



Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service  
Tax Exempt and Government Entities  
P.O. Box 2508  
Cincinnati, OH 45201

Date:  
12/30/2025  
Employer ID number:  
99-2607154  
Form 990/990EZ/990-N required:  
Yes  
Person to contact:  
Name: Yolanda Vallet  
ID number: 3954931  
Telephone: 877-829-5500

ETHIOPIAN GIRLS BRIGHT FUTURE FUND  
10670 HAWTHORN TRAIL  
SAINT PAUL, MN 55129-8768

Dear Applicant:

In your letter dated December 8, 2025, you requested a reclassification of foundation status as a public charity.

Our records indicate you are classified as a private foundation. You claim you're erroneously classified as a private foundation and are requesting correction of the error.

Based on the information you provided, we determined you meet the requirements for classification as a public charity described in IRC Sections 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi) and updated our records.

Because your tax-exempt status wasn't under consideration, you continue to be classified as an organization exempt from federal income tax under IRC Section 501(c)(3).

For important information about your responsibilities as a tax-exempt organization, go to [www.irs.gov/charities](http://www.irs.gov/charities). Enter "4221-PC" in the search bar to view Publication 4221-PC, Compliance Guide for 501(c)(3) Public Charities, which describes your recordkeeping, reporting, and disclosure requirements.

This letter could help resolve questions on your foundation status. Keep it for your records.

Sincerely,

Stephen A. Martin  
Director, Exempt Organizations  
Rulings and Agreements



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Date:  
04/29/2024  
Employer ID number:  
99-2607154  
Person to contact:  
Name: Customer Service  
ID number: 31954  
Telephone: 877-829-5500  
Accounting period ending:  
December 31  
Form 990-PF required:  
Yes  
Effective date of exemption:  
April 22, 2024  
Addendum applies:  
No  
DLN:  
26053515004864

Dear Applicant:

We're pleased to tell you we determined you're exempt from federal income tax under Internal Revenue Code (IRC) Section 501(c)(3). Donors can deduct contributions they make to you under IRC Section 170. You're also qualified to receive tax deductible bequests, devises, transfers or gifts under Section 2055, 2106, or 2522. This letter could help resolve questions on your exempt status. Please keep it for your records.

Organizations exempt under IRC Section 501(c)(3) are further classified as either public charities or private foundations. We determined you're a private foundation within the meaning of Section 509(a).

You're required to file Form 990-PF, Return of Private Foundation or Section 4947(a)(1) Trust Treated as Private Foundation, annually, whether or not you have income or activity during the year. If you don't file a required return or notice for three consecutive years, your exempt status will be automatically revoked.

If we indicated at the top of this letter that an addendum applies, the enclosed addendum is an integral part of this letter.

For important information about your responsibilities as a tax-exempt organization, go to [www.irs.gov/charities](http://www.irs.gov/charities). Enter "4221-PF" in the search bar to view Publication 4221-PF, Compliance Guide for 501(c)(3) Private Foundations, which describes your recordkeeping, reporting, and disclosure requirements.

Sincerely,

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