

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), 6057(b), 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
		2015
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Part I	Annual Report Identification Information
For calendar plan year 2015 or fiscal plan year beginning <u>01/01/2015</u> and ending <u>12/31/2015</u>	
A This return/report is for:	☐ a multiemployer plan; ☐ a multiple-employer plan (Filers checking this box must attach a list of participating employer information in accordance with the form instructions); 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 <u>THE FIFTH THIRD BANCORP FROZEN SUCCESSOR PLAN</u>	1b Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ <u>008</u> 1c Effective date of plan <u>12/31/2001</u>
2a Plan sponsor's name (employer, if for a single-employer plan) Mailing address (include room, apt., suite no. and street, or P.O. Box) City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code (if foreign, see instructions) <u>FIFTH THIRD BANCORP</u> <u>38 FOUNTAIN SQUARE PLAZA</u> <u>MAIL DROP 10GA51</u> <u>CINCINNATI, OH 45202</u>	2b Employer Identification Number (EIN) <u>31-0854434</u> 2c Plan Sponsor's telephone number <u>513-534-4137</u> 2d Business code (see instructions) <u>522110</u>

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	<u>Filed with authorized/valid electronic signature.</u>	<u>07/14/2016</u>	<u>TERESA TANNER</u>
	Signature of plan administrator	Date	Enter name of individual signing as plan administrator
SIGN HERE	<u>Filed with authorized/valid electronic signature.</u>	<u>07/14/2016</u>	<u>MAUREEN BALENT</u>
	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
Preparer's name (including firm name, if applicable) and address (include room or suite number)			Preparer's telephone number

3a Plan administrator's name and address ☐ Same as Plan Sponsor PENSION, PROFIT SHARING & MEDICAL PLAN COMMITTEE 38 FOUNTAIN SQUARE PLAZA MAIL DROP 10GA51 CINCINNATI, OH 45202	3b Administrator's EIN 31-0854434
	3c Administrator's telephone number 513-534-4137
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
5 Total number of participants at the beginning of the plan year	5 115
6 Number of participants as of the end of the plan year unless otherwise stated (welfare plans complete only lines 6a(1) , 6a(2) , 6b , 6c , and 6d).	
a(1) Total number of active participants at the beginning of the plan year.....	6a(1) 33
a(2) Total number of active participants at the end of the plan year	6a(2) 30
b Retired or separated participants receiving benefits.....	6b 2
c Other retired or separated participants entitled to future benefits.....	6c 46
d Subtotal. Add lines 6a(2) , 6b , and 6c	6d 78
e Deceased participants whose beneficiaries are receiving or are entitled to receive benefits.....	6e 0
f Total. Add lines 6d and 6e	6f 78
g Number of participants with account balances as of the end of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item).....	6g 77
h Number of participants that terminated employment during the plan year with accrued benefits that were less than 100% vested	6h 0
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 Characteristics Codes in the instructions: 2E 2G 3H 2T 2O	
b If the plan provides welfare benefits, enter the applicable welfare feature codes from the List of Plan Characteristics 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
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)

Part III	Form M-1 Compliance Information (to be completed by welfare benefit plans)
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11a If the plan provides welfare benefits, was the plan subject to the Form M-1 filing requirements during the plan year? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-2.) ☐ Yes ☐ No

If "Yes" is checked, complete lines 11b and 11c.

11b Is the plan currently in compliance with the Form M-1 filing requirements? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-2.) ☐ Yes ☐ No

11c Enter the Receipt Confirmation Code for the 2015 Form M-1 annual report. If the plan was not required to file the 2015 Form M-1 annual report, enter the Receipt Confirmation Code for the most recent Form M-1 that was required to be filed under the Form M-1 filing requirements. (Failure to enter a valid Receipt Confirmation Code will subject the Form 5500 filing to rejection as incomplete.)

Receipt Confirmation Code _____

<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
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A Name of plan THE FIFTH THIRD BANCORP FROZEN SUCCESSOR PLAN	B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶	008
C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 FIFTH THIRD BANCORP	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 31-0854434	

Part I	Service Provider Information (see instructions)
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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)

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(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?
15 50	NONE	50	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)

(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 ☐

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)

(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)

(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 ☐

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
(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.	
(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	(b) Service Codes (see instructions)	(c) Enter amount of indirect compensation
(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.	
(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	(b) Service Codes (see instructions)	(c) Enter amount of indirect compensation
(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

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:

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

Explanation:

SCHEDULE D (Form 5500) <small>Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service</small> <small>Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration</small>	DFE/Participating Plan Information This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA). ► File as an attachment to Form 5500.	OMB No. 1210-0110 2015 This Form is Open to Public Inspection.
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A Name of plan <u>THE FIFTH THIRD BANCORP FROZEN SUCCESSOR PLAN</u>	B Three-digit plan number (PN) ► <u>008</u>	
C Plan or DFE sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 <u>FIFTH THIRD BANCORP</u>	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) <u>31-0854434</u>	

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)
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a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: <u>SSGA GLOBAL EQUITY EX US INDEX NL-C</u>				
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <u>STATE STREET BANK AND TRUST COMPANY</u>				
c EIN-PN <u>90-0337987-242</u>	d Entity code <u>C</u>	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <u>12068</u>		
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: <u>SSGA RUSSELL S & P MID CAP NL-C</u>				
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <u>STATE STREET BANK AND TRUST COMPANY</u>				
c EIN-PN <u>90-0337987-176</u>	d Entity code <u>C</u>	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <u>10731</u>		
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: <u>SSGA US BOND INDEX NL-C</u>				
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <u>STATE STREET BANK AND TRUST COMPANY</u>				
c EIN-PN <u>90-0337987-178</u>	d Entity code <u>C</u>	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <u>13019</u>		
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: <u>SSGA RUSSELL LARGE CAP GROWTH INDEX</u>				
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <u>STATE STREET BANK AND TRUST COMPANY</u>				
c EIN-PN <u>90-0337987-228</u>	d Entity code <u>C</u>	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <u>11008</u>		
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: <u>FIFTH THIRD EQUITY INDEX</u>				
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <u>FIFTH THIRD BANK</u>				
c EIN-PN <u>30-0194096-001</u>	d Entity code <u>C</u>	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <u>80988</u>		
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: <u>SMARTRETIREMENT INCOME</u>				
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <u>JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, N.A.</u>				
c EIN-PN <u>20-3063490-001</u>	d Entity code <u>C</u>	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <u>132914</u>		
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: <u>SMARTRETIREMENT 2015</u>				
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <u>JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, N.A.</u>				
c EIN-PN <u>20-3063321-001</u>	d Entity code <u>C</u>	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <u>145432</u>		

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: SMARTRETIREMENT 2020**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, N.A.

c EIN-PN 20-3063359-001	d Entity code C	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 21656
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a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: SMARTRETIREMENT 2025**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, N.A.

c EIN-PN 20-5819098-001	d Entity code C	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 114636
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a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: SMARTRETIREMENT 2030**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, N.A.

c EIN-PN 20-3063387-001	d Entity code C	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 110346
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a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: SMARTRETIREMENT 2035**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, N.A.

c EIN-PN 20-5819181-001	d Entity code C	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 54599
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a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: SMARTRETIREMENT 2040**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, N.A.

c EIN-PN 20-3063440-001	d Entity code C	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 6745
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a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: SMARTRETIREMENT 2045**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, N.A.

c EIN-PN 20-5819476-001	d Entity code C	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 554
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a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: BLUE CHIP GROWTH TRUST - T2**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): T-ROWE PRICE

c EIN-PN 80-0470272-004	d Entity code C	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 159073
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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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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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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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plan sponsor**c** EIN-PN

SCHEDULE H (Form 5500) <small>Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service</small> <small>Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration</small> <small>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation</small>	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 2015 This Form is Open to Public Inspection
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Part I	Asset and Liability Statement		
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		
b Receivables (less allowance for doubtful accounts):			
(1) Employer contributions	1b(1)		
(2) Participant contributions	1b(2)		
(3) Other.....	1b(3)	2493	2243
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)		
(9) Value of interest in common/collective trusts.....	1c(9)	1308518	873769
(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)	875097	680556
(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)	390748	346735
(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	2576856	1903303

Liabilities

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

Net Assets

l Net assets (subtract line 1k from line 1f)	1l	2576856	1903303
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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) Amount	(b) Total
a Contributions:			
(1) Received or receivable in cash from: (A) Employers	2a(1)(A)		
(B) Participants	2a(1)(B)		
(C) Others (including rollovers)	2a(1)(C)		
(2) Noncash contributions	2a(2)		
(3) Total contributions. Add lines 2a(1)(A) , (B) , (C) , and line 2a(2)	2a(3)		0
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)		
(F) Other	2b(1)(F)		
(G) Total interest. Add lines 2b(1)(A) through (F)	2b(1)(G)		0
(2) Dividends: (A) Preferred stock	2b(2)(A)		
(B) Common stock	2b(2)(B)	9030	
(C) Registered investment company shares (e.g. mutual funds)	2b(2)(C)	16915	
(D) Total dividends. Add lines 2b(2)(A) , (B) , and (C)	2b(2)(D)		25945
(3) Rents	2b(3)		
(4) Net gain (loss) on sale of assets: (A) Aggregate proceeds	2b(4)(A)	45791	
(B) Aggregate carrying amount (see instructions)	2b(4)(B)	30152	
(C) Subtract line 2b(4)(B) from line 2b(4)(A) and enter result	2b(4)(C)		15639
(5) Unrealized appreciation (depreciation) of assets: (A) Real estate	2b(5)(A)		
(B) Other	2b(5)(B)	-23140	
(C) Total unrealized appreciation of assets. Add lines 2b(5)(A) and (B)	2b(5)(C)		-23140

		(a) Amount	(b) Total
(6) Net investment gain (loss) from common/collective trusts	2b(6)		15497
(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)		-11582
c Other income	2c		
d Total income. Add all income amounts in column (b) and enter total	2d		22359

Expenses

e Benefit payment and payments to provide benefits:			
(1) Directly to participants or beneficiaries, including direct rollovers	2e(1)	695862	
(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)		695862
f Corrective distributions (see instructions)	2f		
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)		
(4) Other	2i(4)	50	
(5) Total administrative expenses. Add lines 2i(1) through (4)	2i(5)		50
j Total expenses. Add all expense amounts in column (b) and enter total	2j		695912

Net Income and Reconciliation

k Net income (loss). Subtract line 2j from line 2d	2k		-673553
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: **DELOITTE & TOUCHE LLP**

(2) EIN: **13-3891517**

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 lines 4a, 4e, 4f, 4g, 4h, 4k, 4m, 4n, or 5. 103-12 IEs also do not complete lines 4j and 4l. MTIAs also do not complete line 4l.

During the plan year:

	Yes	No	N/A	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.)		☒		
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.)		☒		

	Yes	No	N/A	Amount
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		
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.				
o Did the plan trust incur unrelated business taxable income?				
p Were in-service distributions made during the plan year?				

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)

5c If the plan is a defined benefit plan, is it covered under the PBGC insurance program (see ERISA section 4021)? ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Not determined

Part V Trust Information

6a Name of trust	6b Trust's EIN
6c Name of trustee or custodian	6d Trustee's or custodian's telephone number

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 2015 This Form is Open to Public Inspection.
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For calendar plan year 2015 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2015 and ending 12/31/2015

A Name of plan <u>THE FIFTH THIRD BANCORP FROZEN SUCCESSOR PLAN</u>	B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ <u>008</u>
C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 <u>FIFTH THIRD BANCORP</u>	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) <u>31-0854434</u>

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>43-1796706</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 (include any prior year accumulated funding deficiency not waived)	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 or other authority 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. 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

For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice and OMB Control Numbers, see the instructions for Form 5500.

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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 lines 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 lines 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 lines 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 lines 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 lines 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 lines 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 line 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
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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 lines (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 line 19(b)? ☐ Effective duration ☐ Macaulay duration ☐ Modified duration ☐ Other (specify): _____

Part VII	IRS Compliance Questions
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20a Is the plan a 401(k) plan?	☐ Yes	☐ No
20b If "Yes," how does the 401(k) plan satisfy the nondiscrimination requirements for employee deferrals and employer matching contributions (as applicable) under sections 401(k)(3) and 401(m)(2)?	☐ Design-based safe harbor method	☐ ADP/ACP test
20c If the ADP/ACP test is used, did the 401(k) plan perform ADP/ACP testing for the plan year using the "current year testing method" for nonhighly compensated employees (Treas. Reg sections 1.401(k)-2(a)(2)(ii) and 1.401(m)-2(a)(2)(ii))?	☐ Yes	☐ No
21a Check the box to indicate the method used by the plan to satisfy the coverage requirements under section 410(b):	☐ Ratio percentage test	☐ Average benefit test
21b Does the plan satisfy the coverage and nondiscrimination tests of sections 410(b) and 401(a)(4) by combining this plan with any other plans under the permissive aggregation rules?	☐ Yes	☐ No
22a Has the plan been timely amended for all required tax law changes?	☐ Yes	☐ No ☐ N/A
22b Date the last plan amendment/restatement for the required tax law changes was adopted ____/____/____. Enter the applicable code _____. (See instructions for tax law changes and codes).		
22c If the plan sponsor is an adopter of a pre-approved master and prototype (M&P) or volume submitter plan that is subject to a favorable IRS opinion or advisory letter, enter the date of that favorable letter ____/____/____ and the letter's serial number _____.		
22d If the plan is an individually-designed plan and received a favorable determination letter from the IRS, enter the date of the plan's last favorable determination letter ____/____/____.		
23 Is the Plan maintained in a U.S. territory (i.e., Puerto Rico (if no election under ERISA section 1022(i)(2) has been made), American Samoa, Guam, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands or the U.S. Virgin Islands)?	☐ Yes	☐ No

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To Fifth Third Bancorp as the Plan Sponsor and the Pension, Profit Sharing and Medical Plan Committee of the Fifth Third Bancorp Frozen Successor Plan:

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the Fifth Third Bancorp Frozen Successor Plan (the "Plan"), which comprise the statements of net assets available for benefits as of December 31, 2015 and 2014, and the related statements of changes in net assets available for benefits for the years then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditors' Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits. We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the Plan's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements, in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Plan's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the net assets available for benefits of the Fifth Third Bancorp Frozen Successor Plan as of December 31, 2015 and 2014, and the changes in net assets available for benefits for the years then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Report on Supplemental Schedules

Our audits were conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements as a whole. The supplemental schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year) as of December 31, 2015 is presented for the purpose of additional analysis and is not a required part of the financial statements but is supplementary information required by the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974. This schedule is the responsibility of the Plan's management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements. Such schedule has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in our audits of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such schedule directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, such schedule is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the financial statements as a whole.

A handwritten signature in dark ink that reads "Deloitte & Sanchez LLP". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

June 28, 2016

The Fifth Third Bancorp Frozen Successor Plan
Schedule H, Line 4(i) - Schedule of Assets (Held at Year End)
EIN: 31-0854434 PN: 008
01/01/2015 - 12/31/2015

(A) Party In Interest *	(B) Identity of Party	(C) Description of Asset	(D) Cost **	(E) Current Value
	Alliance Bernstein	Alliance Bernstein Small Cap Growth-Inst	n/a	4,903.14
	Federated	Federated Prime Cash Obligations-I	n/a	408,477.95
*	Fifth Third Bank	Fifth Third Bank Equity Index for EB Plans-CI B	n/a	80,987.59
	Goldman Sachs	Goldman Sachs Growth Opportunities-I	n/a	44,706.33
	Goldman Sachs	Goldman Sachs Mid Cap Value-Inst	n/a	4,902.19
*	JPMorgan	Fifth Third Stock	n/a	346,735.18
	JPMorgan	JPMorgan Core Bond-R6	n/a	118,159.53
	JPMorgan	Target Retirement Date 2015 Fund	n/a	145,431.70
	JPMorgan	Target Retirement Date 2020 Fund	n/a	21,656.32
	JPMorgan	Target Retirement Date 2025 Fund	n/a	114,635.99
	JPMorgan	Target Retirement Date 2030 Fund	n/a	110,346.00
	JPMorgan	Target Retirement Date 2035 Fund	n/a	54,599.22
	JPMorgan	Target Retirement Date 2040 Fund	n/a	6,744.95
	JPMorgan	Target Retirement Date 2045 Fund	n/a	554.43
	JPMorgan	Target Retirement Date Income Fund	n/a	132,913.89
	Lazard	Lazard Emerging Markets - Inst	n/a	5,310.90
	SSgA	SSgA Global Equity Ex US Index NL-C	n/a	12,068.42
	SSgA	SSgA Russell Large Cap Growth Index NL-C	n/a	11,007.52
	SSgA	SSgA S&P Mid Cap NL-C	n/a	10,731.39
	SSgA	SSgA US Bond Index NL-C	n/a	13,018.96
	T Rowe Price	T Rowe Price Blue Chip Growth Trust-T2	n/a	159,072.97
	Touchstone	Touchstone International Value-I	n/a	15,599.06
	Touchstone	Touchstone Small Cap Value-Inst	n/a	667.10
	Touchstone	Touchstone Value-Inst	n/a	77,829.40
Total				1,901,060.13

* Party in Interest

** Not required for participant directed accounts

Fifth Third Bancorp Frozen Successor Plan

Financial Statements and Notes to Financial
Statements as of and for the years ended
December 31, 2015 and 2014, Supplemental
Schedule as of December 31, 2015, and
Independent Auditors' Report

FIFTH THIRD BANCORP FROZEN SUCCESSOR PLAN

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To Fifth Third Bancorp as the Plan Sponsor and the Pension, Profit Sharing and Medical Plan Committee of the Fifth Third Bancorp Frozen Successor Plan:

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Auditors' Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits. We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the Plan's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements, in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Plan's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the net assets available for benefits of the Fifth Third Bancorp Frozen Successor Plan as of December 31, 2015 and 2014, and the changes in net assets available for benefits for the years then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Report on Supplemental Schedules

Our audits were conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements as a whole. The supplemental schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year) as of December 31, 2015 is presented for the purpose of additional analysis and is not a required part of the financial statements but is supplementary information required by the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974. This schedule is the responsibility of the Plan's management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements. Such schedule has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in our audits of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such schedule directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, such schedule is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the financial statements as a whole.

A handwritten signature in dark ink, reading "Deloitte & Sanchez LLP". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

June 28, 2016

FIFTH THIRD BANCORP FROZEN SUCCESSOR PLAN

STATEMENTS OF NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2015 AND 2014

	<u>2015</u>	<u>2014</u>
INVESTMENTS - At fair value:		
Cash equivalents (Note 4)	\$ 408,478	\$ 445,302
Common stock of Fifth Third Bancorp (Notes 4 and 5)	346,735	390,748
Collective funds	873,769	1,308,518
Mutual funds	<u>272,078</u>	<u>429,795</u>
Total investments, at fair value	<u>1,901,060</u>	<u>2,574,363</u>
Accrued investment income (Note 6)	<u>2,243</u>	<u>2,493</u>
NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS (Note 7)	<u>\$ 1,903,303</u>	<u>\$ 2,576,856</u>

See Notes to Financial Statements.

FIFTH THIRD BANCORP FROZEN SUCCESSOR PLAN

STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015 AND 2014

	<u>2015</u>	<u>2014</u>
ADDITIONS:		
Investment income:		
Dividends	\$ 25,945	\$ 51,988
Net (depreciation) appreciation in fair value of investments (Note 4)	<u>(3,586)</u>	<u>60,378</u>
Net investment income	<u>22,359</u>	<u>112,366</u>
DEDUCTIONS:		
Benefits paid to participants	(695,862)	(345,514)
Administrative expenses	<u>(50)</u>	<u>(226)</u>
Total deductions	<u>(695,912)</u>	<u>(345,740)</u>
DECREASE IN NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS (Note 7)	(673,553)	(233,374)
NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS:		
Beginning of period	<u>2,576,856</u>	<u>2,810,230</u>
End of period (Note 7)	<u><u>\$ 1,903,303</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 2,576,856</u></u>

See Notes to Financial Statements.

FIFTH THIRD BANCORP FROZEN SUCCESSOR PLAN

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

AS OF AND FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015 AND 2014

1. DESCRIPTION OF PLAN

The following brief description of the Fifth Third Bancorp Frozen Successor Plan (the “Plan”) is provided for general information purposes only. Participants should refer to the Plan agreement for a more complete description of the Plan’s information.

General - The Plan is a defined contribution profit sharing plan, with a 401(k) feature, with separate accounts maintained for each participant. The Plan was established to continue retirement plan accounts transferred to, or merged from, qualified retirement plans of employers acquired by Fifth Third Bancorp (the “Bancorp”). The Plan was initially created on December 31, 2001, as a merger of the National Bank of Cynthiana Retirement Savings Plan and the 1st National Bank of Falmouth Retirement Savings Plan. Upon the merger or transfer from a predecessor plan, an individual not already a participant, but who has an account merged or transferred to this Plan, becomes a participant.

The Plan is frozen and no employer or employee contributions of any type will be made to this Plan. Amounts attributable to deductible employee contributions may not be rolled over to the Plan. The Plan is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA). The Bancorp is the Plan Sponsor.

Investment Options - At December 31, 2015, participants can direct their accounts to be invested in Fifth Third Bancorp common stock, one money market fund, 18 collective funds and 11 mutual funds offered by the Plan as investment options. At December 31, 2014, participants could direct their accounts to be invested in Fifth Third Bancorp common stock, one money market fund, 17 collective funds and 12 mutual funds offered by the Plan as investment options.

Administration - The Fifth Third Bancorp Pension, Profit Sharing and Medical Plan Committee, serves as the Plan Administrator. Great West Trust Company, LLC serves as the trustee of the Plan. Great West must adhere to the investment authority of the Plan Administrator. JPMorgan Chase Bank serves as the custodian for the investment in Fifth Third common stock. All other collective and mutual fund investments are held by their respective asset managers. Empower Retirement serves as the Plan’s recordkeeper and performs certain functions as agent of the trustee under an agency agreement.

Participant Accounts - Individual accounts are maintained for each Plan participant. Each participant’s account is credited with an allocation of Plan earnings and charged with withdrawals and an allocation of Plan losses and administrative expenses. Allocations are based on participant 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.

Funding and Vesting - The Plan is frozen and no employer or employee contributions of any type will be made to this Plan. Gains and losses under the Plan are calculated on a daily basis. The rights of participant accounts (including all sub-accounts) are fully vested and nonforfeitable.

Termination - Although it has not expressed its intention to do so, the Bancorp has the right under the Plan to amend or terminate the Plan subject to the provisions set forth in ERISA. If the Plan were to be terminated, the value of the proportionate interest of each participant would be determined as of the date of termination, and this amount would be fully vested and nonforfeitable.

Payment of Benefits - The Plan provides for payment of benefits of accumulated vested amounts upon termination of employment. Benefits are payable in the form of lump-sum payments. Benefits are recorded when paid. The benefit to which an employee is entitled is the benefit that can be provided from the participant's vested account.

Tax Status - The Internal Revenue Service (IRS) has determined and informed the Bancorp by a letter dated May 19, 2015 that the Plan and related trust are designed in accordance with applicable sections of the Internal Revenue Code (IRC). Therefore, no provision for income taxes has been included in the Plan's financial statements.

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (U.S. GAAP) require Plan management to evaluate tax positions taken by the Plan and recognize a tax liability if the Plan has taken an uncertain position that more likely than not would not be sustained upon examination by the Internal Revenue Service. The Plan is subject to routine audits by taxing jurisdictions; however, there are currently no audits for any tax periods in progress. The Plan administrator believes it is no longer subject to income tax examinations for years prior to 2012.

Withdrawals - Participants are eligible to request withdrawals upon severance of employment or in the case of specified hardships. The Plan also makes mandatory age 70 ½ distributions pursuant to required minimum distribution regulations issued by the IRS.

2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The following are the significant accounting policies followed by the Plan:

Basis of Accounting - The accounting records of the Plan are maintained on the accrual basis of accounting. The accompanying financial statements have been prepared in accordance with U.S. GAAP. The Plan has evaluated subsequent events through June 28, 2016, the date of issuance, to determine if either recognition or disclosure of significant events or transactions is required.

Use of Estimates - The preparation of financial statements in conformity with U.S. GAAP requires the Plan Administrator to make estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts reported in the financial statements and accompanying notes. Actual results could differ from those estimates and assumptions.

Risk and Uncertainties - The Plan, at the direction of the participant invests in various securities, which may include U.S. governmental securities, corporate debt instruments and corporate stocks. Investment securities, in general, are exposed to various risks, such as interest rate, credit and overall market volatility. Due to the level of risk associated with certain investment securities, it is reasonably possible that changes in the values of investment securities will occur in the near term and that such changes could materially affect the amounts reported in the financial statements.

Cash Equivalents - Cash equivalents include amounts held in the Federated Prime Cash Obligations Money Market Fund, which are readily convertible to cash upon demand and are short term investment funds that have an original maturity of 90 days or less and are valued at cost which approximates fair value.

Investment Valuation and Income Recognition - The Plan's investments are stated at fair value in accordance with Accounting Standards Codification Topic 820, *Fair Value Measurements and Disclosures*. Quoted market prices, when available, are used to value equity securities and mutual funds. Collective funds are stated at fair value, as determined by the issuer of the collective funds, based on the net asset value ("NAV") per share or its equivalent, without adjustment, as quoted by the issuer or the collective fund. For further information on fair value measurements, see Note 5.

Purchases and sales of securities are recorded on a trade-date basis. Interest income is recorded on the accrual basis. Dividends are recorded on the ex-dividend date. Net appreciation (depreciation) includes the Plan's gains and losses on investments bought and sold during the year.

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

Administrative Expenses - Certain administrative expenses of the Plan are paid by the Plan as provided in the Plan document.

3. RECENT ACCOUNTING DEVELOPMENTS

Disclosures for Investments in Certain Entities That Calculate Net Asset Value per Share

In May 2015, the FASB issued amended guidance to remove the requirement to categorize within the fair value hierarchy all investments for which fair value is measured using the net asset value per share practical expedient. The amended guidance also removes the requirement to make certain disclosures for all investments that are eligible to be measured at fair value using the net asset value per share practical expedient. Rather, those disclosures are limited to investments for which the entity has elected to measure the fair value using that practical expedient. The amended guidance is effective for fiscal years, and interim periods within those fiscal years, beginning after December 15, 2016. The amended guidance should be applied retrospectively to all periods presented. The retrospective approach requires that an investment for which fair value is measured using the net asset value per share practical expedient be removed from the fair value hierarchy in all periods presented in an entity's financial statements. Earlier application is permitted. The adoption of the amended guidance is not expected to have a material impact on the Plan's Financial Statements.

Practical Expedient for the Measurement Date of an Employer's Defined Benefit Obligation and Plan Assets

In July 2015, the FASB issued amended guidance intended to simplify an entity's measurement of the fair value of plan assets of a defined benefit pension or other postretirement benefit plan when the fiscal year-end does not coincide with a month-end. For an entity with a fiscal year-end that does not coincide with a month-end, the amended guidance provides a practical expedient that permits the entity to measure defined benefit plan assets and obligations using the month-end that is closest to the entity's fiscal year-end and apply that practical expedient consistently from year to year. The amended guidance is effective for fiscal years, and interim periods within those fiscal years, beginning after December 15, 2015, with early adoption permitted. The amended guidance should be applied prospectively. The adoption of the amended guidance is not expected to have an impact on the Plan's Financial Statements as the Plan's fiscal year-end coincides with a month-end.

4. INVESTMENTS

Investments representing 5% or more of net assets available for benefits as of December 31, 2015 and 2014 are as follows, and stated at fair value:

	December 31, 2015	December 31, 2014
Federated Prime Cash Obligation Money Market Fund (408,478 and 445,302 shares, respectively)	\$ 408,478	\$ 445,302
Fifth Third Bancorp common stock (17,251 and 19,178 shares, respectively)	346,735	390,748
T.Rowe Price Blue Chip Growth Trust (6,062 shares)	159,073	<5%
JPMorgan Target Retirement Date 2015 Fund (8,071 and 8,436 shares, respectively)	145,432	151,013
JPMorgan Target Retirement Date Income Fund (7,921 and 42,182 shares)	132,914	704,433
JPMorgan Core Bond Fund (10,221 shares)	118,160	<5%
JPMorgan Target Retirement Date 2025 Fund (4,759 and 5,822 shares, respectively)	114,636	139,735
JPMorgan Target Retirement Date 2030 Fund (5,666 shares)	110,346	<5%
Touchstone Large Cap Growth Fund (4,877 shares)	<5%	142,984

The following table represents the net (depreciation) appreciation in the fair value of Plan investments during the years ended:

	December 31, 2015	December 31, 2014
Net (depreciation) appreciation in fair value of investments:		
Common stock of Fifth Third Bancorp	\$ (7,501)	\$ (13,707)
Collective funds	15,497	79,236
Mutual funds	(11,582)	(5,151)
Total	<u>\$ (3,586)</u>	<u>\$ 60,378</u>

5. EXEMPT PARTY-IN-INTEREST TRANSACTIONS

Fifth Third Bank provided the Plan with certain accounting and administrative services for which no fees were charged.

At December 31, 2015 and 2014, the Plan held 17,251 and 19,178 shares of the Bancorp's common stock, respectively, with fair values of \$346,735 and \$390,748, respectively. This investment represents 18.24% and 15.18% of total investments at December 31, 2015 and 2014, respectively. A significant decline in the market value of the Bancorp's stock would significantly affect the net assets available for benefits. Total dividends received from shares of the Bancorp's common stock totaled \$9,280 and \$9,805 for the years ended December 31, 2015 and 2014, respectively.

6. FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS

The Plan measures certain financial assets and liabilities at fair value in accordance with U.S. GAAP, which defines fair value as the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. U.S. GAAP also establishes a fair value hierarchy, which prioritizes the inputs to valuation techniques used to measure fair value into three broad levels. The fair value hierarchy gives the highest priority to quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (Level 1) and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (Level 3). A financial instrument's categorization within the fair value hierarchy is based upon the lowest level of input that is significant to the instrument's fair value measurement. The three levels within the fair value hierarchy are described as follows:

Level 1 - Quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities that the Plan has the ability to access at the measurement date.

Level 2 - Inputs other than quoted prices included within Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly or indirectly. Level 2 inputs include: quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities in active markets; quoted prices for identical or similar assets or liabilities in markets that are not active; inputs other than quoted prices that are observable for the asset or liability; and inputs that are derived principally from or corroborated by observable market data by correlation or other means.

Level 3 - Unobservable inputs for the asset or liability for which there is little, if any, market activity at the measurement date. Unobservable inputs reflect the Plan's own assumptions about what market participants would use to price the asset or liability. The inputs are developed based on the best information available in the circumstances, which might include the Plan's own financial data such as internally developed pricing models, discounted cash flow methodologies, as well as instruments for which the fair value determination requires significant management judgment.

The methods described above involve various valuation techniques and models, which involve inputs that are observable, when available. Valuation techniques and parameters used for measuring assets and liabilities are reviewed and validated on a quarterly basis. Additionally, the Plan monitors the fair values of significant assets and liabilities using a variety of methods including the evaluation of pricing runs and exception reports based on certain analytical criteria, comparison to previous trades and overall review and assessments for reasonableness.

The following tables summarize assets measured at fair value on a recurring basis:

As of December 31, 2015	Fair Value Measurements Using			
	Level 1 ^(a)	Level 2 ^(a)	Level 3	Total Fair Value
Investments:				
Cash Equivalents				
Federated Prime Cash				
Obligations Money Market				
Fund	\$ 408,478	-	-	408,478
Common Stock				
Fifth Third Bancorp	346,735	-	-	346,735
Collective Funds	-	873,769	-	873,769
Mutual funds				
Bond funds	118,160	-	-	118,160
Large cap allocation funds	83,141	-	-	83,141
Mid cap allocation funds	49,608	-	-	49,608
Foreign large cap allocation				
funds	15,599	-	-	15,599
Small cap allocation funds	5,570	-	-	5,570
Total investments	\$ 1,027,291	873,769	-	1,901,060

As of December 31, 2014	Fair Value Measurements Using			
	Level 1 ^(a)	Level 2 ^(a)	Level 3	Total Fair Value
Investments:				
Cash Equivalents				
Federated Prime Cash				
Obligations Money Market				
Fund	\$ 445,302	-	-	445,302
Common Stock				
Fifth Third Bancorp	390,748	-	-	390,748
Collective Funds	-	1,308,518	-	1,308,518
Mutual funds				
Bond funds	125,732	-	-	125,732
Large cap allocation funds	228,972	-	-	228,972
Mid cap allocation funds	52,572	-	-	52,572
Foreign large cap allocation				
funds	16,799	-	-	16,799
Small cap allocation funds	5,720	-	-	5,720
Total investments	\$ 1,265,845	1,308,518	-	2,574,363

(a) The Bancorp evaluates the significance of transfers between levels based upon the nature of the financial instrument and size of the transfer relative to total net assets available for benefits. During the years ended December 31, 2015 and 2014, no assets or liabilities were transferred between Level 1 and Level 2 nor have any changes been made to the leveling methodology.

The following is a description of the valuation methodologies used for instruments measured at fair value, as well as the general classification of such instruments pursuant to the valuation hierarchy.

Cash equivalents

Cash equivalents are comprised of money market mutual funds that invest in short-term money market instruments that are issued and payable in U.S. dollars. The Plan measures its cash equivalent funds that are exchange-traded using the fund's quoted price, which is in an active market. Therefore, these investments are classified within Level 1 of the valuation hierarchy.

Common stock

The Plan measures its Fifth Third Bancorp common stock using the stock's quoted price, which is available in an active market. Therefore, this investment is classified within Level 1 of the valuation hierarchy.

Collective funds

Investments in collective funds are valued based upon the redemption price of the units held by the Plan, which is based on the current fair value of the fund's underlying assets. Unit values are determined by the financial institution sponsoring such funds by dividing the fund's net assets at fair value by the units outstanding at the valuation dates to obtain the investment's NAV. Therefore, these investments are classified within Level 2 of the valuation hierarchy. Investments in the collective funds do not have a holding period and there are no unfunded commitments.

The collective funds seek an investment return that approximates as closely as practicable, before expenses, the performance of the associated investment index (i.e., the S&P MidCap 400 Index) over the long term.

The collective funds are managed using a passive or indexing investment approach, by which the sponsoring investment institution attempts to invest in the securities comprising the relevant investment index in the same proportions as they are represented in the index. In some cases, it may not be possible or practicable to purchase all of the securities comprising the index, or to hold them in the same weightings as they represent in the index. From time to time, the sponsoring investment institution may purchase securities that are not yet represented in the index or sell securities that have not yet been removed from the index.

Mutual funds

The Plan measures its mutual funds that are exchange-traded using the fund's quoted price, which is available in an active market. Therefore, these investments are classified within Level 1 of the valuation hierarchy.

Fair Value of Certain Financial Instruments

The following tables summarize the carrying amounts and estimated fair values for certain financial instruments, excluding financial instruments measured at fair value on a recurring basis:

<u>Fair Value Measurements Using</u>					
As of December 31, 2015	Net Carrying Amount	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total Fair Value
Financial Assets:					
Accrued Investment Income \$	2,243	2,243	-	-	2,243

<u>Fair Value Measurements Using</u>					
As of December 31, 2014	Net Carrying Amount	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total Fair Value
Financial Assets:					
Accrued Investment Income \$	2,493	2,493	-	-	2,493

Accrued investment income

For financial instruments with a short-term or no stated maturity, prevailing market rates and limited credit risk, carrying amounts approximate fair value.

7. RECONCILIATION OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS TO FORM 5500

	December 31, 2015	December 31, 2014
Net assets available for benefits per the financial statements	<u>\$ 1,903,303</u>	<u>\$ 2,576,856</u>
Total assets (current value column) per Form 5500		
Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year)	<u>\$ 1,903,303</u>	<u>\$ 2,576,856</u>
Decrease in net assets per the financial statements	<u>\$ (673,553)</u>	<u>\$ (233,374)</u>
Net loss per Form 5500	<u>\$ (673,553)</u>	<u>\$ (233,374)</u>

SUPPLEMENTAL SCHEDULE

FIFTH THIRD BANCORP FROZEN SUCCESSOR PLAN

SCHEDULE H, PART IV, LINE 4(i) SCHEDULE OF ASSETS (HELD AT END OF YEAR) AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2015

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)
	Identity of Issue, Borrower, Lessor, or Similar Party	Description of Investment Including Maturity Date, Rate of Interest, Collateral, Par or Maturity Value	Cost**	Current Fair Value
	CASH EQUIVALENTS:			
	Federated	Federated Prime Cash Obligation Money Market Fund	\$	408,478
	COMMON STOCK:			
*	JPMorgan	Fifth Third Bancorp		346,735
	COLLECTIVE FUNDS:			
	T.Rowe Price	T.Rowe Price Blue Chip Growth Trust T2		159,073
	JPMorgan	JPMorgan Target Retirement Date 2015 Fund		145,432
	JPMorgan	JPMorgan Target Retirement Date Income Fund		132,914
	JPMorgan	JPMorgan Target Retirement Date 2025 Fund		114,636
	JPMorgan	JPMorgan Target Retirement Date 2030 Fund		110,346
*	Fifth Third Bank	Fifth Third Bank Equity Index for Employee Benefit Plans Class B		80,988
	JPMorgan	JPMorgan Target Retirement Date 2035 Fund		54,599
	JPMorgan	JPMorgan Target Retirement Date 2020 Fund		21,656
	SSgA	State Street Global Advisors U.S. Bond Index - NL-C		13,019
	SSgA	State Street Global Advisors Global Equity ex-US Index - NL-C		12,068
	SSgA	State Street Global Advisors Russell Large Cap Growth Index - NL-C		11,008
	SSgA	State Street Global Advisors S&P MID Cap - NL-C		10,731
	JPMorgan	JPMorgan Target Retirement Date 2040 Fund		6,745
	JPMorgan	JPMorgan Target Retirement Date 2045 Fund		554
	Total Collective Funds			873,769
	MUTUAL FUNDS:			
	JPMorgan	JPMorgan Core Bond Fund		118,160
	Touchstone	Touchstone Value Fund		77,830
	Goldman Sachs	Goldman Sachs Growth Opportunities Fund		44,706
	Touchstone	Touchstone International Value Fund		15,599
	Lazard	Lazard Emerging Markets Fund		5,311
	Alliance Bernstein	Alliance Bernstein Small Cap Growth Fund		4,903
	Goldman Sachs	Goldman Sachs Mid Cap Value Fund		4,902
	Touchstone	Touchstone Small Cap Value Fund		667
	Total Mutual Funds			272,078
	TOTAL			\$ 1,901,060

*A party-in-interest as defined by ERISA

**Cost information for participant directed investments is not required and, therefore, is not included