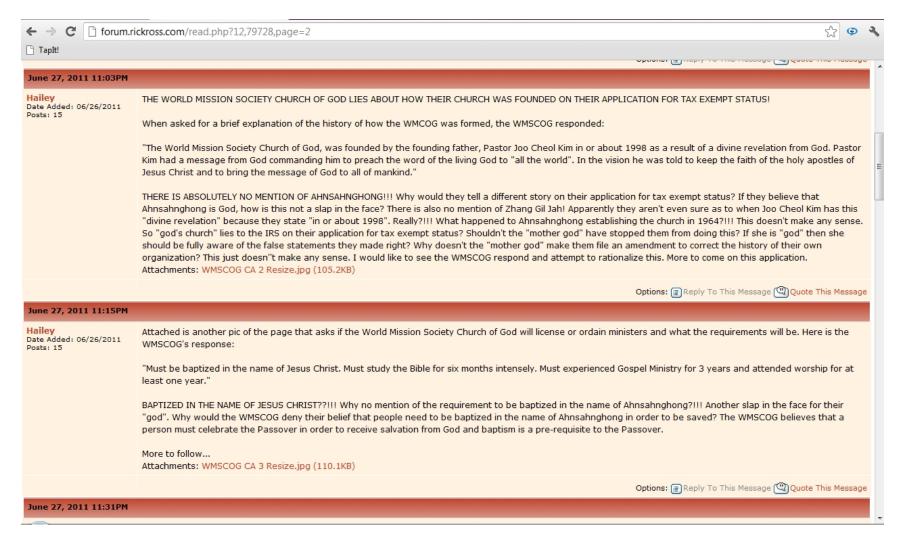
## **EXHIBIT** 17

## "Lying to the IRS" Statement



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Form 1022 (Rev. J. Jr. 1903) Department of the Transmy Department Servers

## Application for Recognition of Exemption

Under Section 801(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code

Ohte No. 1845-0058 Expres 5-31-96 If exempt status is approved, the approved, the opposition will be open for public magnetion,

Read the instructions for each Part carefully.

A User Fee must be attached to this application.

If the required information and appropriate documents are not submitted along with Form 8718 (with payment of the appropriate user fee), the application may be returned to you.

Complete the Procedural Checklist on page 7 of the instructions.

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1	Provide a brief history of the development of the organization, including the reasons for its formation.						
	The World Mission Society Church of God, was founded by the founding father. Pastor Joo Cheol Kim in or about 1998 as a result of diving revealation from God.Pastor Kim had a measage from God commanding him to preach the word of the living God to "all the world". In the vision he was told to keep the faith of the holy apostles of jeaus christ and to bring the measure of God to all of mankind.						
2	Does the organization have a written creed or statement of faith?						
-	If "Yes," attach a copy.						
3	Does the organization require prospective members to rencunce other religious beliefs or their membership in other churches or religious orders to become members?						
+	Dece the organization have a formal code of doctrine and discipline for its members?						
	Describe the form of worship and attach a schedule of worship services.						
•	The worship involves slaging hypers and project to the lord and reading from the Holy Bible. Schedule is attached.						
6	Are the services open to the public?.						
	if "Yes." describe how the organization publicizes its services and explain the criteria for admittance.						
7	Explain how the organization attracts new members.						
	At this early stage the Church relies on word of mouth from current guests and members to attract new members.						
8	(a) How many active members are currently enrolled in the church?						
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9	About 30-40 people in addition to worship services, what other religious services (such as paptisms, weddings, funerals, etc.) does the organization conduct?						

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Schedule A. Churches