

Exempt Organization Business Income Tax Return

(and proxy tax under section 6033(e))

2007

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service (77)

For calendar year 2007 or other tax year beginning **JUL 1, 2007**, and ending **JUN 30, 2008**

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

A <input type="checkbox"/> Check box if address changed	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)	Print or Type	Name of organization (<input type="checkbox"/> Check box if name changed and see instructions.) Massachusetts Audubon Society, Inc. Number, street, and room or suite no. If a P.O. box, see page 9 of instructions. 208 South Great Road City or town, state, and ZIP code Lincoln, MA 01773	D Employer identification number (Employees' trust, see instructions for Block D on page 9.) 04-2104702 E Unrelated business activity codes (See instructions for Block E on page 9.) 541800 722320
C Book value of all assets at end of year 226,760,579.	F Group exemption number (see instructions for Block F.) ▶ G Check organization type ▶ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 501(c) corporation <input type="checkbox"/> 501(c) trust <input type="checkbox"/> 401(a) trust <input type="checkbox"/> Other trust			

H Describe the organization's primary unrelated business activity. ▶ **Facility Rental for Weddings**

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

J The books are in care of ▶ **Bancroft Poor** Telephone number ▶ **(781) 259-9500**

Part I Unrelated Trade or Business Income	(A) Income	(B) Expenses	(C) Net
1a Gross receipts or sales <u>78,925.</u>			
b Less returns and allowances <u> </u> c Balance ▶	1c 78,925.		
2 Cost of goods sold (Schedule A, line 7)	2		
3 Gross profit. Subtract line 2 from line 1c	3 78,925.		78,925.
4a Capital gain net income (attach Schedule D)	4a		
b Net gain (loss) (Form 4797, Part II, line 17) (attach Form 4797)	4b		
c Capital loss deduction for trusts	4c		
5 Income (loss) from partnerships and S corporations (attach statement)	5		
6 Rent income (Schedule C)	6		
7 Unrelated debt-financed income (Schedule E)	7		
8 Interest, annuities, royalties, and rents from controlled organizations (Sch. F)	8		
9 Investment income of a section 501(c)(7), (9), or (17) organization (Schedule G)	9		
10 Exploited exempt activity income (Schedule I)	10		
11 Advertising income (Schedule J)	11		
12 Other income (See instructions; attach schedule.)	12		
13 Total. Combine lines 3 through 12	13 78,925.		78,925.

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

14 Compensation of officers, directors, and trustees (Schedule K)	14	
15 Salaries and wages	15	36,007.
16 Repairs and maintenance	16	16,915.
17 Bad debts	17	
18 Interest (attach schedule)	18	
19 Taxes and licenses	19	
20 Charitable contributions (See instructions for limitation rules.)	20	
21 Depreciation (attach Form 4562)	21	
22 Less depreciation claimed on Schedule A and elsewhere on return	22a	22b
23 Depletion	23	
24 Contributions to deferred compensation plans	24	
25 Employee benefit programs	25	
26 Excess exempt expenses (Schedule I)	26	
27 Excess readership costs (Schedule J)	27	
28 Other deductions (attach schedule)	28	See Statement 22 12,666.
29 Total deductions. Add lines 14 through 28	29	65,588.
30 Unrelated business taxable income before net operating loss deduction. Subtract line 29 from line 13	30	13,337.
31 Net operating loss deduction (limited to the amount on line 30)	31	
32 Unrelated business taxable income before specific deduction. Subtract line 31 from line 30	32	13,337.
33 Specific deduction (Generally \$1,000, but see instructions for exceptions)	33	1,000.
34 Unrelated business taxable income. Subtract line 33 from line 32. If line 33 is greater than line 32, enter the smaller of zero or line 32	34	12,337.

Part III Tax Computation

Table with 3 columns: Description, Line Number, Amount. Includes lines 35 (Organizations Taxable as Corporations), 36 (Trusts Taxable at Trust Rates), 37 (Proxy tax), 38 (Alternative minimum tax), and 39 (Total).

Part IV Tax and Payments

Table with 3 columns: Description, Line Number, Amount. Includes lines 40a-d (Credits), 41 (Subtract line 40e), 42 (Other taxes), 43 (Total tax), 44a-f (Payments), 45 (Total payments), 46 (Estimated tax penalty), 47 (Tax due), 48 (Overpayment), and 49 (Enter the amount of line 48).

Part V Statements Regarding Certain Activities and Other Information

Table with 3 columns: Question, Yes, No. Includes questions 1, 2, and 3 regarding foreign accounts, foreign trusts, and tax-exempt interest.

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

Table with 3 columns: Description, Line Number, Amount. Includes lines 1-8 for Cost of Goods Sold calculation and a question about section 263A costs.

Sign Here section containing signature of officer (Burt R. Am), date (11/17/08), title (VP/ Asst. Treas.), preparer's signature (Ruth A. Spencer, CPA), date (11/17/08), firm name (Tonneson & Company CPAs PC), address (401 Edgewater Place, Suite 300, Wakefield, MA 01880-6208), EIN (04-2943536), and phone number ((781)245-9999).

Schedule C - Rent Income (From Real Property and Personal Property Leased With Real Property)(see instr. on pg 20)

Table for Schedule C: Rent Income. Includes columns for Description of property, Rent received or accrued (a) and (b), Deductions directly connected with the income, and Total income vs Total deductions.

Schedule E - Unrelated Debt-Financed Income (See instructions on page 20)

Table for Schedule E: Unrelated Debt-Financed Income. Includes columns for Description of debt-financed property, Gross income from or allocable to debt-financed property, Deductions directly connected with or allocable to debt-financed property, and various calculated columns (4-8).

Schedule F - Interest, Annuities, Royalties, and Rents From Controlled Organizations (See instructions on page 21)

Table for Schedule F: Interest, Annuities, Royalties, and Rents From Controlled Organizations. Includes columns for Name of Controlled Organization, Employer Identification Number, Net unrelated income (loss), Total of specified payments made, Part of column 4 that is included in the controlling organization's gross income, and Deductions directly connected with income in column (5).

Table for Schedule F: Nonexempt Controlled Organizations. Includes columns for Taxable Income, Net unrelated income (loss), Total of specified payments made, Part of column 9 that is included in the controlling organization's gross income, and Deductions directly connected with income in column 10.

Schedule G - Investment Income of a Section 501(c)(7), (9), or (17) Organization (see instructions on page 22)

Table with 5 columns: 1 Description of income, 2 Amount of income, 3 Deductions directly connected, 4 Set-asides, 5 Total deductions and set-asides. Totals row shows 0.

Schedule I - Exploited Exempt Activity Income, Other Than Advertising Income (see instructions on page 22)

Table with 7 columns: 1 Description of exploited activity, 2 Gross unrelated business income, 3 Expenses directly connected, 4 Net income (loss), 5 Gross income from activity, 6 Expenses attributable, 7 Excess exempt expenses. Totals row shows 0.

Schedule J - Advertising Income (see instructions on page 22)

Part I: Table with 7 columns: 1 Name of periodical, 2 Gross advertising income, 3 Direct advertising costs, 4 Advertising gain or (loss), 5 Circulation income, 6 Readership costs, 7 Excess readership costs. Totals row shows 0.

Part II: Income From Periodicals Reported on a Separate Basis (For each periodical listed in Part II, fill in columns 2 through 7 on a line-by-line basis.)

Table with 7 columns: 1 Name of periodical, 2 Gross advertising income, 3 Direct advertising costs, 4 Advertising gain or (loss), 5 Circulation income, 6 Readership costs, 7 Excess readership costs. Totals row shows 0.

Schedule K - Compensation of Officers, Directors, and Trustees (see instructions on page 23)

Table with 4 columns: 1 Name, 2 Title, 3 Percent of time devoted to business, 4 Compensation attributable to unrelated business. Total row shows 0.

Form 990-T

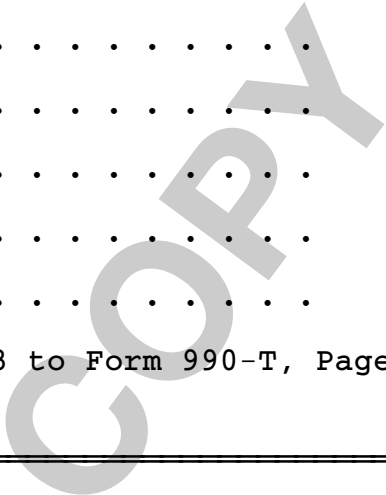
Other Deductions

Statement 22

Description	Amount
Insurance	1,781.
Telephone	336.
Payroll expenses	5,907.
Advertising	2,480.
Miscellaneous	2,162.
Total to Form 990-T, Page 1, line 28	12,666.

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Form 990-T	Tax Computation	Statement 23
1. Taxable Income		12,337
2. Lesser of Line 1 or First Bracket Amount .		12,337
3. Line 1 Less Line 2		0
4. Lesser of Line 3 or Second Bracket Amount .		0
5. Line 3 Less Line 4		0
6. Income Subject to 34% Tax Rate		0
7. Income Subject to 35% Tax Rate		0
8. 15 Percent of Line 2		1,851
9. 25 Percent of Line 4		0
10. 34 Percent of Line 6		0
11. 35 Percent of Line 7		0
12. Additional 5% Surtax.		0
13. Additional 3% Surtax		0
14. Total of lines 8 through 13 to Form 990-T, Page 2, Line 35c		1,851



Depreciation and Amortization 990
(Including Information on Listed Property)

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▶ See separate instructions. ▶ Attach to your tax return.

Attachment
Sequence No. **67**

Name(s) shown on return

Business or activity to which this form relates

Identifying number

Massachusetts Audubon Society, Inc.

Form 990 Page 2

04-2104702

Part I Election To Expense Certain Property Under Section 179 Note: If you have any listed property, complete Part V before you complete Part I.

1	Maximum amount. See the instructions for a higher limit for certain businesses	1	125,000.
2	Total cost of section 179 property placed in service (see instructions)	2	
3	Threshold cost of section 179 property before reduction in limitation	3	500,000.
4	Reduction in limitation. Subtract line 3 from line 2. If zero or less, enter -0-	4	
5	Dollar limitation for tax year. Subtract line 4 from line 1. If zero or less, enter -0-. If married filing separately, see instructions	5	
6	(a) Description of property	(b) Cost (business use only)	(c) Elected cost
7	Listed property. Enter the amount from line 29	7	
8	Total elected cost of section 179 property. Add amounts in column (c), lines 6 and 7	8	
9	Tentative deduction. Enter the smaller of line 5 or line 8	9	
10	Carryover of disallowed deduction from line 13 of your 2006 Form 4562	10	
11	Business income limitation. Enter the smaller of business income (not less than zero) or line 5	11	
12	Section 179 expense deduction. Add lines 9 and 10, but do not enter more than line 11	12	
13	Carryover of disallowed deduction to 2008. Add lines 9 and 10, less line 12	▶ 13	

Note: Do not use Part II or Part III below for listed property. Instead, use Part V.

Part II Special Depreciation Allowance and Other Depreciation (Do not include listed property.)

14	Special depreciation allowance for qualified property (other than listed property) placed in service during the tax year	14	
15	Property subject to section 168(f)(1) election	15	
16	Other depreciation (including ACRS)	16	

Part III MACRS Depreciation (Do not include listed property.) (See instructions.)

Section A

17	MACRS deductions for assets placed in service in tax years beginning before 2007	17	309,431.
18	If you are electing to group any assets placed in service during the tax year into one or more general asset accounts, check here	▶ <input type="checkbox"/>	

Section B - Assets Placed in Service During 2007 Tax Year Using the General Depreciation System

(a) Classification of property	(b) Month and year placed in service	(c) Basis for depreciation (business/investment use only - see instructions)	(d) Recovery period	(e) Convention	(f) Method	(g) Depreciation deduction
19a 3-year property		458,790.	3 Yrs	S/L	S/L	33,502.
b 5-year property		113,626.	5 Yrs	S/L	S/L	11,973.
c 7-year property		129,609.	7 Yrs	S/L	S/L	9,088.
d 10-year property		115,396.	10 Yrs	S/L	S/L	2,826.
e 15-year property						
f 20-year property		782,484.	20 Yrs	S/L	S/L	38,258.
g 25-year property			25 yrs.		S/L	
h Residential rental property	/		27.5 yrs.	MM	S/L	
	/		27.5 yrs.	MM	S/L	
i Nonresidential real property	07 /07	3,204,307.	39 yrs.	MM	S/L	80,108.
	/			MM	S/L	

Section C - Assets Placed in Service During 2007 Tax Year Using the Alternative Depreciation System

20a	Class life				S/L	
b	12-year		12 yrs.		S/L	
c	40-year	/	40 yrs.	MM	S/L	

Part IV Summary (see instructions)

21	Listed property. Enter amount from line 28	21	
22	Total. Add amounts from line 12, lines 14 through 17, lines 19 and 20 in column (g), and line 21. Enter here and on the appropriate lines of your return. Partnerships and S corporations - see instr.	22	485,186.
23	For assets shown above and placed in service during the current year, enter the portion of the basis attributable to section 263A costs	23	

Part V Listed Property (Include automobiles, certain other vehicles, cellular telephones, certain computers, and property used for entertainment, recreation, or amusement.)

Note: For any vehicle for which you are using the standard mileage rate or deducting lease expense, complete only 24a, 24b, columns (a) through (c) of Section A, all of Section B, and Section C if applicable.

Section A - Depreciation and Other Information (Caution: See the instructions for limits for passenger automobiles.)

24a Do you have evidence to support the business/investment use claimed? Yes No 24b If "Yes," is the evidence written? Yes No

Table with 9 columns: (a) Type of property, (b) Date placed in service, (c) Business/investment use percentage, (d) Cost or other basis, (e) Basis for depreciation, (f) Recovery period, (g) Method/Convention, (h) Depreciation deduction, (i) Elected section 179 cost.

25 Special depreciation allowance for qualified listed property placed in service during the tax year and used more than 50% in a qualified business use 25

26 Property used more than 50% in a qualified business use: Table with 9 columns for property details.

27 Property used 50% or less in a qualified business use: Table with 9 columns for property details.

28 Add amounts in column (h), lines 25 through 27. Enter here and on line 21, page 1 28

29 Add amounts in column (i), line 26. Enter here and on line 7, page 1 29

Section B - Information on Use of Vehicles

Complete this section for vehicles used by a sole proprietor, partner, or other "more than 5% owner," or related person. If you provided vehicles to your employees, first answer the questions in Section C to see if you meet an exception to completing this section for those vehicles.

Table for Section B with 6 main columns: (a) Vehicle, (b) Vehicle, (c) Vehicle, (d) Vehicle, (e) Vehicle, (f) Vehicle. Includes rows 30-36 for mileage and personal use questions.

Section C - Questions for Employers Who Provide Vehicles for Use by Their Employees

Answer these questions to determine if you meet an exception to completing Section B for vehicles used by employees who are not more than 5% owners or related persons.

Table for Section C with 2 columns: Yes, No. Includes rows 37-41 for policy and use questions.

Note: If your answer to 37, 38, 39, 40, or 41 is "Yes," do not complete Section B for the covered vehicles.

Part VI Amortization

Table with 6 columns: (a) Description of costs, (b) Date amortization begins, (c) Amortizable amount, (d) Code section, (e) Amortization period or percentage, (f) Amortization for this year.

42 Amortization of costs that begins during your 2007 tax year: Table with 6 columns for amortization details.

43 Amortization of costs that began before your 2007 tax year 43

44 Total. Add amounts in column (f). See the instructions for where to report 44

Form **8879-EO**

**IRS e-file Signature Authorization
for an Exempt Organization**

OMB No. 1545-1878

For calendar year 2007, or fiscal year beginning JUL 1, 2007, and ending JUN 30, 2008

2007

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Internal Revenue Service

▶ **Do not send to the IRS. Keep for your records.**
▶ **See instructions.**

Return ID (20-digit number) ▶

N/A

Name of exempt organization

Massachusetts Audubon Society, Inc.

Employer identification number

04-2104702

Name and title of officer

**Bancroft Poor
VP/ Asst. Treas.**

Part I Type of Return and Return Information (Whole Dollars Only)

Check the box for the return for which you are using this Form 8879-EO and enter the applicable amount from the return if any. If you check the box on line 1a, 2a, 3a, 4a, or 5a, below, and the amount on that line for the return for which you are filing this form was blank, then leave line 1b, 2b, 3b, 4b, or 5b, whichever is applicable, blank (do not enter -0-). But, if you entered -0- on the return, then enter -0- on the applicable line below. Do not complete more than 1 line in Part I.

1a Form 990 check here ▶ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	b Total revenue, if any (Form 990, line 12)	1b <u>28503764</u>
2a Form 990-EZ check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>	b Total revenue, if any (Form 990-EZ, line 9)	2b _____
3a Form 1120-POL check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>	b Total tax (Form 1120-POL, line 22)	3b _____
4a Form 990-PF check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>	b Tax Based on Investment Income (Form 990-PF, Part VI, line 5)	4b _____
5a Form 8868 check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>	b Balance Due (Form 8868, line 3c)	5b _____

Part II Declaration and Signature Authorization of Officer

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I am an officer of the above organization and that I have examined a copy of the organization's 2007 electronic return and accompanying schedules and statements and to the best of my knowledge and belief, they are true, correct, and complete. I further declare that the amount in Part I above is the amount shown on the copy of the organization's electronic return. I consent to allow my intermediate service provider, transmitter, or electronic return originator (ERO) to send the organization's return to the IRS and to receive from the IRS (a) an acknowledgement of receipt or reason for rejection of the transmission, (b) an indication of any refund offset, (c) the reason for any delay in processing the return or refund, and (d) the date of any refund. If applicable, I authorize the U.S. Treasury and its designated Financial Agent to initiate an electronic funds withdrawal (direct debit) entry to the financial institution account indicated in the tax preparation software for payment of the organization's federal taxes owed on this return, and the financial institution to debit the entry to this account. To revoke a payment, I must contact the U.S. Treasury Financial Agent at 1-888-353-4537 no later than 2 business days prior to the payment (settlement) date. I also authorize the financial institutions involved in the processing of the electronic payment of taxes to receive confidential information necessary to answer inquiries and resolve issues related to the payment. I have selected a personal identification number (PIN) as my signature for the organization's electronic return and, if applicable, the organization's consent to electronic funds withdrawal.

Officer's PIN: check one box only

I authorize Tonneson & Company CPAs PC to enter my PIN 41076
ERO firm name do not enter all zeros

as my signature on the organization's tax year 2007 electronically filed return. If I have indicated within this return that a copy of the return is being filed with a state agency(ies) regulating charities as part of the IRS Fed/State program, I also authorize the aforementioned ERO to enter my PIN on the return's disclosure consent screen.

As an officer of the organization, I will enter my PIN as my signature on the organization's tax year 2007 electronically filed return. If I have indicated within this return that a copy of the return is being filed with a state agency(ies) regulating charities as part of the IRS Fed/State program, I will enter my PIN on the return's disclosure consent screen.

Officer's signature ▶ ******* THIS IS NOT A FILEABLE COPY ******* Date ▶ _____

Part III Certification and Authentication

ERO's EFIN/PIN. Enter your six-digit EFIN followed by your five-digit self-selected PIN. 04132386663
do not enter all zeros

I certify that the above numeric entry is my PIN, which is my signature on the 2007 electronically filed return for the organization indicated above. I confirm that I am submitting this return in accordance with the requirements of Pub. 4163, Modernized e-File (MeF) Information for Authorized IRS e-file Providers.

ERO's signature ▶ _____ Date ▶ 11/17/08

**ERO Must Retain This Form - See Instructions
Do Not Submit This Form To the IRS Unless Requested To Do So**