Form 990

Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

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

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

A For the 2009 calendar year, or tax year beginning JAN 1, 2009 and ending MAY 31, 2009

B Check if applicable:
- [ ] Address Change
- [ ] Name Change
- [ ] Initial Return
- [ ] Amended Return
- [ ] Application pending

C Name of organization

The Pachamama Alliance

Doing Business As

Presidio Bldg 1009

City or town, state or country, and ZIP + 4

San Francisco, CA 94129

D Employer identification number

94-3249793

E Telephone number

(415) 561-4522

G Gross receipts $ 1,200,723

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

If "No," attach a list. (see instructions)

H(b) Are all affiliates included? [ ] Yes [ ] No

J Website: [ ] Corporation [x] Trust [ ] Association [ ] Other

K Form of organization: [ ] Corporation [x] Trust [ ] Association [ ] Other

L Year of formation: 1996

M State of legal domicile: CA

Part I Summary

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities: The mission of The Pachamama Alliance is: To preserve the Earth's tropical rainforests by

2 Check this box [ ] 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)

4 Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)

5 Total number of employees (Part V, line 2a)

6 Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)

7a Total gross unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12

7b Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34

8 Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)

9 Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)

10 Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)

11 Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 6c, 6e, 6g, 6e, 10c, and 11e)

12 Total revenue - add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)

13 Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3)

14 Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)

15 Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-10)

16a Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11)

16b Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25)

17 Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24f)

18 Total expenses. Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)

19 Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 18 from line 12

20 Total assets (Part X, line 16)

21 Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)

22 Net assets of fund balances. Subtract line 21 from line 20

Prior Year 2,652,646 1,017,639

Current Year 2,652,646 1,017,639

Payment

Paid by: [ ] Check if self-employed [X]

Preparer's signature: [ ] Check if self-employed [X]

Preparer's identifying number (see instructions)

EIN ( )

Date 04/15/10

Phone no. (415) 566-4619

x Yes [ ] No

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? (see instructions)

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See Schedule O for Organization Mission Statement Continuation