# 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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**2016**

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## Part I Annual Report Identification Information

For calendar plan year 2016 or fiscal plan year beginning 10/01/2016 and ending 09/30/2017

**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
LIEBERT CASSIDY WHITMORE PROFIT SHARING/401K PLAN AND TRUST

**1b** Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 002

**1c** Effective date of plan 10/01/1994

**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)
LIEBERT CASSIDY WHITMORE

6033 W CENTURY BLVD STE 500
LOS ANGELES, CA 90045-6423

**2b** Employer Identification Number (EIN) 95-3658973

**2c** Plan Sponsor's telephone number 310-981-2000

**2d** Business code (see instructions) 541110

**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.

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|---|---|---|---|
| **SIGN HERE** | Filed with authorized/valid electronic signature. | 07/17/2018 | GARY N. CONNALLY |
| | **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

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|---|---|---|
| **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** | 162 |
| **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)** | 142 |
| **a(2)** Total number of active participants at the end of the plan year | **6a(2)** | 144 |
| **b** Retired or separated participants receiving benefits | **6b** | 0 |
| **c** Other retired or separated participants entitled to future benefits | **6c** | 19 |
| **d** Subtotal. Add lines **6a(2)**, **6b**, and **6c**. | **6d** | 163 |
| **e** Deceased participants whose beneficiaries are receiving or are entitled to receive benefits. | **6e** | 0 |
| **f** Total. Add lines **6d** and **6e**. | **6f** | 163 |
| **g** Number of participants with account balances as of the end of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item) | **6g** | 145 |
| **h** Number of participants that terminated employment during the plan year with accrued benefits that were less than 100% vested | **6h** | 4 |
| **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:

2A 2E 2F 2G 2J 2K 3D

**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

Department of Labor
Employee Benefits Security Administration

Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation

# 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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**A** Name of plan
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**B** Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 002

**C** Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500
LIEBERT CASSIDY WHITMORE

**D** Employer Identification Number (EIN)
95-3658973

**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
JOHN HANCOCK LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY USA

| (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 |
| 01-0233346 | 65838 | 12505 | 146 | 10/01/2016 | 09/30/2017 |

**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 |
|---|---|
| 28444 | 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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120 VANTIS, SUITE 400
ALISO VIEJO, CA 92656

| (b) Amount of sales and base commissions paid | Fees and other commissions paid | | (e) Organization code |
|---|---|---|---|
| | (c) Amount | (d) Purpose | |
| 28444 | 0 | COMMISSION | 4 |

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

| (b) Amount of sales and base commissions paid | Fees and other commissions paid | | (e) Organization code |
|---|---|---|---|
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## 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 | 0 |
| 5 | Current value of plan's interest under this contract in separate accounts at year end | 5 | 31729796 |

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. Specify nature of costs ▶ | 6d | |

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 ▶

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| b | Balance at the end of the previous year | | | 7b | 34909 |
| c | Additions: (1) Contributions deposited during the year | 7c(1) | 207 | | |
| | (2) Dividends and credits | 7c(2) | | | |
| | (3) Interest credited during the year | 7c(3) | 258 | | |
| | (4) Transferred from separate account | 7c(4) | | | |
| | (5) Other (specify below) | 7c(5) | 41 | | |
| | ▶ CREDITS TO PARTICIPANTS | | | | |
| | (6) Total additions | | | 7c(6) | 506 |
| d | Total of balance and additions (add lines **7b** and **7c(6)**) | | | 7d | 35415 |
| e | Deductions: | | | | |
| | (1) Disbursed from fund to pay benefits or purchase annuities during year | 7e(1) | | | |
| | (2) Administration charge made by carrier | 7e(2) | | | |
| | (3) Transferred to separate account | 7e(3) | 35415 | | |
| | (4) Other (specify below) ▶ | 7e(4) | | | |
| | (5) Total deductions | | | 7e(5) | 35415 |
| f | Balance at the end of the current year (subtract line **7e(5)** from line **7d**) | | | 7f | 0 |

## 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) ▶

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|---|---|---|---|---|
| **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<br>Internal Revenue Service<br>Department of Labor<br>Employee Benefits Security Administration<br>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation | This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).<br>▶ **File as an attachment to Form 5500.** | **2016**<br>**This Form is Open to Public Inspection.** |

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## 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

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P.O. BOX 600
BUFFALO, NY 14201

01-0233346

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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)

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

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

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| | | | Yes ☐ No ☐ | Yes ☐ No ☐ | | Yes ☐ No ☐ |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | 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).

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Yes ☐ No ☐ | Yes ☐ No ☐ | | Yes ☐ No ☐ |

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

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Yes ☐ No ☐ | Yes ☐ No ☐ | | Yes ☐ No ☐ |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Yes ☐ No ☐ | Yes ☐ No ☐ | | Yes ☐ No ☐ |

## Part I Service Provider Information (continued)

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

| **(a)** Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2 | **(b)** Service Codes (see instructions) | **(c)** Enter amount of indirect compensation |
|---|---|---|
| | | |
| **(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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|---|---|---|
| | | |
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|---|---|---|
| | | |
| **(d)** Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation | **(e)** Describe the indirect compensation, including any formula used to determine the service provider's eligibility for or the amount of the indirect compensation. | |
| | | |

## Part II Service Providers Who Fail or Refuse to Provide Information

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

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

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## Part III Termination Information on Accountants and Enrolled Actuaries (see instructions)

(complete as many entries as needed)

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

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| **a** Name: | **b** EIN: |
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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

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

**2016**

**This Form is Open to Public Inspection.**

For calendar plan year 2016 or fiscal plan year beginning 10/01/2016 and ending 09/30/2017

**A** Name of plan
LIEBERT CASSIDY WHITMORE PROFIT SHARING/401K PLAN AND TRUST

**B** Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 002

**C** Plan or DFE sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500
LIEBERT CASSIDY WHITMORE

**D** Employer Identification Number (EIN)
95-3658973

**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: JH THRU 2055 ACTIVE STRATEGY

**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

| **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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| 01-0233346-000 | P | 0 |

**a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: JH THRU 2050 ACTIVE STRATEGY

**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

| **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) |
|---|---|---|
| 01-0233346-000 | P | 0 |

**a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: JH THRU 2045 ACTIVE STRATEGY

**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

| **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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| 01-0233346-000 | P | 0 |

**a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: JH THRU 2040 ACTIVE STRATEGY

**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

| **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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| 01-0233346-000 | P | 0 |

**a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: JH THRU 2035 ACTIVE STRATEGY

**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

| **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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| 01-0233346-000 | P | 0 |

**a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: JH THRU 2030 ACTIVE STRATEGY

**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

| **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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| 01-0233346-000 | P | 0 |

**a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: JH THRU 2025 ACTIVE STRATEGY

**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

| **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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| 01-0233346-000 | P | 0 |

**a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: JH THRU 2020 ACTIVE STRATEGY

**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 0 |
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**a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: JH THRU 2010 ACTIVE STRATEGY

**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 0 |
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**a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: BLACKROCK LIFEPATH INDEX RET

**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 49509 |
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**a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: BLACKROCK LIFEPATH INDEX 2020

**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 426768 |
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**a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: BLACKROCK LIFEPATH INDEX 2025

**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 312148 |
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**a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: BLACKROCK LIFEPATH INDEX 2030

**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 519200 |
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**a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: BLACKROCK LIFEPATH INDEX 2035

**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 1005089 |
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**a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: BLACKROCK LIFEPATH INDEX 2040

**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 1279633 |
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**a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: BLACKROCK LIFEPATH INDEX 2045

**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 1282316 |
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**a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: BLACKROCK LIFEPATH INDEX 2050

**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 138549 |
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| **a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: BLACKROCK LIFEPATH INDEX 2055 | | |
| **b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA | | |
| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 114905 |
| **a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: BLACKROCK LIFEPATH INDEX 2060 | | |
| **b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA | | |
| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 2807 |
| **a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: LIFESTYLE CONSERVATIVE | | |
| **b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA | | |
| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 414552 |
| **a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: LIFESTYLE MODERATE | | |
| **b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA | | |
| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 751623 |
| **a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: LIFESTYLE BALANCED | | |
| **b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA | | |
| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 2385092 |
| **a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: LIFESTYLE GROWTH | | |
| **b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA | | |
| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 3138118 |
| **a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: LIFESTYLE AGGRESSIVE | | |
| **b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA | | |
| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 662304 |
| **a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: SELECT GROWTH | | |
| **b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA | | |
| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 112164 |
| **a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: TOTAL BOND MARKET FUND | | |
| **b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA | | |
| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 786155 |
| **a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: T. ROWE PRICE SPECTRUM INC | | |
| **b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA | | |
| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 169676 |

**a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: PIMCO REAL RETURN

**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 12563 |
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**a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: PIMCO GLOBAL BOND

**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 45456 |
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**a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: HIGH YIELD FUND

**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 438631 |
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**a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: CORE BOND FUND

**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 387328 |
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**a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: UTILITIES FUND

**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 0 |
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**a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: AF AMERICAN BALANCED FUND

**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 1566854 |
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**a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: AF WASHINGTON MUTUAL INVESTORS

**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 1874284 |
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**a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: VALUE FUND

**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 0 |
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**a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: TOTAL STOCK MARKET INDEX FUND

**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 1828308 |
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**a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: T. ROWE PRICE EQUITY INC

**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 0 |
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**a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: PARNASSUS CORE EQUITY FUND

**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 10239 |
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**a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: OPPENHEIMER GLOBAL

**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 0 |
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**a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: MID CAP INDEX

**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 274515 |
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**a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: JPMORGAN MIDCAP VALUE

**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 154861 |
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**a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: DISCIPLINED VALUE

**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 1071962 |
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**a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: FUNDAMENTAL LARGE CAP VALUE

**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 1430849 |
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**a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: FUNDAMENTAL ALL CAP CORE

**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 175676 |
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**a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: MUTUAL GLOBAL DISCOVERY

**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 662351 |
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**a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: FIDELITY ADV DIVERSIFIED STOCK

**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 454662 |
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**a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: EUROPACIFIC GROWTH

**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 152879 |
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| **a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: CLEARBRIDGE AGGRESSIVE GROWTH | | |
| **b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA | | |
| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 22107 |
| **a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: BLUE CHIP GROWTH FUND | | |
| **b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA | | |
| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 2048650 |
| **a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: 500 INDEX FUND | | |
| **b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA | | |
| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 331436 |
| **a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: VANGUARD SMALL CAP GROWTH INDEX | | |
| **b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA | | |
| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 22136 |
| **a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: VANGUARD EXPLORER FUND | | |
| **b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA | | |
| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 18261 |
| **a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: VANGUARD ENERGY FUND | | |
| **b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA | | |
| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 76428 |
| **a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: T. ROWE PRICE SCI & TECH | | |
| **b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA | | |
| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 0 |
| **a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: T. ROWE PRICE HEALTH SCI | | |
| **b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA | | |
| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 401927 |
| **a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: SMALL CAP VALUE | | |
| **b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA | | |
| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 0 |
| **a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: SMALL CAP INDEX | | |
| **b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA | | |
| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 125950 |

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| **a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY | | |
| **b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA | | |
| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 321475 |
| **a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: REAL EST. SECURITIES FUND | | |
| **b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA | | |
| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 282350 |
| **a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: PRU JENNISON MID GROWTH | | |
| **b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA | | |
| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 0 |
| **a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: OPPENHEIMGER DEVELOPING MKT | | |
| **b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA | | |
| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 622176 |
| **a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: MID CAP STOCK | | |
| **b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA | | |
| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 127048 |
| **a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: INVESCO SMALL CAP GROWTH | | |
| **b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA | | |
| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 25 |
| **a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: INTERNATIONAL VALUE | | |
| **b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA | | |
| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 34666 |
| **a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: INTL EQUITY INDEX | | |
| **b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA | | |
| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 91821 |
| **a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: US SMALL CAP | | |
| **b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA | | |
| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 43155 |
| **a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: US TARGETED VALUE | | |
| **b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA | | |
| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 53109 |

**a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: STABLE VALUE

**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK USA

| **c** EIN-PN 01-0233346-000 | **d** Entity code P | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 3015050 |
|---|---|---|

**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) |
|---|---|---|

**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) |
|---|---|---|

**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) |
|---|---|---|

**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) |
|---|---|---|

**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) |
|---|---|---|

## 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 plan sponsor | **c** EIN-PN |
|---|---|

**a** Plan name

| **b** Name of plan sponsor | **c** EIN-PN |
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| **b** Name of plan sponsor | **c** EIN-PN |
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| **b** Name of plan sponsor | **c** EIN-PN |
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| **b** Name of plan sponsor | **c** EIN-PN |
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**a** Plan name

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

**a** Plan name

| **b** Name of plan sponsor | **c** EIN-PN |
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**a** Plan name

| **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).

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OMB No. 1210-0110

**2016**

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For calendar plan year 2016 or fiscal plan year beginning 10/01/2016 and ending 09/30/2017

**A** Name of plan
LIEBERT CASSIDY WHITMORE PROFIT SHARING/401K PLAN AND TRUST

**B** Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 002

**C** Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500
LIEBERT CASSIDY WHITMORE

**D** Employer Identification Number (EIN)
95-3658973

## 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 | 5918 | 26695 |
| **b** Receivables (less allowance for doubtful accounts): | | | |
| **(1)** Employer contributions | 1b(1) | 1034654 | 1070899 |
| **(2)** Participant contributions | 1b(2) | 0 | 0 |
| **(3)** Other | 1b(3) | 0 | 0 |
| **c** General investments: | | | |
| **(1)** Interest-bearing cash (include money market accounts & certificates of deposit) | 1c(1) | 0 | 0 |
| **(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) | 0 | 0 |
| **(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) | 0 | 0 |
| **(9)** Value of interest in common/collective trusts | 1c(9) | 0 | 0 |
| **(10)** Value of interest in pooled separate accounts | 1c(10) | 0 | 0 |
| **(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) | 25853401 | 31729796 |
| **(14)** Value of funds held in insurance company general account (unallocated contracts) | 1c(14) | 34909 | 0 |
| **(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 | 26928882 | 32827390 |
| | **Liabilities** | | | |
| **g** | Benefit claims payable | 1g | 0 | 0 |
| **h** | Operating payables | 1h | 0 | 0 |
| **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 | 26928882 | 32827390 |

## 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) | 1070899 | |
| | **(B)** Participants | 2a(1)(B) | 1260881 | |
| | **(C)** Others (including rollovers) | 2a(1)(C) | 22653 | |
| | **(2)** Noncash contributions | 2a(2) | | |
| | **(3)** Total contributions. Add lines **2a(1)(A), (B), (C),** and line **2a(2)** | 2a(3) | | 2354433 |
| **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) | | |
| | **(C)** Registered investment company shares (e.g. mutual funds) | 2b(2)(C) | | |
| | **(D)** Total dividends. Add lines **2b(2)(A)**, **(B)**, and **(C)** | 2b(2)(D) | | 0 |
| | **(3)** Rents | 2b(3) | | |
| | **(4)** Net gain (loss) on sale of assets: **(A)** Aggregate proceeds | 2b(4)(A) | | |
| | **(B)** Aggregate carrying amount (see instructions) | 2b(4)(B) | | |
| | **(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) | | |
| | **(B)** Other | 2b(5)(B) | | |
| | **(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) | | |
| (7) Net investment gain (loss) from pooled separate accounts | 2b(7) | | 3919157 |
| (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) | | |
| c Other income | 2c | | 258 |
| d Total income. Add all **income** amounts in column (b) and enter total | 2d | | 6273848 |
| **Expenses** | | | |
| e Benefit payment and payments to provide benefits: | | | |
| (1) Directly to participants or beneficiaries, including direct rollovers | 2e(1) | 324303 | |
| (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) | | 324303 |
| 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) | 22056 | |
| (2) Contract administrator fees | 2i(2) | 537 | |
| (3) Investment advisory and management fees | 2i(3) | 28444 | |
| (4) Other | 2i(4) | | |
| (5) Total administrative expenses. Add lines **2i(1)** through **(4)** | 2i(5) | | 51037 |
| j Total expenses. Add all **expense** amounts in column (b) and enter total | 2j | | 375340 |
| **Net Income and Reconciliation** | | | |
| k Net income (loss). Subtract line **2j** from line **2d** | 2k | | 5898508 |
| 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)** [X] Disclaimer **(4)** [ ] Adverse

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

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

**(1)** Name: SOUSA & WEBER, LLP **(2)** EIN: 27-0811393

**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 | | 500000 |
| 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 | | | |
| 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) |
|---|---|---|
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| | | |

**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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**A** Name of plan
LIEBERT CASSIDY WHITMORE PROFIT SHARING/401K PLAN AND TRUST

**B** Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 002

**C** Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500
LIEBERT CASSIDY WHITMORE

**D** Employer Identification Number (EIN)
95-3658973

## 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): 01-0233346

**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 _____

**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

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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

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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 _____

**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: 0.0 % 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<br>☐ "Current year" ADP test | ☐ "Prior year" ADP test<br>☐ 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 ____/____/____.

# LIEBERT CASSIDY WHITMORE
# PROFIT SHARING/401(k) PLAN AND TRUST

## FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

## YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

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# INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Retirement Plan Committee of
Liebert Cassidy Whitmore Profit Sharing/401(k) Plan and Trust:

**Report on the Financial Statements**
We were engaged to audit the accompanying financial statements of Liebert Cassidy Whitmore Profit Sharing/401(k) Plan and Trust (the "Plan"), which comprise the statements of net assets available for benefits as of September 30, 2017 and 2016, and the related statement of changes in net assets available for benefits for the year ended September 30, 2017, 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.

**Auditor's Responsibility**
Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on conducting the audits 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 3, which was certified by John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.), the record keeper of the Plan as agent for J. Scott Tiedemann, the trustee of the Plan, except for comparing the information with the related information included in the financial statements and supplemental schedule. We have been informed by the plan administrator that the trustee holds the Plan's investment assets and executes investment transactions. The plan administrator has obtained a certification from the agent on behalf of the trustee as of September 30, 2017 and 2016, and for the year ended September 30, 2017, that the information provided to the plan administrator by the agent for the trustee 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 these financial statements.

**Other Matter**
The supplemental schedule of Schedule H, line 4i-Schedule of Assets (Held At End of Year) as of September 30, 2017, 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 referred to above.

**Report on Form and Content in Compliance With DOL Rules and Regulations**
The form and content of the information included in the financial statements and supplemental schedule, other than that derived from the information certified by the agent on behalf of the trustee, have been audited by us in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and, in our opinion, are presented in compliance with the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974.



Hermosa Beach, California
July 13, 2018

**LIEBERT CASSIDY WHITMORE**
**PROFIT SHARING/401(k) PLAN AND TRUST**
**STATEMENTS OF NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS**
**SEPTEMBER 30, 2017 AND 2016**

| | 2017 | 2016 |
|---|---|---|
| **ASSETS** | | |
| Non-interest bearing cash | $ 26,695 | $ 5,918 |
| Employer contributions receivable | 1,070,899 | 1,034,654 |
| Participant-directed investments - at fair value | 31,729,796 | 25,853,401 |
| Unallocated funds | - | 34,909 |
| **NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS** | $ 32,827,390 | $ 26,928,882 |

See accompanying notes to the financial statements.

**LIEBERT CASSIDY WHITMORE**
**PROFIT SHARING/401(k) PLAN AND TRUST**
**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS**
**YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2017**

| | |
|---|---|
| **ADDITIONS TO NET ASSETS ATTRIBUTED TO:** | |
| **INVESTMENT INCOME:** | |
| Net appreciation in fair value of investments | $ 3,919,157 |
| Interest and dividends | 258 |
| **Total investment income** | 3,919,415 |
| **CONTRIBUTIONS:** | |
| Employer contributions, net of forfeitures | 1,070,899 |
| Participant contributions | 1,260,881 |
| Transfers in | 22,653 |
| **Total contributions** | 2,354,433 |
| **Total additions to net assets** | 6,273,848 |
| **DEDUCTIONS FROM NET ASSETS ATTRIBUTED TO:** | |
| Benefit payments to participants | (324,303) |
| Trustee fees, administrative expenses, and other | (51,037) |
| **Total deductions from net assets** | (375,340) |
| **NET INCREASE IN NET ASSETS** | 5,898,508 |
| **NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS:** | |
| Beginning of year | 26,928,882 |
| End of year | $ 32,827,390 |

See accompanying notes to the financial statements.

# LIEBERT CASSIDY WHITMORE PROFIT SHARING/401(k) PLAN AND TRUST
# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
# YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

## NOTE 1 – DESCRIPTION OF PLAN

The Liebert Cassidy Whitmore Profit Sharing/401(k) Plan and Trust (the "Plan"), is a qualified defined contribution plan designed to provide both current economic security and retirement benefits to employees of Liebert Cassidy Whitmore, A Professional Corporation (the "Company").

### General

The Plan is a defined contribution plan covering all eligible full-time employees of the Company who are age twenty-one or older. It is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).

The Company is the plan sponsor and plan administrator. The general duties of the administrator are to administer the Plan in accordance with the Plan rules and ensure compliance of the Plan with ERISA. As authorized by the Plan, the Company delegates certain administrative functions to a third-party administrator.

The Plan was restated, effective October 1, 2008, as required by the Economic Growth and Tax Relief Reconciliation Act of 2001 ("EGTRRA") in order to retain its qualified status.

Effective February 18, 2011, the Plan was amended to reflect the change in trustee to J. Scott Tiedemann ("Plan Trustee"). This modification had no effect on the benefits and net assets of the Plan.

Effective October 1, 2011, the Plan was amended to clarify eligibility rules for salaried employees. Default eligibility rules define one year of service as 1,000 hours. As salaried employees do not track hours worked as easily as hourly employees, the Plan was amended to adopt the equivalency method whereby each month worked became equivalent to 190 hours.

Effective August 23, 2012, a resolution was adopted to create a Retirement Plan Committee in order to perform the fiduciary responsibilities of the Board of Directors in providing day-to-day administration, management and oversight of the Plan.

The Plan was restated, effective October 1, 2014, to comply with the requirements of the Pension Protection Act of 2006 ("PPA"), the Heroes Earnings Assistance and Relief Tax Act of 2008 ("Heart Act"), the Worker Retiree, and Employer Recovery Act of 2008 ("WRERA") and other applicable guidance.

During the Plan year ending September 30, 2017, there was a pre-approved defined contribution plan interim amendment adopted by the Plan. This amendment represents a good-faith effort to document the Plan's compliance with the plan qualification requirements under Internal Revenue Service ("IRS") guidance.

The Plan's record keeper for the reporting period is John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) ("John Hancock"), the third-party administrator is Actuarial Consultants, Inc. ("ACI") and the investment advisor is NFP Advisor Services, LLC ("NFP"). Effective November 6, 2017, the Plan's record keeper is Transamerica Retirement Solutions, LLC ("Transamerica").

### Contributions

The Plan provides for both employer and employee contributions. Employee contributions are made by the participants at their discretion up to the IRS maximum for the applicable calendar year. Employer contributions consist of matching contributions and profit sharing contributions. On behalf of each employee who is eligible to share in matching contributions for the plan year, a matching contribution is made equal to 25% of each such employee's deferred compensation for salary reductions up to 4% of the employee's annual compensation. The Company also contributes a profit-sharing amount to the Plan which is determined annually.

### Eligibility and Entry Date

Employees are eligible to make salary deferrals once they have reached the age of twenty-one and have worked at least three consecutive months and have completed 250 hours of service within that time period. If an

employee has not worked at least 250 hours during the first three months of employment, they will become eligible once they have completed 1,000 hours of service or 12 full calendar months of employment. Employees will be eligible to participate in the Plan by making salary deferrals on the first day of the month following the date the eligibility conditions described above are satisfied.

Employees are eligible to receive employer matching contributions and employer profit-sharing contributions once they have reached the age of twenty-one and have completed a year of service (1,000 hours during an eligibility computation period). An employee's first eligibility computation period is their first 12 months of employment; thereafter, it is the twelve months within each Plan Year (October 1 through September 30). Employees will be eligible to participate in the Plan by receiving employer matching contributions and employer profit-sharing contributions on the first day of the Plan Year or the first day of the seventh month of the Plan Year, coinciding with the date the eligibility conditions described above are satisfied.

Participant Accounts

Each participant's account is credited with the participant's contribution and allocations of (a) the Company's contribution and (b) Plan earnings. 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.

Vesting

Participants are immediately vested in their contributions plus actual earnings thereon. Vesting in the Company's contribution portion of their accounts plus actual earnings thereon is based on years of continuous service. Participants will be credited with a year of service in each year in which at least 1,000 hours are worked. An employee's interest in employer contributions and earnings becomes vested to the extent of twenty percent (20%) after two years of continuous service, and increases by twenty percent (20%) annually for each additional year of continuous service. A participant is one hundred percent (100%) vested after six years of credited service.

Participant Loans and Hardship Withdrawals

Participant loans are not permitted. However, participants may withdraw the employee deferred portion from their fund accounts for reasons of financial hardship, as defined by regulations issued by the Internal Revenue Service under IRC Section 401(k). The employee may not make contributions to the Plan for a period of six months following a hardship withdrawal.

Payment of Benefits

Benefits are recorded when paid. On termination of service due to death, disability or retirement, a participant may elect to receive either a lump-sum amount equal to the value of the participant's vested interest in his or her account, or under a deferred payment schedule if so elected. For terminations of service due to other reasons or payment of benefits due to financial hardships, a participant may receive the value of the vested interest in his or her account as a lump-sum distribution.

If a participant's total vested interest is between $1,000 and $5,000 when employment is terminated and the participant does not request a distribution, the total vested balance will automatically be rolled over to an IRA provider selected by the Plan Administrator. If the total vested interest exceeds $5,000, no distribution will be made from the Plan without the participant's consent. If the total vested interest is $1,000 or less, the entire vested interest will be distributed to the participant, even if the participant does not consent to the distribution.

The portion of a participant's interest which is not vested upon the employee's break in service is forfeited. The non-vested forfeited balances are available to reduce the employer matching contribution and/or profit-sharing contribution. The amount of forfeitures used to reduce future employer contributions for the years ended September 30, 2017 and 2016 were $25,786 and $5,843, respectively, and is included in non-interest-bearing cash.

NOTE 2 – SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of Accounting
The financial statements for the Plan are prepared using the accrual method of accounting.

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

Investments
Participant-directed investments ("Plan Assets") are invested in a variety of different mutual funds with John Hancock, and are invested based solely upon instructions received from participants. Participants can direct their employee and employer contributions among any of the investment options offered by the Plan. Participants have the ability to select different investment elections for employee and employer contributions. No assurance of actual fund performance can be given.

Expenses
Recordkeeping fees are charged and deducted from Plan Assets by John Hancock. Mutual fund sales charges and annual expenses charged by fund managers, investment advisor fees charged by NFP and third-party administrator fees charged by ACI are also deducted from Plan Assets, along with other administrative expenses.

During the year-ended September 30, 2015, the Company entered into an agreement with John Hancock to receive credits to be used towards Plan expenses such as recordkeeping and other administrative expenses. Any unused credits at the end of the Plan year are credited to participant accounts and included in Plan Assets. For the Plan year ending September 30, 2017, there were no remaining credits available to allocate to participant accounts. Administrative expenses paid for using these credits were $51,037 for the Plan year ended September 30, 2017. Plan expenses exceeding the credits available were borne by the Company.

The Plan charges an annual maintenance fee to participants who are no longer employed by the Company but still maintain an account with the Plan. These fees can be used to offset the Plan expenses.

Investment Valuation and Income Recognition
The Plan's investments are stated at fair value. Shares of registered investment companies are valued at quoted market prices which represent the net asset value of shares held by the Plan at year-end. 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 of investments is computed based on valuation of participants' accounts at the beginning of the year adjusted for purchases and sales during the year as compared to the valuation of accounts at the end of the year. The net earnings, gains and losses of the Plan fund and changes in the fair market value of the Plan's assets are to be allocated to each individual account in accordance with that ratio which the beginning balance of the accounts, less any withdrawals or payments from the accounts, plus any deposits to the accounts, bears to the aggregate balances of all accounts as of the beginning of the Plan year.

During the plan year ending September 30, 2017, the Plan's investment appreciation of $3,919,157 was entirely related to mutual funds (including realized and unrealized gains on investments purchased and sold, as well as held during the year).

NOTE 3 – INFORMATION CERTIFIED BY THE PLAN'S RECORD KEEPER

The plan administrator has elected the method of compliance as permitted by 29 CFR 2520.103-8 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. Accordingly, as permitted under such election, the plan administrator instructed the Plan's independent auditors not to perform any auditing procedures with respect to the information certified by John Hancock, the record keeper of the Plan as agent for the trustee, as complete and accurate, except for comparing such information certified by the agent for the trustee to information included in the Plan's financial statements and supplemental schedule.

Total cash and investments held and certified by John Hancock in the accompanying Statements of Net Assets Available for Benefits were $31,756,491 and $25,894,228 as of September 30, 2017 and 2016, respectively.

Net investment income certified by John Hancock in the accompanying Statement of Net Assets Available for Benefits was $3,868,378 for the year ended September 30, 2017. This amount includes $3,919,415 of investment income reduced by $51,037 in credits used by the Plan to pay for administrative expenses.

NOTE 4 – PLAN TERMINATION – PRIORITIES AND GUARANTEES

The Company reserves the right to modify, amend or terminate the Plan at any time. Upon complete discontinuance of Company contributions or the termination or partial termination of the Plan, each affected participant's account shall become non-forfeitable. Each participant's account shall be adjusted to reflect the appraised value (less contractual charges) of the Plan as performed by the Plan Trustee upon termination. Distributions to participants of the entire amount of their accounts shall be made in accordance with the normal distribution policy of the Plan.

NOTE 5 – TAX STATUS

The Employer adopted a Volume Submitter Profit Sharing Plan with CODA, which received its latest opinion letter from the IRS dated March 31, 2014, which stated that the Plan, as then designed, was in compliance with the applicable requirements of the IRC. The Plan has been amended since receiving this opinion letter. However, the plan administrator believes that the Plan is currently designed and operated in compliance with the applicable requirements of the IRC. Therefore, the plan administrator believes that the Plan was qualified and the related trust was tax-exempt as of the financial statement date. Administration errors, if any, which are insignificant or operational in nature, are handled by the plan administrator in accordance with applicable IRS correction policies.

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require plan management to evaluate tax positions taken by the Plan and recognize a tax liability (or asset) if the Plan has taken an uncertain position that more likely than not would not be sustained upon examination by the IRS. The plan administrator has analyzed the tax positions taken by the Plan, and has concluded that, as of September 30, 2017, there are no uncertain positions taken or expected to be taken that would require recognition of a liability (or asset) or disclosure in the financial statements. The Plan is subject to routine audits by taxing jurisdictions. 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 September 30, 2014.

NOTE 6 – ADMINISTRATION OF PLAN ASSETS

The Plan Trustee has the authority and duty to select the record keeper of the investment portfolio and oversee management of the Plan Assets. Subject to certain investment criteria established by the Plan Trustee, a participant makes a written election to select the percentage of their account to be allocated among the various assets in the Plan portfolio. Certain administrative functions are performed by officers or employees of the Company. No such officer or employee receives compensation from the Plan.

NOTE 7 – RELATED PARTY AND PARTY-IN-INTEREST TRANSACTIONS

Members of the Retirement Plan Committee serve in various management positions in the Company. Certain employees and partners of the Company, who may also be participants in the Plan, perform administrative services to the Plan at no cost to the Plan.

John Hancock was the record keeper of the Plan for the reporting period. Transamerica is the record keeper of the plan effective November 6, 2017. All investments are held with the record keeper and, therefore, these transactions qualify as party-in-interest transactions.

NOTE 8 – 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.

NOTE 9 – FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS

Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) *Accounting Standards Codification* (ASC) 820, *Fair Value Measurements and Disclosures*, establishes a consistent framework for measuring fair value and expands disclosure requirements about fair value measurements. 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 the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (Level 3 measurements). The three levels of the fair value hierarchy under FASB ASC 820 are described as follows:

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

Level 2 Inputs to the valuation methodology include:

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

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

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

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

Following is a description of the valuation methodologies used for assets measured at fair value. There have been no changes in the methodologies used at September 30, 2017 and 2016.

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

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

The following table sets forth by level, within the fair value hierarchy, the Plan's assets at fair value as of September 30, 2017 and 2016:

Assets at fair value as of September 30, 2017:

| | Level 1 | Level 2 | Level 3 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mutual funds: | | | | |
| Asset Allocation –Target Risk | $ 7,351,688 | - | - | $ 7,351,688 |
| Growth & Income | 2,220,617 | - | - | 2,220,617 |
| Growth | 10,312,451 | - | - | 10,312,451 |
| Asset Allocation–Target Date | 5,130,924 | - | - | 5,130,924 |
| Conservative | 3,015,050 | - | - | 3,015,050 |
| Aggressive Growth | 2,400,856 | - | - | 2,400,856 |
| Income | 1,186,046 | - | - | 1,186,046 |
| Guaranteed Income Feature | 112,164 | - | - | 112,164 |
| Total mutual funds | 31,729,796 | - | - | 31,729,796 |
| Total assets at fair value | $ 31,729,796 | - | - | $ 31,729,796 |

Assets at fair value as of September 30, 2016:

| | Level 1 | Level 2 | Level 3 | Total |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mutual funds: | | | | |
| Asset Allocation – Target Risk | $ 6,089,146 | - | - | $ 6,089,146 |
| Growth & Income | 1,718,255 | - | - | 1,718,255 |
| Growth | 8,650,301 | - | - | 8,650,301 |
| Asset Allocation– Target Date | 3,396,153 | - | - | 3,396,153 |
| Conservative | 2,451,232 | - | - | 2,451,232 |
| Aggressive Growth | 3,006,171 | - | - | 3,006,171 |
| Income | 487,231 | - | - | 487,231 |
| Guaranteed Income Feature | 89,821 | - | - | 89,821 |
| Total mutual funds | 25,888,310 | - | - | 25,888,310 |
| Total assets at fair value | $ 25,888,310 | - | - | $ 25,888,310 |

Certain funds for the Plan year ending September 30, 2016 have been reclassified to conform with their classification as of September 30, 2017.

NOTE 10 – INVESTMENTS IN EXCESS OF FIVE PERCENT OF NET ASSETS

As of September 30, 2017 and 2016, the fair value of individual investments that represented 5% or more of the Plan's net assets available for benefits were as follows:

| | 2017 | 2016 |
|---|---|---|
| John Hancock Lifestyle Balanced | $ 2,385,092 | $ 1,930,460 |
| Blue Chip Growth | 2,048,650 | 1,095,161 |
| John Hancock Stable Value | 3,015,050 | 2,416,324 |
| John Hancock Lifestyle Growth | 3,138,118 | 2,420,813 |
| Total Stock Market Index Fund | 1,828,308 | 1,399,262 |
| Washington Mutual Investors | 1,874,284 | 1,601,065 |

NOTE 11 – CONTINGENCIES/CONCENTRATIONS

The Company operates in the employment law industry. The Company's ability to meet its obligations as plan sponsor depends on the financial stability of the Company. Certain economic conditions may affect the business viability of the Company.

NOTE 12 – INACTIVE PARTICIPANTS

At September 30, 2017, Plan assets did not include any amounts allocated to accounts of terminated or retired participants who have elected to withdraw from the Plan but whose unvested balance had not yet been transferred to the non-interest-bearing cash account. When present, these amounts are used to reduce future employer contributions.

NOTE 13 – SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

Management has evaluated subsequent events through July 13, 2018, the date these financial statements were available to be issued.

On August 24, 2017, the trustee signed an agreement with Transamerica to replace John Hancock as the record-keeper and asset custodian for the Plan. The transfer of assets from John Hancock to Transamerica was completed during November 2017.

**LIEBERT CASSIDY WHITMORE**
**PROFIT SHARING/401(k) PLAN AND TRUST**
**SCHEDULE H, LINE 4i - SCHEDULE OF ASSETS (HELD AT END OF YEAR)**
**EMPLOYER IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 95-3658973**
**PLAN NUMBER: 002**
**YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2017**

| (a) | (b) Identity of Issue, Borrower, Lessor or Similar Party | (c) Description of Investment including Maturity Date, Rate of Interest, Collateral, Par or Maturity Value | (d) Cost | (e) Current Value |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| * | John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) | 500 Index Fund | | 331,436 |
| * | John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) | American Balanced Fund | | 1,566,854 |
| * | John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) | Blue Chip Growth Fund | | 2,048,650 |
| * | John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) | BlackRock LifePath Index 2020 | | 426,768 |
| * | John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) | BlackRock LifePath Index 2025 | | 312,148 |
| * | John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) | BlackRock LifePath Index 2030 | | 519,200 |
| * | John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) | BlackRock LifePath Index 2035 | | 1,005,089 |
| * | John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) | BlackRock LifePath Index 2040 | | 1,279,633 |
| * | John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) | BlackRock LifePath Index 2045 | | 1,282,316 |
| * | John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) | BlackRock LifePath Index 2050 | | 138,549 |
| * | John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) | BlackRock LifePath Index 2055 | | 114,905 |
| * | John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) | BlackRock LifePath Index 2060 | | 2,807 |
| * | John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) | BlackRock LifePath Index Retirement Func | | 49,509 |
| * | John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) | ClearBridge Aggressive Growth | | 22,107 |
| * | John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) | Core Bond Fund | | 387,328 |
| * | John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) | DFA U.S. Small Cap Fund | | 43,155 |
| * | John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) | DFA US Targeted Value Fund | | 53,109 |
| * | John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) | Euro Pacific Growth Fund | | 152,879 |
| * | John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) | Fidelity Adv Diversified Stock | | 454,662 |
| * | John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) | Fundamental All Cap Core Fund | | 175,676 |
| * | John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) | Fundamental Large Cap Value | | 1,430,849 |
| * | John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) | High Yield Fund | | 438,631 |
| * | John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) | International Equity Index Fund | | 91,821 |
| * | John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) | International Value Fund | | 34,666 |
| * | John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) | Invesco Small Cap Growth | | 25 |
| * | John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) | John Hancock Disciplined Value | | 1,071,962 |
| * | John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) | John Hancock Lifestyle Aggressive | | 662,304 |
| * | John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) | John Hancock Lifestyle Balanced | | 2,385,092 |
| * | John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) | John Hancock Lifestyle Conservative | | 414,552 |
| * | John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) | John Hancock Lifestyle Growth | | 3,138,118 |
| * | John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) | John Hancock Lifestyle Moderate | | 751,623 |
| * | John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) | John Hancock Stable Value | | 3,015,050 |
| * | John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) | JPM Mid Cap Value Fund | | 154,861 |
| * | John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) | Mid Cap Index Fund | | 274,515 |
| * | John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) | Mid Cap Stock Fund | | 127,048 |
| * | John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) | Mutual Global Discovery | | 662,351 |
| * | John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) | Oppenheimer Developing Market | | 622,176 |
| * | John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) | Parnassus Core Equity Fund | | 10,239 |

**LIEBERT CASSIDY WHITMORE**
**PROFIT SHARING/401(k) PLAN AND TRUST**
**SCHEDULE H, LINE 4i - SCHEDULE OF ASSETS (HELD AT END OF YEAR)**
**EMPLOYER IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 95-3658973**
**PLAN NUMBER: 002**
**YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2017**

| (a) | (b) Identity of Issue, Borrower, Lessor or Similar Party | (c) Description of Investment including Maturity Date, Rate of Interest, Collateral, Par or Maturity Value | (d) Cost | (e) Current Valu |
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| * | John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) | PIMCO Global Bond | | 45,456 |
| * | John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) | PIMCO Real Return | | 12,563 |
| * | John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) | Real Estate Securities Fund | | 282,350 |
| * | John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) | Science and Technology Fund | | 321,475 |
| * | John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) | Select Asset Allocation Growth | | 112,164 |
| * | John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) | Small Cap Index Fund | | 125,950 |
| * | John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) | T. Rowe Price Health Science | | 401,927 |
| * | John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) | T. Rowe Price Spectrum Inc. | | 169,676 |
| * | John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) | Total Bond Market Fund | | 786,155 |
| * | John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) | Total Stock Market Index Fund | | 1,828,308 |
| * | John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) | Vanguard Energy Fund | | 76,428 |
| * | John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) | Vanguard Explorer Fund | | 18,261 |
| * | John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) | Vanguard Small Cap Grow Index | | 22,136 |
| * | John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.) | Washington Mutual Investors | | 1,874,284 |
| | Total | | | $ 31,729,796 |

(a) An asterisk in this column on the line of each identified person known to be a party in interest.
(d) Cost information may be omitted for participant-directed or beneficiary-directed transactions under an individual account plan.

SCHEDULE H, LINE 4i – SCHEDULE OF ASSETS (HELD AT END OF YEAR)*
SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

*See attached financial statement with independent auditor's report.