

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 private foundations)

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OMB No 1545-0047  
**2018**  
Open to Public Inspection

**A For the 2019 calendar year, or tax year beginning 01-01-2018, and ending 12-31-2018**

- B** Check if applicable
- Address change
  - Name change
  - Initial return
  - Final return/terminated
  - Amended return
  - Application pending

**C** Name of organization  
GUARANTY ASSOCIATION BENEFITS COMPANY

% LYNDA G LOOMIS  
Doing business as

Number and street (or P O box if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite  
c/o FAEGREBD 1050 K ST NW Suite 40

City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code  
WASHINGTON, DC 20001

**D** Employer identification number  
45-3635388

**E** Telephone number  
(206) 802-4575

**G** Gross receipts \$ 61,227,282

**F** Name and address of principal officer  
LYNDA G LOOMIS  
c/o FAEGREBD 1050 K ST NW400  
WASHINGTON, DC 20001

**H(a)** Is this a group return for subordinates?  Yes  No

**H(b)** Are all subordinates included?  Yes  No  
If "No," attach a list (see instructions)

**H(c)** Group exemption number ▶

**I** Tax-exempt status  501(c)(3)  501(c) ( 6 ) ◀ (insert no)  4947(a)(1) or  527

**J** Website: ▶ WWW.GABENEFITSCO.COM

**K** Form of organization  Corporation  Trust  Association  Other ▶

**L** Year of formation 2011

**M** State of legal domicile DC

**Part I Summary**

**1** Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities  
SEE SCHEDULE O

**2** Check this box  if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its net assets

<b>3</b> Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a)	7
<b>4</b> Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)	7
<b>5</b> Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2018 (Part V, line 2a)	0
<b>6</b> Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)	0
<b>7a</b> Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12	0
<b>7b</b> Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34	0

	Prior Year	Current Year
<b>8</b> Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)	0	0
<b>9</b> Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)	0	0
<b>10</b> Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)	64,056,801	61,210,987
<b>11</b> Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)	160,735	16,295
<b>12</b> Total revenue—add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	64,217,536	61,227,282
<b>13</b> Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1–3)	0	0
<b>14</b> Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)	0	0
<b>15</b> Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5–10)	432,674	475,867
<b>16a</b> Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)	0	0
<b>b</b> Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) ▶0		
<b>17</b> Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a–11d, 11f–24e)	62,500,093	56,555,670
<b>18</b> Total expenses Add lines 13–17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	62,932,767	57,031,537
<b>19</b> Revenue less expenses Subtract line 18 from line 12	1,284,769	4,195,745
	Beginning of Current Year	End of Year
<b>20</b> Total assets (Part X, line 16)	1,543,378,366	1,504,883,273
<b>21</b> Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)	1,456,868,416	1,412,650,747
<b>22</b> Net assets or fund balances Subtract line 21 from line 20	86,509,950	92,232,526

**Part II Signature Block**

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

**Sign Here**

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Signature of officer  
Date 2019-07-26

LYNDA G LOOMIS Vice pres OPERATIONS  
Type or print name and title

**Paid Preparer Use Only**

Print/Type preparer's name	Preparer's signature	Date 2019-07-26	Check <input type="checkbox"/> if self-employed	PTIN P00094591
Firm's name ▶ EISNERAMPER LLP	Firm's EIN ▶		Phone no (732) 243-7000	
Firm's address ▶ 111 WOOD AVE SO STE 600 ISELIN, NJ 088302700				

**Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments**

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part III

**1** Briefly describe the organization's mission

THE ORGANIZATION OPERATES TO PROTECT, IN ACCORDANCE WITH A COURT-APPROVED LIQUIDATION PLAN, INDIVIDUALS RELYING UPON ANNUITIES ISSUED BY INSOLVENT EXECUTIVE LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW YORK, IN FURTHERANCE OF THE COMMON INTERESTS OF THE STATE GUARANTY ASSOCIATIONS AND THEIR MEMBERS

**2** Did the organization undertake any significant program services during the year which were not listed on the prior Form 990 or 990-EZ?  Yes  No

If "Yes," describe these new services on Schedule O

**3** Did the organization cease conducting, or make significant changes in how it conducts, any program services?  Yes  No

If "Yes," describe these changes on Schedule O

**4** Describe the organization's program service accomplishments for each of its three largest program services, as measured by expenses. Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations are required to report the amount of grants and allocations to others, the total expenses, and revenue, if any, for each program service reported

**4a** (Code ) (Expenses \$ 76,616,321 including grants of \$ ) (Revenue \$ )  
See Additional Data

**4b** (Code ) (Expenses \$ including grants of \$ ) (Revenue \$ )

**4c** (Code ) (Expenses \$ including grants of \$ ) (Revenue \$ )

**4d** Other program services (Describe in Schedule O )  
(Expenses \$ including grants of \$ ) (Revenue \$ )

**4e** Total program service expenses ▶ 76,616,321

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules

Table with 3 columns: Question ID, Question Text, Yes, No. Rows include questions 1 through 22 regarding organizational requirements, such as political activities, lobbying, and financial reporting.

**Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)**

		Yes	No
<b>23</b>	Did the organization answer "Yes" to Part VII, Section A, line 3, 4, or 5 about compensation of the organization's current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J</i> . . . . .	23 Yes	
<b>24a</b>	Did the organization have a tax-exempt bond issue with an outstanding principal amount of more than \$100,000 as of the last day of the year, that was issued after December 31, 2002? <i>If "Yes," answer lines 24b through 24d and complete Schedule K. If "No," go to line 25a</i> . . . . .		24a No
<b>b</b>	Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception? . . . . .		24b
<b>c</b>	Did the organization maintain an escrow account other than a refunding escrow at any time during the year to defease any tax-exempt bonds? . . . . .		24c
<b>d</b>	Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year? . . . . .		24d
<b>25a</b>	<b>Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations.</b> Did the organization engage in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person during the year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i> . . . . .		25a
<b>b</b>	Is the organization aware that it engaged in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person in a prior year, and that the transaction has not been reported on any of the organization's prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i> . . . . .		25b
<b>26</b>	Did the organization report any amount on Part X, line 5, 6, or 22 for receivables from or payables to any current or former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, or disqualified persons? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II</i> . . . . .		26 No
<b>27</b>	Did the organization provide a grant or other assistance to an officer, director, trustee, key employee, substantial contributor or employee thereof, a grant selection committee member, or to a 35% controlled entity or family member of any of these persons? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III</i> . . . . .		27 No
<b>28</b>	Was the organization a party to a business transaction with one of the following parties (see Schedule L, Part IV instructions for applicable filing thresholds, conditions, and exceptions)		
<b>a</b>	A current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i> . . . . .	28a Yes	
<b>b</b>	A family member of a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i> . . . . .		28b No
<b>c</b>	An entity of which a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee (or a family member thereof) was an officer, director, trustee, or direct or indirect owner? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i> . . . . .	28c Yes	
<b>29</b>	Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i> . . . . .		29 No
<b>30</b>	Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i> . . . . .		30 No
<b>31</b>	Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I</i> . . . . .		31 No
<b>32</b>	Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part II</i> . . . . .		32 No
<b>33</b>	Did the organization own 100% of an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations sections 301.7701-2 and 301.7701-3? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part I</i> . . . . .		33 No
<b>34</b>	Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part II, III, or IV, and Part V, line 1</i> . . . . .		34 No
<b>35a</b>	Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?		35a No
<b>b</b>	If "Yes" to line 35a, did the organization receive any payment from or engage in any transaction with a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i> . . . . .		35b
<b>36</b>	<b>Section 501(c)(3) organizations.</b> Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i> . . . . .		36
<b>37</b>	Did the organization conduct more than 5% of its activities through an entity that is not a related organization and that is treated as a partnership for federal income tax purposes? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part VI</i>		37 No
<b>38</b>	Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations in Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11b and 19? <b>Note.</b> All Form 990 filers are required to complete Schedule O . . . . .	38 Yes	

**Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance**

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part V

		Yes	No
<b>1a</b>	Enter the number reported in Box 3 of Form 1096. Enter -0- if not applicable . . . . .	1a 9	
<b>b</b>	Enter the number of Forms W-2G included in line 1a. Enter -0- if not applicable . . . . .	1b 0	
<b>c</b>	Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable gaming (gambling) winnings to prize winners? . . . . .	1c Yes	

<p><b>2a</b> Enter the number of employees reported on Form W-3, Transmittal of Wage and Tax Statements, filed for the calendar year ending with or within the year covered by this return . . . . .</p>	<b>2a</b>	0		
<p><b>b</b> If at least one is reported on line 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax returns? <b>Note.</b>If the sum of lines 1a and 2a is greater than 250, you may be required to e-file (see instructions)</p>			<b>2b</b>	
<p><b>3a</b> Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year? . . . . .</p>			<b>3a</b>	No
<p><b>b</b> If "Yes," has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? If "No" to line 3b, provide an explanation in Schedule O . . . . .</p>			<b>3b</b>	
<p><b>4a</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)? . . . . .</p>			<b>4a</b>	No
<p><b>b</b> If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country <span style="border-bottom: 1px solid black; display: inline-block; width: 150px;"></span> See instructions for filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts (FBAR)</p>				
<p><b>5a</b> Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year? . . . . .</p>			<b>5a</b>	No
<p><b>b</b> Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?</p>			<b>5b</b>	No
<p><b>c</b> If "Yes," to line 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T? . . . . .</p>			<b>5c</b>	
<p><b>6a</b> Does the organization have annual gross receipts that are normally greater than \$100,000, and did the organization solicit any contributions that were not tax deductible as charitable contributions? . . . . .</p>			<b>6a</b>	No
<p><b>b</b> If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts were not tax deductible? . . . . .</p>			<b>6b</b>	
<b>7 Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).</b>				
<p><b>a</b> Did the organization receive a payment in excess of \$75 made partly as a contribution and partly for goods and services provided to the payor? . . . . .</p>			<b>7a</b>	
<p><b>b</b> If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided? . . . . .</p>			<b>7b</b>	
<p><b>c</b> Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was required to file Form 8282? . . . . .</p>			<b>7c</b>	
<p><b>d</b> If "Yes," indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year . . . . .</p>	<b>7d</b>			
<p><b>e</b> Did the organization receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?</p>			<b>7e</b>	
<p><b>f</b> Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract? . . . . .</p>			<b>7f</b>	
<p><b>g</b> If the organization received a contribution of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required? . . . . .</p>			<b>7g</b>	
<p><b>h</b> If the organization received a contribution of cars, boats, airplanes, or other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-C? . . . . .</p>			<b>7h</b>	
<b>8 Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds.</b>				
<p>Did a donor advised fund maintained by the sponsoring organization have excess business holdings at any time during the year? . . . . .</p>			<b>8</b>	
<p><b>9a</b> Did the sponsoring organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966? . . . . .</p>			<b>9a</b>	
<p><b>b</b> Did the sponsoring organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person? . . . . .</p>			<b>9b</b>	
<b>10 Section 501(c)(7) organizations.</b> Enter				
<p><b>a</b> Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12 . . . . .</p>	<b>10a</b>			
<p><b>b</b> Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities</p>	<b>10b</b>			
<b>11 Section 501(c)(12) organizations.</b> Enter				
<p><b>a</b> Gross income from members or shareholders . . . . .</p>	<b>11a</b>			
<p><b>b</b> Gross income from other sources (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against amounts due or received from them ) . . . . .</p>	<b>11b</b>			
<b>12a Section 4947(a)(1) non-exempt charitable trusts.</b> Is the organization filing Form 990 in lieu of Form 1041?				
<p><b>b</b> If "Yes," enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year</p>	<b>12b</b>			
<b>13 Section 501(c)(29) qualified nonprofit health insurance issuers.</b>				
<p><b>a</b> Is the organization licensed to issue qualified health plans in more than one state? <b>Note.</b> See the instructions for additional information the organization must report on Schedule O</p>			<b>13a</b>	
<p><b>b</b> Enter the amount of reserves the organization is required to maintain by the states in which the organization is licensed to issue qualified health plans . . . . .</p>	<b>13b</b>			
<p><b>c</b> Enter the amount of reserves on hand . . . . .</p>	<b>13c</b>			
<p><b>14a</b> Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the tax year? . . . . .</p>			<b>14a</b>	No
<p><b>b</b> If "Yes," has it filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O . . . . .</p>			<b>14b</b>	
<p><b>15</b> Is the organization 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? If "Yes," see instructions and file Form 4720, Schedule N . . . . .</p>			<b>15</b>	No
<p><b>16</b> Is the organization an educational institution subject to the section 4968 excise tax on net investment income? If "Yes," complete Form 4720, Schedule O . . . . .</p>			<b>16</b>	No

Part VI Governance, Management, and Disclosure For each "Yes" response to lines 2 through 7b below, and for a "No" response to lines 8a, 8b, or 10b below, describe the circumstances, processes, or changes in Schedule O See instructions Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VI



Section A. Governing Body and Management

Table with 3 columns: Question, Yes, No. Rows include: 1a Enter the number of voting members of the governing body at the end of the tax year; 1b Enter the number of voting members included in line 1a, above, who are independent; 2 Did any officer, director, trustee, or key employee have a family relationship or a business relationship with any other officer, director, trustee, or key employee?; 3 Did the organization delegate control over management duties customarily performed by or under the direct supervision of officers, directors or trustees, or key employees to a management company or other person?; 4 Did the organization make any significant changes to its governing documents since the prior Form 990 was filed?; 5 Did the organization become aware during the year of a significant diversion of the organization's assets?; 6 Did the organization have members or stockholders?; 7a Did the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who had the power to elect or appoint one or more members of the governing body?; 7b Are any governance decisions of the organization reserved to (or subject to approval by) members, stockholders, or persons other than the governing body?; 8 Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year by the following; 8a The governing body?; 8b Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body?; 9 Is there any officer, director, trustee, or key employee listed in Part VII, Section A, who cannot be reached at the organization's mailing address? If "Yes," provide the names and addresses in Schedule O.

Section B. Policies (This Section B requests information about policies not required by the Internal Revenue Code.)

Table with 3 columns: Question, Yes, No. Rows include: 10a Did the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates?; 10b If "Yes," did the organization have written policies and procedures governing the activities of such chapters, affiliates, and branches to ensure their operations are consistent with the organization's exempt purposes?; 11a Has the organization provided a complete copy of this Form 990 to all members of its governing body before filing the form?; 11b Describe in Schedule O the process, if any, used by the organization to review this Form 990; 12a Did the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? If "No," go to line 13; 12b Were officers, directors, or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give rise to conflicts?; 12c Did the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? If "Yes," describe in Schedule O how this was done; 13 Did the organization have a written whistleblower policy?; 14 Did the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy?; 15 Did the process for determining compensation of the following persons include a review and approval by independent persons, comparability data, and contemporaneous substantiation of the deliberation and decision?; 15a The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official; 15b Other officers or key employees of the organization; 16a Did the organization invest in, contribute assets to, or participate in a joint venture or similar arrangement with a taxable entity during the year?; 16b If "Yes," did the organization follow a written policy or procedure requiring the organization to evaluate its participation in joint venture arrangements under applicable federal tax law, and take steps to safeguard the organization's exempt status with respect to such arrangements?

Section C. Disclosure

Table with 2 columns: Question, Answer. Rows include: 17 List the States with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed; 18 Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Form 1023 (or 1024-A if applicable), 990, and 990-T (501(c)(3)s only) available for public inspection. Indicate how you made these available. Check all that apply: Own website, Another's website, Upon request, Other (explain in Schedule O); 19 Describe in Schedule O whether (and if so, how) the organization made its governing documents, conflict of interest policy, and financial statements available to the public during the tax year; 20 State the name, address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the organization's books and records: LYNDIA G LOOMIS C/O FAEGREBD 1050 K ST NW STE 400 washington, DC 20001 (206) 802-4575

**Part VII Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest Compensated Employees, and Independent Contractors**

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VII

**Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees**

**1a** Complete this table for all persons required to be listed. Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year.

- List all of the organization's **current** officers, directors, trustees (whether individuals or organizations), regardless of amount of compensation. Enter -0- in columns (D), (E), and (F) if no compensation was paid.
- List all of the organization's **current** key employees, if any. See instructions for definition of "key employee."
- List the organization's five **current** highest compensated employees (other than an officer, director, trustee or key employee) who received reportable compensation (Box 5 of Form W-2 and/or Box 7 of Form 1099-MISC) of more than \$100,000 from the organization and any related organizations.
- List all of the organization's **former** officers, key employees, or highest compensated employees who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations.
- List all of the organization's **former directors or trustees** that received, in the capacity as a former director or trustee of the organization, more than \$10,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations.

List persons in the following order: individual trustees or directors; institutional trustees; officers; key employees; highest compensated employees; and former such persons.

Check this box if neither the organization nor any related organization compensated any current officer, director, or trustee

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional Trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
(1) DEBORAH A BELLO DIRECTOR-MEMBER ELECTED	1 0 0 0	X						0	0	0
(2) THOMAS F ENGLISH DIRECTOR-MEMBER ELECTED	1 0 0 0	X						0	0	0
(3) KEVIN J RASCH DIR-MEM through 5/24/18	1 0 0 0	X						0	0	0
(4) PAMELA E OLSEN DIR-MEM through 10/17/18	5 0 0 0	X						0	0	0
(5) JOHN J FALKENBACH DIRECTOR, chairman, secretary	12 0 0 0	X		X				0	0	0
(6) PETER G GALLANIS DIRECTOR, president	10 0 0 0	X		X				84,221	0	13,527
(7) JAMES F DONNELLAN DIRECTOR-MEMBER ELECTED	1 0 0 0	X						0	0	0
(8) John E Deitelbaum DIR-MEM elected 7/6/2018	1 0 0 0	X						0	0	0
(9) G Thomas Sullivan DIR-MEM ELECTED 10/18/2018	5 0 0 0	X						0	0	0
(10) Michael Marchman TREASURER through 12/30/18	5 0 0 0			X				0	0	0
(11) LYNDA G LOOMIS VICE PRESIDENT OPERATIONS	23 0 0 0			X				378,120	0	0
(12) John C Colpean TREASURER EFFECTIVE 12/31/2018	10 0 0 0			X				0	0	0

**Part VII Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees** (continued)

(A) Name and Title	(B) Average hours per week (list any hours for related organizations below dotted line)	(C) Position (do not check more than one box, unless person is both an officer and a director/trustee)						(D) Reportable compensation from the organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	(E) Reportable compensation from related organizations (W-2/1099-MISC)	(F) Estimated amount of other compensation from the organization and related organizations
		Individual trustee or director	Institutional Trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			

<b>1b Sub-Total</b> . . . . .	▶			
<b>1c Total from continuation sheets to Part VII, Section A</b> . . . . .	▶			
<b>1d Total (add lines 1b and 1c)</b> . . . . .	▶	462,341	0	13,527

<b>2</b> Total number of individuals (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization ▶ 1							
<b>3</b> Did the organization list any <b>former</b> officer, director or trustee, key employee, or highest compensated employee on line 1a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual</i> . . . . .	<table border="1"> <tr> <td></td> <td>Yes</td> <td>No</td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>3</b></td> <td></td> <td>No</td> </tr> </table>		Yes	No	<b>3</b>		No
	Yes	No					
<b>3</b>		No					
<b>4</b> For any individual listed on line 1a, is the sum of reportable compensation and other compensation from the organization and related organizations greater than \$150,000? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such individual</i> . . . . .	<table border="1"> <tr> <td></td> <td>Yes</td> <td>No</td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>4</b></td> <td>Yes</td> <td></td> </tr> </table>		Yes	No	<b>4</b>	Yes	
	Yes	No					
<b>4</b>	Yes						
<b>5</b> Did any person listed on line 1a receive or accrue compensation from any unrelated organization or individual for services rendered to the organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J for such person</i> . . . . .	<table border="1"> <tr> <td></td> <td>Yes</td> <td>No</td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>5</b></td> <td>Yes</td> <td></td> </tr> </table>		Yes	No	<b>5</b>	Yes	
	Yes	No					
<b>5</b>	Yes						

**Section B. Independent Contractors**

**1** Complete this table for your five highest compensated independent contractors that received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year

(A) Name and business address	(B) Description of services	(C) Compensation
faegre baker daniels LLP, 300 N Meridian Street Suite 2700 INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46204	legal services	755,585
nisa investment advisors llc, 150 n meramec avenue SUITE 640 ST LOUIS, MO 63105	investment advisors	1,010,132
Towers Watson DELAWARE Inc, 71 SOUTH WACKER DRIVE CHICAGO, IL 60606	Actuarial Services	503,030
Legal General Invest Mgmt Americ, PO BOX 7247-7057 PHILADELPHIA, PA 19170	Investment Mgmt	1,626,760
LYNDA G LOOMIS, 920 I Street NW 406 WASHINGTON, DC 20001	VP OF OPERATIONS	378,120

<b>2</b> Total number of independent contractors (including but not limited to those listed above) who received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization ▶ 10	
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**Part VIII Statement of Revenue**

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VIII

		(A) Total revenue	(B) Related or exempt function revenue	(C) Unrelated business revenue	(D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512 - 514
<b>Contributions, Gifts, Grants and Other Similar Amounts</b>	<b>1a</b> Federated campaigns . . .	<b>1a</b>			
	<b>b</b> Membership dues . . .	<b>1b</b>			
	<b>c</b> Fundraising events . . .	<b>1c</b>			
	<b>d</b> Related organizations	<b>1d</b>			
	<b>e</b> Government grants (contributions)	<b>1e</b>			
	<b>f</b> All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above	<b>1f</b>			
	<b>g</b> Noncash contributions included in lines 1a - 1f \$ _____				
<b>h Total.</b> Add lines 1a-1f . . . . . ▶		0			

<b>Program Service Revenue</b>			Business Code			
	<b>2a</b> _____					
	<b>b</b> _____					
	<b>c</b> _____					
	<b>d</b> _____					
	<b>e</b> _____					
	<b>f</b> All other program service revenue					
<b>9 Total.</b> Add lines 2a-2f . . . . . ▶		0				

<b>Other Revenue</b>	<b>3</b> Investment income (including dividends, interest, and other similar amounts) . . . . . ▶		61,210,987			61,210,987
	<b>4</b> Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds . . . . . ▶		0			
	<b>5</b> Royalties . . . . . ▶		0			
	<b>6a</b> Gross rents	(i) Real	(ii) Personal			
	<b>b</b> Less rental expenses					
	<b>c</b> Rental income or (loss)	0	0			
	<b>d</b> Net rental income or (loss) . . . . . ▶			0		
	<b>7a</b> Gross amount from sales of assets other than inventory	(i) Securities	(ii) Other			
	<b>b</b> Less cost or other basis and sales expenses					
	<b>c</b> Gain or (loss)					
	<b>d</b> Net gain or (loss) . . . . . ▶			0		
	<b>8a</b> Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ _____ of contributions reported on line 1c) See Part IV, line 18 . . . . . <b>a</b>			0		
	<b>b</b> Less direct expenses . . . . . <b>b</b>			0		
	<b>c</b> Net income or (loss) from fundraising events . . . . . ▶			0		
	<b>9a</b> Gross income from gaming activities See Part IV, line 19 . . . . . <b>a</b>			0		
<b>b</b> Less direct expenses . . . . . <b>b</b>			0			
<b>c</b> Net income or (loss) from gaming activities . . . . . ▶			0			
<b>10a</b> Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances . . . . . <b>a</b>			0			
<b>b</b> Less cost of goods sold . . . . . <b>b</b>			0			
<b>c</b> Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory . . . . . ▶			0			
Miscellaneous Revenue	Business Code					
<b>11a</b> OTHER INCOME			16,295		16,295	
<b>b</b> _____						
<b>c</b> _____						
<b>d</b> All other revenue . . . . .						
<b>e Total.</b> Add lines 11a-11d . . . . . ▶			16,295			
<b>12 Total revenue.</b> See Instructions . . . . . ▶			61,227,282		61,227,282	

**Part IX Statement of Functional Expenses**

Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations must complete all columns. All other organizations must complete column (A).

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part IX

	(A) Total expenses	(B) Program service expenses	(C) Management and general expenses	(D) Fundraising expenses
<b>Do not include amounts reported on lines 6b, 7b, 8b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII.</b>				
<b>1</b> Grants and other assistance to domestic organizations and domestic governments. See Part IV, line 21.	0			
<b>2</b> Grants and other assistance to domestic individuals. See Part IV, line 22.	0			
<b>3</b> Grants and other assistance to foreign organizations, foreign governments, and foreign individuals. See Part IV, line 15 and 16.	0			
<b>4</b> Benefits paid to or for members.	0			
<b>5</b> Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees . . . . .	475,867			
<b>6</b> Compensation not included above, to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B) . . . . .	0			
<b>7</b> Other salaries and wages.	0			
<b>8</b> Pension plan accruals and contributions (include section 401 (k) and 403(b) employer contributions) . . . . .	0			
<b>9</b> Other employee benefits . . . . .	0			
<b>10</b> Payroll taxes . . . . .	0			
<b>11</b> Fees for services (non-employees)				
<b>a</b> Management . . . . .	308,698			
<b>b</b> Legal . . . . .	669,542			
<b>c</b> Accounting . . . . .	342,700			
<b>d</b> Lobbying . . . . .	0			
<b>e</b> Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17.	0			
<b>f</b> Investment management fees . . . . .	2,827,538			
<b>g</b> Other (If line 11g amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 11g expenses on Schedule O)	519,595			
<b>12</b> Advertising and promotion . . . . .	0			
<b>13</b> Office expenses . . . . .	57,616			
<b>14</b> Information technology . . . . .	0			
<b>15</b> Royalties . . . . .	0			
<b>16</b> Occupancy . . . . .	0			
<b>17</b> Travel . . . . .	5,956			
<b>18</b> Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials . . . . .	0			
<b>19</b> Conferences, conventions, and meetings . . . . .	0			
<b>20</b> Interest . . . . .	0			
<b>21</b> Payments to affiliates . . . . .	0			
<b>22</b> Depreciation, depletion, and amortization . . . . .	1,354			
<b>23</b> Insurance . . . . .	349,614			
<b>24</b> Other expenses. Itemize expenses not covered above (List miscellaneous expenses in line 24e. If line 24e amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 24e expenses on Schedule O.)				
<b>a</b> ANNUITY BENEFITS PAYMENTS	76,616,321			
<b>b</b> CHANGES IN ANNUITY RESERVES	-19,919,099			
<b>c</b> DATA PROCESSING	57,746			
<b>d</b> LICENSES AND PERMITS	150,158			
<b>e</b> All other expenses	-5,432,069			
<b>25</b> Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24e.	57,031,537			
<b>26</b> Joint costs. Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation. Check here <input type="checkbox"/> if following SOP 98-2 (ASC 958-720)				

**Part X Balance Sheet**

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part IX

		(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year
<b>Assets</b>	<b>1</b> Cash—non-interest-bearing . . . . .	38,057,195	<b>1</b>	26,487,112
	<b>2</b> Savings and temporary cash investments . . . . .	0	<b>2</b>	0
	<b>3</b> Pledges and grants receivable, net . . . . .	0	<b>3</b>	0
	<b>4</b> Accounts receivable, net . . . . .	0	<b>4</b>	0
	<b>5</b> Loans and other receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees Complete Part II of Schedule L . . . . .	0	<b>5</b>	0
	<b>6</b> Loans and other receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)), persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B), and contributing employers and sponsoring organizations of section 501(c)(9) voluntary employees' beneficiary organizations (see instructions) Complete Part II of Schedule L . . . . .	0	<b>6</b>	0
	<b>7</b> Notes and loans receivable, net . . . . .	0	<b>7</b>	0
	<b>8</b> Inventories for sale or use . . . . .	0	<b>8</b>	0
	<b>9</b> Prepaid expenses and deferred charges . . . . .	262,781	<b>9</b>	304,982
	<b>10a</b> Land, buildings, and equipment cost or other basis Complete Part VI of Schedule D	<b>10a</b> 13,826		
	<b>b</b> Less accumulated depreciation	<b>10b</b> 12,960	2,220	<b>10c</b> 866
	<b>11</b> Investments—publicly traded securities . . . . .	1,491,688,574	<b>11</b>	1,451,284,415
	<b>12</b> Investments—other securities See Part IV, line 11 . . . . .	0	<b>12</b>	0
	<b>13</b> Investments—program-related See Part IV, line 11 . . . . .	0	<b>13</b>	0
	<b>14</b> Intangible assets . . . . .	0	<b>14</b>	0
	<b>15</b> Other assets See Part IV, line 11 . . . . .	13,367,596	<b>15</b>	26,805,898
<b>16 Total assets.</b> Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34) . . . . .	1,543,378,366	<b>16</b>	1,504,883,273	
<b>Liabilities</b>	<b>17</b> Accounts payable and accrued expenses . . . . .	12,802,264	<b>17</b>	16,762,488
	<b>18</b> Grants payable . . . . .	0	<b>18</b>	0
	<b>19</b> Deferred revenue . . . . .	0	<b>19</b>	0
	<b>20</b> Tax-exempt bond liabilities . . . . .	0	<b>20</b>	0
	<b>21</b> Escrow or custodial account liability Complete Part IV of Schedule D	0	<b>21</b>	0
	<b>22</b> Loans and other payables to current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, and disqualified persons Complete Part II of Schedule L . . . . .	0	<b>22</b>	0
	<b>23</b> Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties . . . . .	0	<b>23</b>	0
	<b>24</b> Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties . . . . .	0	<b>24</b>	0
	<b>25</b> Other liabilities (including federal income tax, payables to related third parties, and other liabilities not included on lines 17 - 24) Complete Part X of Schedule D	1,444,066,152	<b>25</b>	1,395,888,259
	<b>26 Total liabilities.</b> Add lines 17 through 25 . . . . .	1,456,868,416	<b>26</b>	1,412,650,747
<b>Net Assets or Fund Balances</b>	<b>Organizations that follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>and complete lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 and 34.</b>			
	<b>27</b> Unrestricted net assets		<b>27</b>	
	<b>28</b> Temporarily restricted net assets . . . . .		<b>28</b>	
	<b>29</b> Permanently restricted net assets		<b>29</b>	
	<b>Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>and complete lines 30 through 34.</b>			
	<b>30</b> Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds . . . . .	0	<b>30</b>	0
	<b>31</b> Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building or equipment fund . . . . .	100,443,626	<b>31</b>	100,443,626
	<b>32</b> Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds	-13,933,676	<b>32</b>	-8,211,100
<b>33</b> Total net assets or fund balances . . . . .	86,509,950	<b>33</b>	92,232,526	
<b>34</b> Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances . . . . .	1,543,378,366	<b>34</b>	1,504,883,273	

**Part XI Reconciliation of Net Assets**

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XI

<b>1</b>	Total revenue (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	<b>1</b>	61,227,282
<b>2</b>	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	<b>2</b>	57,031,537
<b>3</b>	Revenue less expenses Subtract line 2 from line 1	<b>3</b>	4,195,745
<b>4</b>	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 33, column (A))	<b>4</b>	86,509,950
<b>5</b>	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	<b>5</b>	1,526,831
<b>6</b>	Donated services and use of facilities	<b>6</b>	
<b>7</b>	Investment expenses	<b>7</b>	
<b>8</b>	Prior period adjustments	<b>8</b>	
<b>9</b>	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O)	<b>9</b>	
<b>10</b>	Net assets or fund balances at end of year Combine lines 3 through 9 (must equal Part X, line 33, column (B))	<b>10</b>	92,232,526

**Part XII Financial Statements and Reporting**

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XII

- 1** Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990  Cash  Accrual  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked "Other," explain in Schedule O
- 2a** Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant?  
 If 'Yes,' check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were compiled or reviewed on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both  
 Separate basis  Consolidated basis  Both consolidated and separate basis
- b** Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant?  
 If 'Yes,' check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were audited on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both  
 Separate basis  Consolidated basis  Both consolidated and separate basis
- c** If "Yes," to line 2a or 2b, does the organization have a committee that assumes responsibility for oversight of the audit, review, or compilation of its financial statements and selection of an independent accountant?  
 If the organization changed either its oversight process or selection process during the tax year, explain in Schedule O
- 3a** As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set forth in the Single Audit Act and OMB Circular A-133?
- b** If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? If the organization did not undergo the required audit or audits, explain why in Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits

	Yes	No
<b>2a</b>		No
<b>2b</b>	Yes	
<b>2c</b>	Yes	
<b>3a</b>		No
<b>3b</b>		

## Additional Data

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### **Form 990, Part III, Line 4a:**

The Organization operates to protect, in accordance with a court-approved liquidation plan, individuals relying upon annuities issued by insolvent Executive Life Insurance Company of New York ("ELNY"), in furtherance of the common interests of the state guaranty associations and their members. The Organization's obligations commenced on August 8, 2013, when the order of liquidation against ELNY became effective. The organization met its obligations in 2018 by providing annuity benefit payments in the amounts set forth above.

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**SCHEDULE D**  
(Form 990)  
  
Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

**Supplemental Financial Statements**  
**► Complete if the organization answered "Yes," on Form 990, Part IV, line 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11a, 11b, 11c, 11d, 11e, 11f, 12a, or 12b.**  
**► Attach to Form 990.**  
**► Go to [www.irs.gov/Form990](http://www.irs.gov/Form990) for the latest information.**

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**Employer identification number**  
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**Part I Organizations Maintaining Donor Advised Funds or Other Similar Funds or Accounts.**  
Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 6.

	(a) Donor advised funds	(b) Funds and other accounts
<b>1</b> Total number at end of year		
<b>2</b> Aggregate value of contributions to (during year)		
<b>3</b> Aggregate value of grants from (during year)		
<b>4</b> Aggregate value at end of year		

**5** Did the organization inform all donors and donor advisors in writing that the assets held in donor advised funds are the organization's property, subject to the organization's exclusive legal control?  Yes  No

**6** Did the organization inform all grantees, donors, and donor advisors in writing that grant funds can be used only for charitable purposes and not for the benefit of the donor or donor advisor, or for any other purpose conferring impermissible private benefit?  Yes  No

**Part II Conservation Easements.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 7.

**1** Purpose(s) of conservation easements held by the organization (check all that apply)

Preservation of land for public use (e g , recreation or education)  Preservation of an historically important land area  
 Protection of natural habitat  Preservation of a certified historic structure  
 Preservation of open space

**2** Complete lines 2a through 2d if the organization held a qualified conservation contribution in the form of a conservation easement on the last day of the tax year

Held at the End of the Year	
<b>2a</b>	
<b>2b</b>	
<b>2c</b>	
<b>2d</b>	

**a** Total number of conservation easements

**b** Total acreage restricted by conservation easements

**c** Number of conservation easements on a certified historic structure included in (a)

**d** Number of conservation easements included in (c) acquired after 7/25/06, and not on a historic structure listed in the National Register

**3** Number of conservation easements modified, transferred, released, extinguished, or terminated by the organization during the tax year ► \_\_\_\_\_

**4** Number of states where property subject to conservation easement is located ► \_\_\_\_\_

**5** Does the organization have a written policy regarding the periodic monitoring, inspection, handling of violations, and enforcement of the conservation easements it holds?  Yes  No

**6** Staff and volunteer hours devoted to monitoring, inspecting, handling of violations, and enforcing conservation easements during the year ► \_\_\_\_\_

**7** Amount of expenses incurred in monitoring, inspecting, handling of violations, and enforcing conservation easements during the year ► \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**8** Does each conservation easement reported on line 2(d) above satisfy the requirements of section 170(h)(4)(B)(i) and section 170(h)(4)(B)(ii)?  Yes  No

**9** In Part XIII, describe how the organization reports conservation easements in its revenue and expense statement, and balance sheet, and include, if applicable, the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that describes the organization's accounting for conservation easements

**Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets.**  
Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 8.

**1a** If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116 (ASC 958), not to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide, in Part XIII, the text of the footnote to its financial statements that describes these items

**b** If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116 (ASC 958), to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide the following amounts relating to these items

**(i)** Revenue included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1 ► \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**(ii)** Assets included in Form 990, Part X ► \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**2** If the organization received or held works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets for financial gain, provide the following amounts required to be reported under SFAS 116 (ASC 958) relating to these items

**a** Revenue included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1 ► \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**b** Assets included in Form 990, Part X ► \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets** *(continued)*

- 3** Using the organization's acquisition, accession, and other records, check any of the following that are a significant use of its collection items (check all that apply)
- a**  Public exhibition
  - b**  Scholarly research
  - c**  Preservation for future generations
  - d**  Loan or exchange programs
  - e**  Other
- 4** Provide a description of the organization's collections and explain how they further the organization's exempt purpose in Part XIII
- 5** During the year, did the organization solicit or receive donations of art, historical treasures or other similar assets to be sold to raise funds rather than to be maintained as part of the organization's collection?  Yes  No

**Part IV Escrow and Custodial Arrangements.**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 9, or reported an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21.

- 1a** Is the organization an agent, trustee, custodian or other intermediary for contributions or other assets not included on Form 990, Part X?  Yes  No
- b** If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII and complete the following table
- |  | Amount |
|--|--------|
| <b>c</b> Beginning balance             |        |
| <b>d</b> Additions during the year     |        |
| <b>e</b> Distributions during the year |        |
| <b>f</b> Ending balance                |        |
- 2a** Did the organization include an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21, for escrow or custodial account liability? . . .  Yes  No
- b** If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII Check here if the explanation has been provided in Part XIII . . . .

**Part V Endowment Funds.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 10.

	(a) Current year	(b) Prior year	(c) Two years back	(d) Three years back	(e) Four years back
<b>1a</b> Beginning of year balance . . . . .					
<b>b</b> Contributions . . . . .					
<b>c</b> Net investment earnings, gains, and losses					
<b>d</b> Grants or scholarships . . . . .					
<b>e</b> Other expenditures for facilities and programs . . . . .					
<b>f</b> Administrative expenses . . . . .					
<b>g</b> End of year balance . . . . .					

- 2** Provide the estimated percentage of the current year end balance (line 1g, column (a)) held as
- a** Board designated or quasi-endowment ▶
  - b** Permanent endowment ▶
  - c** Temporarily restricted endowment ▶
- The percentages on lines 2a, 2b, and 2c should equal 100%
- 3a** Are there endowment funds not in the possession of the organization that are held and administered for the organization by
- |  |     |    |
|--|-----|----|
| <b>(i)</b> unrelated organizations . . . . .   | Yes | No |
| <b>(ii)</b> related organizations . . . . .  |     |    |
| <b>b</b> If "Yes" on 3a(ii), are the related organizations listed as required on Schedule R? . . . . . |     |    |
- 4** Describe in Part XIII the intended uses of the organization's endowment funds

**Part VI Land, Buildings, and Equipment.**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11a. See Form 990, Part X, line 10.

Description of property	(a) Cost or other basis (investment)	(b) Cost or other basis (other)	(c) Accumulated depreciation	(d) Book value
<b>1a</b> Land . . . . .				
<b>b</b> Buildings . . . . .				
<b>c</b> Leasehold improvements				
<b>d</b> Equipment . . . . .		13,826	12,960	866
<b>e</b> Other . . . . .				
<b>Total.</b> Add lines 1a through 1e (Column (d) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10(c)) . . . ▶				866

**Part VII Investments—Other Securities.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11b. See Form 990, Part X, line 12.

(a) Description of security or category (including name of security)	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation Cost or end-of-year market value
(1) Financial derivatives . . . . .		
(2) Closely-held equity interests . . . . .		
(3) Other _____		
(A)		
(B)		
(C)		
(D)		
(E)		
(F)		
(G)		
(H)		
<b>Total.</b> (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 12 )		

**Part VIII Investments—Program Related.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11c. See Form 990, Part X, line 13.

(a) Description of investment	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation Cost or end-of-year market value
(1)		
(2)		
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		
(7)		
(8)		
(9)		
<b>Total.</b> (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 13 )		

**Part IX Other Assets.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11d. See Form 990, Part X, line 15

(a) Description	(b) Book value
(1)	
(2)	
(3)	
(4)	
(5)	
(6)	
(7)	
(8)	
(9)	
<b>Total.</b> (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 15 )	

**Part X Other Liabilities.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 11e or 11f. See Form 990, Part X, line 25.

1. (a) Description of liability	(b) Book value
(1) Federal income taxes	0
AGGREGATE LIFE RESERVE	1,283,681,473
INTEREST MAINTENANCE RESERVE	112,206,786
(3)	
(4)	
(5)	
(6)	
(7)	
(8)	
(9)	
<b>Total.</b> (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 25 )	1,395,888,259

2. Liability for uncertain tax positions In Part XIII, provide the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that reports the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48 (ASC 740) Check here if the text of the footnote has been provided in Part XIII



**Part XI Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial Statements With Revenue per Return**

Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' on Form 990, Part IV, line 12a.

<b>1</b>	Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements . . . . .		<b>1</b>	58,399,744
<b>2</b>	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12			
<b>a</b>	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments . . . . .	<b>2a</b>		
<b>b</b>	Donated services and use of facilities . . . . .	<b>2b</b>		
<b>c</b>	Recoveries of prior year grants . . . . .	<b>2c</b>		
<b>d</b>	Other (Describe in Part XIII ) . . . . .	<b>2d</b>		
<b>e</b>	Add lines <b>2a</b> through <b>2d</b> . . . . .		<b>2e</b>	
<b>3</b>	Subtract line <b>2e</b> from line <b>1</b> . . . . .		<b>3</b>	58,399,744
<b>4</b>	Amounts included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, but not on line 1			
<b>a</b>	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b . . . . .	<b>4a</b>		
<b>b</b>	Other (Describe in Part XIII ) . . . . .	<b>4b</b>	2,827,538	
<b>c</b>	Add lines <b>4a</b> and <b>4b</b> . . . . .		<b>4c</b>	2,827,538
<b>5</b>	Total revenue Add lines <b>3</b> and <b>4c</b> . (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 12 ) . . . . .		<b>5</b>	61,227,282

**Part XII Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial Statements With Expenses per Return.**

Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' on Form 990, Part IV, line 12a.

<b>1</b>	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements . . . . .		<b>1</b>	54,203,999
<b>2</b>	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part IX, line 25			
<b>a</b>	Donated services and use of facilities . . . . .	<b>2a</b>		
<b>b</b>	Prior year adjustments . . . . .	<b>2b</b>		
<b>c</b>	Other losses . . . . .	<b>2c</b>		
<b>d</b>	Other (Describe in Part XIII ) . . . . .	<b>2d</b>		
<b>e</b>	Add lines <b>2a</b> through <b>2d</b> . . . . .		<b>2e</b>	
<b>3</b>	Subtract line <b>2e</b> from line <b>1</b> . . . . .		<b>3</b>	54,203,999
<b>4</b>	Amounts included on Form 990, Part IX, line 25, but not on line 1:			
<b>a</b>	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b . . . . .	<b>4a</b>		
<b>b</b>	Other (Describe in Part XIII ) . . . . .	<b>4b</b>	2,827,538	
<b>c</b>	Add lines <b>4a</b> and <b>4b</b> . . . . .		<b>4c</b>	2,827,538
<b>5</b>	Total expenses Add lines <b>3</b> and <b>4c</b> . (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 18 ) . . . . .		<b>5</b>	57,031,537

**Part XIII Supplemental Information**

Provide the descriptions required for Part II, lines 3, 5, and 9, Part III, lines 1a and 4, Part IV, lines 1b and 2b, Part V, line 4, Part X, line 2, Part XI, lines 2d and 4b, and Part XII, lines 2d and 4b Also complete this part to provide any additional information

Return Reference	Explanation
See Additional Data Table	

**Part XIII** Supplemental Information *(continued)*

Return Reference	Explanation

## Additional Data

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**Software Version:**

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## Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
SCHEDULE D, PART XI, LINE 4b	INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT FEES \$2,621,093 CUSTODY FEES-US BANK \$ 206,445

## Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
SCHEDULE D, PART XII, LINE 4B	INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT FEES \$2,621,093 CUSTODY FEES-US BANK \$ 206,445

**Supplemental Information**

Return Reference	Explanation
schedule d, part x, line 2	GABC HAS BEEN CLASSIFIED BY THE INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE (THE "IRS") AS A NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION DESCRIBED UNDER SECTION 501(C)(6) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE, AND THEREFORE IS EXEMPT FROM FEDERAL INCOME TAXES MANAGEMENT HAS ANALYZED THE TAX POSITIONS TAKEN BY GABC, AND HAS CONCLUDED THAT AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2018 AND 2017, THERE ARE NO UNCERTAIN POSITIONS TAKEN OR EXPECTED TO BE TAKEN THAT WOULD REQUIRE RECOGNITION OF A LIABILITY OR DISCLOSURE IN THE SPECIAL-PURPOSE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS GABC RECOGNIZES ACCRUED INTEREST AND PENALTIES ASSOCIATED WITH UNCERTAIN TAX POSITIONS, IF ANY AS AN OPERATING EXPENSE THERE WAS NO INCOME TAX-RELATED INTEREST OR PENALTIES RECORDED FOR THE PERIODS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2018 AND 2017

**Schedule J**  
(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

**Compensation Information**

For certain Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees

▶ **Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 23.**  
▶ **Attach to Form 990.**  
▶ **Go to [www.irs.gov/Form990](http://www.irs.gov/Form990) for instructions and the latest information.**

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**Part I Questions Regarding Compensation**

	Yes	No								
<p><b>1a</b> Check the appropriate box(es) if the organization provided any of the following to or for a person listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a. Complete Part III to provide any relevant information regarding these items.</p> <table border="0"> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> First-class or charter travel</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Housing allowance or residence for personal use</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Travel for companions</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Payments for business use of personal residence</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Tax indemnification and gross-up payments</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Health or social club dues or initiation fees</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Discretionary spending account</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Personal services (e.g., maid, chauffeur, chef)</td> </tr> </table>	<input type="checkbox"/> First-class or charter travel	<input type="checkbox"/> Housing allowance or residence for personal use	<input type="checkbox"/> Travel for companions	<input type="checkbox"/> Payments for business use of personal residence	<input type="checkbox"/> Tax indemnification and gross-up payments	<input type="checkbox"/> Health or social club dues or initiation fees	<input type="checkbox"/> Discretionary spending account	<input type="checkbox"/> Personal services (e.g., maid, chauffeur, chef)		
<input type="checkbox"/> First-class or charter travel	<input type="checkbox"/> Housing allowance or residence for personal use									
<input type="checkbox"/> Travel for companions	<input type="checkbox"/> Payments for business use of personal residence									
<input type="checkbox"/> Tax indemnification and gross-up payments	<input type="checkbox"/> Health or social club dues or initiation fees									
<input type="checkbox"/> Discretionary spending account	<input type="checkbox"/> Personal services (e.g., maid, chauffeur, chef)									
<p><b>b</b> If any of the boxes in line 1a are checked, did the organization follow a written policy regarding payment or reimbursement or provision of all of the expenses described above? If "No," complete Part III to explain</p>	<b>1b</b>									
<p><b>2</b> Did the organization require substantiation prior to reimbursing or allowing expenses incurred by all directors, trustees, officers, including the CEO/Executive Director, regarding the items checked in line 1a?</p>	<b>2</b>									
<p><b>3</b> Indicate which, if any, of the following the filing organization used to establish the compensation of the organization's CEO/Executive Director. Check all that apply. Do not check any boxes for methods used by a related organization to establish compensation of the CEO/Executive Director, but explain in Part III.</p> <table border="0"> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Compensation committee</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Written employment contract</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Independent compensation consultant</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Compensation survey or study</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Form 990 of other organizations</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Approval by the board or compensation committee</td> </tr> </table>	<input type="checkbox"/> Compensation committee	<input type="checkbox"/> Written employment contract	<input type="checkbox"/> Independent compensation consultant	<input type="checkbox"/> Compensation survey or study	<input type="checkbox"/> Form 990 of other organizations	<input type="checkbox"/> Approval by the board or compensation committee				
<input type="checkbox"/> Compensation committee	<input type="checkbox"/> Written employment contract									
<input type="checkbox"/> Independent compensation consultant	<input type="checkbox"/> Compensation survey or study									
<input type="checkbox"/> Form 990 of other organizations	<input type="checkbox"/> Approval by the board or compensation committee									
<p><b>4</b> During the year, did any person listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, with respect to the filing organization or a related organization:</p> <p><b>a</b> Receive a severance payment or change-of-control payment?</p> <p><b>b</b> Participate in, or receive payment from, a supplemental nonqualified retirement plan?</p> <p><b>c</b> Participate in, or receive payment from, an equity-based compensation arrangement?</p> <p>If "Yes" to any of lines 4a-c, list the persons and provide the applicable amounts for each item in Part III.</p>	<b>4a</b>	No								
	<b>4b</b>	No								
	<b>4c</b>	No								
<p><b>Only 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations must complete lines 5-9.</b></p> <p><b>5</b> For persons listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the revenues of:</p> <p><b>a</b> The organization?</p> <p><b>b</b> Any related organization?</p> <p>If "Yes," on line 5a or 5b, describe in Part III.</p>	<b>5a</b>									
	<b>5b</b>									
<p><b>6</b> For persons listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the net earnings of:</p> <p><b>a</b> The organization?</p> <p><b>b</b> Any related organization?</p> <p>If "Yes," on line 6a or 6b, describe in Part III.</p>	<b>6a</b>									
	<b>6b</b>									
<p><b>7</b> For persons listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization provide any nonfixed payments not described in lines 5 and 6? If "Yes," describe in Part III.</p>	<b>7</b>									
<p><b>8</b> Were any amounts reported on Form 990, Part VII, paid or accrued pursuant to a contract that was subject to the initial contract exception described in Regulations section 53.4958-4(a)(3)? If "Yes," describe in Part III.</p>	<b>8</b>									
<p><b>9</b> If "Yes" on line 8, did the organization also follow the rebuttable presumption procedure described in Regulations section 53.4958-6(c)?</p>	<b>9</b>									



**Part III Supplemental Information**

Provide the information, explanation, or descriptions required for Part I, lines 1a, 1b, 3, 4a, 4b, 4c, 5a, 5b, 6a, 6b, 7, and 8, and for Part II. Also complete this part for any additional information.

Return Reference	Explanation
Part II, Line 1	<p>The Organization's president, which is its top management official, is not compensated directly by the Organization. The Organization's president is also the president of the National Organization of Life and Health Insurance Guaranty Associations ("NOLHGA") which is an unrelated entity. The Organization has entered into an agreement with NOLHGA for various services to be provided to the Organization by NOLHGA (e.g., maintaining a computer server and website for the Organization and oversight and tracking of the Organization's administrative costs and expenses, etc.). The services provided to the Organization under the agreement also include advice and leadership by NOLHGA's president, who also serves as president of the Organization. An appropriate portion of the time spent on the Organization's behalf by NOLHGA's president is charged to the Organization. Thus, the organization's president receives no additional compensation for serving as the organization's president, but the organization reimburses NOLHGA for the portion of time NOLHGA's president devotes to the organization. The terms of the agreement were negotiated on behalf of the Organization by its outside counsel, with oversight by the Chairman of the Board. Once final, the agreement was presented to and approved by the Organization's Board.</p>



**Schedule L**  
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

**Transactions with Interested Persons**

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▶ **Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, lines 25a, 25b, 26, 27, 28a, 28b, or 28c, or Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 38a or 40b.**  
 ▶ **Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.**  
 ▶ **Go to [www.irs.gov/Form990](http://www.irs.gov/Form990) for the latest information.**

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**Part I Excess Benefit Transactions** (section 501(c)(3), section 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations only)  
 Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 25a or 25b, or Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 40b

1	(a) Name of disqualified person	(b) Relationship between disqualified person and organization	(c) Description of transaction	(d) Corrected?	
				Yes	No

2 Enter the amount of tax incurred by organization managers or disqualified persons during the year under section 4958 . . . . . ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 3 Enter the amount of tax, if any, on line 2, above, reimbursed by the organization . . . . . ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Part II Loans to and/or From Interested Persons.**  
 Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 38a, or Form 990, Part IV, line 26, or if the organization reported an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 5, 6, or 22

(a) Name of interested person	(b) Relationship with organization	(c) Purpose of loan	(d) Loan to or from the organization?		(e) Original principal amount	(f) Balance due	(g) In default?		(h) Approved by board or committee?		(i) Written agreement?	
			To	From			Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
Total						▶ \$						

**Part III Grants or Assistance Benefiting Interested Persons.**  
 Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 27.

(a) Name of interested person	(b) Relationship between interested person and the organization	(c) Amount of assistance	(d) Type of assistance	(e) Purpose of assistance

**Part IV Business Transactions Involving Interested Persons.**

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 28a, 28b, or 28c.

(a) Name of interested person	(b) Relationship between interested person and the organization	(c) Amount of transaction	(d) Description of transaction	(e) Sharing of organization's revenues?	
				Yes	No
(1) LYNDA G LOOMIS	VICE PRESIDENT OPERATIONS	378,120	SEE SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION		No
(2) PETER G GALLANIS	DIRECTOR, PRESIDENT	97,748	SEE SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION		No

**Part V Supplemental Information**

Provide additional information for responses to questions on Schedule L (see instructions)

Return Reference	Explanation
SCHEDULE L, PART IV, LINE 1D	The Vice President Operations is a non-employee officer that is compensated under a service contract The Organization's President and Chairman oversee the negotiation of the service contract on behalf of the Organization Both the President and the Chairman are familiar with the services the Vice President of operations is obligated to provide under the service contract and the cost of similar services provided to state life and health insurance guaranty associations, which are similar to the Organization
SCHEDULE L, PART IV, LINE 2D	The Organization's president, which is its top management official, is not compensated directly by the Organization The Organization's president is also the president of the National Organization of Life and Health Insurance Guaranty Associations ("NOLHGA") The Organization has entered into an agreement with NOLHGA for various services to be provided to the Organization by NOLHGA (e g , maintaining a computer server and website for the Organization and oversight and tracking of the Organization's administrative costs and expenses, etc ) The services provided to the Organization under the agreement also include advice and leadership by NOLHGA's president, who also serves as president of the Organization An appropriate portion of the time spent on the Organization's behalf by NOLHGA's president is charged to the Organization Thus, the organization's president receives no additional compensation for serving as the organization's president, but the organization reimburses NOLHGA for the portion of time NOLHGA's president devotes to the organization The terms of the agreement were negotiated on behalf of the Organization by its outside counsel, with oversight by the Chairman of the Board Once final, the agreement was presented to and approved by the Organization's Board
SCHEDULE L, PART IV, LINE 2D	The organization operates to protect, in accordance with a court-approved liquidation plan, individuals relying upon annuities issued by insolvent Executive Life Insurance Company of New York ("ELNY"), in furtherance of the common interests of the state guaranty associations and their members In that capacity, the organization is a party to various agreements, including an "Agreement of Restructuring" to which NOLHGA is a party, and Peter Gallanis (the Organization's president and a director) is the president of NOLHGA The Organization is also a party to two other related agreements with 39 life insurance companies, including MetLife (director James Donnellan IS an officer), New York Life (director Tom English is an officer) and Prudential (director Deborah Bello IS AN officer) All of the transactions related to the ELNY liquidation, including all of the foregoing, closed as of August 8, 2013, when the liquidation order against ELNY became effective and the Organization commenced its operations

**SCHEDULE O**  
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)**Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ**

Complete to provide information for responses to specific questions on Form 990 or 990-EZ or to provide any additional information.

▶ Attach to Form 990 or 990-EZ.

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**990 Schedule O, Supplemental Information**

Return Reference	Explanation
FORM 990, PART I, LINE 1	The organization operates to protect, in accordance with a court-approved liquidation plan, individuals relying upon annuities issued by insolvent Executive Life Insurance Company of New York, in furtherance of the common interests of the state guaranty associations and their members

## 990 Schedule O, Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 6	The Organization is a non-stock, non-profit membership organization organized under the District of Columbia Nonprofit Corporation Act of 2010. Membership is restricted to the state life and health insurance guaranty associations that participated in the court-approved liquidation plan for Executive Life Insurance Company of New York.

## 990 Schedule O, Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 7A	The Organization's Members elect four (4) of the Organization's seven (7) Board members, but each person eligible for election to the Board by the Members must satisfy the requirements in the Organization's Bylaws

**990 Schedule O, Supplemental Information**

<b>Return Reference</b>	<b>Explanation</b>
FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 7B	The Organization's members retain the rights to approve all amendments to the Organization's articles of incorporation and to amend the Organization's bylaws. In addition, the Organization's members retain the rights provided under the District of Columbia Nonprofit Corporation Act of 2010 to approve certain extraordinary actions by the Organization (e.g., certain disposition of assets, dissolution or merger of the organization).

**990 Schedule O, Supplemental Information**

<b>Return Reference</b>	<b>Explanation</b>
FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 11B	<p>The Organization's management worked with the Organization's independent audit firm to complete the 990. The Organization's chairman caused the 990 to be circulated electronically to all board members after it was completed for their review and comments. The transmittal asked each Board member to notify the Chairman of any questions, comments or observations about the 990 within five (5) days, and advised the Board members that the Chairman would call a meeting of the Board if two or more Board members so requested. Any comments received from any Board member were considered prior to finalizing the 990. Any adjustments determined by the Chairman and the Organization's management to be warranted were made to the Form 990 before it was finalized and filed with the Internal Revenue Service.</p>

**990 Schedule O, Supplemental Information**

<b>Return Reference</b>	<b>Explanation</b>
FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 12C	Each year the Organization's outside counsel prepares a "Certificate of Compliance and Conflict of Interest Statement" that is presented to each director, officer and key personnel for execution. Outside counsel explains the reason for the statement. Outside counsel reviews the statements and evaluates any items that may be listed by the individuals to determine if a conflict might exist and would advise disinterested officers of the Organization if any actions would be advisable. Each "Certificate of Compliance and Conflict of Interest Statement" are made part of the Organization's official minute book.



**990 Schedule O, Supplemental Information**

<b>Return Reference</b>	<b>Explanation</b>
FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 15A	<p>The Organization's president, which is its top management official, is not compensated directly by the Organization. The Organization's president is also the president of the National Organization of Life and Health Insurance Guaranty Associations ("NOLHGA"). The Organization has entered into an agreement with NOLHGA for various services to be provided to the Organization by NOLHGA (e.g., maintaining a computer server and website for the Organization and oversight and tracking of the Organization's administrative costs and expenses, etc.). The services provided to the Organization under the agreement also include advice and leadership by NOLHGA's president, who also serves as president of the Organization. An appropriate portion of the time spent on the Organization's behalf by NOLHGA's president is charged to the Organization. Thus, the organization's president receives no additional compensation for serving as the organization's president, but the organization reimburses NOLHGA for the portion of time NOLHGA's president devotes to the organization. The terms of the agreement were negotiated on behalf of the Organization by its outside counsel, with oversight by the Chairman of the Board. Once final, the agreement was presented to and approved by the Organization's Board.</p>

**990 Schedule O, Supplemental Information**

<b>Return Reference</b>	<b>Explanation</b>
FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 15B	The Organization's Vice President Operations is a non-employee officer that is compensated under a service contract. The Organization's President and Chairman oversaw the negotiation of the Service Contract on behalf of the Organization. Both the President and the Chairman are familiar with the services the Vice President of Operations is obligated to provide under the Service Contract and the cost of similar services provided to state life and health insurance guaranty associations.

## 990 Schedule O, Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION C, LINE 19	When appropriate, the Organization's relevant documents will be delivered in an agreed upon manner upon request

**990 Schedule O, Supplemental Information**

<b>Return Reference</b>	<b>Explanation</b>
FORM 990, PART XII, LINE 1	THE ACCOUNTING METHOD USED TO PREPARE FORM 990 IS THE BASIS USED TO COMPLY WITH REPORTING PROVISIONS SPECIFIED BY THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE, SECURITIES AND BANKING AND THE MODIFIED D C REPORTING BLANK THIS BASIS ALSO DIFFERS FROM STATUTORY ACCOUNTING PRACTICES PER THE ACCOUNTING PRACTICES AND PROCEDURES MANUAL OF THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF INSURANCE COMMISSIONERS

**990 Schedule O, Supplemental Information**

<b>Return Reference</b>	<b>Explanation</b>
FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 4	GABC amended its Bylaw effective October 19, 2018 to address specifically what will happen if any GABC board member who is subject to nomination by the Boards Nominating Committee under Bylaw Section 3 1(b) ceases to be qualified under that section after being nominated While this may not be a significant change to the governing documents, it was approved by GABCs regulator, the DISB, and is disclosed