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 6057(b) and 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code).

▶ **Complete all entries in accordance with the instructions to the Form 5500.**

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Part I Annual Report Identification Information

For calendar plan year 2016 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2016 and ending 12/31/2016

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.)
- ☒ 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
COLLECTORS UNIVERSE, INC. 401(K) PLAN

1b Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 001

1c Effective date of plan 07/01/1992

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)
COLLECTORS UNIVERSE, INC.

1921 E ALTON AVENUE SUITE 200
SANTA ANA, CA 92705

2b Employer Identification Number (EIN) 33-0846191

2c Plan Sponsor's telephone number 949-567-1234

2d Business code (see instructions) 541990

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.	10/12/2017	JOSEPH WALLACE
	Signature of plan administrator	Date	Enter name of individual signing as plan administrator
SIGN HERE			
	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 [X] Same as Plan Sponsor	**3b** Administrator's EIN	
	3c Administrator's telephone number	
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:	**4b** EIN	
a Sponsor's name	**4c** PN	

5 Total number of participants at the beginning of the plan year	**5**	269
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)**	269
a(2) Total number of active participants at the end of the plan year	**6a(2)**	289
b Retired or separated participants receiving benefits	**6b**	1
c Other retired or separated participants entitled to future benefits	**6c**	40
d Subtotal. Add lines **6a(2)**, **6b**, and **6c**.	**6d**	330
e Deceased participants whose beneficiaries are receiving or are entitled to receive benefits.	**6e**	0
f Total. Add lines **6d** and **6e**.	**6f**	330
g Number of participants with account balances as of the end of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item)	**6g**	179
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 2F 2G 2J 2K 2T 3D 2R

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)	[X]	Insurance
(2)	[ ]	Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts
(3)	[X]	Trust
(4)	[ ]	General assets of the sponsor

9b Plan benefit arrangement (check all that apply)

(1)	[X]	Insurance
(2)	[ ]	Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts
(3)	[X]	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)	[X]	**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)	[X]		**H** (Financial Information)
(2)	[ ]		**I** (Financial Information – Small Plan)
(3)	[X]	1	**A** (Insurance Information)
(4)	[X]		**C** (Service Provider Information)
(5)	[X]		**D** (DFE/Participating Plan Information)
(6)	[ ]		**G** (Financial Transaction Schedules)

Part III Form M-1 Compliance Information (to be completed by welfare benefit plans)

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 2016 Form M-1 annual report. If the plan was not required to file the 2016 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_____

SCHEDULE A (Form 5500)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

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Employee Benefits Security Administration

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Insurance 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.**

▶ Insurance companies are required to provide the information pursuant to ERISA section 103(a)(2).

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COLLECTORS UNIVERSE, INC. 401(K) PLAN

B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 001

C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500
COLLECTORS UNIVERSE, INC.

D Employer Identification Number (EIN)
33-0846191

Part I **Information Concerning Insurance Contract Coverage, Fees, and Commissions** Provide information for each contract on a separate Schedule A. Individual contracts grouped as a unit in Parts II and III can be reported on a single Schedule A.

1 Coverage Information:

(a) Name of insurance carrier
GREAT WEST LIFE AND ANNUITY

(b) EIN	(c) NAIC code	(d) Contract or identification number	(e) Approximate number of persons covered at end of policy or contract year	Policy or contract year	
				(f) From	(g) To
84-0467907	68322	500099-01	1	01/01/2016	12/31/2016

2 Insurance fee and commission information. Enter the total fees and total commissions paid. List in line 3 the agents, brokers, and other persons in descending order of the amount paid.

(a) Total amount of commissions paid	(b) Total amount of fees paid
3	0

3 Persons receiving commissions and fees. (Complete as many entries as needed to report all persons).

(a) Name and address of the agent, broker, or other person to whom commissions or fees were paid

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3359 AVENIDA NIEVE
CARLSBAD, CA 92009

(b) Amount of sales and base commissions paid	Fees and other commissions paid		(e) Organization code
	(c) Amount	(d) Purpose	
3			3

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	(c) Amount	**(d)** Purpose	

Part II Investment and Annuity Contract Information

Where individual contracts are provided, the entire group of such individual contracts with each carrier may be treated as a unit for purposes of this report.

4	Current value of plan's interest under this contract in the general account at year end	4	3040
5	Current value of plan's interest under this contract in separate accounts at year end	5	0

6 Contracts With Allocated Funds:

a State the basis of premium rates ▶

b	Premiums paid to carrier	6b	
c	Premiums due but unpaid at the end of the year	6c	
d	If the carrier, service, or other organization incurred any specific costs in connection with the acquisition or retention of the contract or policy, enter amount.	6d	

Specify nature of costs ▶

e Type of contract: (1) ☐ individual policies (2) ☐ group deferred annuity

(3) ☐ other (specify) ▶

f If contract purchased, in whole or in part, to distribute benefits from a terminating plan, check here ▶ ☐

7 Contracts With Unallocated Funds (Do not include portions of these contracts maintained in separate accounts)

a Type of contract: (1) ☐ deposit administration (2) ☐ immediate participation guarantee

(3) ☐ guaranteed investment (4) ☒ other ▶ GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT

b	Balance at the end of the previous year			7b	0
c	Additions: (1) Contributions deposited during the year	7c(1)	0		
	(2) Dividends and credits	7c(2)	0		
	(3) Interest credited during the year	7c(3)	5088		
	(4) Transferred from separate account	7c(4)	7394450		
	(5) Other (specify below)	7c(5)	2		
	▶ LOAN PAYMENTS				
	(6)Total additions			7c(6)	7399540
d	Total of balance and additions (add lines **7b** and **7c(6)**)			7d	7399540
e	Deductions:				
	(1) Disbursed from fund to pay benefits or purchase annuities during year	7e(1)	0		
	(2) Administration charge made by carrier	7e(2)	0		
	(3) Transferred to separate account	7e(3)	7396500		
	(4) Other (specify below)	7e(4)			
	▶				
	(5) Total deductions			7e(5)	7396500
f	Balance at the end of the current year (subtract line **7e(5)** from line **7d**)			7f	3040

Part III Welfare Benefit Contract Information

If more than one contract covers the same group of employees of the same employer(s) or members of the same employee organizations(s), the information may be combined for reporting purposes if such contracts are experience-rated as a unit. Where contracts cover individual employees, the entire group of such individual contracts with each carrier may be treated as a unit for purposes of this report.

8 Benefit and contract type (check all applicable boxes)

- **a** ☐ Health (other than dental or vision)
- **b** ☐ Dental
- **c** ☐ Vision
- **d** ☐ Life insurance
- **e** ☐ Temporary disability (accident and sickness)
- **f** ☐ Long-term disability
- **g** ☐ Supplemental unemployment
- **h** ☐ Prescription drug
- **i** ☐ Stop loss (large deductible)
- **j** ☐ HMO contract
- **k** ☐ PPO contract
- **l** ☐ Indemnity contract
- **m** ☐ Other (specify) ▶

9 Experience-rated contracts:				
a Premiums: (1) Amount received	**9a(1)**			
(2) Increase (decrease) in amount due but unpaid	**9a(2)**			
(3) Increase (decrease) in unearned premium reserve	**9a(3)**			
(4) Earned (**(1)** + **(2)** - **(3)**)			**9a(4)**	0
b Benefit charges (1) Claims paid	**9b(1)**			
(2) Increase (decrease) in claim reserves	**9b(2)**			
(3) Incurred claims (add **(1)** and **(2)**)			**9b(3)**	0
(4) Claims charged			**9b(4)**	
c Remainder of premium: (1) Retention charges (on an accrual basis) --				
(A) Commissions	**9c(1)(A)**			
(B) Administrative service or other fees	**9c(1)(B)**			
(C) Other specific acquisition costs	**9c(1)(C)**			
(D) Other expenses	**9c(1)(D)**			
(E) Taxes	**9c(1)(E)**			
(F) Charges for risks or other contingencies	**9c(1)(F)**			
(G) Other retention charges	**9c(1)(G)**			
(H) Total retention			**9c(1)(H)**	0
(2) Dividends or retroactive rate refunds. (These amounts were ☐ paid in cash, or ☐ credited.)			**9c(2)**	
d Status of policyholder reserves at end of year: (1) Amount held to provide benefits after retirement			**9d(1)**	
(2) Claim reserves			**9d(2)**	
(3) Other reserves			**9d(3)**	
e Dividends or retroactive rate refunds due. (Do not include amount entered in line **9c(2)**.)			**9e**	
10 Nonexperience-rated contracts:				
a Total premiums or subscription charges paid to carrier			**10a**	
b If the carrier, service, or other organization incurred any specific costs in connection with the acquisition or retention of the contract or policy, other than reported in Part I, line 2 above, report amount.			**10b**	

Specify nature of costs.

Part IV Provision of Information

11 Did the insurance company fail to provide any information necessary to complete Schedule A? ☐ Yes ☒ No

12 If the answer to line 11 is "Yes," specify the information not provided. ▶

SCHEDULE C (Form 5500)	Service Provider Information	OMB No. 1210-0110
Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation	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.**	**2016** **This Form is Open to Public Inspection.**

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COLLECTORS UNIVERSE, INC.

D Employer Identification Number (EIN)
33-0846191

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). . . . . [X] 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

DIGITAL RETIREMENT SOLUTIONS, INC.

84-1477138

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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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2800 N CENTRAL AVE #2100
PHOENIX, AZ 85004

(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?
55	BROKER/ADVISER	0	Yes [X] No [ ]	Yes [ ] No [X]	9100	Yes [ ] No [X]

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

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8515 EAST ORCHARD ROAD
GREENWOOD VILLAGE, CO 80111

(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?
64	RECORDKEEPER	1223	Yes [X] No [ ]	Yes [X] No [ ]	0	Yes [X] No [ ]

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

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8515 EAST ORCHARD ROAD
GREENWOOD VILLAGE, CO 80111

(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?
28	INVESTMENT MGMT	14	Yes [ ] No [X]	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
SAGEPOINT FINANCIAL INC	55	9100

(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.
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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

(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.

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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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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:

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Explanation:

SCHEDULE D (Form 5500)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Department of Labor
Employee Benefits Security Administration

DFE/Participating Plan Information

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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: WELLS FARGO STABLE RETURN M

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): WELLS FARGO BANK, N. 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)
94-6751924-001	C	0

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

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b Name of plan sponsor	**c** EIN-PN

SCHEDULE H (Form 5500)

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.**

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2016

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For calendar plan year 2016 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2016 and ending 12/31/2016

A Name of plan
COLLECTORS UNIVERSE, INC. 401(K) PLAN

B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 001

C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500
COLLECTORS UNIVERSE, INC.

D Employer Identification Number (EIN)
33-0846191

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	0	0
b Receivables (less allowance for doubtful accounts):			
(1) Employer contributions	1b(1)	0	0
(2) Participant contributions	1b(2)	30541	0
(3) Other	1b(3)	0	0
c General investments:			
(1) Interest-bearing cash (include money market accounts & certificates of deposit)	1c(1)	17742	19952
(2) U.S. Government securities	1c(2)	0	0
(3) Corporate debt instruments (other than employer securities):			
(A) Preferred	1c(3)(A)	0	0
(B) All other	1c(3)(B)	0	0
(4) Corporate stocks (other than employer securities):			
(A) Preferred	1c(4)(A)	0	0
(B) Common	1c(4)(B)	85994	96317
(5) Partnership/joint venture interests	1c(5)	0	0
(6) Real estate (other than employer real property)	1c(6)	0	0
(7) Loans (other than to participants)	1c(7)	0	0
(8) Participant loans	1c(8)	238078	166168
(9) Value of interest in common/collective trusts	1c(9)	1512053	1652444
(10) Value of interest in pooled separate accounts	1c(10)		
(11) Value of interest in master trust investment accounts	1c(11)	0	0
(12) Value of interest in 103-12 investment entities	1c(12)	0	0
(13) Value of interest in registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds)	1c(13)	6839579	7756460
(14) Value of funds held in insurance company general account (unallocated contracts)	1c(14)	0	3040
(15) Other	1c(15)	0	0

			(a) Beginning of Year	(b) End of Year
1d	Employer-related investments:			
	(1) Employer securities	**1d(1)**	0	0
	(2) Employer real property	**1d(2)**	0	0
e	Buildings and other property used in plan operation	**1e**	0	0
f	Total assets (add all amounts in lines 1a through 1e)	**1f**	8723987	9694381
	Liabilities			
g	Benefit claims payable	**1g**	0	0
h	Operating payables	**1h**		
i	Acquisition indebtedness	**1i**	0	0
j	Other liabilities	**1j**	0	0
k	Total liabilities (add all amounts in lines 1g through1j)	**1k**	0	0
	Net Assets			
l	Net assets (subtract line 1k from line 1f)	**1l**	8723987	9694381

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)**	0	
	(B) Participants	**2a(1)(B)**	871364	
	(C) Others (including rollovers)	**2a(1)(C)**	1084	
	(2) Noncash contributions	**2a(2)**	0	
	(3) Total contributions. Add lines **2a(1)(A), (B), (C),** and line **2a(2)**	**2a(3)**		872448
b	**Earnings on investments:**			
	(1) Interest:			
	(A) Interest-bearing cash (including money market accounts and certificates of deposit)	**2b(1)(A)**	2	
	(B) U.S. Government securities	**2b(1)(B)**	0	
	(C) Corporate debt instruments	**2b(1)(C)**	0	
	(D) Loans (other than to participants)	**2b(1)(D)**	0	
	(E) Participant loans	**2b(1)(E)**	7634	
	(F) Other	**2b(1)(F)**	3714	
	(G) Total interest. Add lines **2b(1)(A)** through **(F)**	**2b(1)(G)**		11350
	(2) Dividends: **(A)** Preferred stock	**2b(2)(A)**	0	
	(B) Common stock	**2b(2)(B)**	12602	
	(C) Registered investment company shares (e.g. mutual funds)	**2b(2)(C)**	140534	
	(D) Total dividends. Add lines **2b(2)(A)**, **(B)**, and **(C)**	**2b(2)(D)**		153136
	(3) Rents	**2b(3)**		0
	(4) Net gain (loss) on sale of assets: **(A)** Aggregate proceeds	**2b(4)(A)**	0	
	(B) Aggregate carrying amount (see instructions)	**2b(4)(B)**	0	
	(C) Subtract line **2b(4)(B)** from line **2b(4)(A)** and enter result	**2b(4)(C)**		0
	(5) Unrealized appreciation (depreciation) of assets: **(A)** Real estate	**2b(5)(A)**	0	
	(B) Other	**2b(5)(B)**	0	
	(C) Total unrealized appreciation of assets. Add lines **2b(5)(A)** and **(B)**	**2b(5)(C)**		0

		(a) Amount	(b) Total
(6) Net investment gain (loss) from common/collective trusts	2b(6)		11529
(7) Net investment gain (loss) from pooled separate accounts	2b(7)		0
(8) Net investment gain (loss) from master trust investment accounts	2b(8)		0
(9) Net investment gain (loss) from 103-12 investment entities	2b(9)		0
(10) Net investment gain (loss) from registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds)	2b(10)		311321
c Other income	2c		-6290
d Total income. Add all **income** amounts in column (b) and enter total	2d		1353494
Expenses			
e Benefit payment and payments to provide benefits:			
(1) Directly to participants or beneficiaries, including direct rollovers	2e(1)	362733	
(2) To insurance carriers for the provision of benefits	2e(2)	0	
(3) Other	2e(3)	0	
(4) Total benefit payments. Add lines **2e(1)** through **(3)**	2e(4)		362733
f Corrective distributions (see instructions)	2f		0
g Certain deemed distributions of participant loans (see instructions)	2g		0
h Interest expense	2h		0
i Administrative expenses: (1) Professional fees	2i(1)	0	
(2) Contract administrator fees	2i(2)	1237	
(3) Investment advisory and management fees	2i(3)	15948	
(4) Other	2i(4)	3182	
(5) Total administrative expenses. Add lines **2i(1)** through **(4)**	2i(5)		20367
j Total expenses. Add all **expense** amounts in column (b) and enter total	2j		383100
Net Income and Reconciliation			
k Net income (loss). Subtract line **2j** from line **2d**	2k		970394
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: REDWITZ, INC. **(2)** EIN: 33-0850406

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	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.)	4a		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.)	4b		X	

			Yes	No	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.)	4c		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.)	4d		X	
e	Was this plan covered by a fidelity bond?	4e	X		1000000
f	Did the plan have a loss, whether or not reimbursed by the plan's fidelity bond, that was caused by fraud or dishonesty?	4f		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?	4g		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?	4h		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.)	4i	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.)	4j		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?	4k		X	
l	Has the plan failed to provide any benefit when due under the plan?	4l		X	
m	If this is an individual account plan, was there a blackout period? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-3.)	4m	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	4n	X		
o	Defined Benefit Plan or Money Purchase Pension Plan Only: Were any distributions made during the plan year to an employee who attained age 62 and had not separated from service?	4o			

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
If "Yes" is checked, enter the My PAA confirmation number from the PBGC premium filing for this plan year_____. (See instructions.)

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 sections 104 and 4065 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) and section 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code).

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2016

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For calendar plan year 2016 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2016 and ending 12/31/2016

A Name of plan
COLLECTORS UNIVERSE, INC. 401(K) PLAN

B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 001

C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500
COLLECTORS UNIVERSE, INC.

D Employer Identification Number (EIN)
33-0846191

Part I Distributions

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** 0

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): 20-3691708 75-3182674

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 of 412 of the Internal Revenue Code or ERISA section 302, skip this Part.)

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

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**

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.

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**

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):

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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): _____

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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 _____

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(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) _____
(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify): _____

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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 _____

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

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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): _____

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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

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

20a Is the plan a 401(k) plan? If "No," skip b	☐ Yes ☐ No
20b How did the plan satisfy the nondiscrimination requirements for employee deferrals under section 401(k)(3) for the plan year? Check all that apply:	☐ Design-based safe harbor ☐ "Prior year" ADP test ☐ "Current year" ADP test ☐ N/A
21a What testing method was used to satisfy the coverage requirements under section 410(b) for the plan year? Check all that apply:	☐ Ratio percentage test ☐ Average benefit test ☐ N/A
21b Did the plan satisfy the coverage and nondiscrimination requirements of sections 410(b) and 401(a)(4) for the plan year by combining this plan with any other plan under the permissive aggregation rules?	☐ Yes ☐ No

22a If the plan is a master and prototype plan (M&P) or volume submitter plan that received a favorable IRS opinion letter or advisory letter, enter the date of the letter _____/_____/_____ and the serial number _____.

22b If the plan is an individually-designed plan that received a favorable determination letter from the IRS, enter the date of the most recent determination letter _____/_____/_____.

COLLECTORS UNIVERSE, INC.
401(K) PLAN

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
AND SUPPLEMENTAL SCHEDULE

DECEMBER 31, 2016 AND 2015

WITH INDEPENDENT AUDITORS'
REPORT THEREON

COLLECTORS UNIVERSE, INC. 401(K) PLAN

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Trustees and Participants of
Collectors Universe, Inc. 401(k) Plan
Santa Ana, California

Report on the Financial Statements

We were engaged to audit the accompanying financial statements of the Collectors Universe, Inc. 401(k) Plan (the "Plan"), which comprise the statement of net assets available for benefits as of December 31, 2016, and the related statement of changes in net assets available for benefits for the year 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 conducting the audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Because of the matter described in the Basis for Disclaimer of Opinion paragraph, however, we were not able to obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence to provide a basis for an audit opinion.

Basis for Disclaimer of Opinion

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 6, which was certified by Great West Trust Company, LLC ("Great West") and MG Trust Company, LLC ("MG Trust"), the custodians of the Plan, except for comparing the information with the related information included in the financial statements.

To the Trustees and Participants of
Collectors Universe, Inc. 401(k) Plan

Basis for Disclaimer of Opinion (Continued)

We have been informed by the plan administrator that MG Trust held the Plan's investment assets and executed investment transactions from January 1, 2016 to August 10, 2016 and that Great West held the Plan's investment assets and executed investment transactions from August 11, 2016 to December 31, 2016. The plan administrator has obtained a certification from the custodians as of and for the year ended December 31, 2016, that the information provided to the plan administrator by the custodian is complete and accurate.

Disclaimer of Opinion

Because of the significance of the matter described in the Basis for Disclaimer of Opinion paragraph, we have not been able to obtain sufficient, appropriate audit evidence to provide a basis for an audit opinion. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on 2016 financial statements.

Other Matter – Supplemental Schedule

The supplemental Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year), as of December 31, 2016, is required by the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 and is presented for the purpose of additional analysis and is not a required part of the financial statements. Because of the significance of the matter described in the Basis for Disclaimer of Opinion paragraph, we do not express an opinion on the supplemental schedule.

Other Matter – 2015 Financial Statements

The financial statements of the Plan as of December 31, 2015, were audited by Link, Murrel & Company, LLP, who merged with Redwitz, Inc. as of August 1, 2017. 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 (ERISA), the plan administrator instructed the predecessor auditors not to perform, and they did not perform, any auditing procedures with respect to the information certified by MG Trust Company, LLC, the custodian of the Plan. Their report, dated September 6, 2016, indicated that (a) because of the significance of the information that they did not audit, they were unable to obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence to provide a basis for an audit opinion and accordingly, they did not express an opinion on the financial statements and (b) the form and content of the information included in the financial statements other than that derived from the information certified by the custodian, were presented in compliance with the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.

To the Trustees and Participants of
Collectors Universe, Inc. 401(k) Plan

Report on Form and Content in Compliance With DOL Rules and Regulations 2016

The form and content of the information included in the 2016 financial statements and supplemental schedule, other than that derived from the information certified by the custodians, 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.

Redwitz, Inc.

Redwitz, Inc.

Irvine, California
October 6, 2017

COLLECTORS UNIVERSE, INC. 401(K) PLAN
STATEMENTS OF NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS
DECEMBER 31, 2016 AND 2015

	2016	2015
Assets:		
Investments:		
Mutual funds, at fair value	$ 7,756,460	$ 6,839,579
Stable value fund, at contract value	1,652,444	1,504,531
Guaranteed investment contract, at contract value	3,040	-
Self-directed brokerage account, at fair value	116,269	103,736
Total investments	9,528,213	8,447,846
Receivables:		
Notes receivable from participants	166,168	238,078
Participant contributions receivable	-	30,541
Total receivables	166,168	268,619
Total Assets	9,694,381	8,716,465
Liabilities	-	-
Net Assets Available for Benefits	$ 9,694,381	$ 8,716,465

See accompanying notes.

COLLECTORS UNIVERSE, INC. 401(K) PLAN
STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

Additions to Net Assets Attributed to:	
Investment income:	
Net appreciation in fair value of investments	$ 322,850
Interest and dividends	165,718
Investment income	488,568
Contributions:	
Participant contributions	871,364
Participant rollovers	1,084
Total contributions	872,448
Total additions	1,361,016
Deductions from Net Assets Attributed to:	
Benefits paid to participants	362,733
Administrative expenses	20,367
Total deductions	383,100
Net Increase	977,916
Net Assets Available for Benefits:	
Beginning of year	8,716,465
End of year	$ 9,694,381

See accompanying notes.

1. DESCRIPTION OF THE PLAN

The following description of the Collectors Universe, Inc. 401(k) Plan (the "Plan") provides only general information. Participants should refer to the Plan agreement for a more complete description of the Plan's provisions.

General

The Collectors Universe, Inc. 401(k) Plan was established July 1, 1992, in accordance with Section 401(k) of the Internal Revenue Code. It is a defined contribution plan for the benefit of all full-time employees of Collectors Universe, Inc. (the "Company") who have completed one month of service. The Plan's administrative committee oversees governance of the Plan and determines the appropriateness of the Plan's investment offerings and monitors investment performance.

The Plan is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA). Although it has not expressed the intention to do so, the Company has the right under terms of the Plan to discontinue its contributions at any time and to terminate the Plan subject to ERISA provisions. In the event of Plan termination, participants would become 100% vested in their contributions.

Contributions

Employee contributions to the Plan (voluntary contributions) are deferrals of the employees compensation made through a direct reduction of compensation in each payroll period. The maximum tax deferred contribution may not exceed the IRS limit. The Company may elect to provide a matching or discretionary contribution. All employees with 1,000 hours of service during the Plan year are eligible to receive the Company contribution. No participant contributions are necessary to receive the Company contribution. During the year ended December 31, 2016, there were no Company contributions.

Participant Accounts

Each participants account is credited with the participant's contributions and an allocation of (a) the Company's contributions, and (b) Plan earnings and losses, net of investment management fees and administrative expenses. Allocations are based on participant earnings and account balances. The benefit to which a participant is entitled is the benefit that can be provided from the participants vested account.

1. DESCRIPTION OF THE PLAN (Continued)

Vesting

Each participant's interest in voluntary contributions is vested immediately. Company contributions are vested in accordance with the Plans vesting schedule as follows:

Years of Service	Vesting Percentages
Less than 1	0%
1 but less than 2	0%
2 but less than 3	20%
3 but less than 4	40%
4 but less than 5	60%
5 but less than 6	80%
6 or more	100%

On termination of service due to death, disability, retirement, or having attained age 65, a participant shall become fully vested. In the event of termination of the Plan, the entire amounts credited to participant accounts are payable to participants at 100%, regardless of years of service.

Investment Options

A participant may direct contributions in various investment options. Great West Trust Company, LLC (the "custodian") executes the investment transactions.

Employees may also transfer funds to individual brokerage accounts. Through the self-directed brokerage accounts, participants can invest in money market funds, common stocks, bonds, mutual funds, and other securities. Transfers can be made at any time. All expenses related to the brokerage account transactions are paid by the participant through deductions from the brokerage account.

Participants may change their investment options at any time.

1. DESCRIPTION OF THE PLAN (Continued)

Notes Receivable from Participants

Participants may borrow from their fund account a minimum of $1,000 up to a maximum of $50,000 or 50% of their total vested account balance. Loan transactions are treated as a transfer to (from) the respective investment fund from (to) the participant's loan fund. A participant must repay the loan within five years, unless he or she is terminated, retires, or becomes disabled, in which case the loan becomes immediately due and payable. Loans taken for the purpose of buying a primary residence must be repaid within 25 years. Loans bear a reasonable rate of interest as determined by the custodian. Principal and interest are paid ratably through payroll deductions and credited to the participants fund balance.

Payment of Benefits

Participants become entitled to payment of the total vested value of their accounts at the time of termination, retirement, permanent layoff, permanent disability, or death. If a participant's vested interest is $5,000 or less, determined as of the valuation date following the termination of employment, such benefits will be distributed as a single lump sum. For balances greater than $5,000, the participant may elect to receive a lump sum payment, roll the balance to an Individual Retirement Account, or leave the balance in the Plan. Hardship withdrawals are permitted.

Forfeited Accounts

At December 31, 2016 and 2015, there were no balances in the forfeited nonvested accounts. These accounts can normally be used to reduce future employer contributions or Plan expenses.

2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of Accounting

The financial statements of the Plan are prepared on the accrual basis of accounting.

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("GAAP") requires the plan administrator to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and changes therein, and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities. Actual results may differ from those estimates.

2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

Investment Valuation and Income Recognition

Investments in mutual funds, common stock and the money market fund are reported at fair value. Fair value is 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. See Note 5 for discussion of fair value measurements. Purchases and sales of securities are recorded on a trade-date basis. Net appreciation includes the Plan's gains and losses on investments bought and sold as well as held during the period. Interest income is recorded on the accrual basis. Dividends are recorded on the ex-dividend date.

Investments held by a defined contribution plan are required to be reported at fair value, except for fully benefit-responsive investment contracts. Since the guaranteed investment contract is a fully benefit-responsive investment contract, contract value is the relevant measure because contract value is the amount participants normally would receive if they were to initiate permitted transactions under the terms of the Plan.

The stable value fund primarily investments in investment contracts issued by insurance companies and other financial institutions. All of the investment contracts are fully benefit-responsive, which means withdrawals from these investment contracts may be made at contract value for qualifying benefit payments, including participant-directed transfers.

Contributions Receivable

Contributions receivable represents amounts that have been contributed prior to year-end, but not received by the Plan until subsequent to year-end.

Notes Receivable from Participants

Notes receivable from participants are measured at their unpaid principal balance plus any accrued but unpaid interest. Interest income is recorded on the accrual basis. Related fees are charged directly to the borrowing participant’s account and are included in administrative expenses when incurred. At December 31, 2016 and 2015, no allowance for credit losses has been recorded. If a participant does not make loan repayments and the plan administrator considers the participant loan to be in default, the loan balance is reduced, and the delinquent participant note receivable is recorded as a benefit payment based on the terms of the Plan document.

2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

Administrative Expenses

Certain administrative expenses are paid by the Plan, while other expenses incurred maintaining the Plan are paid directly by the Company and are excluded from these financial statements. Investment-related expenses are included in net appreciation of fair value of investments.

Payment of Benefits

Benefits are recorded when paid.

Subsequent Events

Subsequent events were evaluated through October 6, 2017, which is the date the financial statements were available to be issued.

3. RISKS AND UNCERTAINTIES

The Plan invests in various investment securities. Investment securities are exposed to various risks, such as interest rate, market, and credit risks. Due to the level of risk associated with certain investment securities, it is at least reasonably possible that changes in the values of investment securities will occur in the near term and that such changes could materially affect participants' account balances and the amounts reported in the Statements of Net Assets Available for Benefits.

4. TAX STATUS

Effective August 10, 2016, the Plan adopted the Prototype Non-standardized Profit Sharing Plan with CODA sponsored by Great West Trust Company, LLC ("Great West"). The Internal Revenue Service has determined and informed Great West by a letter dated March 31, 2014, that the prototype plan is designed in accordance with applicable sections of the Internal Revenue Code (IRC). Although the prototype plan has been amended since receiving the determination letter, the plan administrator and the prototype plan's tax counsel believes that the prototype plan is designed and is currently being operated in compliance with the applicable requirements of the IRC and, therefore, believe the Plan is qualified.

4. TAX STATUS (Continued)

GAAP requires the plan administrator to evaluate tax positions taken by the Plan and recognize a tax liability for any uncertain position that more likely than not would be sustained upon examination by the IRS. The Plan is subject to routine audits by tax authorities; however, there are currently no audits for any tax periods in progress. The plan administrator believes the Plan is no longer subject to income tax examinations for years prior to 2013.

5. INVESTMENTS AND FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS

Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) provides the framework for measuring fair value. That framework provides a fair value hierarchy that prioritizes the inputs to valuation techniques used to measure fair value. The hierarchy gives the highest priority to unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (level 1 measurements) and lowest priority to unobservable inputs (level 3 measurements). The three levels of the fair value hierarchy under this FASB framework are described as follows:

Level 1 – defined as observable inputs such as quoted prices in active markets;

Level 2 – defined as inputs other than quoted prices in active markets that are either directly or indirectly observable; and

Level 3 – defined as unobservable inputs in which little or no market data exists, therefore, requiring an entity to develop its own assumptions.

The Plan uses appropriate valuation techniques based on the available inputs to measure the fair value of its investments. When available, the Plan measures fair value using Level 1 inputs because they generally provide the most reliable evidence of fair value. Level 3 inputs were only used when Level 1 or Level 2 inputs were not available. There were no Plan assets requiring use of Level 3 inputs for the periods presented.

Level 1 Fair Value Measurements

The fair values of mutual funds and money market fund are based on quoted net asset values of the shares held by the Plan at year-end. The fair value of common stock is based on the closing price reported on the active market where the individual securities are traded.

5. INVESTMENTS AND FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS (Continued)

Level 2 Fair Value Measurements

The stable value fund is an investment in guaranteed investment contracts and security backed contracts issued by insurance companies and other financial institutions. The value of the contracts is guaranteed by the issuers. Regardless of the activity of their general funds, the issuers pay the stated interest rate and back the capital deposit where the risk is measured by issuers' credit ratings.

The following tables set forth, by level within the fair value hierarchy, the Plan's investments at fair value at December 31, 2016 and 2015, as described above:

		Fair Value Measurements Using:	
December 31, 2016	**Fair Value**	**Level 1**	**Level 2**
Mutual Funds	$ 7,756,460	$ 7,756,460	$ -
Self-Directed Brokerage Accounts	116,269	116,269	-
Stable Value Fund	1,652,444	-	1,652,444
Total Investments at Fair Value	$ 9,525,173	$ 7,872,729	$ 1,652,444

December 31, 2015	**Fair Value**	**Level 1**	**Level 2**
Mutual Funds	$ 6,839,579	$ 6,839,579	$ -
Self-Directed Brokerage Accounts	103,736	103,736	-
Stable Value Fund	1,504,531	-	1,504,531
Total Investments at Fair Value	$ 8,447,846	$ 6,943,315	$ 1,504,531

The guaranteed investment contract is based on the contract value and is not included in the fair value hierarchy.

December 31, 2016	
Guaranteed investment contract	$ 3,040

Gains and losses (realized and unrealized) included in the Statement of Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits for the year ended December 31, 2016 are reported in net appreciation in fair value of investments. During 2016, the Plan's investments (including gains and losses on investments bought and sold, as well as held during the year) appreciated by $322,850.

6. INFORMATION PREPARED AND CERTIFIED BY THE CUSTODIANS

The December 31, 2016 and 2015 Statements of Net Assets Available for Benefits, the investment activities included in the Statement of Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits for the year ended December 31, 2016, and the accompanying notes to the financial statements were prepared in part or entirely from information certified by Great West Trust Company, LLC and MG Trust Company, LLC, the custodians, in accordance with 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 information certified includes the following:

	2016	2015
Investments – Mutual Funds, at fair value	$ 7,756,460	$ 6,839,579
Investment – Guaranteed Investment Contract, at contract value	$ 3,040	-
Investment– Stable Value Fund, at contract value	$ 1,652,444	$ 1,504,531
Notes Receivable from Participants	$ 166,168	$ 238,078
Interest and Dividends	$ 165,718	$ 506,762
Net Appreciation (Depreciation) in Fair Value of Investments	$ 322,850	$ (475,986)

7. GUARANTEED INVESTMENT CONTRACT

The Plan entered into a benefit-responsive investment contract through Great West Life & Annuity Insurance Company ("Great West"). Great West maintains the contributions in a general account. The account is credited with earnings on the underlying investments and charged for participant withdrawals and administrative expenses. The guaranteed investment contract issuer is contractually obligated to repay the principal and a specified interest rate that is guaranteed to the Plan.

Because the guaranteed investment contract is fully benefit-responsive, contract value is the relevant measurement attribute for that portion of the net assets available for benefits attributable to the guaranteed investment contract. Contract value, as reported to the Plan by the Custodian, represents 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. At December 31, 2016, fair value equaled contract value.

7. GUARANTEED INVESTMENT CONTRACT (Continued)

There are no reserves against contract value for credit risk of the contract issuer or otherwise. The crediting interest rate is based on a formula agreed upon with the issuer, but it may not be less than 0%. Such interest rates are reviewed on a quarterly basis for resetting. The guaranteed investment contract does not permit the insurance company to terminate the agreement prior to the scheduled maturity date.

Certain events limit the ability of the Plan to transact at contract value with the issuer. Such events include the following: (1) amendments to the plan documents (including complete or partial plan termination or merger with another plan), (2) changes to plans prohibition on competing investment options or deletion of equity wash provisions, (3) bankruptcy of the plan sponsor or other plan sponsor events (for example, divestitures or spin-offs of a subsidiary) that cause a significant withdrawal from the plan, or (4) the failure of the trust to qualify for exemption from federal income taxes or any required prohibited transaction exemption under Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974. The plan administrator does not believe that the occurrence of any such value event, which would limit the Plan's ability to transact at contract value with participants, is probable. The guaranteed investment contract does not permit the issuer to terminate the agreement prior to the scheduled maturity date.

8. STABLE VALUE FUND

The Wells Fargo Stable Return Fund M is a collective investment fund that invests in the Wells Fargo Stable Return Fund G (the "Fund"). The Fund primarily invests in investment contracts, including traditional guaranteed investment contracts (GICs) and security-backed contracts issued by insurance companies and other financial institutions. The Fund also invests in the Wells Fargo BlackRock Short Term Investment Fund S, which invests in highly liquid assets, and uses the investment for daily liquidity needs.

GICS are backed by the general account of the contract issuer. The Fund deposits a lump sum with the issuer and receives a guaranteed interest rate for a specified period of time. Interest is accrued on either a simple or fully compounded basis, and is paid either periodically or at the end of the contract term. The issuer guarantees that all qualified participant withdrawals will be at contract value (principal plus accrued interest).

A security-backed contract is an investment contract issued by an insurance company or other financial institution, backed by a portfolio of bonds.

Risks arise when entering into any investment contract due to the potential inability of the issuer to meet the terms of the contract. In addition, security-backed contracts have the risk of default or the lack of liquidity of the underlying portfolio.

8. STABLE VALUE FUND (Continued)

Because the stable value fund consists primarily of fully benefit responsive contracts, contract value is the relevant measurement attributable to the underlying investments. Contract value represents contributions made under the contract, plus earnings, less participant withdrawals and administrative expenses. Participants may ordinarily direct the withdrawal to transfer all or a portion of their investment at contract value. The Statement of Net Assets Available for Benefits represents the contract value of the stable value fund as of December 31, 2016 and 2015. Contract value of the fully benefit-responsive contract approximates fair value at December 31, 2016.

9. PARTY-IN-INTEREST TRANSACTIONS

Great West Trust Company, LLC is the custodian of the Plan and a party-in-interest, beginning on August 11, 2016. MG Trust Company, LLC was the custodian of the Plan and a party-in-interest until August 10, 2016. Fees paid by the Plan for investment management services, professional fees, and contract administrator fees for the year ended December 31, 2016 was $20,367. The plan sponsor paid other expenses on behalf of the Plan in 2016.

10. RECONCILIATION OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS TO THE 5500

The following is a reconciliation of net assets available for benefits per the financial statements at December 31, 2015 to Schedule H of Form 5500:

Net assets available for benefits per the financial statements	$ 8,716,465
Adjustment to Stable Value Fund from contract value to fair value	7,522
Net assets available for benefits per Schedule H of Form 5500	$ 8,723,987

The following is a reconciliation of investment income per the financial statements at December 31, 2016 to Schedule H of Form 5500:

Investment income per the financial statements	$ 488,568
Adjustment to Stable Value Fund from contract value to fair value as of December 31, 2016	(7,522)
Investment income per Schedule H of Form 5500	$ 481,046

SUPPLEMENTAL SCHEDULE

SCHEDULE I

COLLECTORS UNIVERSE, INC. 401(K) PLAN
EIN 33-0846191 PN-001
SCHEDULE H, LINE 4(I)
SCHEDULE OF ASSETS (HELD AT END OF YEAR)
DECEMBER 31, 2016

(a)	(b)	(c)	(e)
	Identity of issue, borrower, lessor, or similar party	Description of investment including maturity date, rate of interest, collateral, par or maturity value	Current Value
*	GWFS Equities, Inc.	Key Guaranteed Portfolio Fund	$ 3,040
	Wells Fargo	Stable Return Fund M	1,652,444
	Blackrock	Lifepath Index Retirement K	780,075
	Blackrock	Lifepath Index 2020 K	735,137
	Blackrock	Lifepath Index 2025 K	823,099
	Blackrock	Lifepath Index 2030 K	1,370,478
	Blackrock	Lifepath Index 2035 K	1,666,796
	Blackrock	Lifepath Index 2040 K	742,932
	Blackrock	Lifepath Index 2045 K	832,167
	Blackrock	Lifepath Index 2050 K	263,134
	Blackrock	Lifepath Index 2055 K	51,016
	Blackrock	Lifepath International Index K	1,932
	Blackrock	S & P 500 Index K	52,410
	T. Rowe Price	Mid Cap Growth	116,488
	T. Rowe Price	Growth Stock I	9,118
	Templeton	Global Bond R6	54,890
	John Hancock	Bond R6	2,302
	Invesco Ltd.	Diversified Dividend R6	122,625
	MFS	Mid Cap Value R6	587
	Oppenheimer	Developing Markets – I	1,346
	Vanguard	Mid Cap Index - Admiral	25,051
	Vanguard	REIT Index Inv	78,224
	Vanguard	Small Cap Index - Admiral	26,653
	Microsoft Corp.	Common Stock	96,317
	Morgan Stanley	Money Market	19,952
*	Participant Loans	Interest rate - 3.25% - 8.25%, latest maturity is June 2039	166,168
			$ 9,694,381

*Indicates a party-in-interest of the Plan.

Column (d) has been omitted because all investments are participant directed.

SCHEDULE OF ASSETS (HELD AT END OF YEAR)

Collectors Universe, Inc. 401(k) Plan
01-JAN-16 to 31-DEC-16

INVESTMENT OPTION	MATURITY DATE	INTEREST RATE	COST OF ASSETS	CURRENT VALUE
1LIRKX			799,626.10	780,074.70
1LIMKX			751,990.45	735,136.78
1LIBKX			839,569.60	823,099.22
1LINKX			1,396,556.35	1,370,478.22
1LIJKX			1,694,297.31	1,666,795.87
1LIKKX			752,655.29	742,932.06
1LIHKX			843,497.73	832,166.91
1LIPKX			265,621.77	263,133.48
1LIVKX			51,504.51	51,016.58
1BTMKX			1,977.47	1,931.91
1ODVIX			1,398.12	1,346.32
1VGSIX			80,296.00	78,224.00
1VSMAX			24,987.94	26,652.54
1MXYKX			123,631.04	116,488.21
1MVCKX			561.33	587.15
1VIMAX			24,259.61	25,050.88
1WFSPX			50,533.83	52,409.90
1LCEFX			119,465.56	122,625.26
1PRUFX			9,176.41	9,118.03
1JHBSX			2,350.09	2,302.22
1FBNRX			50,827.30	54,889.75
1WFSVFM			1,644,087.06	1,652,443.55
1KGPF		1.100	192.83	192.89
			9,529,063.70	**9,409,096.43**
PARTICIPANT LOANS	VARIOUS	3.250-8.250	166,140.66	166,168.37
FORFEITURES			2,839.93	2,847.08

Attachment to Form 5500, Schedule H, Part 4, Item I
EIN # 33-0846191

SCHEDULE OF ASSETS (HELD AT END OF YEAR)

Collectors Universe, Inc. 401(k) Plan
01-JAN-16 to 31-DEC-16

INVESTMENT OPTION	MATURITY DATE	INTEREST RATE	COST OF ASSETS	CURRENT VALUE

LEGEND

INVESTMENT OPTION:

1LIRKX	BlackRock Lifepath Index Retirement K
1LIBKX	BlackRock LifePath Index 2025 K
1LIJKX	BlackRock Lifepath Index 2035 K
1LIHKX	BlackRock Lifepath Index 2045 K
1LIVKX	BlackRock Lifepath Index 2055 K
1ODVIX	Oppenheimer Developing Markets I
1VSMAX	Vanguard Small Cap Index Adm
1MVCKX	MFS Mid Cap Value R6
1WFSPX	BlackRock S & P 500 Index K
1PRUFX	T. Rowe Price Growth Stock I
1FBNRX	Templeton Global Bond R6
1KGPF	Key Guaranteed Portfolio Fund
1LIMKX	BlackRock Lifepath Index 2020 K
1LINKX	BlackRock Lifepath Index 2030 K
1LIKKX	BlackRock Lifepath Index 2040 K
1LIPKX	BlackRock Lifepath Index 2050 K
1BTMKX	BlackRock International Index K
1VGSIX	Vanguard REIT Index Inv
1MXYKX	Great-West T. Rowe Price Mid Cap Gr Inst
1VIMAX	Vanguard Mid Cap Index Fund - Admiral
1LCEFX	Invesco Diversified Dividend R6
1JHBSX	JHancock Bond R6
1WFSVFM	Wells Fargo Stable Return Fund M

COST OF ASSETS: The original cost of the assets in each investment option as of the last day of the plan year
CURRENT VALUE: The value of all assets in each investment option as of the last day of the plan year