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Form **8879-TE**

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

IRS E-file Signature Authorization for a Tax Exempt Entity

For calendar year 2023, or fiscal year beginning MAY 1, 2023, and ending APR 30, 2024

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OMB No. 1545-0047

2023

Name of filer
CHARITIES AID FOUNDATION AMERICA

EIN or SSN
43-1634280

Name and title of officer or person subject to tax JESSICA KRAFFT
INTERIM PRESIDENT & CEO

Part I Type of Return and Return Information

Check the box for the return for which you are using this Form 8879-TE and enter the applicable amount, if any, from the return. Form 8038-CP and Form 5330 filers may enter dollars and cents. For all other forms, enter whole dollars only. If you check the box on line **1a, 2a, 3a, 4a, 5a, 6a, 7a, 8a, 9a,** or **10a** below, and the amount on that line for the return being filed with this form was blank, then leave line **1b, 2b, 3b, 4b, 5b, 6b, 7b, 8b, 9b,** or **10b,** 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 one line in Part I.

1a	**Form 990** check here	[X]	**b** **Total revenue,** if any (Form 990, Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	**1b**	951,859,237.
2a	**Form 990-EZ** check here		**b** **Total revenue,** if any (Form 990-EZ, line 9)	**2b**	
3a	**Form 1120-POL** check here		**b** **Total tax** (Form 1120-POL, line 22)	**3b**	
4a	**Form 990-PF** check here		**b** **Tax based on investment income** (Form 990-PF, Part V, line 5)	**4b**	
5a	**Form 8868** check here		**b** **Balance due** (Form 8868, line 3c)	**5b**	
6a	**Form 990-T** check here		**b** **Total tax** (Form 990-T, Part III, line 4)	**6b**	
7a	**Form 4720** check here		**b** **Total tax** (Form 4720, Part III, line 1)	**7b**	
8a	**Form 5227** check here		**b** **FMV of assets at end of tax year** (Form 5227, Item D)	**8b**	
9a	**Form 5330** check here		**b** **Tax due** (Form 5330, Part II, line 19)	**9b**	
10a	**Form 8038-CP** check here		**b** **Amount of credit payment requested** (Form 8038-CP, Part III, line 22)	**10b**	

Part II Declaration and Signature Authorization of Officer or Person Subject to Tax

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that [X] I am an officer of the above entity or [ ] I am a person subject to tax with respect to (name of entity) _____, (EIN) _____ and that I have examined a copy of the 2023 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 electronic return. I consent to allow my intermediate service provider, transmitter, or electronic return originator (ERO) to send the return to the IRS and to receive from the IRS **(a)** an acknowledgement of receipt or reason for rejection of the transmission, **(b)** the reason for any delay in processing the return or refund, and **(c)** 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 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 electronic return and, if applicable, the consent to electronic funds withdrawal.

PIN: check one box only

[X] I authorize GRANT THORNTON ADVISORS LLC to enter my PIN 46814

ERO firm name

Enter five numbers, but do not enter all zeros

as my signature on the tax year 2023 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 or person subject to tax with respect to the entity, I will enter my PIN as my signature on the tax year 2023 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.

Signature of officer or person subject to tax Jessica Krafft Date 2/27/2025

Part III Certification and Authentication

ERO's EFIN/PIN. Enter your six-digit electronic filing identification number (EFIN) followed by your five-digit self-selected PIN. 54052436605

Do not enter all zeros

I certify that the above numeric entry is my PIN, which is my signature on the 2023 electronically filed return 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 for Business Returns.

ERO's signature Mary Jorretta Date 2/26/2025

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Form **990**

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except private foundations)
Do not enter social security numbers on this form as it may be made public.
Go to www.irs.gov/Form990 for instructions and the latest information.

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Open to Public Inspection

A For the 2023 calendar year, or tax year beginning MAY 1, 2023 **and ending** APR 30, 2024

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

C Name of organization
CHARITIES AID FOUNDATION AMERICA

Doing business as

Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address) 225 REINEKERS LANE

Room/suite 375

City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code
ALEXANDRIA, VA 22314

D Employer identification number
43-1634280

E Telephone number
(202)-793-2232

G Gross receipts $ 1,143,016,665.

F Name and address of principal officer: JESSICA KRAFFT
SAME AS C ABOVE

H(a) Is this a group return for subordinates? Yes [X] 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: [X] 501(c)(3) 501(c) ( ) (insert no.) 4947(a)(1) or 527

J Website: WWW.CAFAMERICA.ORG

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

L Year of formation: 1992

M State of legal domicile: DE

Part I Summary

Activities & Governance

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities: TO ENABLE U.S. TAXPAYERS TO GIVE TO VALIDATED CHARITIES ACROSS BORDERS AROUND THE WORLD.

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)	3	11
4	Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)	4	11
5	Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2023 (Part V, line 2a)	5	133
6	Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)	6	15
7a	Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12	7a	0.
b	Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, Part I, line 11	7b	0.

Revenue

		Prior Year	Current Year
8	Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)	813,073,066.	927,224,718.
9	Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)	983,354.	798,172.
10	Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)	2,040,993.	23,450,497.
11	Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)	321,418.	385,850.
12	Total revenue - add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	816,418,831.	951,859,237.

Expenses

13	Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3)	702,422,859.	884,731,548.
14	Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)	0.	0.
15	Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-10)	11,381,496.	15,395,067.
16a	Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)	25,582,528.	502,440.
b	Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) 1,727,454.		
17	Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24e)	8,687,020.	10,864,348.
18	Total expenses. Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	748,073,903.	911,493,403.
19	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 18 from line 12	68,344,928.	40,365,834.

Net Assets or Fund Balances

		Beginning of Current Year	End of Year
20	Total assets (Part X, line 16)	401,011,474.	444,916,585.
21	Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)	10,054,305.	13,004,718.
22	Net assets or fund balances. Subtract line 21 from line 20	390,957,169.	431,911,867.

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

Jessica Krafft
Signature of officer — Date: 2/27/2025

JESSICA KRAFFT, INTERIM PRESIDENT & CEO
Type or print name and title

Paid Preparer Use Only

Print/Type preparer's name	Preparer's signature	Date	Check if self-employed	PTIN
MARY TORRETTA	Mary Torretta	2/26/2025		P00847851

Firm's name GRANT THORNTON ADVISORS LLC — Firm's EIN 99-1856619

Firm's address 1000 WILSON BOULEVARD, SUITE 1500
ARLINGTON, VA 22209 — Phone no. (703) 847-7500

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

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