

**THE CHICAGO LIGHTHOUSE FOR PEOPLE
WHO ARE BLIND OR VISUALLY IMPAIRED**

Form 990-T for the
Year Ended June 30, 2021

Public Disclosure Copy

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

2020

For calendar year 2020 or other tax year beginning JUL 1, 2020, and ending JUN 30, 2021

▶ **Go to www.irs.gov/Form990T for instructions and the latest information.**
▶ **Do not enter SSN numbers on this form as it may be made public if your organization is a 501(c)(3).**

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<p>A <input type="checkbox"/> Check box if address changed.</p> <p>B Exempt under section <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 501(c)(3) <input type="checkbox"/> 408(e) <input type="checkbox"/> 220(e) <input type="checkbox"/> 408A <input type="checkbox"/> 530(a) <input type="checkbox"/> 529(a) <input type="checkbox"/> 529S</p>	Print or Type	<p>Name of organization (<input type="checkbox"/> Check box if name changed and see instructions.) THE CHICAGO LIGHTHOUSE FOR PEOPLE WHO ARE BLIND OR VISUALLY IMPAIRED</p> <p>Number, street, and room or suite no. If a P.O. box, see instructions. 1850 W. ROOSEVELT ROAD</p> <p>City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code CHICAGO, IL 60608</p>	<p>D Employer identification number 36-2169139</p> <p>E Group exemption number (see instructions)</p> <p>F <input type="checkbox"/> Check box if an amended return.</p>
<p>C Book value of all assets at end of year ▶ 37,590,416.</p>			

G Check organization type ▶ 501(c) corporation 501(c) trust 401(a) trust Other trust Applicable reinsurance entity

H Check if filing only to ▶ Claim credit from Form 8941 Claim a refund shown on Form 2439

I Check if a 501(c)(3) organization filing a consolidated return with a 501(c)(2) titleholding corporation ▶

J Enter the number of attached Schedules A (Form 990-T) ▶ 1

K During the tax year, was the corporation a subsidiary in an affiliated group or a parent-subsidiary controlled group? ▶ Yes No
If "Yes," enter the name and identifying number of the parent corporation. ▶

L The books are in care of ▶ JANET SZLYK Telephone number ▶ 312-997-3644

Part I Total Unrelated Business Taxable Income

1 Total of unrelated business taxable income computed from all unrelated trades or businesses (see instructions)	1	0.
2 Reserved	2	
3 Add lines 1 and 2	3	
4 Charitable contributions (see instructions for limitation rules)	4	0.
5 Total unrelated business taxable income before net operating losses. Subtract line 4 from line 3	5	
6 Deduction for net operating loss. See instructions	6	
7 Total of unrelated business taxable income before specific deduction and section 199A deduction. Subtract line 6 from line 5	7	
8 Specific deduction (generally \$1,000, but see instructions for exceptions)	8	1,000.
9 Trusts. Section 199A deduction. See instructions	9	
10 Total deductions. Add lines 8 and 9	10	1,000.
11 Unrelated business taxable income. Subtract line 10 from line 7. If line 10 is greater than line 7, enter zero	11	0.

Part II Tax Computation

1 Organizations taxable as corporations. Multiply Part I, line 11 by 21% (0.21)	1	0.
2 Trusts taxable at trust rates. See instructions for tax computation. Income tax on the amount on Part I, line 11 from: <input type="checkbox"/> Tax rate schedule or <input type="checkbox"/> Schedule D (Form 1041)	2	
3 Proxy tax. See instructions	3	
4 Other tax amounts. See instructions	4	
5 Alternative minimum tax (trusts only)	5	
6 Tax on noncompliant facility income. See instructions	6	
7 Total. Add lines 3 through 6 to line 1 or 2, whichever applies	7	0.

LHA For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see instructions.

Part III Tax and Payments			
1a Foreign tax credit (corporations attach Form 1118; trusts attach Form 1116)	1a		
b Other credits (see instructions)	1b		
c General business credit. Attach Form 3800 (see instructions)	1c		
d Credit for prior year minimum tax (attach Form 8801 or 8827)	1d		
e Total credits. Add lines 1a through 1d		1e	
2 Subtract line 1e from Part II, line 7		2	0.
3 Other taxes. Check if from: <input type="checkbox"/> Form 4255 <input type="checkbox"/> Form 8611 <input type="checkbox"/> Form 8697 <input type="checkbox"/> Form 8866 <input type="checkbox"/> Other (attach statement)		3	
4 Total tax. Add lines 2 and 3 (see instructions). <input type="checkbox"/> Check if includes tax previously deferred under section 1294. Enter tax amount here		4	0.
5 2020 net 965 tax liability paid from Form 965-A or Form 965-B, Part II, column (k), line 4		5	0.
6a Payments: A 2019 overpayment credited to 2020	6a		
b 2020 estimated tax payments. Check if section 643(g) election applies	6b		
c Tax deposited with Form 8868	6c		
d Foreign organizations: Tax paid or withheld at source (see instructions)	6d		
e Backup withholding (see instructions)	6e		
f Credit for small employer health insurance premiums (attach Form 8941)	6f		
g Other credits, adjustments, and payments: <input type="checkbox"/> Form 2439			
<input type="checkbox"/> Form 4136			
<input type="checkbox"/> Other			
Total	6g		
7 Total payments. Add lines 6a through 6g		7	
8 Estimated tax penalty (see instructions). Check if Form 2220 is attached		8	
9 Tax due. If line 7 is smaller than the total of lines 4, 5, and 8, enter amount owed		9	
10 Overpayment. If line 7 is larger than the total of lines 4, 5, and 8, enter amount overpaid		10	
11 Enter the amount of line 10 you want: Credited to 2021 estimated tax		11	
			Refunded

Part IV Statements Regarding Certain Activities and Other Information (see instructions)			
1 At any time during the 2020 calendar year, did the organization have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a financial account (bank, securities, or other) in a foreign country? If "Yes," the organization may have to file FinCEN Form 114, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts. If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country here		Yes	No
		X	
2 During the tax year, did the organization receive a distribution from, or was it the grantor of, or transferor to, a foreign trust?		X	
If "Yes," see instructions for other forms the organization may have to file.			
3 Enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year			
4a Did the organization change its method of accounting? (see instructions)		X	
b If 4a is "Yes," has the organization described the change on Form 990, 990-EZ, 990-PF, or Form 1128? If "No," explain in Part V			

Part V Supplemental Information

Provide the explanation required by Part IV, line 4b. Also, provide any other additional information. See instructions.

Sign Here	Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than taxpayer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.			
	Signature of officer _____ Date _____	PRESIDENT & CEO Title _____	May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown below (see instructions)? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Paid Preparer Use Only	Print/Type preparer's name	Preparer's signature	Date	Check <input type="checkbox"/> if self-employed PTIN
	BRIDGET T ROCHE	<i>Bridget T. Roche</i>	05/16/2022	P00666837
	Firm's name ▶ GRANT THORNTON LLP	Firm's EIN ▶		36-6055558
Firm's address ▶	171 N. CLARK ST., STE. 200 CHICAGO, IL 60601		Phone no. (312) 856-0200	

**SCHEDULE A
(Form 990-T)**

Department of the Treasury
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**Unrelated Business Taxable Income
From an Unrelated Trade or Business**

▶ Go to www.irs.gov/Form990T for instructions and the latest information.
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ENTITY

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OMB No. 1545-0047

2020

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A Name of the organization THE CHICAGO LIGHTHOUSE FOR PEOPLE WHO ARE BLIND OR VISUALLY IMPAIRED	B Employer identification number 36-2169139
C Unrelated business activity code (see instructions) ▶ 00000	D Sequence: 1 of 1

E Describe the unrelated trade or business ▶ NO UBI ACTIVITY

Part I Unrelated Trade or Business Income		(A) Income	(B) Expenses	(C) Net
1 a Gross receipts or sales _____				
b Less returns and allowances _____ c Balance ▶	1c			
2 Cost of goods sold (Part III, line 8)	2			
3 Gross profit. Subtract line 2 from line 1c	3			
4 a Capital gain net income (attach Sch D (Form 1041 or Form 1120)) (see instructions)	4a			
b Net gain (loss) (Form 4797) (attach Form 4797) (see instructions)	4b			
c Capital loss deduction for trusts	4c			
5 Income (loss) from a partnership or an S corporation (attach statement)	5			
6 Rent income (Part IV)	6			
7 Unrelated debt-financed income (Part V)	7			
8 Interest, annuities, royalties, and rents from a controlled organization (Part VI)	8			
9 Investment income of section 501(c)(7), (9), or (17) organizations (Part VII)	9			
10 Exploited exempt activity income (Part VIII)	10			
11 Advertising income (Part IX)	11			
12 Other income (see instructions; attach statement)	12			
13 Total. Combine lines 3 through 12	13	0.		

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

1 Compensation of officers, directors, and trustees (Part X)				
2 Salaries and wages				
3 Repairs and maintenance				
4 Bad debts				
5 Interest (attach statement) (see instructions)				
6 Taxes and licenses				
7 Depreciation (attach Form 4562) (see instructions)		7		
8 Less depreciation claimed in Part III and elsewhere on return		8a		8b
9 Depletion				
10 Contributions to deferred compensation plans				
11 Employee benefit programs				
12 Excess exempt expenses (Part VIII)				
13 Excess readership costs (Part IX)				
14 Other deductions (attach statement)				
15 Total deductions. Add lines 1 through 14				0.
16 Unrelated business income before net operating loss deduction. Subtract line 15 from Part I, line 13, column (C)				0.
17 Deduction for net operating loss (see instructions)				0.
18 Unrelated business taxable income. Subtract line 17 from line 16				

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Schedule A (Form 990-T) 2020

Part III Cost of Goods Sold

Enter method of inventory valuation

Table with 8 rows for Cost of Goods Sold. Rows include: 1 Inventory at beginning of year, 2 Purchases, 3 Cost of labor, 4 Additional section 263A costs, 5 Other costs, 6 Total, 7 Inventory at end of year, 8 Cost of goods sold. Row 9 is a checkbox question about section 263A rules.

Part IV Rent Income (From Real Property and Personal Property Leased with Real Property)

Table for Rent Income. Row 1: Description of property with checkboxes A, B, C, D. Rows 2-4: Rent received or accrued from personal property, real and personal property, and total rents. Row 3: Total rents received or accrued. Row 4: Deductions directly connected with the income. Row 5: Total deductions.

Part V Unrelated Debt-Financed Income (see instructions)

Table for Unrelated Debt-Financed Income. Row 1: Description of debt-financed property with checkboxes A, B, C, D. Rows 2-8: Gross income from or allocable to debt-financed property, deductions (straight line, other), total deductions, amount of average acquisition debt, average adjusted basis, and total gross income. Rows 9-11: Allocable deductions, total allocable deductions, and total dividends-received deductions.

Part VI Interest, Annuities, Royalties, and Rents from Controlled Organizations (see instructions)

		Exempt Controlled Organizations			
1. Name of controlled organization	2. Employer identification number	3. Net unrelated income (loss) (see instructions)	4. Total of specified payments made	5. Part of column 4 that is included in the controlling organization's gross income	6. Deductions directly connected with income in column 5
(1)					
(2)					
(3)					
(4)					
Nonexempt Controlled Organizations					
7. Taxable Income	8. Net unrelated income (loss) (see instructions)	9. Total of specified payments made	10. Part of column 9 that is included in the controlling organization's gross income	11. Deductions directly connected with income in column 10	
(1)					
(2)					
(3)					
(4)					
			Add columns 5 and 10. Enter here and on Part I, line 8, column (A)	Add columns 6 and 11. Enter here and on Part I, line 8, column (B)	
Totals			0.	0.	

Part VII Investment Income of a Section 501(c)(7), (9), or (17) Organization (see instructions)

1. Description of income	2. Amount of income	3. Deductions directly connected (attach statement)	4. Set-asides (attach statement)	5. Total deductions and set-asides (add cols 3 and 4)
(1)				
(2)				
(3)				
(4)				
		Add amounts in column 2. Enter here and on Part I, line 9, column (A)		Add amounts in column 5. Enter here and on Part I, line 9, column (B)
Totals		0.		0.

Part VIII Exploited Exempt Activity Income, Other Than Advertising Income (see instructions)

1	Description of exploited activity: _____		
2	Gross unrelated business income from trade or business. Enter here and on Part I, line 10, column (A)	2	
3	Expenses directly connected with production of unrelated business income. Enter here and on Part I, line 10, column (B)	3	
4	Net income (loss) from unrelated trade or business. Subtract line 3 from line 2. If a gain, complete lines 5 through 7	4	
5	Gross income from activity that is not unrelated business income	5	
6	Expenses attributable to income entered on line 5	6	
7	Excess exempt expenses. Subtract line 5 from line 6, but do not enter more than the amount on line 4. Enter here and on Part II, line 12	7	

Part IX Advertising Income

1 Name(s) of periodical(s). Check box if reporting two or more periodicals on a consolidated basis.

- A**
- B**
- C**
- D**

Enter amounts for each periodical listed above in the corresponding column.

	A	B	C	D
2 Gross advertising income				
Add columns A through D. Enter here and on Part I, line 11, column (A)				0.

a				
3 Direct advertising costs by periodical				
a Add columns A through D. Enter here and on Part I, line 11, column (B)				0.

4 Advertising gain (loss). Subtract line 3 from line 2. For any column in line 4 showing a gain, complete lines 5 through 8. For any column in line 4 showing a loss or zero, do not complete lines 5 through 7, and enter zero on line 8

5 Readership costs				
6 Circulation income				
7 Excess readership costs. If line 6 is less than line 5, subtract line 6 from line 5. If line 5 is less than line 6, enter zero				
8 Excess readership costs allowed as a deduction. For each column showing a gain on line 4, enter the lesser of line 4 or line 7				

a Add line 8, columns A through D. Enter the greater of the line 8a, columns total or zero here and on Part II, line 13				
			0.	

Part X Compensation of Officers, Directors, and Trustees (see instructions)

1. Name	2. Title	3. Percentage of time devoted to business	4. Compensation attributable to unrelated business
(1)		%	
(2)		%	
(3)		%	
(4)		%	

Total. Enter here and on Part II, line 1

Part XI Supplemental Information (see instructions)

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EIN: 36-2169139

RECAPTURE OF NOL ARISING IN TAX YEARS BEGINNING BEFORE 1/1/2018

FISCAL YEAR END	NOL REMAINING	RECAPTURED CARRYOVER*	NOL UTILIZED	NOL CARRYFORWARD
6/30/2010	4,123	10,535	-	14,658
6/30/2011	3,781	-	-	3,781
6/30/2012	8,192	-	-	8,192
6/30/2013	10,442	-	-	10,442
TOTAL NOL CARRYOVER AVAILABLE				37,073

***NOL ADJUSTMENT FOR THE TAX YEAR ENDED 6/30/2018**

THE CHICAGO LIGHTHOUSE FOR PEOPLE WHO ARE BLIND OR VISUALLY IMPAIRED ("TAXPAYER") ORIGINALLY FILED FORM 990-T, EXEMPT ORGANIZATION BUSINESS INCOME TAX RETURN, FOR THE TAX YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2018, REPORTING \$10,535 OF TRANSPORTATION BENEFITS TREATED AS UNRELATED BUSINESS INCOME UNDER IRC SECTION 512(a)(7) UNDER THE TAX CUTS AND JOBS ACT OF 2017 ("TCJA"). IN DECEMBER 2019, CONGRESS REPEALED IRC 512(A)(7) (RELATING TO THE TAXABILITY OF TRANSPORTATION FRINGE BENEFITS) RETROACTIVELY TO THE DATE OF ENACTMENT IN 2017. THE NOL GENERATED FOR THE TAX YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2018 HAS BEEN ADJUSTED TO ACCOUNT FOR THE REPEAL OF IRC 512(A)(7).