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Return of U.S. Persons With Respect to Certain Foreign Partnerships

2020

Attachment Sequence No. **865**

▶ Attach to your tax return.
▶ Go to www.irs.gov/Form8865 for instructions and the latest information.

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Information furnished for the foreign partnership's tax year beginning , 2020, and ending , 20

Name of person filing this return _____ Filer's identification number _____

Filer's address (if you aren't filing this form with your tax return) _____
A Category of filer (see **Categories of Filers** in the instructions and check applicable box(es)):
1 2 3 4
B Filer's tax year beginning , 20 , and ending , 20

C Filer's share of liabilities: Nonrecourse \$ _____ Qualified nonrecourse financing \$ _____ Other \$ _____

D If filer is a member of a consolidated group but not the parent, enter the following information about the parent:
Name _____ EIN _____
Address _____

E Check if any excepted specified foreign financial assets are reported on this form. See instructions

F Information about certain other partners (see instructions)

(1) Name	(2) Address	(3) Identification number	(4) Check applicable box(es)		
			Category 1	Category 2	Constructive owner

G1 Name and address of foreign partnership _____
2(a) EIN (if any) _____
2(b) Reference ID number (see instructions) _____
3 Country under whose laws organized _____

4 Date of organization	5 Principal place of business	6 Principal business activity code number	7 Principal business activity	8a Functional currency	8b Exchange rate (see instructions)
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H Provide the following information for the foreign partnership's tax year:

1 Name, address, and identification number of agent (if any) in the United States _____

2 Check if the foreign partnership must file:
 Form 1042 Form 8804 Form 1065
Service Center where Form 1065 is filed: _____

3 Name and address of foreign partnership's agent in country of organization, if any _____

4 Name and address of person(s) with custody of the books and records of the foreign partnership, and the location of such books and records, if different _____

5 During the tax year, did the foreign partnership pay or accrue any interest or royalty for which one or more partners aren't allowed a deduction under section 267A? See instructions ▶ Yes No
If "Yes," enter the total amount of the disallowed deductions ▶ \$ _____

6 Is the partnership a section 721(c) partnership, as defined in Regulations section 1.721(c)-1(b)(14)? ▶ Yes No

7 Were any special allocations made by the foreign partnership? ▶ Yes No

8 Enter the number of Forms 8858, Information Return of U.S. Persons With Respect to Foreign Disregarded Entities (FDEs) and Foreign Branches (FBs), attached to this return. See instructions ▶ _____

9 How is this partnership classified under the law of the country in which it's organized? ▶ _____

10a Does the filer have an interest in the foreign partnership, or an interest indirectly through the foreign partnership, that's a separate unit under Reg. 1.1503(d)-1(b)(4) or part of a combined separate unit under Reg. 1.1503(d)-1(b)(4)(ii)? If "No," skip question 10b ▶ Yes No

b If "Yes," does the separate unit or combined separate unit have a dual consolidated loss, as defined in Reg. 1.1503(d)-1(b)(5)(ii)? ▶ Yes No

11 Does this partnership meet **both** of the following requirements? }
1. The partnership's total receipts for the tax year were less than \$250,000.
2. The value of the partnership's total assets at the end of the tax year was less than \$1 million. } ▶ Yes No
If "Yes," don't complete Schedules L, M-1, and M-2.

- 12a** Is the filer of this Form 8865 claiming a foreign-derived intangible income deduction (under section 250) with respect to any amounts listed on Schedule N? Yes No
- b** If "Yes," enter the amount of gross income derived from sales, leases, exchanges, or other dispositions (but not licenses) from transactions with or by the foreign partnership that the filer included in its computation of foreign-derived deduction eligible income (FDDEI) _____
- c** If "Yes," enter the amount of gross income derived from a license of property to or by the foreign partnership that the filer included in its computation of FDDEI _____
- d** If "Yes," enter the amount of gross income derived from services provided to or by the foreign partnership that the filer included in its computation of FDDEI _____
- 13** Enter the number of foreign partners subject to section 864(c)(8) as a result of transferring all or a portion of an interest in the partnership or of receiving a distribution from the partnership _____
- 14** At any time during the tax year were any transfers between the partnership and its partners subject to the disclosure requirements of Regulations section 1.707-8? Yes No
- 15a** Were there any transfers of property or money within a 2-year period between the partnership and any of its partners that would require disclosure under Regs. 1.707-3 or 1.707-6? If "Yes," attach a statement identifying the transfers, the amount or value of each transfer, and an explanation of the tax treatment. See instructions for exceptions Yes No
- b** Did the partnership assume a liability or receive property subject to a liability where such liability was incurred by a partner within a 2-year period of transferring the property to the partnership? If "Yes," attach a statement identifying the property transferred, the amount or value of each transfer, the debt assumed or taken by the partnership, and an explanation of the tax treatment Yes No

Sign Here Only if You're Filing This Form Separately and Not With Your Tax Return. 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 general partner or limited liability company member) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.

Signature of general partner or limited liability company member _____ Date _____

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Print/Type preparer's name	Preparer's signature	Date	Check <input type="checkbox"/> if self-employed	PTIN
Firm's name	Firm's EIN			Phone no.
Firm's address				

Schedule A-1 Constructive Ownership of Partnership Interest. Check the boxes that apply to the filer. If you check box **b**, enter the name, address, and U.S. taxpayer identification number (if any) of the person(s) whose interest you constructively own. See instructions.

a <input type="checkbox"/> Owns a direct interest	b <input type="checkbox"/> Owns a constructive interest			
Name	Address	Identification number (if any)	Check if foreign person	Check if direct partner

Schedule A-1 Certain Partners of Foreign Partnership (see instructions)

Name	Address	Identification number (if any)	Check if foreign person

Schedule A-2 Foreign Partners of Section 721(c) Partnership (see instructions)

Name of foreign partner	Address	Country of organization (if any)	U.S. taxpayer identification number (if any)	Check if related to U.S. transferor	Percentage interest	
					Capital	Profits
				<input type="checkbox"/>	%	%
				<input type="checkbox"/>	%	%

Does the partnership have any other foreign person as a direct partner? Yes No

Schedule A-3 Affiliation Schedule. List all partnerships (foreign or domestic) in which the foreign partnership owns a direct interest or indirectly owns a 10% interest.

Name	Address	EIN (if any)	Total ordinary income or loss	Check if foreign partnership

Schedule B Income Statement—Trade or Business Income

Caution: Include **only** trade or business income and expenses on lines 1a through 22 below. See the instructions for more information.

Income	1 a Gross receipts or sales	1a		
	b Less returns and allowances	1b		1c
	2 Cost of goods sold			2
	3 Gross profit. Subtract line 2 from line 1c			3
	4 Ordinary income (loss) from other partnerships, estates, and trusts (attach statement)			4
	5 Net farm profit (loss) (attach Schedule F (Form 1040))			5
	6 Net gain (loss) from Form 4797, Part II, line 17 (attach Form 4797)			6
	7 Other income (loss) (attach statement)			7
8 Total income (loss). Combine lines 3 through 7			8	
Deductions (see instructions for limitations)	9 Salaries and wages (other than to partners) (less employment credits)			9
	10 Guaranteed payments to partners			10
	11 Repairs and maintenance			11
	12 Bad debts			12
	13 Rent			13
	14 Taxes and licenses			14
	15 Interest (see instructions)			15
	16 a Depreciation (if required, attach Form 4562)	16a		
	b Less depreciation reported elsewhere on return	16b		16c
	17 Depletion (Don't deduct oil and gas depletion.)			17
	18 Retirement plans, etc.			18
	19 Employee benefit programs			19
	20 Other deductions (attach statement)			20
21 Total deductions. Add the amounts shown in the far right column for lines 9 through 20			21	
22 Ordinary business income (loss) from trade or business activities. Subtract line 21 from line 8			22	
Tax and Payment	23 Reserved for future use			23
	24 Reserved for future use			24
	25 Reserved for future use			25
	26 Reserved for future use			26
	27 Reserved for future use			27
	28 Reserved for future use			28
	29 Reserved for future use			29
	30 Reserved for future use			30

Schedule K Partners' Distributive Share Items

Total amount

Income (Loss)	1 Ordinary business income (loss) (Schedule B, line 22)			1
	2 Net rental real estate income (loss) (attach Form 8825)			2
	3 a Other gross rental income (loss)	3a		
	b Expenses from other rental activities (attach statement)	3b		
	c Other net rental income (loss). Subtract line 3b from line 3a			3c
	4 Guaranteed payments: a Services 4a b Capital 4b			
	c Total. Add line 4a and line 4b			4c
	5 Interest income			5
	6 Dividends and dividend equivalents: a Ordinary dividends b Qualified dividends c Dividend equivalents	6b		6a
		6c		
	7 Royalties			7
8 Net short-term capital gain (loss) (attach Schedule D (Form 1065))			8	
9 a Net long-term capital gain (loss) (attach Schedule D (Form 1065))			9 a	
b Collectibles (28%) gain (loss)	9b			
c Unrecaptured section 1250 gain (attach statement)	9c			
10 Net section 1231 gain (loss) (attach Form 4797)			10	
11 Other income (loss) (see instructions) Type ▶			11	
Deductions	12 Section 179 deduction (attach Form 4562)			12
	13 a Contributions			13 a
	b Investment interest expense			13 b
	c Section 59(e)(2) expenditures: (1) Type ▶ (2) Amount ▶			13 c(2)
d Other deductions (see instructions) Type ▶			13 d	

Schedule K Partners' Distributive Share Items <i>(continued)</i>		Total amount		
Self-Employment	14a Net earnings (loss) from self-employment	14a		
	b Gross farming or fishing income	14b		
	c Gross nonfarm income	14c		
Credits	15a Low-income housing credit (section 42(j)(5))	15a		
	b Low-income housing credit (other)	15b		
	c Qualified rehabilitation expenditures (rental real estate) (attach Form 3468)	15c		
	d Other rental real estate credits (see instructions) Type ▶	15d		
	e Other rental credits (see instructions) Type ▶	15e		
	f Other credits (see instructions) Type ▶	15f		
Foreign Transactions	16a Name of country or U.S. possession ▶			
	b Gross income from all sources	16b		
	c Gross income sourced at partner level	16c		
	Foreign gross income sourced at partnership level			
	d Reserved for future use ▶	e Foreign branch category ▶	16e	
	f Passive category ▶	g General category ▶	h Other (attach statement) ▶	16h
	Deductions allocated and apportioned at partner level			
	i Interest expense ▶	j Other ▶	16j	
	Deductions allocated and apportioned at partnership level to foreign source income			
	k Reserved for future use ▶	l Foreign branch category ▶	16l	
	m Passive category ▶	n General category ▶	o Other (attach statement) ▶	16o
	p Total foreign taxes (check one): <input type="checkbox"/> Paid <input type="checkbox"/> Accrued		16p	
	q Reduction in taxes available for credit (attach statement)		16q	
r Other foreign tax information (attach statement)				
Alternative Minimum Tax (AMT) Items	17a Post-1986 depreciation adjustment	17a		
	b Adjusted gain or loss	17b		
	c Depletion (other than oil and gas)	17c		
	d Oil, gas, and geothermal properties—gross income	17d		
	e Oil, gas, and geothermal properties—deductions	17e		
	f Other AMT items (attach statement)	17f		
Other Information	18a Tax-exempt interest income	18a		
	b Other tax-exempt income	18b		
	c Nondeductible expenses	18c		
	19a Distributions of cash and marketable securities	19a		
	b Distributions of other property	19b		
	20a Investment income	20a		
	b Investment expenses	20b		
c Other items and amounts (attach statement)				

Schedule L Balance Sheets per Books. (Not required if Item H11, page 1, is answered "Yes.")		Beginning of tax year		End of tax year	
Assets		(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)
1	Cash				
2a	Trade notes and accounts receivable				
b	Less allowance for bad debts				
3	Inventories				
4	U.S. government obligations				
5	Tax-exempt securities				
6	Other current assets (attach statement)				
7a	Loans to partners (or persons related to partners)				
b	Mortgage and real estate loans				
8	Other investments (attach statement)				
9a	Buildings and other depreciable assets				
b	Less accumulated depreciation				
10a	Depletable assets				
b	Less accumulated depletion				
11	Land (net of any amortization)				
12a	Intangible assets (amortizable only)				
b	Less accumulated amortization				

Schedule L Balance Sheets per Books. (Not required if Item H11, page 1, is answered "Yes.") (continued)

	Beginning of tax year		End of tax year	
	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)
13 Other assets (attach statement)				
14 Total assets				
Liabilities and Capital				
15 Accounts payable				
16 Mortgages, notes, bonds payable in less than 1 year				
17 Other current liabilities (attach statement)				
18 All nonrecourse loans				
19a Loans from partners (or persons related to partners)				
b Mortgages, notes, bonds payable in 1 year or more				
20 Other liabilities (attach statement)				
21 Partners' capital accounts				
22 Total liabilities and capital				

Schedule M Balance Sheets for Interest Allocation

	(a) Beginning of tax year	(b) End of tax year
1 Total U.S. assets		
2 Total foreign assets:		
a Passive category		
b General category		
c Other (attach statement)		

Schedule M-1 Reconciliation of Income (Loss) per Books With Income (Loss) per Return. (Not required if Item H11, page 1, is answered "Yes.")

1 Net income (loss) per books		6 Income recorded on books this tax year not included on Schedule K, lines 1 through 11 (itemize):	
2 Income included on Schedule K, lines 1, 2, 3c, 5, 6a, 7, 8, 9a, 10, and 11 not recorded on books this tax year (itemize): \$ _____		a Tax-exempt interest \$ _____	
3 Guaranteed payments (other than health insurance)		7 Deductions included on Schedule K, lines 1 through 13d, and 16p not charged against book income this tax year (itemize):	
4 Expenses recorded on books this tax year not included on Schedule K, lines 1 through 13d, and 16p (itemize):		a Depreciation \$ _____	
a Depreciation \$ _____			
b Travel and entertainment \$ _____		8 Add lines 6 and 7	
5 Add lines 1 through 4		9 Income (loss). Subtract line 8 from line 5	

Schedule M-2 Analysis of Partners' Capital Accounts. (Not required if Item H11, page 1, is answered "Yes.")

1 Balance at beginning of tax year		6 Distributions: a Cash	
2 Capital contributed:		b Property	
a Cash		7 Other decreases (itemize): \$ _____	
b Property			
3 Net income (loss) per books			
4 Other increases (itemize): \$ _____		8 Add lines 6 and 7	
		9 Balance at end of tax year. Subtract line 8 from line 5	
5 Add lines 1 through 4			

Schedule N Transactions Between Controlled Foreign Partnership and Partners or Other Related Entities

Important: Complete a separate Form 8865 and Schedule N for each controlled foreign partnership. Enter the totals for each type of transaction that occurred between the foreign partnership and the persons listed in columns (a) through (d).

Transactions of foreign partnership	(a) U.S. person filing this return	(b) Any domestic corporation or partnership controlling or controlled by the U.S. person filing this return	(c) Any other foreign corporation or partnership controlling or controlled by the U.S. person filing this return	(d) Any U.S. person with a 10% or more direct interest in the controlled foreign partnership (other than the U.S. person filing this return)
1 Sales of inventory				
2 Sales of property rights (patents, trademarks, etc.)				
3 Compensation received for technical, managerial, engineering, construction, or like services				
4 Commissions received				
5 Rents, royalties, and license fees received				
6 Distributions received				
7 Interest received				
8 Other				
9 Add lines 1 through 8				
10 Purchases of inventory				
11 Purchases of tangible property other than inventory				
12 Purchases of property rights (patents, trademarks, etc.)				
13 Compensation paid for technical, managerial, engineering, construction, or like services				
14 Commissions paid				
15 Rents, royalties, and license fees paid				
16 Distributions paid				
17 Interest paid				
18 Other				
19 Add lines 10 through 18				
20 Amounts borrowed (enter the maximum loan balance during the tax year). See instructions				
21 Amounts loaned (enter the maximum loan balance during the tax year). See instructions				

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