

# Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

**2022**

Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except private foundations)

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Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

**A** For the **2022** calendar year, or tax year beginning , **2022**, and ending , **20**

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

**C** Name of organization **COMMISSIONED BELIEVERS DEAF MINISTRIES**  
 Doing business as **HAITI DEAF ACADEMY**  
 Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite  
**3766 WALKER ROAD**  
 City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code  
**Walker, IA 52352**

**D** Employer identification number  
**20-1150550**

**E** Telephone number  
**(484) 784-8703**

**G** Gross receipts  
\$ **369,454**

**F** Name and address of principal officer:  
**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) ( ) (insert no.)  4947(a)(1) or  527

**J** Website: **N/A**

**K** Form of organization:  Corporation  Trust  Association  Other **L** Year of formation: **2004** **M** State of legal domicile: **ID**

**Part I Summary**

Activities & Governance	1	Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities: <b>Locate the deaf and hard of hearing children in Haiti. Then, open doors by offering opportunities leading to a life of self-reliance, in lieu of a life of disability. This is accomplished by providing language acquisition (Haitian Sign Language), education, vocational life...</b>	
	2	Check this box <input type="checkbox"/> if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its net assets.	
	3	Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a)	3 4
	4	Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)	4 0
	5	Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2022 (Part V, line 2a)	5 0
	6	Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)	6
	7a	Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12	7a 0
	7b	Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, Part I, line 11	7b 0
Revenue	8	Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)	412,570 367,521
	9	Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)	0
	10	Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)	304 29
	11	Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)	1,904
	12	Total revenue - add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	412,874 369,454
Expenses	13	Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3)	5,376 0
	14	Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)	2,364
	15	Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-10)	114,025 88,643
	16a	Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)	0
	16b	Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25)	0
	17	Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24e)	199,100 198,676
18	Total expenses. Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	318,501 289,683	
19	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 18 from line 12	94,373 79,771	
Net Assets or Fund Balances	20	Total assets (Part X, line 16)	260,005 339,776
	21	Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)	0
	22	Net assets or fund balances. Subtract line 21 from line 20	260,005 339,776

**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**

**Stephanie Deeb**  
Signature of officer Date

**Stephanie Deeb, Chairperson**  
Type or print name and title

**Paid Preparer Use Only**

Print/Type preparer's name Preparer's signature Date Check  if self-employed PTIN  
**JONATHAN G GIBBS** **JONATHAN G GIBBS** **11-20-2023**  **XXXXX5920**

Firm's name **ACCOUNTSERV CPAS PLLC** Firm's EIN  
 Firm's address **PO Box 1388** Phone no. **208-887-3567**  
**Meridian ID 83680**

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? See instructions  Yes  No

For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the separate instructions.

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: Locate the deaf and hard of hearing children in Haiti. Then, open doors by offering opportunities leading to a life of self-reliance, in lieu of a life of disability. This is accomplished by providing language acquisition (Haitian Sign Language), education, vocational life...

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

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

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 \$ 289,683 including grants of \$ ) (Revenue \$ 367,521 ) Haitian unrest has continued and elevated to extreme levels over the course of 2022. Due to this unrest, schools, banks, hospitals, etc.. have been closed, some temporarily others permanently. Yet, at every opportunity that it was safe and we had access to provisions, food, water, medical, etc., our children have been on campus. Language development is critical and lapses in learning are difficult to catch up on. We had 44 students enrolled in 2022, 3 of those children are new, under age 6 and absorbing language for the very first time. We are also blessed to have 14 wonderfully skilled deaf staff members. The acquisition of language enables self-expression, the ability to advocate for one's self and to even understand encouragement when being offered.

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

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

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

4e Total program service expenses 289,683