

Form 5500 Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation	Annual Return/Report of Employee Benefit Plan This form is required to be filed for employee benefit plans under sections 104 and 4065 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) and sections 6047(e), and 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code). ► Complete all entries in accordance with the instructions to the Form 5500.	OMB Nos. 1210-0110 1210-0089 2009 This Form is Open to Public Inspection
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Part I	Annual Report Identification Information		
For calendar plan year 2009 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2009 and ending 12/31/2009			
A This return/report is for:	☐ a multiemployer plan;	☐ a multiple-employer plan; or	
	☒ a single-employer plan;	☐ a DFE (specify) ____	
B This return/report is:	☐ the first return/report;	☐ the final return/report;	
	☐ an amended return/report;	☐ a short plan year return/report (less than 12 months).	
C If the plan is a collectively-bargained plan, check here.	☐		
D Check box if filing under:	☒ Form 5558;	☐ automatic extension;	☐ the DFVC program;
	☐ special extension (enter description)		

Part II	Basic Plan Information —enter all requested information		
1a Name of plan MIDLAND GUARDIAN CO. SALARIED EMPLOYEES 401(K) SAVINGS PLAN AND TRUST	1b Three-digit plan number (PN) ►	002	
	1c Effective date of plan	01/01/1982	
2a Plan sponsor's name and address (employer, if for a single-employer plan) (Address should include room or suite no.) THE MIDLAND COMPANY P.O. BOX 1256 CINCINNATI, OH 45201	2b Employer Identification Number (EIN)	31-0626204	
	2c Sponsor's telephone number	513-947-5214	
	2d Business code (see instructions)	524150	

Caution: A penalty for the late or incomplete filing of this return/report will be assessed unless reasonable cause is established.

Under penalties of perjury and other penalties set forth in the instructions, I declare that I have examined this return/report, including accompanying schedules, statements and attachments, as well as the electronic version of this return/report, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete.

SIGN HERE	Filed with authorized/valid electronic signature.	10/15/2010	MATT MCCONNELL
	Signature of plan administrator	Date	Enter name of individual signing as plan administrator
SIGN HERE	Filed with authorized/valid electronic signature.	10/15/2010	MATT MCCONNELL
	Signature of employer/plan sponsor	Date	Enter name of individual signing as employer or plan sponsor
SIGN HERE			
	Signature of DFE	Date	Enter name of individual signing as DFE

3a Plan administrator's name and address (if same as plan sponsor, enter "Same") THE MIDLAND COMPANY P.O. BOX 1256 CINCINNATI, OH 45201	3b Administrator's EIN 31-0626204 3c Administrator's telephone number 513-947-5214
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4 If the name and/or EIN of the plan sponsor has changed since the last return/report filed for this plan, enter the name, EIN and the plan number from the last return/report: a Sponsor's name	4b EIN 4c PN
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5 Total number of participants at the beginning of the plan year	5	1429
6 Number of participants as of the end of the plan year (welfare plans complete only lines 6a , 6b , 6c , and 6d).		
a Active participants.....	6a	1316
b Retired or separated participants receiving benefits.....	6b	0
c Other retired or separated participants entitled to future benefits.....	6c	232
d Subtotal. Add lines 6a , 6b , and 6c	6d	1548
e Deceased participants whose beneficiaries are receiving or are entitled to receive benefits.....	6e	0
f Total. Add lines 6d and 6e	6f	1548
g Number of participants with account balances as of the end of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item).....	6g	1279
h Number of participants that terminated employment during the plan year with accrued benefits that were less than 100% vested.....	6h	24
7 Enter the total number of employers obligated to contribute to the plan (only multiemployer plans complete this item)	7	

8a If the plan provides pension benefits, enter the applicable pension feature codes from the List of Plan Characteristic Codes in the instructions:
 2E 2G 2H 2J 2K 3D 3H

b If the plan provides welfare benefits, enter the applicable welfare feature codes from the List of Plan Characteristic Codes in the instructions:

9a Plan funding arrangement (check all that apply) (1) ☐ Insurance (2) ☐ Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts (3) ☒ Trust (4) ☐ General assets of the sponsor	9b Plan benefit arrangement (check all that apply) (1) ☐ Insurance (2) ☐ Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts (3) ☒ Trust (4) ☐ General assets of the sponsor
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10 Check all applicable boxes in 10a and 10b to indicate which schedules are attached, and, where indicated, enter the number attached. (See instructions)

a Pension Schedules (1) ☒ R (Retirement Plan Information) (2) ☐ MB (Multiemployer Defined Benefit Plan and Certain Money Purchase Plan Actuarial Information) - signed by the plan actuary (3) ☐ SB (Single-Employer Defined Benefit Plan Actuarial Information) - signed by the plan actuary	b General Schedules (1) ☒ H (Financial Information) (2) ☐ I (Financial Information – Small Plan) (3) ☐ A (Insurance Information) (4) ☒ C (Service Provider Information) (5) ☒ D (DFE/Participating Plan Information) (6) ☐ G (Financial Transaction Schedules)
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<div>SCHEDULE C</div> <div>(Form 5500)</div> <div>Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service</div> <div>Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration</div> <div>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation</div>	<div>Service Provider Information</div> <div>This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).</div> <div>▶ File as an attachment to Form 5500.</div>	OMB No. 1210-0110
		2009
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For calendar plan year 2009 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2009 and ending 12/31/2009

<div>A Name of plan</div> <div>MIDLAND GUARDIAN CO. SALARIED EMPLOYEES 401(K) SAVINGS PLAN AND TRUST</div>	<div>B Three-digit plan number (PN)</div> <div>▶ 002</div>
<div>C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500</div> <div>THE MIDLAND COMPANY</div>	<div>D Employer Identification Number (EIN)</div> <div>31-0626204</div>

Part I

Service Provider Information (see instructions)

You must complete this Part, in accordance with the instructions, to report the information required for **each person** who received, directly or indirectly, \$5,000 or more in total compensation (i.e., money or anything else of monetary value) in connection with services rendered to the plan or the person's position with the plan during the plan year. If a person received **only** eligible indirect compensation for which the plan received the required disclosures, you are required to answer line 1 but are not required to include that person when completing the remainder of this Part.

1 Information on Persons Receiving Only Eligible Indirect Compensation

a Check "Yes" or "No" to indicate whether you are excluding a person from the remainder of this Part because they received only eligible indirect compensation for which the plan received the required disclosures (see instructions for definitions and conditions)..... ☐ Yes ☒ No

b If you answered line 1a "Yes," enter the name and EIN or address of each person providing the required disclosures for the service providers who received only eligible indirect compensation. Complete as many entries as needed (see instructions).

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation

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2. Information on Other Service Providers Receiving Direct or Indirect Compensation. Except for those persons for whom you answered "yes" to line 1a above, complete as many entries as needed to list each person receiving, directly or indirectly, \$5,000 or more in total compensation (i.e., money or anything else of value) in connection with services rendered to the plan or their position with the plan during the plan year. (See instructions).

(a) Enter name and EIN or address (see instructions)

PNC BANK, N.A.

25-1211909

(b) Service Code(s)	(c) Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest	(d) Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-.	(e) Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor)	(f) Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures?	(g) Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-.	(h) Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount?
25 59 60 63	TRUSTEE	329	Yes ☒ No ☐	Yes ☒ No ☐	0	Yes ☒ No ☐

(a) Enter name and EIN or address (see instructions)

(b) Service Code(s)	(c) Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest	(d) Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-.	(e) Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor)	(f) Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures?	(g) Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-.	(h) Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount?
			Yes ☐ No ☐	Yes ☐ No ☐		Yes ☐ No ☐

(a) Enter name and EIN or address (see instructions)

(b) Service Code(s)	(c) Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest	(d) Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-.	(e) Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor)	(f) Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures?	(g) Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-.	(h) Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount?
			Yes ☐ No ☐	Yes ☐ No ☐		Yes ☐ No ☐

(a) Enter name and EIN or address (see instructions)

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			Yes ☐ No ☐	Yes ☐ No ☐		Yes ☐ No ☐

(a) Enter name and EIN or address (see instructions)

(b) Service Code(s)	(c) Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest	(d) Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-.	(e) Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor)	(f) Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures?	(g) Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-.	(h) Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount?
			Yes ☐ No ☐	Yes ☐ No ☐		Yes ☐ No ☐

(a) Enter name and EIN or address (see instructions)

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			Yes ☐ No ☐	Yes ☐ No ☐		Yes ☐ No ☐

Part I Service Provider Information (continued)

3 If you reported on line 2 receipt of indirect compensation, other than eligible indirect compensation, by a service provider, and the service provider is a fiduciary or provides contract administrator, consulting, custodial, investment advisory, investment management, broker, or recordkeeping services, answer the following questions for (a) each source from whom the service provider received \$1,000 or more in indirect compensation and (b) each source for whom the service provider gave you a formula used to determine the indirect compensation instead of an amount or estimated amount of the indirect compensation. Complete as many entries as needed to report the required information for each source.

(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	(b) Service Codes (see instructions)	(c) Enter amount of indirect compensation
PNC BANK, N.A.	60	0
(d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation		(e) Describe the indirect compensation, including any formula used to determine the service provider's eligibility for or the amount of the indirect compensation.
AMERICAN BEACON LARGE CAP VALUE FUN 4151 AMON CARTER BLVD., MD 2450 FORT WORTH, TX 76155		35 BASIS POINTS ANNUALLY-60
(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	(b) Service Codes (see instructions)	(c) Enter amount of indirect compensation
PNC BANK, N.A.	60	0
(d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation		(e) Describe the indirect compensation, including any formula used to determine the service provider's eligibility for or the amount of the indirect compensation.
AMERICAN CENTURY DIVERSIFIED BOND F P.O. BOX 419385 KANSAS CITY, MO 64141		25 BASIS POINTS ANNUALLY-60
(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	(b) Service Codes (see instructions)	(c) Enter amount of indirect compensation
PNC BANK, N.A.	60	0
(d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation		(e) Describe the indirect compensation, including any formula used to determine the service provider's eligibility for or the amount of the indirect compensation.
AMERICAN CENTURY EQUITY INCOME FUND P.O. BOX 419385 KANSAS CITY, MO 64141		35 BASIS POINTS ANNUALLY-60

Part I Service Provider Information (continued)

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(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	(b) Service Codes (see instructions)	(c) Enter amount of indirect compensation
PNC BANK, N.A.	60	0

(d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation	(e) Describe the indirect compensation, including any formula used to determine the service provider's eligibility for or the amount of the indirect compensation.
AMERICAN CENTURY SMALL CAP VALUE FU P.O. BOX 419385 KANSAS CITY, MO 64141	35 BASIS POINTS ANNUALLY-60

(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	(b) Service Codes (see instructions)	(c) Enter amount of indirect compensation
PNC BANK, N.A.	60 63	0

(d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation	(e) Describe the indirect compensation, including any formula used to determine the service provider's eligibility for or the amount of the indirect compensation.
AMERICAN FUNDS - AMERICAN BALANCED 333 SOUTH HOPE STREET LOS ANGELES, CA 90071	10 BASIS POINTS ANNUALLY-60 25 BASIS POINTS ANNUALLY-63

(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	(b) Service Codes (see instructions)	(c) Enter amount of indirect compensation
PNC BANK, N.A.	60 63	0

(d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation	(e) Describe the indirect compensation, including any formula used to determine the service provider's eligibility for or the amount of the indirect compensation.
AMERICAN FUNDS - EUROPACIFIC GROWTH 333 SOUTH HOPE STREET LOS ANGELES, CA 90071	10 BASIS POINTS ANNUALLY-60 25 BASIS POINTS ANNUALLY-63

Part I Service Provider Information (continued)

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(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	(b) Service Codes (see instructions)	(c) Enter amount of indirect compensation
PNC BANK, N.A.	60 63	0

(d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation	(e) Describe the indirect compensation, including any formula used to determine the service provider's eligibility for or the amount of the indirect compensation.
AMERICAN FUNDS - THE BOND FUND OF A 333 SOUTH HOPE STREET LOS ANGELES, CA 90071	10 BASIS POINTS ANNUALLY-60 25 BASIS POINTS ANNUALLY-63

(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	(b) Service Codes (see instructions)	(c) Enter amount of indirect compensation
PNC BANK, N.A.	60 63	0

(d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation	(e) Describe the indirect compensation, including any formula used to determine the service provider's eligibility for or the amount of the indirect compensation.
AMERICAN FUNDS - THE GROWTH FUND OF 333 SOUTH HOPE STREET LOS ANGELES, CA 90071	10 BASIS POINTS ANNUALLY-60 25 BASIS POINTS ANNUALLY-63

(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	(b) Service Codes (see instructions)	(c) Enter amount of indirect compensation
PNC BANK, N.A.	60	0

(d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation	(e) Describe the indirect compensation, including any formula used to determine the service provider's eligibility for or the amount of the indirect compensation.
ARTISAN MID CAP VALUE FUND 875 E. WISCONSIN AVENUE, SUITE 800 MILWAUKEE, WI 53202	35 BASIS POINTS ANNUALLY-60

Part I Service Provider Information (continued)

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(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	(b) Service Codes (see instructions)	(c) Enter amount of indirect compensation
PNC BANK, N.A.	60 63	0
(d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation		(e) Describe the indirect compensation, including any formula used to determine the service provider's eligibility for or the amount of the indirect compensation.
BARON ASSET FUND 767 FIFTH AVENUE, 49TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10153	15 BASIS POINTS ANNUALLY-60 25 BASIS POINTS ANNUALLY-63	
(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	(b) Service Codes (see instructions)	(c) Enter amount of indirect compensation
PNC BANK, N.A.	60 63	0
(d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation		(e) Describe the indirect compensation, including any formula used to determine the service provider's eligibility for or the amount of the indirect compensation.
BLACKROCK HIGH YIELD BOND PORTFOLIO 40 EAST 52ND STREET NEW YORK, NY 10022	20 BASIS POINTS ANNUALLY-60 25 BASIS POINTS ANNUALLY-63	
(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	(b) Service Codes (see instructions)	(c) Enter amount of indirect compensation
PNC BANK, N.A.	59	0
(d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation		(e) Describe the indirect compensation, including any formula used to determine the service provider's eligibility for or the amount of the indirect compensation.
FEDERATED TREASURY OBLIGATIONS FUND FEDERATED INVESTORS TOWER PITTSBURGH, PA 15222	25 BASIS POINTS ANNUALLY-59	

Part I Service Provider Information (continued)

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(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	(b) Service Codes (see instructions)	(c) Enter amount of indirect compensation
PNC BANK, N.A.	60	0

(d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation	(e) Describe the indirect compensation, including any formula used to determine the service provider's eligibility for or the amount of the indirect compensation.
PIONEER FUND 60 STATE STREET FLOOR 18 BOSTON, MA 02109	15 BASIS POINTS ANNUALLY-60

(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	(b) Service Codes (see instructions)	(c) Enter amount of indirect compensation
PNC BANK, N.A.	60 63	0

(d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation	(e) Describe the indirect compensation, including any formula used to determine the service provider's eligibility for or the amount of the indirect compensation.
ROYCE VALUE PLUS FUND 745 5TH AVENUE, 24TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10151	10 BASIS POINTS ANNUALLY-60 25 BASIS POINTS ANNUALLY-63

(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	(b) Service Codes (see instructions)	(c) Enter amount of indirect compensation
PNC BANK, N.A.	60	0

(d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation	(e) Describe the indirect compensation, including any formula used to determine the service provider's eligibility for or the amount of the indirect compensation.
T. ROWE RETIREMENT 2010 RETAIL 100 EAST PRATT STREET BALTIMORE, MD 21202	15 BASIS POINTS ANNUALLY-60

Part I Service Provider Information (continued)

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(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	(b) Service Codes (see instructions)	(c) Enter amount of indirect compensation
PNC BANK, N.A.	60	0

(d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation	(e) Describe the indirect compensation, including any formula used to determine the service provider's eligibility for or the amount of the indirect compensation.
T. ROWE RETIREMENT 2020 RETAIL 100 EAST PRATT STREET BALTIMORE, MD 21202	15 BASIS POINTS ANNUALLY-60

(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	(b) Service Codes (see instructions)	(c) Enter amount of indirect compensation
PNC BANK, N.A.	60	0

(d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation	(e) Describe the indirect compensation, including any formula used to determine the service provider's eligibility for or the amount of the indirect compensation.
T. ROWE RETIREMENT 2030 RETAIL 100 EAST PRATT STREET BALTIMORE, MD 21202	15 BASIS POINTS ANNUALLY-60

(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	(b) Service Codes (see instructions)	(c) Enter amount of indirect compensation
PNC BANK, N.A.	60	0

(d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation	(e) Describe the indirect compensation, including any formula used to determine the service provider's eligibility for or the amount of the indirect compensation.
T. ROWE RETIREMENT 2040 RETAIL 100 EAST PRATT STREET BALTIMORE, MD 21202	15 BASIS POINTS ANNUALLY-60

Part I Service Provider Information (continued)

3 If you reported on line 2 receipt of indirect compensation, other than eligible indirect compensation, by a service provider, and the service provider is a fiduciary or provides contract administrator, consulting, custodial, investment advisory, investment management, broker, or recordkeeping services, answer the following questions for (a) each source from whom the service provider received \$1,000 or more in indirect compensation and (b) each source for whom the service provider gave you a formula used to determine the indirect compensation instead of an amount or estimated amount of the indirect compensation. Complete as many entries as needed to report the required information for each source.

(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	(b) Service Codes (see instructions)	(c) Enter amount of indirect compensation
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(d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation	(e) Describe the indirect compensation, including any formula used to determine the service provider's eligibility for or the amount of the indirect compensation.	
T. ROWE RETIREMENT 2050 RETAIL 100 EAST PRATT STREET BALTIMORE, MD 21202	15 BASIS POINTS ANNUALLY-60	
(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	(b) Service Codes (see instructions)	(c) Enter amount of indirect compensation
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(d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation	(e) Describe the indirect compensation, including any formula used to determine the service provider's eligibility for or the amount of the indirect compensation.	

Part II Service Providers Who Fail or Refuse to Provide Information

4 Provide, to the extent possible, the following information for each service provider who failed or refused to provide the information necessary to complete this Schedule.

(a) Enter name and EIN or address of service provider (see instructions)	(b) Nature of Service Code(s)	(c) Describe the information that the service provider failed or refused to provide
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(a) Enter name and EIN or address of service provider (see instructions)	(b) Nature of Service Code(s)	(c) Describe the information that the service provider failed or refused to provide

Part III Termination Information on Accountants and Enrolled Actuaries (see instructions)
(complete as many entries as needed)

a Name:	b EIN:
c Position:	
d Address:	e Telephone:

Explanation:

a Name:	b EIN:
c Position:	
d Address:	e Telephone:

Explanation:

a Name:	b EIN:
c Position:	
d Address:	e Telephone:

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Explanation:

<div>SCHEDULE D</div> <div>(Form 5500)</div> <div>Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service</div> <div>Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration</div>		<div>DFE/Participating Plan Information</div> <div>This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).</div> <div>▶ File as an attachment to Form 5500.</div>		<div>OMB No. 1210-0110</div> <div>2009</div> <div>This Form is Open to Public Inspection.</div>	
For calendar plan year 2009 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2009 and ending 12/31/2009					
A Name of plan MIDLAND GUARDIAN CO. SALARIED EMPLOYEES 401(K) SAVINGS PLAN AND TRUST				B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 002	
C Plan or DFE sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 THE MIDLAND COMPANY				D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 31-0626204	
Part I Information on interests in MTIAs, CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs (to be completed by plans and DFEs) (Complete as many entries as needed to report all interests in DFEs)					
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: PNC EBT INVESTMENT CONTRACT FUND					
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): PNC BANK, N.A.					
c EIN-PN 25-1197336-001		d Entity code C		e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 1554450	
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:					
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):					
c EIN-PN		d Entity code		e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)	
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Part II Information on Participating Plans (to be completed by DFEs)

(Complete as many entries as needed to report all participating plans)

a Plan name**b** Name of
plan sponsor**c** EIN-PN**a** Plan name**b** Name of
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SCHEDULE H (Form 5500) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation	Financial Information This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), and section 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code). ► File as an attachment to Form 5500.	OMB No. 1210-0110
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Part I	Asset and Liability Statement
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1 Current value of plan assets and liabilities at the beginning and end of the plan year. Combine the value of plan assets held in more than one trust. Report the value of the plan's interest in a commingled fund containing the assets of more than one plan on a line-by-line basis unless the value is reportable on lines 1c(9) through 1c(14). Do not enter the value of that portion of an insurance contract which guarantees, during this plan year, to pay a specific dollar benefit at a future date. **Round off amounts to the nearest dollar.** MTIAs, CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs do not complete lines 1b(1), 1b(2), 1c(8), 1g, 1h, and 1i. CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs also do not complete lines 1d and 1e. See instructions.

Assets		(a) Beginning of Year	(b) End of Year
a Total noninterest-bearing cash	1a	408	
b Receivables (less allowance for doubtful accounts):			
(1) Employer contributions	1b(1)		
(2) Participant contributions	1b(2)		
(3) Other.....	1b(3)	29128	23783
c General investments:			
(1) Interest-bearing cash (include money market accounts & certificates of deposit)	1c(1)		
(2) U.S. Government securities.....	1c(2)		
(3) Corporate debt instruments (other than employer securities):			
(A) Preferred	1c(3)(A)		
(B) All other.....	1c(3)(B)		
(4) Corporate stocks (other than employer securities):			
(A) Preferred	1c(4)(A)		
(B) Common	1c(4)(B)		
(5) Partnership/joint venture interests	1c(5)		
(6) Real estate (other than employer real property)	1c(6)		
(7) Loans (other than to participants)	1c(7)		
(8) Participant loans	1c(8)	1315753	1732634
(9) Value of interest in common/collective trusts.....	1c(9)	1616499	1554450
(10) Value of interest in pooled separate accounts.....	1c(10)		
(11) Value of interest in master trust investment accounts	1c(11)		
(12) Value of interest in 103-12 investment entities	1c(12)		
(13) Value of interest in registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds).....	1c(13)	49522514	61326298
(14) Value of funds held in insurance company general account (unallocated contracts).....	1c(14)		
(15) Other	1c(15)		

1d Employer-related investments:

		(a) Beginning of Year	(b) End of Year
(1) Employer securities	1d(1)	0	
(2) Employer real property	1d(2)		
e Buildings and other property used in plan operation	1e		
f Total assets (add all amounts in lines 1a through 1e)	1f	52484302	64637165

Liabilities

g Benefit claims payable	1g		
h Operating payables	1h		
i Acquisition indebtedness	1i		
j Other liabilities	1j		49378
k Total liabilities (add all amounts in lines 1g through 1j)	1k	0	49378

Net Assets

l Net assets (subtract line 1k from line 1f)	1l	52484302	64587787
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Part II Income and Expense Statement

2 Plan income, expenses, and changes in net assets for the year. Include all income and expenses of the plan, including any trust(s) or separately maintained fund(s) and any payments/receipts to/from insurance carriers. Round off amounts to the nearest dollar. MTIAs, CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs do not complete lines 2a, 2b(1)(E), 2e, 2f, and 2g.

Income**a Contributions:**

		(a) Amount	(b) Total
(1) Received or receivable in cash from: (A) Employers	2a(1)(A)	1646726	
(B) Participants	2a(1)(B)	4815403	
(C) Others (including rollovers)	2a(1)(C)	88716	
(2) Noncash contributions	2a(2)		
(3) Total contributions. Add lines 2a(1)(A) , (B) , (C) , and line 2a(2)	2a(3)		6550845

b Earnings on investments:**(1) Interest:**

(A) Interest-bearing cash (including money market accounts and certificates of deposit)	2b(1)(A)		
(B) U.S. Government securities	2b(1)(B)		
(C) Corporate debt instruments	2b(1)(C)		
(D) Loans (other than to participants)	2b(1)(D)		
(E) Participant loans	2b(1)(E)	89539	
(F) Other	2b(1)(F)		
(G) Total interest. Add lines 2b(1)(A) through (F)	2b(1)(G)		89539

(2) Dividends: (A) Preferred stock	2b(2)(A)		
(B) Common stock	2b(2)(B)		
(C) Registered investment company shares (e.g. mutual funds)	2b(2)(C)	846453	
(D) Total dividends. Add lines 2b(2)(A) , (B) , and (C)	2b(2)(D)		846453

(3) Rents	2b(3)		
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(4) Net gain (loss) on sale of assets: (A) Aggregate proceeds	2b(4)(A)	20888606	
(B) Aggregate carrying amount (see instructions)	2b(4)(B)	20429725	
(C) Subtract line 2b(4)(B) from line 2b(4)(A) and enter result	2b(4)(C)		458881

		(a) Amount	(b) Total
2b (5) Unrealized appreciation (depreciation) of assets: (A) Real estate.....	2b(5)(A)		
(B) Other	2b(5)(B)		
(C) Total unrealized appreciation of assets. Add lines 2b(5)(A) and (B).....	2b(5)(C)		0
(6) Net investment gain (loss) from common/collective trusts	2b(6)		32148
(7) Net investment gain (loss) from pooled separate accounts	2b(7)		
(8) Net investment gain (loss) from master trust investment accounts	2b(8)		
(9) Net investment gain (loss) from 103-12 investment entities	2b(9)		
(10) Net investment gain (loss) from registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds).....	2b(10)		8550348
c Other income.....	2c		
d Total income. Add all income amounts in column (b) and enter total.....	2d		16528214

Expenses

e Benefit payment and payments to provide benefits:			
(1) Directly to participants or beneficiaries, including direct rollovers	2e(1)	4422418	
(2) To insurance carriers for the provision of benefits	2e(2)		
(3) Other	2e(3)		
(4) Total benefit payments. Add lines 2e(1) through (3).....	2e(4)		4422418
f Corrective distributions (see instructions)	2f		1982
g Certain deemed distributions of participant loans (see instructions).....	2g		
h Interest expense.....	2h		
i Administrative expenses: (1) Professional fees	2i(1)		
(2) Contract administrator fees	2i(2)		
(3) Investment advisory and management fees	2i(3)	329	
(4) Other	2i(4)		
(5) Total administrative expenses. Add lines 2i(1) through (4).....	2i(5)		329
j Total expenses. Add all expense amounts in column (b) and enter total.....	2j		4424729

Net Income and Reconciliation

k Net income (loss). Subtract line 2j from line 2d.....	2k		12103485
l Transfers of assets:			
(1) To this plan.....	2l(1)		
(2) From this plan	2l(2)		

Part III Accountant's Opinion

3 Complete lines 3a through 3c if the opinion of an independent qualified public accountant is attached to this Form 5500. Complete line 3d if an opinion is not attached.

a The attached opinion of an independent qualified public accountant for this plan is (see instructions):

(1) ☐ Unqualified (2) ☐ Qualified (3) ☒ Disclaimer (4) ☐ Adverse

b Did the accountant perform a limited scope audit pursuant to 29 CFR 2520.103-8 and/or 103-12(d)? ☒ Yes ☐ No

c Enter the name and EIN of the accountant (or accounting firm) below:

(1) Name: BARNES DENNIG

(2) EIN: 31-1119890

d The opinion of an independent qualified public accountant is **not attached** because:

(1) ☐ This form is filed for a CCT, PSA, or MTIA. (2) ☐ It will be attached to the next Form 5500 pursuant to 29 CFR 2520.104-50.

Part IV Compliance Questions

- 4** CCTs and PSAs do not complete Part IV. MTIAs, 103-12 IEs, and GIAs do not complete 4a, 4e, 4f, 4g, 4h, 4k, 4m, 4n, or 5. 103-12 IEs also do not complete 4j and 4l. MTIAs also do not complete 4l.

During the plan year:

	Yes	No	Amount
a Was there a failure to transmit to the plan any participant contributions within the time period described in 29 CFR 2510.3-102? Continue to answer "Yes" for any prior year failures until fully corrected. (See instructions and DOL's Voluntary Fiduciary Correction Program.).....		X	
b Were any loans by the plan or fixed income obligations due the plan in default as of the close of the plan year or classified during the year as uncollectible? Disregard participant loans secured by participant's account balance. (Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part I if "Yes" is checked.).....		X	
c Were any leases to which the plan was a party in default or classified during the year as uncollectible? (Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part II if "Yes" is checked.)		X	
d Were there any nonexempt transactions with any party-in-interest? (Do not include transactions reported on line 4a. Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part III if "Yes" is checked.).....		X	
e Was this plan covered by a fidelity bond?.....	X		6000000
f Did the plan have a loss, whether or not reimbursed by the plan's fidelity bond, that was caused by fraud or dishonesty?		X	
g Did the plan hold any assets whose current value was neither readily determinable on an established market nor set by an independent third party appraiser?		X	
h Did the plan receive any noncash contributions whose value was neither readily determinable on an established market nor set by an independent third party appraiser?		X	
i Did the plan have assets held for investment? (Attach schedule(s) of assets if "Yes" is checked, and see instructions for format requirements.).....	X		
j Were any plan transactions or series of transactions in excess of 5% of the current value of plan assets? (Attach schedule of transactions if "Yes" is checked, and see instructions for format requirements.).....		X	
k Were all the plan assets either distributed to participants or beneficiaries, transferred to another plan, or brought under the control of the PBGC?.....		X	
l Has the plan failed to provide any benefit when due under the plan?		X	
m If this is an individual account plan, was there a blackout period? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-3.).....	X		
n If 4m was answered "Yes," check the "Yes" box if you either provided the required notice or one of the exceptions to providing the notice applied under 29 CFR 2520.101-3.	X		

- 5a** Has a resolution to terminate the plan been adopted during the plan year or any prior plan year?
If yes, enter the amount of any plan assets that reverted to the employer this year ☐ Yes ☒ No Amount:

- 5b** If, during this plan year, any assets or liabilities were transferred from this plan to another plan(s), identify the plan(s) to which assets or liabilities were transferred. (See instructions.)

5b(1) Name of plan(s)

5b(2) EIN(s)

5b(3) PN(s)

5b(1) Name of plan(s)	5b(2) EIN(s)	5b(3) PN(s)

SCHEDULE R (Form 5500) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation	Retirement Plan Information This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 and 4065 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) and section 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code). ▶ File as an attachment to Form 5500.	OMB No. 1210-0110 2009 This Form is Open to Public Inspection.
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Part I	Distributions
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All references to distributions relate only to payments of benefits during the plan year.

1 Total value of distributions paid in property other than in cash or the forms of property specified in the instructions.....	1	<u>0</u>
2 Enter the EIN(s) of payor(s) who paid benefits on behalf of the plan to participants or beneficiaries during the year (if more than two, enter EINs of the two payors who paid the greatest dollar amounts of benefits): EIN(s): <u>25-1211909</u>		
Profit-sharing plans, ESOPs, and stock bonus plans, skip line 3.		
3 Number of participants (living or deceased) whose benefits were distributed in a single sum, during the plan year.....	3	

Part II	Funding Information (If the plan is not subject to the minimum funding requirements of section 412 of the Internal Revenue Code or ERISA section 302, skip this Part)
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4 Is the plan administrator making an election under Code section 412(d)(2) or ERISA section 302(d)(2)?.....	☐ Yes	☐ No	☐ N/A
If the plan is a defined benefit plan, go to line 8.			
5 If a waiver of the minimum funding standard for a prior year is being amortized in this plan year, see instructions and enter the date of the ruling letter granting the waiver. Date: Month _____ Day _____ Year _____ If you completed line 5, complete lines 3, 9, and 10 of Schedule MB and do not complete the remainder of this schedule.			
6 a Enter the minimum required contribution for this plan year	6a		
b Enter the amount contributed by the employer to the plan for this plan year	6b		
c Subtract the amount in line 6b from the amount in line 6a. Enter the result (enter a minus sign to the left of a negative amount).....	6c		
If you completed line 6c, skip lines 8 and 9.			
7 Will the minimum funding amount reported on line 6c be met by the funding deadline?	☐ Yes	☐ No	☐ N/A
8 If a change in actuarial cost method was made for this plan year pursuant to a revenue procedure providing automatic approval for the change or a class ruling letter, does the plan sponsor or plan administrator agree with the change?.....	☐ Yes	☐ No	☐ N/A

Part III	Amendments
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9 If this is a defined benefit pension plan, were any amendments adopted during this plan year that increased or decreased the value of benefits? If yes, check the appropriate box(es). If no, check the "No" box.....	☐ Increase	☐ Decrease	☐ Both	☐ No
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Part IV	ESOPs (see instructions). If this is not a plan described under Section 409(a) or 4975(e)(7) of the Internal Revenue Code, skip this Part.
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10 Were unallocated employer securities or proceeds from the sale of unallocated securities used to repay any exempt loan?.....	☐ Yes	☐ No
11 a Does the ESOP hold any preferred stock?	☐ Yes	☐ No
b If the ESOP has an outstanding exempt loan with the employer as lender, is such loan part of a "back-to-back" loan? (See instructions for definition of "back-to-back" loan.)	☐ Yes	☐ No
12 Does the ESOP hold any stock that is not readily tradable on an established securities market?	☐ Yes	☐ No

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Part V Additional Information for Multiemployer Defined Benefit Pension Plans

13 Enter the following information for each employer that contributed more than 5% of total contributions to the plan during the plan year (measured in dollars). See instructions. *Complete as many entries as needed to report all applicable employers.*

a Name of contributing employer

b EIN

c Dollar amount contributed by employer

d Date collective bargaining agreement expires (If employer contributes under more than one collective bargaining agreement, check box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, enter the applicable date.) Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

e Contribution rate information (If more than one rate applies, check this box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete items 13e(1) and 13e(2).)

(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) _____

(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify): _____

a Name of contributing employer

b EIN

c Dollar amount contributed by employer

d Date collective bargaining agreement expires (If employer contributes under more than one collective bargaining agreement, check box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, enter the applicable date.) Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

e Contribution rate information (If more than one rate applies, check this box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete items 13e(1) and 13e(2).)

(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) _____

(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify): _____

a Name of contributing employer

b EIN

c Dollar amount contributed by employer

d Date collective bargaining agreement expires (If employer contributes under more than one collective bargaining agreement, check box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, enter the applicable date.) Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

e Contribution rate information (If more than one rate applies, check this box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete items 13e(1) and 13e(2).)

(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) _____

(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify): _____

a Name of contributing employer

b EIN

c Dollar amount contributed by employer

d Date collective bargaining agreement expires (If employer contributes under more than one collective bargaining agreement, check box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, enter the applicable date.) Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

e Contribution rate information (If more than one rate applies, check this box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete items 13e(1) and 13e(2).)

(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) _____

(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify): _____

a Name of contributing employer

b EIN

c Dollar amount contributed by employer

d Date collective bargaining agreement expires (If employer contributes under more than one collective bargaining agreement, check box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, enter the applicable date.) Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

e Contribution rate information (If more than one rate applies, check this box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete items 13e(1) and 13e(2).)

(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) _____

(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify): _____

a Name of contributing employer

b EIN

c Dollar amount contributed by employer

d Date collective bargaining agreement expires (If employer contributes under more than one collective bargaining agreement, check box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, enter the applicable date.) Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

e Contribution rate information (If more than one rate applies, check this box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete items 13e(1) and 13e(2).)

(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) _____

(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify): _____

- 14** Enter the number of participants on whose behalf no contributions were made by an employer as an employer of the participant for:

a The current year	14a	
b The plan year immediately preceding the current plan year	14b	
c The second preceding plan year	14c	

- 15** Enter the ratio of the number of participants under the plan on whose behalf no employer had an obligation to make an employer contribution during the current plan year to:

a The corresponding number for the plan year immediately preceding the current plan year	15a	
b The corresponding number for the second preceding plan year	15b	

- 16** Information with respect to any employers who withdrew from the plan during the preceding plan year:

a Enter the number of employers who withdrew during the preceding plan year	16a	
b If item 16a is greater than 0, enter the aggregate amount of withdrawal liability assessed or estimated to be assessed against such withdrawn employers	16b	

- 17** If assets and liabilities from another plan have been transferred to or merged with this plan during the plan year, check box and see instructions regarding supplemental information to be included as an attachment. ☐

Part VI Additional Information for Single-Employer and Multiemployer Defined Benefit Pension Plans

- 18** If any liabilities to participants or their beneficiaries under the plan as of the end of the plan year consist (in whole or in part) of liabilities to such participants and beneficiaries under two or more pension plans as of immediately before such plan year, check box and see instructions regarding supplemental information to be included as an attachment ☐

- 19** If the total number of participants is 1,000 or more, complete items (a) through (c)

- a** Enter the percentage of plan assets held as:

Stock: _____% Investment-Grade Debt: _____% High-Yield Debt: _____% Real Estate: _____% Other: _____%

- b** Provide the average duration of the combined investment-grade and high-yield debt:

☐ 0-3 years ☐ 3-6 years ☐ 6-9 years ☐ 9-12 years ☐ 12-15 years ☐ 15-18 years ☐ 18-21 years ☐ 21 years or more

- c** What duration measure was used to calculate item 19(b)?

☐ Effective duration ☐ Macaulay duration ☐ Modified duration ☐ Other (specify):



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To the Trustees of
The Midland-Guardian Salaried Employees 401(k) Savings Plan
Cincinnati, Ohio

We were engaged to audit the accompanying Statements of Net Assets Available for Benefits of The Midland-Guardian Salaried Employees 401(k) Savings Plan as of December 31, 2009 and 2008, and the related Statement of Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits for the year ended December 31, 2009, and supplemental Schedule H, Line 4i – Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year) at December 31, 2009. These financial statements and schedule are the responsibility of the Plan's management.

As permitted by 29 CFR 2520.103-8 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure Under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, the Plan Administrator instructed us not to perform, and we did not perform, any auditing procedures with respect to the information summarized in Note 7, which was certified by PNC Bank, the trustee of the Plan, except for comparing the information with the related information included in the financial statements and supplemental schedule. We have been informed by the Plan Administrator that the trustee holds the Plan's investment assets and executes investment transactions. The Plan Administrator has obtained a certification from the trustee as of and for the years ended December 31, 2009 and 2008, that the information provided to the Plan Administrator by the trustee is complete and accurate.

Because of the significance of the information that we did not audit, we are unable to, and do not, express an opinion on the accompanying financial statements and schedule taken as a whole. The form and content of the information included in the financial statements and schedule, other than that derived from the information certified by the trustee, have been audited by us in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and, in our opinion, are presented in compliance with the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure Under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974.

BARNES, DENNIG & CO., LTD.

Cincinnati, Ohio
September 16, 2010



CERTIFICATION FOR ENCLOSURE WITH FORM 5500

We certify that pursuant to Department of Labor Regulations §2520.103-9(c) the Fund Trustee will file with the Department of Labor on or before the filing due date a Form 5500 for the 2009 calendar year for the collective trusts listed below. This filing will include an annual Statement of Assets and Liabilities for the following PNC Bank Collective Investment Trust Funds held by Employee Benefits plans:

FUND	TRUST NO.	FUND EIN
PNC EBT Investment Contract Fund	1028398	25-1197336

We also certify that we will furnish, to the Administrator or Sponsor for each participating plan, a copy of the most recent Statement of Assets and Liabilities of the above funds.

PNC Bank, N.A.

I, Bonnie Fawcett, Vice President, certify the accuracy and completeness of the information provided in this certification and in the above-described Statement of Assets and Liabilities.

Sincerely,

Bonnie Fawcett
Vice President
Director, Vested Interest

The PNC Financial Services Group, Inc. ("PNC") provides investment and wealth management, fiduciary services, non-discretionary defined contribution plan services and investment options, FDIC-insured banking products and services and lending and borrowing of funds through its subsidiaries, PNC Bank, National Association, PNC Bank, Delaware and National City Bank, which are Members FDIC. PNC does not provide legal, tax or accounting advice. PNC does not provide investment advice to Vested Interest plan sponsors or participants.

Investments: Not FDIC Insured. No Bank Guarantee. May Lose Value.

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BARNES, DENNIG & CO., LTD.

Cincinnati, Ohio
September 16, 2010

MIDLAND-GUARDIAN SALARIED EMPLOYEES 401(K) SAVINGS PLAN

Statements of Net Assets Available for Benefits December 31, 2009 and 2008

	<u>2009</u>	<u>2008</u>
Assets		
Investments:		
Investments at fair value		
Mutual Funds	\$ 61,326,298	\$ 49,522,514
Common/Collective Trust Fund	1,550,551	1,554,701
Loans to Participants, at carrying value	<u>1,732,634</u>	<u>1,315,753</u>
Total investments	<u>64,609,483</u>	<u>52,392,968</u>
Other:		
Cash	-	408
Accrued investment income	<u>23,783</u>	<u>29,128</u>
Net assets available for benefits at fair value	64,633,266	52,422,504
Adjustment from fair value to contract value for fully benefit-responsive investment contract	<u>3,899</u>	<u>61,798</u>
Net assets	64,637,165	52,484,302
Liabilities		
Excess contributions to be returned to participants	<u>(49,378)</u>	<u>-</u>
Net assets available for benefits	<u><u>\$ 64,587,787</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 52,484,302</u></u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements

MIDLAND-GUARDIAN SALARIED EMPLOYEES 401(K) SAVINGS PLAN

Statement of Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits Year Ended December 31, 2009

Additions:

Investment income:

Net appreciation in fair value of investments	\$ 9,041,377
Interest and dividend income	930,417
Other income	<u>2,575</u>

Total investment income	<u>9,974,369</u>
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Contributions:

Employer	1,649,726
Employee	4,815,403
Rollover	<u>88,716</u>

Total contributions	<u>6,553,845</u>
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Total additions	<u>16,528,214</u>
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Deductions:

Benefit payments to participants	(4,422,418)
Corrective distributions	(1,982)
Administration fees	<u>(329)</u>

Total deductions	<u>(4,424,729)</u>
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Net increase	<u>12,103,485</u>
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Net assets available for benefits:

Beginning of year	<u>52,484,302</u>
End of year	<u><u>\$ 64,587,787</u></u>

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MIDLAND-GUARDIAN SALARIED EMPLOYEES 401(K) SAVINGS PLAN

Notes to Financial Statements

NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of Presentation

The accompanying financial statements of Midland-Guardian Salaried Employees 401(k) Savings Plan (the Plan) have been prepared on the accrual basis.

Investment contracts held by a defined-contribution plan are required to be reported at fair value. However, contract value is the relevant measurement attribute for that portion of the net assets available for benefits of a defined-contribution plan attributable to fully benefit-responsive investment contracts because contract value is the amount participants would receive if they were to initiate permitted transactions under the terms of the Plan. The Statement of Net Assets Available for Benefits presents the fair value of the investment contracts as well as the adjustment of the fully benefit-responsive investment contracts from fair value to contract value. The Statement of Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits is prepared on a contract value basis.

The PNC Investment Contract Fund is a common trust fund administered by PNC Bank. This Fund's investment objectives are to maximize the current income, while maintaining principal and to provide for withdrawals for certain participant-initiated transactions without penalty or adjustments.

Investment Valuation

Investments are reported at fair value. Mutual funds are stated at fair value as determined by quoted market prices, which represents the net asset value of shares held by the Plan at year end. The Plan's interest in the collective trust is based at fair value of the collective trust's underlying investments based on information reported by the investment advisor using the audited financial statements of the collective trust at year-end. Investment securities, in general, are exposed to various risks such as interest rate, credit and overall market volatility risks. Due to the level of risk associated with certain investments, it is reasonably possible that changes in the values of investment securities will occur in the near term and those changes could materially affect the amounts reported in the statements of net assets available for benefits. Participant loans are valued at carrying value, which approximates market value.

Management fees charged to the Plan for investments in the mutual funds are deducted from income earned on a daily basis and are not separately reflected. Consequently, management fees are reflected as a reduction of investment return for such investments.

Purchases and sales of investments are accounted for on the trade date (the date the order to buy or sell is executed). The cost of investments sold is computed on an average cost basis. Dividend income is recorded on the ex-dividend date, and interest income is recorded as earned.

Net appreciation in fair value of investments consists of the net realized gain (loss) from sales of assets and the net unrealized gain (loss) from changes in the fair value of assets during the year.

Benefit Payments

Benefit payments are recorded when paid.

MIDLAND-GUARDIAN SALARIED EMPLOYEES 401(K) SAVINGS PLAN

Notes to Financial Statements (Continued)

NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Expenses

During 2009, certain expenses and costs of administering the Plan were paid by Midland-Guardian Co. (the Plan sponsor) and, accordingly, are not reflected in the Plan's financial statements.

Related Party Transactions

Certain Plan investments are shares of mutual funds managed by PNC Bank. PNC Bank is the Plan trustee, recordkeeper and asset custodian as defined by the Plan and, therefore, the related investment transactions qualify as exempt party-in-interest transactions in accordance with ERISA guidelines.

Several employees of Midland-Guardian Co. (the Company) provide administrative services to the Plan. These services include Plan oversight and day-to-day Plan administration. The Plan is not charged by the Company for the services of the employees to the Plan.

The Plan offers loans to participants. Related transactions qualify as exempt party-in-interest transactions in accordance with ERISA guidelines.

Subsequent Events

The Plan has evaluated subsequent events through September 16, 2010, which is the date these financial statements were available to be issued, and have been determined that there are no subsequent events that require disclosure under applicable GAAP for subsequent events.

Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires the Plan Administrator to make estimates and assumptions that affect certain reported amounts and disclosures. Accordingly, actual results may differ from those estimates.

NOTE 2 DESCRIPTION OF THE PLAN

The following description of the Midland-Guardian Salaried Employees 401(k) Savings Plan provides only general information. Participants should refer to the Plan document for a more complete description of the Plan's provisions.

General

All full-time salaried employees of Midland-Guardian Co. and part-time employees who anticipate working 1,000 hours or more annually are eligible to participate in the Plan upon their hire date. The Plan is administered by a committee appointed by the Company's Board of Directors and is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 ("ERISA").

MIDLAND-GUARDIAN SALARIED EMPLOYEES 401(K) SAVINGS PLAN

Notes to Financial Statements (Continued)

NOTE 2 DESCRIPTION OF THE PLAN (CONTINUED)

Contributions

Effective January 1, 2002, the Plan was amended authorizing a basic minimum before tax contribution to be 1 percent up to 6 percent and a maximum to be 100 percent (base and supplemental) of the participant's compensation, as defined in the Plan. However, contributions may not exceed limitations established under Section 402(g) of the Internal Revenue Code (IRC) of 1986 as amended (\$16,500 at December 31, 2009). A participant may direct employee contributions in one-percent increments into various investment options offered by the Plan. Company contributions are automatically invested in the participant's selected investment options. The Plan currently offers 17 mutual funds and one common/collective trust fund as investment options for participants. Participants may change their investment elections daily. The Company matches 50 percent of an employee's basic contribution.

Rollover Contributions

Participants may rollover their taxable portion of funds previously held for their account in another employee benefit plan to the Plan on a tax-free basis.

Participant Accounts

Individual accounts are maintained for each participant by the Plan's Trustee. Each participant's account is credited with the participant's and Company's contributions and a pro-rata allocation of the Plan's earnings and expenses. The pro-rata allocation is based upon each participant's earnings or account balances, as defined. The benefit to which a participant is entitled is the benefit that can be provided from the participant's vested account.

Vesting

Participants are vested immediately in their contributions. The vesting period in Company matching contributions is five (5) years. At the end of each year of employment, the employee will vest in 20 percent of the Company's matching contribution. Vesting is based on the date of hire, not the date of enrollment in the Plan.

If a participant terminates employment with the Company at any time and they are less than fully vested in their qualified matching contributions or earnings thereon, the non-vested portion is forfeited.

Forfeitures

As of December 31, 2009 and 2008, forfeited non-vested accounts totaled \$32,073 and \$76,374, respectively. All forfeitures under the Plan are used to reduce future employer contributions to the Plan. During the year ended December 31, 2009, there were \$76,840 forfeited non-vested amounts used to reduce employer contributions.

MIDLAND-GUARDIAN SALARIED EMPLOYEES 401(K) SAVINGS PLAN

Notes to Financial Statements (Continued)

NOTE 2 DESCRIPTION OF THE PLAN (CONTINUED)

Payment of Benefits

Upon termination of service due to death, disability or retirement, a participant (or his or her designated beneficiary) may elect to receive an amount equal to the value of the participant's vested interest in his or her account. The form of payment is a lump-sum distribution, rollover into another qualified plan or an annuity to be paid for up to a 10-year period.

In-service distributions are permissible from the Plan for participants that have attained the age of 59 1/2.

In conditions of "financial hardship", a participant may apply to the Plan administrator for approval to withdraw that portion of the participant's account balance necessary to meet the financial hardship, subject to the limitations of the Plan and the Internal Revenue Code.

Upon termination of the Plan, the assets will be distributed to participants in accordance with the Plan's provisions and existing laws and regulations.

Loans to Participants

The Plan allows participants to borrow funds from their vested account balance subject to certain restrictions. Participants may take a minimum loan of \$500 from their account. The maximum loan is 50% of their vested account balance (up to a maximum of \$50,000). Loans are repayable in one to five years unless the loan is related to the purchase of the participant's primary residence, in which case the term may be up to thirty years. The interest rate applicable to Plan loans is established at 1% over the prime rate.

NOTE 3 INVESTMENTS

Investments representing more than five percent of net assets available for benefits listed at market value are as follows at December 31:

	2009	2008
Federated Treasury Obligation Issue Fund	\$ 16,793,058	\$ 17,625,581
Artisan Mid Cap Value Fund	5,650,077	3,769,251
American Euro Pacific Growth Fund	5,159,545	3,733,062
American Balanced Fund	4,928,473	4,100,693
American Century Equity Income Investor	4,689,120	-
Baron Asset Fund	4,215,610	3,327,803
American Funds Growth Fund of America	3,894,825	2,961,667
American Beacon Large Cap Fund	-	4,161,754

During 2009, the plan's investments appreciated by \$9,041,377.

MIDLAND-GUARDIAN SALARIED EMPLOYEES 401(K) SAVINGS PLAN

Notes to Financial Statements (Continued)

NOTE 4 FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with applicable GAAP for fair value measurements and disclosures, effective for fiscal years beginning after November 15, 2007 for financial assets and liabilities. Under the applicable GAAP literature, fair value is defined as the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability (i.e., the "exit price") in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date.

In determining fair value, the Company uses various valuation approaches. The applicable GAAP literature establishes a hierarchy for inputs used in measuring fair value that maximizes the use of observable inputs and minimizes the use of unobservable inputs by requiring that the most observable inputs be used when available. Observable inputs are inputs that market participants would use in pricing the asset or liability developed based on market data obtained from sources independent of the Company. Unobservable inputs are inputs that reflect the Company's assumptions about the assumptions market participants would use in pricing the asset or liability developed based on the best information available in the circumstances. The hierarchy is broken down into three levels based on the ability to observe inputs as follows:

Level 1 – Inputs to the valuation methodology are unadjusted quoted prices for identical assets or liabilities in active markets that the Plan has the ability to access.

Level 2 – Inputs to the valuation methodology include:

- Quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities in active markets;
- Quoted prices for identical or similar assets or liabilities in inactive markets;
- Inputs other than quoted prices that are observable for the asset or liability;
- Inputs that are derived principally from or corroborated by observable market data by correlation or other means.

If the asset or liability has a specified (contractual) term, the Level 2 input must be observable for substantially the full term of the asset or liability.

Level 3 – Inputs to the valuation methodology are unobservable and significant to the fair value measurement.

The asset's or liability's fair value measurement level within the fair value hierarchy is based on the lowest level of any input that is significant to the fair value measurement. Valuation techniques used need to maximize the use of observable inputs and minimize the use of unobservable inputs.

Following is a description of the valuation methodologies used for assets measured at fair value. There have been no changes in methodologies used at December 31, 2009 and 2008.

Cash and money market: Valued at the net asset value ("NAV") of shares held by the plan at year end.

Mutual funds: Valued at the net asset value ("NAV") of shares held by the Plan at year-end.

Common/collective trusts: Valued at fair value of the collective trust's underlying investments based on information reported by the investment advisor using the audited financial statements of the collective trust at year-end.

MIDLAND-GUARDIAN SALARIED EMPLOYEES 401(K) SAVINGS PLAN

Notes to Financial Statements (Continued)

NOTE 4 FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS (CONTINUED)

Loans to Participants: Valued at amortized cost, which approximates fair value.

The methods described above may produce a fair value calculation that may not be indicative of net realizable value or reflective of future fair values. Furthermore, while the Plan believes its valuation methods are appropriate and consistent with other market participants, the use of different methodologies or assumptions to determine the fair value of certain financial instruments could result in a different fair value measurement at the reporting date.

The following table sets forth by level, within the fair value hierarchy, the Plan's investments at fair value as of December 31, 2009:

	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Mutual funds	\$ 61,326,298	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 61,326,298
Common / collective trust funds	-	1,550,551	-	1,550,551
Loans to participants	-	-	1,732,634	1,732,634
Total investments at fair value	<u>\$ 61,326,298</u>	<u>\$ 1,550,551</u>	<u>\$ 1,732,634</u>	<u>\$ 64,609,483</u>

The following table sets forth by level, within the fair value hierarchy, the Plan's investments at fair value as of December 31, 2008:

	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Cash and money market	\$ 408	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 408
Mutual funds	49,522,514	-	-	49,522,514
Common / collective trust funds	-	1,554,701	-	1,554,701
Loans to participants	-	-	1,315,753	1,315,753
Total investments at fair value	<u>\$ 49,522,922</u>	<u>\$ 1,554,701</u>	<u>\$ 1,315,753</u>	<u>\$ 52,393,376</u>

MIDLAND-GUARDIAN SALARIED EMPLOYEES 401(K) SAVINGS PLAN

Notes to Financial Statements (Continued)

NOTE 4 FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS (CONTINUED)

The following is a summary of changes in the fair value of the Plan's level 3 investments for the year ended December 31, 2009:

	Participant Loans
Balance, beginning of year	\$ 1,315,753
Interest income	89,539
Unrealized gains (losses) relating to instruments still held at the reporting date	-
Purchases, sales, issuances and settlements (net)	327,342
Balance, end of year	<u>\$ 1,732,634</u>

NOTE 5 BENEFIT RESPONSIVE INVESTMENT

The Plan invests in benefit-responsive investment contracts with PNC Bank ("PNC") through the PNC Investment Contract Fund. PNC maintains the contributions in general accounts, which are credited with earnings on the underlying investments and charged for participant withdrawals and administrative expenses. The Fund invests primarily in short-term investments and fixed income securities including corporate debt securities, U.S. Government securities, mortgage-backed securities and enters into wrapper contracts with underlying securities to create synthetic guaranteed investment contracts. The investment contract is included in the financial statements at contract value as reported to the Plan by PNC. Contract values represent contributions made under the contract, plus earnings, less participant withdrawals and administrative expenses. Participants may ordinarily direct the withdrawal or transfer of all or a portion of their investment at contract value. PNC may not terminate the contracts at any amounts less than contract value.

The existence of certain conditions can limit the trust's ability to transact at contract value with the issuers of its investment contracts. Examples of these employer initiated events include:

- (1) Full or partial termination of the Plan, the Fund or a particular unit-holder.
- (2) Tax disqualification of the Fund or a significant unit-holder.
- (3) Certain Fund amendments if issuers consent is not obtained.
- (4) Events resulting in a material and adverse financial impact on the contract issuer, including changes in the tax code, laws or regulations.
- (5) Certain Plan level withdrawals or Plan Participant-Directed Withdrawals that are deemed not normal, as defined in the Funds' Descriptions.

MIDLAND-GUARDIAN SALARIED EMPLOYEES 401(K) SAVINGS PLAN

Notes to Financial Statements (Continued)

NOTE 5 BENEFIT RESPONSIVE INVESTMENT (CONTINUED)

PNC Bank is not aware of any events that would be deemed to be probable at December 31, 2009. No change in valuation has occurred to the contracts due to a change in the contracts' benefit-responsive status.

In addition to the limitations noted above, issuers of investment contracts have certain rights to terminate a contract and settle at an amount which differs from contract value. For example, certain breaches by the Fund of its obligations or representations under the terms of the investment contract value can result in its termination at market value which may differ from contract value. Investment contracts may also provide for termination with no payment obligation from the issuer if the performance of the contract constitutes a prohibited transaction under ERISA or other applicable law. Synthetic investment contracts may also provide issuers with the right to reduce contract value in the event an underlying security suffers a credit event or the right to terminate the contract in the event certain investment guidelines are materially breached and not cured. The Fund Administrator believes that it is not probable that events may occur that will limit the ability of the Fund to transact at contract values with the issuer.

The relationship between future interest and the adjustment to contract value reported on the statement of net assets for the PNC Investment Contract Fund is accomplished through the crediting rate formula. The credited rate interest on the synthetic guaranteed investment contracts are accrued daily and represent the difference between the actual interests earned on the covered assets under the Fund's wrapper agreements and the product of the book value of the covered assets multiplied by the crediting rate as determined pursuant to the wrapper agreements. The crediting interest rates are reviewed on a quarterly basis for resetting. The Fund guarantees a return of principal and a specific minimum rate of return.

Key factors that could influence future average interest crediting rates include, but are not limited to: a wrapper agreement generally does not protect the Fund from loss if an issuer of portfolio securities defaults on payments of interest or principal; a default by the issuer of a security or the Wrapper Provider on its obligations might result in a decrease in the value of the Fund's assets; a Fund participant may realize more or less than the actual investment return on the portfolio securities depending on the timing of the participant's admissions and redemptions of units, as well as those of other participants. There is no active trading market for wrapper agreements, and none is expected to develop; therefore, they are considered illiquid.

Average yields:	<u>2009</u>	<u>2008</u>
Based on annualized earnings (1)	2.43%	5.11%
Based on interest rate credited to participants (2)	2.19%	3.77%

(1) Computed by dividing the annualized one-day earnings of the contract on the last day of the plan year by the fair value of the investment on the same date.

(2) Computed by dividing the annualized one-day earnings credited to participants on the last day of the plan year by the fair value of the investments on the same date.

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NOTE 6 TAX STATUS

The Plan uses a prototype plan document sponsored by PNC Bank. PNC received an opinion letter from the Internal Revenue Service ("IRS"), dated March 31, 2008, which states that the prototype document satisfies the applicable provisions of the Internal Revenue Code ("IRC"). The Plan was amended and restated effective January 1, 2009. The Plan has not obtained a new opinion letter or determination letter from the IRS. However, the Plan's management believes that the Plan is currently designed and being operated in compliance with the applicable requirements of the IRC. Therefore, no provision for income tax has been included in the Plan's financial statements.

NOTE 7 INFORMATION CERTIFIED BY THE TRUSTEE

The following information provided by PNC Bank N.A. ("PNC Bank"), the Trustee of the Plan for the years ended December 31, 2009 and 2008 was certified by them to be accurate and complete with respect to the following:

- (a) The assets held by PNC Bank at December 31, 2009 and 2008 as well as the transactions involving these assets for the year ended December 31, 2009.
- (b) The amount of investment income (loss) for the year ended December 31, 2009.
- (c) Schedule H, Line 4i – Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year) as of December 31, 2009.

NOTE 8 PLAN TERMINATION

The Company expects to continue the Plan indefinitely, but reserves the right to terminate it by a duly adopted written resolution of the Board of Directors of the Company. In the event of termination, the value of each participant's interest in Company matching contributions will become fully vested and Plan assets will be allocated to provide benefits to participants as set forth in the Plan, or as otherwise required by law.

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Schedule H, Line 4i – Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year) December 31, 2009

Schedule H (Form 5500)
EIN 31-1667081
Plan Number – 002

Column A	Column B	Column C	Column E
	Identity of issuer, borrower of similar entity	Description of Investment	Current Value
	Federated Treasury Obligation Issue Fund	Mutual Fund	\$ 16,793,058
	Artisan Mid Cap Value Fund	Mutual Fund	5,650,077
	American Euro Pacific Growth Fund	Mutual Fund	5,159,545
	American Balanced Fund	Mutual Fund	4,928,473
	American Century Equity Income Investor	Mutual Fund	4,689,120
	Baron Asset Fund	Mutual Fund	4,215,610
	American Funds Growth Fund of America	Mutual Fund	3,894,825
	American Century Diversified Bond Investor	Mutual Fund	3,034,659
	American Century Small Cap Value Fund	Mutual Fund	2,071,602
*	Blackrock High Yield Bond	Mutual Fund	2,015,678
	T Rowe 2040 Advisor Fund	Mutual Fund	1,788,270
	Royce Value Plus Service Fund	Mutual Fund	1,768,928
	T Rowe 2020 Advisor Fund	Mutual Fund	1,558,894
*	PNC Investment Contract Fund Y (**)	Common/Collective Trust Fund	1,554,450
	Pioneer Fund class Y	Mutual Fund	1,384,595
	T Rowe 2010 Advisor Fund	Mutual Fund	1,157,991
	T Rowe 2030 Advisor Fund	Mutual Fund	778,815
	T Rowe 2050 Advisor Fund	Mutual Fund	436,158
*	Loans to Participants	4.25% - 10.5%	1,732,634
		Total investments	<u>\$ 64,613,382</u>

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** Investments shown at contract value

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