26e	2,176,058.
f **Public support percentage (line 26e (numerator) divided by line 26c (denominator))** ▶	26f	77.6475 %

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:

NOT APPLICABLE

(2005) ________ (2004) ________ (2003) ________ (2002) ________

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:

(2005) ________ (2004) ________ (2003) ________ (2002) ________

c Add: Amounts from column (e) for lines: 15 ____ 16 ____ 17 ____ 20 ____ 21 ____ ▶	27c	
d Add: Line 27a total ____ and line 27b total ____ ▶	27d	
e Public support (line 27c total minus line 27d total) ▶	27e	
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	%
h **Investment income percentage (line 18, column (e) (numerator) divided by line 27f (denominator))** ▶	27h	%

28 **Unusual Grants:** For an organization described in line 10, 11, or 12 that received any unusual grants during 2002 through 2005, 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.) NOT APPLICABLE
(To be completed ONLY by schools that checked the box on line 6 in Part IV)

			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?	29		
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?	30		
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?	31		
	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?	32a		
b	Records documenting that scholarships and other financial assistance are awarded on a racially nondiscriminatory basis?	32b		
c	Copies of all catalogues, brochures, announcements, and other written communications to the public dealing with student admissions, programs, and scholarships?	32c		
d	Copies of all material used by the organization or on its behalf to solicit contributions?	32d		
	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?	33a		
b	Admissions policies?	33b		
c	Employment of faculty or administrative staff?	33c		
d	Scholarships or other financial assistance?	33d		
e	Educational policies?	33e		
f	Use of facilities?	33f		
g	Athletic programs?	33g		
h	Other extracurricular activities?	33h		
	If you answered "Yes" to any of the above, please explain. (If you need more space, attach a separate statement.)			
34a	Does the organization receive any financial aid or assistance from a governmental agency?	34a		
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.	34b		
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	35		

Part VI-A **Lobbying Expenditures by Electing Public Charities** (See page 10 of the instructions.)
(To be completed **ONLY** by an eligible organization that filed Form 5768) NOT APPLICABLE

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)	36		
37 Total lobbying expenditures to influence a legislative body (direct lobbying)	37		
38 Total lobbying expenditures (add lines 36 and 37)	38		
39 Other exempt purpose expenditures	39		
40 Total exempt purpose expenditures (add lines 38 and 39)	40		
41 Lobbying nontaxable amount. Enter the amount from the following table -			
If the amount on line 40 is - / **The lobbying nontaxable amount is -**			
Not over $500,000 / 20% of the amount on line 40			
Over $500,000 but not over $1,000,000 / $100,000 plus 15% of the excess over $500,000			
Over $1,000,000 but not over $1,500,000 / $175,000 plus 10% of the excess over $1,000,000	41		
Over $1,500,000 but not over $17,000,000 / $225,000 plus 5% of the excess over $1,500,000			
Over $17,000,000 / $1,000,000			
42 Grassroots nontaxable amount (enter 25% of line 41)	42		
43 Subtract line 42 from line 36. Enter -0- if line 42 is more than line 36	43		
44 Subtract line 41 from line 38. Enter -0- if line 41 is more than line 38	44		

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.)

	Lobbying Expenditures During 4-Year Averaging Period				
Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ▶	(a) 2006	(b) 2005	(c) 2004	(d) 2003	(e) Total
45 Lobbying nontaxable amount					
46 Lobbying ceiling amount (150% of line 45(e))					
47 Total lobbying expenditures					
48 Grassroots nontaxable amount					
49 Grassroots ceiling amount (150% of line 48(e))					
50 Grassroots lobbying expenditures					

Part VI-B **Lobbying Activity by Nonelecting Public Charities** NOT APPLICABLE
(For reporting only by organizations that did not complete Part VI-A) (See page 13 of the instructions.)

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:	Yes	No	Amount
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.

Part VII Information Regarding Transfers To and Transactions and Relationships With Noncharitable Exempt Organizations (See page 13 of the instructions.)

51 Did the reporting organization directly or indirectly engage in any of the following with any other organization described in section 501(c) of the Code (other than section 501(c)(3) organizations) or in section 527, relating to political organizations?

		Yes	No
a Transfers from the reporting organization to a noncharitable exempt organization of:			
(i) Cash	51a(i)		X
(ii) Other assets	a(ii)		X
b Other transactions:			
(i) Sales or exchanges of assets with a noncharitable exempt organization	b(i)		X
(ii) Purchases of assets from a noncharitable exempt organization	b(ii)		X
(iii) Rental of facilities, equipment, or other assets	b(iii)		X
(iv) Reimbursement arrangements	b(iv)		X
(v) Loans or loan guarantees	b(v)		X
(vi) Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations	b(vi)		X
c Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, other assets, or paid employees	c		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 organization. If the organization 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			

52a Is the organization directly or indirectly affiliated with, or related to, one or more tax-exempt organizations described in section 501(c) of the Code (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		

Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service	**Schedule of Contributors** Supplementary Information for line 1 of Form 990, 990-EZ, and 990-PF (see instructions)	OMB No. 1545-0047 **2006**

Name of organization	Employer identification number
THE CHILDREN'S LAW CENTER, INC.	52-1961588

Organization type (check one):

Filers of:	**Section:**
Form 990 or 990-EZ	[X] 501(c)(3) (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 organizations filing Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF that received, during the year, $5,000 or more (in money or property) from any one contributor. (Complete Parts I and II.)

Special Rules -

[X] For a section 501(c)(3) organization filing Form 990, or Form 990-EZ, that met the 33 1/3% support test of the regulations under sections 509(a)(1)/170(b)(1)(A)(vi), and received from any one contributor, during the year, a contribution of the greater of $5,000 or 2% of the amount on line 1 of these forms. (Complete Parts I and II.)

[ ] For a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization filing Form 990, or Form 990-EZ, that received from any one contributor, during the year, aggregate contributions or bequests of more than $1,000 for use *exclusively* for religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or the prevention of cruelty to children or animals. (Complete Parts I, II, and III.)

[ ] For a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization filing Form 990, or Form 990-EZ, that received from any one contributor, during the year, some contributions for use *exclusively* for religious, charitable, etc., purposes, but these contributions did not aggregate to 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. Do not complete any of the Parts unless the **General Rule** applies to this organization because it received nonexclusively religious, charitable, etc., contributions of $5,000 or more during the year.) . . . . ▶ $ ____________

Caution: *Organizations that are not covered by the General Rule and/or the Special Rules do not file Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF), but they **must** check the box in the heading of their Form 990, Form 990-EZ, or on line 2 of their Form 990-PF, to certify that they do not meet the filing requirements of Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF).*

Name of organization THE CHILDREN'S LAW CENTER, INC.

Employer identification number 52-1961588

Part I Contributors (See Specific Instructions.)

(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Aggregate contributions	(d) Type of contribution
1	STEPHEN & DIANA GOLDBERG FOUNDATION 1615 M STREET, NW, SUITE 850 WASHINGTON, DC 20036	60,000.	Person [X] Payroll [ ] Noncash [ ] (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
2	FREDDIE MAC FOUNDATION 8250 JONES BRANCH DRIVE MCLEAN, VA 22102	90,000.	Person [X] Payroll [ ] Noncash [ ] (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
3	PRINCE CHARITABLE TRUSTS 816 CONNECTICUT AVENUE, NW WASHINGTON, DC 20006	50,000.	Person [X] Payroll [ ] Noncash [ ] (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
4	D.C. BAR FOUNDATION 1615 L STREET, NW, SUITE 850 WASHINGTON, DC 20036	278,031.	Person [X] Payroll [ ] Noncash [ ] (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
5	EUGENE & AGNES MEYER FOUNDATION 1400 16TH STREET, NW, SUITE 360 WASHINGTON, DC 20036	25,000.	Person [X] Payroll [ ] Noncash [ ] (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
6	EQUAL JUSTICE WORKS 2120 L STREET, NW, SUITE 450 WASHINGTON, DC 20037	36,719.	Person [X] Payroll [ ] Noncash [ ] (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)

Name of organization THE CHILDREN'S LAW CENTER, INC.

Employer identification number 52-1961588

Part I **Contributors** (See Specific Instructions.)

(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Aggregate contributions	(d) Type of contribution
7	SKADDEN FELLOWSHIP FOUNDATION FOUR TIMES SQUARE NEW YORK, NY 10036	52,804.	Person [X] Payroll [ ] Noncash [ ] (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
8	CONTRIBUTIONS UNDER 2%	431,467.	Person [X] Payroll [ ] Noncash [ ] (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
9	CONTRIBUTIONS UNDER 2%	9,813.	Person [X] Payroll [ ] Noncash [ ] (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
			Person [ ] Payroll [ ] Noncash [ ] (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
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APPLICATION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE AN EXEMPT ORGANIZATION RETURN - APPROVED

We have received your Form 8868, Application for Extension of Time to File an Exempt Organization Return, for the return (form) and tax period identified above.

We have approved your request and have extended the due date to file your return to May 15, 2008.

Please attach a copy of this letter to your return when you file it. It is evidence that we granted an extension of time to file your return. A copy is provided for your records.

If you have any questions, please call us at the number shown above, or you may write us at the address shown at the top left of this letter.

Reminder - You May Be Required to File Electronically

Exempt organizations may be required to file certain returns electronically. For tax years ending on or after December 31, 2006, the electronic filing requirement applies to exempt organizations with $10 million or more in total assets if the organization files at least 250 returns in a calendar year, including income, excise, employment tax and information returns. Private foundations and charitable trusts will be required to file Forms 990-PF electronically regardless of their asset size, if they file at least 250 returns annually. For more information, go to www.irs.gov . Click "Charities and Non-Profits" and look for the "e-file for Charities and Non-Profits" tab.

For tax forms, instructions and information visit **www.irs.gov**. (Access to this site will not provide you with your specific taxpayer account information.)

Form **8868** (Rev April 2007) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Application for Extension of Time To File an Exempt Organization Return

▶ File a separate application for each return.

OMB No. 1545-1709

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

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

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

Section 501(c) corporations required to file Form 990-T and requesting an automatic 6-month extension - check this box and complete Part I only ▶ [ ]

All other corporations (including 1120-C filers), partnerships, REMICs, and trusts must use Form 7004 to request an extension of time to file income tax returns.

Electronic Filing *(e-file)*. Generally, you can electronically file Form 8868 if you want a 3-month automatic extension of time to file one of the returns noted below (6 months for section 501(c) corporations required to file Form 990-T). However, you cannot file Form 8868 electronically if (1) you want the additional (not automatic) 3-month extension or (2) you file Forms 990-BL, 6069, or 8870, group returns, or a composite or consolidated From 990-T. Instead, you must submit the fully completed and signed page 2 (Part II) of Form 8868. For more details on the electronic filing of this form, visit *www.irs.gov/efile* and click on *e-file for Charities & Nonprofits.*

Type or print	Name of Exempt Organization	**Employer identification number**
File by the due date for filing your return. See instructions.	THE CHILDREN'S LAW CENTER, INC.	52-1961588
	Number, street, and room or suite no. If a P.O. box, see instructions. 616 H STREET, NW	
	City, town or post office, state, and ZIP code. For a foreign address, see instructions. WASHINGTON, DC 20001	

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

[X] Form 990	[ ] Form 990-T (corporation)	[ ] Form 4720
[ ] Form 990-BL	[ ] Form 990-T (sec. 401(a) or 408(a) trust)	[ ] Form 5227
[ ] Form 990-EZ	[ ] Form 990-T (trust other than above)	[ ] Form 6069
[ ] Form 990-PF	[ ] Form 1041-A	[ ] Form 8870

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- If the organization does not have an office or place of business in the United States, check this box ▶ [ ]
- If this is for a Group Return, enter the organization's four digit Group Exemption Number (GEN) ______. If this is for the whole group, check this box ▶ [ ]. If it is for part of the group, check this box ▶ [ ] and attach a list with the names and EINs of all members the extension will cover.

1 I request an automatic 3-month (6 months for a section 501(c) corporation required to file Form 990-T) extension of time until 05/15, 2008, to file the exempt organization return for the organization named above. The extension is for the organization's return for:

▶ [ ] calendar year ______ or

▶ [X] tax year beginning 10/01, 2006, and ending 09/30, 2007.

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

3a	If this application is for Form 990-BL, 990-PF, 990-T, 4720, or 6069, enter the tentative tax, less any nonrefundable credits. See instructions.	3a	$
b	If this application is for Form 990-PF or 990-T, enter any refundable credits and estimated tax payments made. Include any prior year overpayment allowed as a credit.	3b	$
c	**Balance Due.** Subtract line 3b from line 3a. Include your payment with this form, or, if required, deposit with FTD coupon or, if required, by using EFTPS (Electronic Federal Tax Payment System). See instructions.	3c	$

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

For Privacy Act and Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see Instructions. Form **8868** (Rev. 4-2007)

FORM 990, PART I - SPECIAL FUNDRAISING EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES

DESCRIPTION	GROSS REVENUE	DIRECT EXPENSES	NET INCOME
ANNUAL EVENT	29,565.	51,533.	-21,968.
TOTALS	29,565.	51,533.	-21,968.

FORM 990, PART I - OTHER DECREASES IN FUND BALANCES

DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT
UNREALIZED LOSS ON INVESTMENTS	352.
TOTAL	352.

FORM 990, PART II, LINE 25A - CURRENT OFFICER COMPENSATION SCHEDULE

CURRENT OFFICER NAME	PROGRAM SERVICES	MANAGEMENT AND GENERAL	FUNDRAISING
JUDITH SANDALOW COMPENSATION:	87,151.	10,894.	10,894.
TOTALS	87,151.	10,894.	10,894.

FORM 990, PART II - OTHER EXPENSES

DESCRIPTION	TOTAL	PROGRAM SERVICES	MANAGEMENT AND GENERAL	FUNDRAISING
RECRUITING	1,436.	1,436.	NONE	NONE
TRANSPORTATION	119,712.	117,992.	1,538.	182.
CLIENT EXPENSES	28,329.	28,329.	NONE	NONE
STAFF COSTS	12,878.	11,195.	1,499.	184.
LEGAL LIBRARY	16,953.	16,751.	202.	NONE
INSURANCE	23,652.	21,557.	1,073.	1,022.
PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT	31,696.	24,802.	5,334.	1,560.
MEMBERSHIP DUES	9,044.	7,884.	948.	212.
COST OF LITIGATION	13,021.	13,021.	NONE	NONE
BOARD DEVELOPMENT	3,369.	NONE	3,369.	NONE
LICENSES & PERMITS	260.	NONE	60.	200.
COMPUTER EXPENSES	2,888.	2,499.	335.	54.
PAYROLL PROCESSING FEES	4,579.	NONE	4,579.	NONE
INTERNET	7,821.	7,153.	306.	362.
TOY DRIVE EXPENSE	1,549.	80.	NONE	1,469.
CONSULTING SERVICES	135,373.	75,128.	40,475.	19,770.
BANK SERVICE CHARGES	2,309.	166.	2,143.	NONE
MOVING EXPENSE	33,184.	29,531.	2,288.	1,365.
TOTALS	448,053.	357,524.	64,149.	26,380.

FORM 990, PART III - ORGANIZATION'S PRIMARY EXEMPT PURPOSE
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THE CHILDREN'S LAW CENTER (CLC) PROVIDES FREE LEGAL SERVICES TO LOW-INCOME, AT-RISK CHILDREN IN THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA AND THEIR FAMILIES, FOSTER AND KINSHIP CAREGIVERS. RECOGNIZING THAT ALL CHILDREN NEED A FOUNDATION OF LOVE, STABILITY AND SECURITY IN ORDER TO GROW INTO HEALTHY AND RESPONSIBLE ADULTS, OUR GOALS ARE TWO-FOLD:

1) TO FIND SAFE, PERMANENT AND LOVING HOMES FOR DC'S ABUSED AND NEGLECTED CHILDREN.

2) TO HELP AT-RISK CHILDREN GET THE EDUCATION, HEALTH CARE AND SOCIAL SERVICES THEY NEED TO FLOURISH.

TO ACCOMPLISH THESE GOALS, CLC'S ATTORNEYS FOCUS ON THE BEST INTEREST OF THE WHOLE CHILD, INTERESTS THAT OFTEN CUT ACROSS DIFFERENT LEGAL AND BUREAUCRATIC SYSTEMS. AS A RESULT, CLC HAS EXPERTISE IN MANY OF THE LEGAL AREAS THAT AFFECT A CHILD'S WELL BEING - ABUSE, NEGLECT, ADOPTION, CUSTODY, SPECIAL EDUCATION, MENTAL HEALTH, DOMESTIC VIOLENCE, PUBLIC BENEFITS AND DELINQUENCY.

AS COMMITTED AS CLC IS TO HELPING INDIVIDUAL CHILDREN, WE ARE EQUALLY COMMITTED TO SHARING OUR UNIQUE BREADTH OF KNOWLEDGE AND EXPERTISE WITH THE COMMUNITY, OTHER PROFESSIONALS AND POLICY MAKERS. CLC PROVIDES TRAINING AND TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE TO JUDGES, LAWYERS, MEDICAL STAFF, FOSTER PARENTS AND TEACHERS. IN ADDITION, CLC ADVOCATES FOR SYSTEMIC CHANGE AND EDUCATES POLICY MAKERS IN THE COURTS, WITH THE MAYOR'S OFFICE, DC COUNCIL AND US CONGRESS.

FORM 990, PART III - PROGRAM SERVICE ACCOMPLISHMENTS

PROGRAM SERVICE ACCOMPLISHMENT A

FAMILY PERMANENCY PROJECT - CLC PROVIDES FREE HIGH QUALITY LEGAL ASSISTANCE TO FOSTER PARENTS, GRANDPARENTS, AND OTHER RELATIVES WHO WISH TO ADOPT OR TO OBTAIN LEGAL CUSTODY OF CHILDREN TRAPPED IN THE DC CHILD WELFARE SYSTEM AND CHILDREN AT-RISK OF ENTERING THE CHILD WELFARE SYSTEM. CLC RECRUITS, TRAINS, AND MENTORS VOLUNTEER ATTORNEYS FROM PROMINENT LOCAL LAW FIRMS ENABLING US TO SERVE MORE CHILDREN THAN OUR STAFF OF ATTORNEYS COULD DIRECTLY REPRESENT. EACH YEAR OUR PRO BONO PARTNERS DONATE HUNDREDS OF HOURS OF LEGAL SERVICES. THE CUMMULATIVE RESULT IS SAFE, PREMANENT HOMES, A FUNDAMENTAL BUILDING BLOCK FOR SUCCESSFUL CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT, FOR HUNDREDS OF CHILDREN.

PROGRAM SERVICE ACCOMPLISHMENT D

HEALTH ACCESS PROJECT - IN COLLABORATION WITH CHILDREN'S NATIONAL MEDICAL CENTER AND LA CLINICA DEL PUEBLO, THE HEALTH ACCESS PROJECT (HAP) HELPS POOR CHILDREN AND THEIR FAMILIES OVERCOME THE EFFECTS OF SOCIAL AND NON-MEDICAL FACTORS THAT NEGATIVELY IMPACT THEIR PHYSICAL WELL-BEING. WORKING IN A CLINICAL SETTING AND ACCEPTING REFERRALS DIRECTLY FROM PERSONNEL, CLC STAFF LAWYERS FIGHT THE LEGAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE BATTLES NECESSARY TO IMPROVE A CHILD'S HEALTH IN WAYS THAT PILLS OR SURGERY DO NOT ADDRESS. IT IS THIS MEDICAL-LEGAL COLLABORATION THAT CREATES A MORE EFFECTIVE MODEL FOR ADDRESSING THE ROOT CAUSES OF AN IMPOVERISHED CHILD'S POOR HEALTH. HAP ENSURES THAT THE SERVICES PROVIDED BY MEDICAL STAFF ARE NOT UNDERMINED BY SUCH SYSTEMATIC ISSUES AS INAPPROPRIATE SCHOOL PROGRAMS OR ILLEGAL, UNHEALTHY ENVIRONMENTS.

FORM 990, PART III - OTHER PROGRAM SERVICES (LINE E)

DESCRIPTION		GRANTS AND ALLOCATIONS	EXPENSES
CONSORTIUM			10,720.
	TOTALS		10,720.

FORM 990, PART IV-A - OTHER REVENUE ON BOOKS BUT NOT ON RETURN

DESCRIPTION		AMOUNT
ANNUAL EVENT EXPENSE		51,533.
	TOTAL	51,533.

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FORM 990, PART IV-B - OTHER EXPENSES ON BOOKS BUT NOT ON RETURN

DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT
ANNUAL EVENT EXPENSE	51,533.
TOTAL	51,533.

FORM 990, PART V-A - CURRENT OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, AND TRUSTEES

NAME AND ADDRESS	TITLE AND TIME DEVOTED TO POSITION	COMPENSATION	CONTRIBUTIONS TO EMPLOYEE BENEFIT PLANS	EXPENSE ACCT AND OTHER ALLOWANCES
JUDITH SANDALOW 616 H STREET, NW, SUITE 300 WASHINGTON, DC 20001	EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR 40.00	108,939.	3,000.	NONE
WAYNE R. CURTIS 616 H STREET, NW, SUITE 300 WASHINGTON, DC 20001	CHAIR 2.00	NONE	NONE	NONE
THOMAS N. BULLEIT, JR. 616 H STREET, NW, SUITE 300 WASHINGTON, DC 20001	SECRETARY 1.00	NONE	NONE	NONE
TAMARA COPELAND 616 H STREET, NW, SUITE 300 WASHINGTON, DC 20001	DIRECTOR 1.00	NONE	NONE	NONE
DONNA DONLON 616 H STREET, NW, SUITE 300 WASHINGTON, DC 20001	DIRECTOR 1.00	NONE	NONE	NONE
JANET EAKES 616 H STREET, NW, SUITE 300 WASHINGTON, DC 20001	DIRECTOR 1.00	NONE	NONE	NONE
VICKI SCHEER FOSTER 616 H STREET, NW, SUITE 300 WASHINGTON, DC 20001	DIRECTOR 1.00	NONE	NONE	NONE
NINA GROSS 616 H STREET, NW, SUITE 300 WASHINGTON, DC 20001	DIRECTOR 1.00	NONE	NONE	NONE

FORM 990, PART V-A - CURRENT OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, AND TRUSTEES

NAME AND ADDRESS	TITLE AND TIME DEVOTED TO POSITION	COMPENSATION	CONTRIBUTIONS TO EMPLOYEE BENEFIT PLANS	EXPENSE ACCT AND OTHER ALLOWANCES
TONY HOLLINGER 616 H STREET, NW, SUITE 300 WASHINGTON, DC 20001	DIRECTOR 1.00	NONE	NONE	NONE
ED LAZERE 616 H STREET, NW, SUITE 300 WASHINGTON, DC 20001	DIRECTOR 1.00	NONE	NONE	NONE
JAMES R. MARSH 616 H STREET, NW, SUITE 300 WASHINGTON, DC 20001	DIRECTOR 1.00	NONE	NONE	NONE
BOB PECK 616 H STREET, NW, SUITE 300 WASHINGTON, DC 20001	DIRECTOR 1.00	NONE	NONE	NONE
CHARLES F. RULE 616 H STREET, NW, SUITE 300 WASHINGTON, DC 20001	DIRECTOR 1.00	NONE	NONE	NONE
NANCY SIDAMON-ERISTOFF 616 H STREET, NW, SUITE 300 WASHINGTON, DC 20001	DIRECTOR 1.00	NONE	NONE	NONE
MARIELLA TRAGER 616 H STREET, NW, SUITE 300 WASHINGTON, DC 20001	DIRECTOR 1.00	NONE	NONE	NONE
	GRAND TOTALS	108,939.	3,000.	NONE

FORM 990, PART VIII - ACCOMPLISHMENT OF EXEMPT PURPOSES

LINE NO.	EXPLANATION OF HOW EACH ACTIVITY FOR WHICH INCOME IS REPORTED IN COLUMN (E) OF PART VII CONTRIBUTED IMPORTANTLY TO THE ACCOMPLISHMENT OF EXEMPT PURPOSES
93A	LEGAL ASSISTANCE FEES - FEES PAID BY THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA TO OFFSET THE COST OF PROVIDING LEGAL SERVICES TO CHILDREN IN SPECIAL EDUCATION MATTERS.
93B	DC CONTRACT - CONTRACT WITH THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA SUPERIOR COURT FOR PROVIDING LEGAL SERVICES TO ABUSED AND NEGLECTED CHILDREN.

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SCHEDULE A, PART I - COMPENSATION OF THE FIVE HIGHEST PAID EMPLOYEES

NAME AND ADDRESS	TITLE AND TIME DEVOTED TO POSITION	COMPENSATION	CONTRIBUTIONS TO EMPLOYEE BENEFIT PLANS	EXPENSE ACCOUNT
MICHELE BALLOTTA 616 H STREET, NW SUITE 300 WASHINGTON, DC 20001	DEVELOPMENT DIRECTOR 40.00	95,843.	2,835.	NONE
GARY GOLD 616 H STREET, NW SUITE 300 WASHINGTON, DC 20001	COO 40.00	87,158.	2,615.	NONE
JENNIFER DI TORO 616 H STREET, NW SUITE 300 WASHINGTON, DC 20001	LEGAL DIRECTOR 40.00	77,068.	2,273.	NONE
CHRISTINE SMITH 616 H STREET, NW SUITE 300 WASHINGTON, DC 20001	GAL PROJECT DIRECTOR 40.00	74,543.	2,200.	NONE
SEAN STAPLES 616 H STREET, NW SUITE 300 WASHINGTON, DC 20001	SUPERVISING ATTORNEY 40.00	72,406.	1,925.	NONE
	TOTAL COMPENSATION	407,018.	11,848.	NONE

SCHEDULE A, PART III - EXPLANATION FOR LINE 2D
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COMPENSATION OF EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR.

SCHEDULE A, PART IV-A - OTHER INCOME

DESCRIPTION	2005	2004	2003	2002	TOTAL
MISCELLANEOUS INCOME		1,674.	518.	1,086.	3,278.
TOTALS		1,674.	518.	1,086.	3,278.