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| <b>Form 5500</b><br><br>Department of the Treasury<br>Internal Revenue Service<br><br>Department of Labor<br>Employee Benefits Security<br>Administration<br><br>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation | <b>Annual Return/Report of Employee Benefit Plan</b><br>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).<br><br><p style="text-align: center;">▶ <b>Complete all entries in accordance with the instructions to the Form 5500.</b></p> | OMB Nos. 1210-0110<br>1210-0089<br><br><b>2017</b><br><br><b>This Form is Open to Public Inspection</b> |
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| <b>Part I</b>                                                                                            | <b>Annual Report Identification Information</b>                                                          |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |  |
| For calendar plan year 2017 or fiscal plan year beginning <u>01/01/2017</u> and ending <u>12/31/2017</u> |                                                                                                          |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |  |
| <b>A</b>                                                                                                 | This return/report is for:                                                                               | <input type="checkbox"/> a multiemployer plan <input type="checkbox"/> a multiple-employer plan (Filers checking this box must attach a list of participating employer information in accordance with the form instructions.)               |  |
|                                                                                                          | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> a single-employer plan <input type="checkbox"/> a DFE (specify) ____ |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |  |
| <b>B</b>                                                                                                 | This return/report is:                                                                                   | <input type="checkbox"/> the first return/report<br><input type="checkbox"/> the final return/report<br><input type="checkbox"/> an amended return/report<br><input type="checkbox"/> a short plan year return/report (less than 12 months) |  |
| <b>C</b>                                                                                                 | If the plan is a collectively-bargained plan, check here. . . . . ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>             |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |  |
| <b>D</b>                                                                                                 | Check box if filing under:                                                                               | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form 5558 <input type="checkbox"/> automatic extension <input type="checkbox"/> the DFVC program                                                                                                        |  |
|                                                                                                          | <input type="checkbox"/> special extension (enter description)                                           |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |  |

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| <b>Part II</b> | <b>Basic Plan Information</b> —enter all requested information                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |           |                                                           |
| <b>1a</b>      | Name of plan<br><u>ELLISON TECHNOLOGIES/ACIETA EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SAVINGS PLAN</u>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | <b>1b</b> | Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ <u>001</u>                 |
|                |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | <b>1c</b> | Effective date of plan<br><u>10/01/2000</u>               |
| <b>2a</b>      | Plan sponsor's name (employer, if for a single-employer plan)<br>Mailing address (include room, apt., suite no. and street, or P.O. Box)<br>City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code (if foreign, see instructions)<br><u>ELLISON TECHNOLOGIES, INC.</u><br><br><u>9912 SOUTH PIONEER BLVD.</u><br><u>SANTA FE SPRINGS, CA 90670</u> | <b>2b</b> | Employer Identification Number (EIN)<br><u>95-3406732</u> |
|                |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | <b>2c</b> | Plan Sponsor's telephone number<br><u>562-949-0021</u>    |
|                |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | <b>2d</b> | Business code (see instructions)<br><u>541600</u>         |

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

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

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| <b>SIGN HERE</b> | Filed with authorized/valid electronic signature. | 10/01/2018 | MELANIE A. RODRIGUEZ                                         |
|                  | Signature of plan administrator                   | Date       | Enter name of individual signing as plan administrator       |
| <b>SIGN HERE</b> |                                                   |            |                                                              |
|                  | Signature of employer/plan sponsor                | Date       | Enter name of individual signing as employer or plan sponsor |
| <b>SIGN HERE</b> |                                                   |            |                                                              |
|                  | Signature of DFE                                  | Date       | Enter name of individual signing as DFE                      |

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| <b>3a</b> Plan administrator's name and address <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Same as Plan Sponsor                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | <b>3b</b> Administrator's EIN<br><br><b>3c</b> Administrator's telephone number<br><br><div style="background-color: #cccccc; height: 40px; width: 100%;"></div> |
| <b>4</b> If the name and/or EIN of the plan sponsor or the plan name has changed since the last return/report filed for this plan, enter the plan sponsor's name, EIN, the plan name and the plan number from the last return/report:<br><b>a</b> Sponsor's name<br><b>c</b> Plan Name                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | <b>4b</b> EIN<br><br><b>4d</b> PN                                                                                                                                |
| <b>5</b> Total number of participants at the beginning of the plan year                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | <b>5</b> 687                                                                                                                                                     |
| <b>6</b> Number of participants as of the end of the plan year unless otherwise stated (welfare plans complete only lines <b>6a(1)</b> , <b>6a(2)</b> , <b>6b</b> , <b>6c</b> , and <b>6d</b> ).<br><br><b>a(1)</b> Total number of active participants at the beginning of the plan year .....<br><b>a(2)</b> Total number of active participants at the end of the plan year .....<br><br><b>b</b> Retired or separated participants receiving benefits .....<br><b>c</b> Other retired or separated participants entitled to future benefits .....<br><b>d</b> Subtotal. Add lines <b>6a(2)</b> , <b>6b</b> , and <b>6c</b> .....<br><b>e</b> Deceased participants whose beneficiaries are receiving or are entitled to receive benefits. ....<br><b>f</b> Total. Add lines <b>6d</b> and <b>6e</b> .....<br><br><b>g</b> Number of participants with account balances as of the end of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item) .....<br><br><b>h</b> Number of participants who terminated employment during the plan year with accrued benefits that were less than 100% vested ..... | <b>6a(1)</b> 412<br><b>6a(2)</b> 377<br><b>6b</b> 9<br><b>6c</b> 192<br><b>6d</b> 578<br><b>6e</b> 0<br><b>6f</b> 578<br><b>6g</b> 561<br><b>6h</b> 42           |
| <b>7</b> Enter the total number of employers obligated to contribute to the plan (only multiemployer plans complete this item) .....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | <b>7</b>                                                                                                                                                         |
| <b>8a</b> If the plan provides pension benefits, enter the applicable pension feature codes from the List of Plan Characteristics Codes in the instructions:<br>2E 2F 2G 2J 2K 2T 3D 3H<br><br><b>b</b> If the plan provides welfare benefits, enter the applicable welfare feature codes from the List of Plan Characteristics Codes in the instructions:                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |                                                                                                                                                                  |

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| <b>9a</b> Plan funding arrangement (check all that apply)<br><b>(1)</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Insurance<br><b>(2)</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts<br><b>(3)</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Trust<br><b>(4)</b> <input type="checkbox"/> General assets of the sponsor | <b>9b</b> Plan benefit arrangement (check all that apply)<br><b>(1)</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Insurance<br><b>(2)</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts<br><b>(3)</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Trust<br><b>(4)</b> <input type="checkbox"/> General assets of the sponsor |
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**10** Check all applicable boxes in 10a and 10b to indicate which schedules are attached, and, where indicated, enter the number attached. (See instructions)

**a Pension Schedules**

- (1)** ☒ **R** (Retirement Plan Information)
- (2)** ☐ **MB** (Multiemployer Defined Benefit Plan and Certain Money Purchase Plan Actuarial Information) - signed by the plan actuary
- (3)** ☐ **SB** (Single-Employer Defined Benefit Plan Actuarial Information) - signed by the plan actuary

**b General Schedules**

- (1)** ☒ **H** (Financial Information)
- (2)** ☐ **I** (Financial Information – Small Plan)
- (3)** ☒ 2 **A** (Insurance Information)
- (4)** ☒ **C** (Service Provider Information)
- (5)** ☐ **D** (DFE/Participating Plan Information)
- (6)** ☐ **G** (Financial Transaction Schedules)

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

**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 2017 Form M-1 annual report. If the plan was not required to file the 2017 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 \_\_\_\_\_

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| <b>SCHEDULE A</b><br><b>(Form 5500)</b><br>Department of the Treasury<br>Internal Revenue Service<br>Department of Labor<br>Employee Benefits Security Administration<br>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation | <b>Insurance Information</b><br><br>This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).<br><br>▶ <b>File as an attachment to Form 5500.</b><br><br>▶ Insurance companies are required to provide the information pursuant to ERISA section 103(a)(2). | OMB No. 1210-0110<br><br><b>2017</b><br><br><b>This Form is Open to Public Inspection</b> |
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| For calendar plan year 2017 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2017 and ending 12/31/2017  |                                                             |
| <b>A</b> Name of plan<br>ELLISON TECHNOLOGIES/ACIETA EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SAVINGS PLAN      | <b>B</b> Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 001                 |
| <b>C</b> Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500<br>ELLISON TECHNOLOGIES, INC. | <b>D</b> Employer Identification Number (EIN)<br>95-3406732 |

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| <b>Part I</b> | <b>Information Concerning Insurance Contract Coverage, Fees, and Commissions</b> 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. |
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| <b>1</b> Coverage Information: |
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| <b>(a)</b> Name of insurance carrier<br>GREAT-WEST LIFE & ANNUITY INSURANCE COMPANY |
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| (b) EIN    | (c) NAIC code | (d) Contract or identification number | (e) Approximate number of persons covered at end of policy or contract year | Policy or contract year |            |
|------------|---------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------|------------|
|            |               |                                       |                                                                             | (f) From                | (g) To     |
| 84-0467907 | 68322         | 385069-01                             | 59                                                                          | 01/01/2017              | 12/31/2017 |

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| <b>2</b> 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. |
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| <b>(a)</b> Total amount of commissions paid | <b>(b)</b> Total amount of fees paid |
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| <b>3</b> Persons receiving commissions and fees. (Complete as many entries as needed to report all persons). |
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| <b>(a)</b> Name and address of the agent, broker, or other person to whom commissions or fees were paid |
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| (b) Amount of sales and base commissions paid | Fees and other commissions paid |             | (e) Organization code |
|-----------------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------|-----------------------|
|                                               | (c) Amount                      | (d) Purpose |                       |
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|                                               | (c) Amount                      | (d) Purpose |                       |
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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.

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| <b>4</b> Current value of plan's interest under this contract in the general account at year end ..... | <b>4</b> | 4280960 |
| <b>5</b> Current value of plan's interest under this contract in separate accounts at year end .....   | <b>5</b> | 0       |

**6** Contracts With Allocated Funds:**a** State the basis of premium rates ▶

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| <b>b</b> Premiums paid to carrier .....                                                                                                                                                                        | <b>6b</b> |  |
| <b>c</b> Premiums due but unpaid at the end of the year .....                                                                                                                                                  | <b>6c</b> |  |
| <b>d</b> 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. ....<br>Specify nature of costs ▶ | <b>6d</b> |  |

**e** Type of contract: (1) ☐ individual policies (2) ☐ group deferred annuity  
(3) ☐ other (specify) ▶

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

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

**a** Type of contract: (1) ☐ deposit administration (2) ☐ immediate participation guarantee  
(3) ☐ guaranteed investment (4) ☒ other ▶ **GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT**

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| <b>b</b> Balance at the end of the previous year ..... | <b>7b</b> | 5283146 |
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| <b>c</b> Additions: (1) Contributions deposited during the year ..... | <b>7c(1)</b>                                | 173372       |  |         |
|                                                                       | (2) Dividends and credits .....             | <b>7c(2)</b> |  | 0       |
|                                                                       | (3) Interest credited during the year ..... | <b>7c(3)</b> |  | 55142   |
|                                                                       | (4) Transferred from separate account ..... | <b>7c(4)</b> |  | 1980608 |
|                                                                       | (5) Other (specify below) .....             | <b>7c(5)</b> |  | 44126   |

▶ **LOAN REPAYMENTS & FORFEITURES**

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| (6) Total additions ..... | <b>7c(6)</b> | 2253248 |
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| <b>d</b> Total of balance and additions (add lines <b>7b</b> and <b>7c(6)</b> ) ..... | <b>7d</b> | 7536394 |
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**e** Deductions:

|                                                                                 |              |         |  |
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| (1) Disbursed from fund to pay benefits or purchase annuities during year ..... | <b>7e(1)</b> | 534287  |  |
| (2) Administration charge made by carrier .....                                 | <b>7e(2)</b> | -5011   |  |
| (3) Transferred to separate account .....                                       | <b>7e(3)</b> | 2726157 |  |
| (4) Other (specify below) .....                                                 | <b>7e(4)</b> | 0       |  |

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| (5) Total deductions ..... | <b>7e(5)</b> | 3255433 |
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| <b>f</b> Balance at the end of the current year (subtract line <b>7e(5)</b> from line <b>7d</b> ) ..... | <b>7f</b> | 4280961 |
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**Part III Welfare Benefit Contract Information**

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

**8** Benefit and contract type (check all applicable boxes)

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

**9** Experience-rated contracts:

|                                                                                                                                                    |                 |                 |   |
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| <b>a</b> Premiums: (1) Amount received .....                                                                                                       | <b>9a(1)</b>    |                 |   |
| (2) Increase (decrease) in amount due but unpaid .....                                                                                             | <b>9a(2)</b>    |                 |   |
| (3) Increase (decrease) in unearned premium reserve .....                                                                                          | <b>9a(3)</b>    |                 |   |
| (4) Earned ((1) + (2) - (3)) .....                                                                                                                 |                 | <b>9a(4)</b>    | 0 |
| <b>b</b> Benefit charges (1) Claims paid .....                                                                                                     | <b>9b(1)</b>    |                 |   |
| (2) Increase (decrease) in claim reserves .....                                                                                                    | <b>9b(2)</b>    |                 |   |
| (3) Incurred claims (add (1) and (2)) .....                                                                                                        |                 | <b>9b(3)</b>    | 0 |
| (4) Claims charged .....                                                                                                                           |                 | <b>9b(4)</b>    |   |
| <b>c</b> Remainder of premium: (1) Retention charges (on an accrual basis) --                                                                      |                 |                 |   |
| (A) Commissions .....                                                                                                                              | <b>9c(1)(A)</b> |                 |   |
| (B) Administrative service or other fees .....                                                                                                     | <b>9c(1)(B)</b> |                 |   |
| (C) Other specific acquisition costs .....                                                                                                         | <b>9c(1)(C)</b> |                 |   |
| (D) Other expenses .....                                                                                                                           | <b>9c(1)(D)</b> |                 |   |
| (E) Taxes .....                                                                                                                                    | <b>9c(1)(E)</b> |                 |   |
| (F) Charges for risks or other contingencies .....                                                                                                 | <b>9c(1)(F)</b> |                 |   |
| (G) Other retention charges .....                                                                                                                  | <b>9c(1)(G)</b> |                 |   |
| (H) Total retention .....                                                                                                                          |                 | <b>9c(1)(H)</b> | 0 |
| (2) Dividends or retroactive rate refunds. (These amounts were <input type="checkbox"/> paid in cash, or <input type="checkbox"/> credited.) ..... |                 | <b>9c(2)</b>    |   |
| <b>d</b> Status of policyholder reserves at end of year: (1) Amount held to provide benefits after retirement .....                                |                 | <b>9d(1)</b>    |   |
| (2) Claim reserves .....                                                                                                                           |                 | <b>9d(2)</b>    |   |
| (3) Other reserves .....                                                                                                                           |                 | <b>9d(3)</b>    |   |
| <b>e</b> Dividends or retroactive rate refunds due. (Do not include amount entered in line 9c(2).) .....                                           |                 | <b>9e</b>       |   |

**10** Nonexperience-rated contracts:

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| <b>a</b> Total premiums or subscription charges paid to carrier .....                                                                                                                                                           | <b>10a</b> |  |
| <b>b</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. .... | <b>10b</b> |  |

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. ▶

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| <b>A</b> Name of plan<br>ELLISON TECHNOLOGIES/ACIETA EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SAVINGS PLAN      | <b>B</b> Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 001                 |
| <b>C</b> Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500<br>ELLISON TECHNOLOGIES, INC. | <b>D</b> Employer Identification Number (EIN)<br>95-3406732 |

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| <b>Part I</b> | <b>Information Concerning Insurance Contract Coverage, Fees, and Commissions</b> 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. |
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| <b>1</b> Coverage Information: |
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| <b>(a)</b> Name of insurance carrier<br>GREAT-WEST LIFE & ANNUITY INSURANCE COMPANY |
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| (b) EIN    | (c) NAIC code | (d) Contract or identification number | (e) Approximate number of persons covered at end of policy or contract year | Policy or contract year |            |
|------------|---------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------|------------|
|            |               |                                       |                                                                             | (f) From                | (g) To     |
| 84-0467907 | 68322         | 375562-01                             | 18                                                                          | 01/01/2017              | 12/31/2017 |

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| <b>2</b> 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. |
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| <b>(a)</b> Total amount of commissions paid | <b>(b)</b> Total amount of fees paid |
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| <b>3</b> Persons receiving commissions and fees. (Complete as many entries as needed to report all persons). |
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| <b>(a)</b> 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 |
|-----------------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------|-----------------------|
|                                               | (c) Amount                      | (d) Purpose |                       |
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|-----------------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------|-----------------------|
|                                               | (c) Amount                      | (d) Purpose |                       |
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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.

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|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------|---------|
| <b>4</b> Current value of plan's interest under this contract in the general account at year end ..... | <b>4</b> | 1368663 |
| <b>5</b> Current value of plan's interest under this contract in separate accounts at year end .....   | <b>5</b> | 0       |

**6** Contracts With Allocated Funds:**a** State the basis of premium rates ▶

|                                                                                                                                                                                                                |           |  |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|--|
| <b>b</b> Premiums paid to carrier .....                                                                                                                                                                        | <b>6b</b> |  |
| <b>c</b> Premiums due but unpaid at the end of the year .....                                                                                                                                                  | <b>6c</b> |  |
| <b>d</b> 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. ....<br>Specify nature of costs ▶ | <b>6d</b> |  |

**e** Type of contract: (1) ☐ individual policies (2) ☐ group deferred annuity  
(3) ☐ other (specify) ▶

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

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

**a** Type of contract: (1) ☐ deposit administration (2) ☐ immediate participation guarantee  
(3) ☐ guaranteed investment (4) ☒ other ▶ **GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT**

**b** Balance at the end of the previous year ..... **7b** 2196127

|                                                                       |              |        |  |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|--------|--|
| <b>c</b> Additions: (1) Contributions deposited during the year ..... | <b>7c(1)</b> | 57004  |  |
| (2) Dividends and credits .....                                       | <b>7c(2)</b> | 0      |  |
| (3) Interest credited during the year .....                           | <b>7c(3)</b> | 17365  |  |
| (4) Transferred from separate account .....                           | <b>7c(4)</b> | 285316 |  |
| (5) Other (specify below) .....                                       | <b>7c(5)</b> | 20571  |  |

▶ **LOAN REPAYMENTS & FORFEITURES**

(6) Total additions ..... **7c(6)** 380256

**d** Total of balance and additions (add lines **7b** and **7c(6)**) ..... **7d** 2576383

**e** Deductions:

|                                                                                 |              |         |  |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|---------|--|
| (1) Disbursed from fund to pay benefits or purchase annuities during year ..... | <b>7e(1)</b> | 91287   |  |
| (2) Administration charge made by carrier .....                                 | <b>7e(2)</b> | 293     |  |
| (3) Transferred to separate account .....                                       | <b>7e(3)</b> | 1116140 |  |
| (4) Other (specify below) .....                                                 | <b>7e(4)</b> | 0       |  |

(5) Total deductions ..... **7e(5)** 1207720

**f** Balance at the end of the current year (subtract line **7e(5)** from line **7d**) ..... **7f** 1368663

**Part III Welfare Benefit Contract Information**

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

**8** Benefit and contract type (check all applicable boxes)

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

**9** Experience-rated contracts:

|                                                                                                                                                    |                 |                 |   |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|---|
| <b>a</b> Premiums: (1) Amount received .....                                                                                                       | <b>9a(1)</b>    |                 |   |
| (2) Increase (decrease) in amount due but unpaid .....                                                                                             | <b>9a(2)</b>    |                 |   |
| (3) Increase (decrease) in unearned premium reserve .....                                                                                          | <b>9a(3)</b>    |                 |   |
| (4) Earned ((1) + (2) - (3)) .....                                                                                                                 |                 | <b>9a(4)</b>    | 0 |
| <b>b</b> Benefit charges (1) Claims paid .....                                                                                                     | <b>9b(1)</b>    |                 |   |
| (2) Increase (decrease) in claim reserves .....                                                                                                    | <b>9b(2)</b>    |                 |   |
| (3) Incurred claims (add (1) and (2)) .....                                                                                                        |                 | <b>9b(3)</b>    | 0 |
| (4) Claims charged .....                                                                                                                           |                 | <b>9b(4)</b>    |   |
| <b>c</b> Remainder of premium: (1) Retention charges (on an accrual basis) --                                                                      |                 |                 |   |
| (A) Commissions .....                                                                                                                              | <b>9c(1)(A)</b> |                 |   |
| (B) Administrative service or other fees .....                                                                                                     | <b>9c(1)(B)</b> |                 |   |
| (C) Other specific acquisition costs .....                                                                                                         | <b>9c(1)(C)</b> |                 |   |
| (D) Other expenses .....                                                                                                                           | <b>9c(1)(D)</b> |                 |   |
| (E) Taxes .....                                                                                                                                    | <b>9c(1)(E)</b> |                 |   |
| (F) Charges for risks or other contingencies .....                                                                                                 | <b>9c(1)(F)</b> |                 |   |
| (G) Other retention charges .....                                                                                                                  | <b>9c(1)(G)</b> |                 |   |
| (H) Total retention .....                                                                                                                          |                 | <b>9c(1)(H)</b> | 0 |
| (2) Dividends or retroactive rate refunds. (These amounts were <input type="checkbox"/> paid in cash, or <input type="checkbox"/> credited.) ..... |                 | <b>9c(2)</b>    |   |
| <b>d</b> Status of policyholder reserves at end of year: (1) Amount held to provide benefits after retirement .....                                |                 | <b>9d(1)</b>    |   |
| (2) Claim reserves .....                                                                                                                           |                 | <b>9d(2)</b>    |   |
| (3) Other reserves .....                                                                                                                           |                 | <b>9d(3)</b>    |   |
| <b>e</b> Dividends or retroactive rate refunds due. (Do not include amount entered in line 9c(2).) .....                                           |                 | <b>9e</b>       |   |

**10** Nonexperience-rated contracts:

|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |            |  |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|--|
| <b>a</b> Total premiums or subscription charges paid to carrier .....                                                                                                                                                           | <b>10a</b> |  |
| <b>b</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. .... | <b>10b</b> |  |

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. ▶

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| <b>SCHEDULE C</b><br><b>(Form 5500)</b><br><br>Department of the Treasury<br>Internal Revenue Service<br><br>Department of Labor<br>Employee Benefits Security Administration<br><br>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation | <b>Service Provider Information</b><br><br>This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).<br><br>▶ <b>File as an attachment to Form 5500.</b> | OMB No. 1210-0110                              |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | <b>2017</b>                                    |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | <b>This Form is Open to Public Inspection.</b> |

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| For calendar plan year 2017 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2017 and ending 12/31/2017  |                                                             |     |
| <b>A</b> Name of plan<br>ELLISON TECHNOLOGIES/ACIETA EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SAVINGS PLAN      | <b>B</b> Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶                     | 001 |
|                                                                                             |                                                             |     |
| <b>C</b> Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500<br>ELLISON TECHNOLOGIES, INC. | <b>D</b> Employer Identification Number (EIN)<br>95-3406732 |     |

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

**1 Information on Persons Receiving Only Eligible Indirect Compensation**

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

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

|                                                                                                                                                                           |
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| <b>(b)</b> Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation<br>GREAT-WEST LIFE & ANNUITY INS. CO.<br><br>84-0467907 |
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| <b>(b)</b> Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation |
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**2. Information on Other Service Providers Receiving Direct or Indirect Compensation.** Except for those persons for whom you answered "Yes" to line 1a above, complete as many entries as needed to list each person receiving, directly or indirectly, \$5,000 or more in total compensation (i.e., money or anything else of value) in connection with services rendered to the plan or their position with the plan during the plan year. (See instructions).

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

GREAT-WEST LIFE & ANNUITY INS. CO.

8515 EAST ORCHARD ROAD  
GREENWOOD VILLAGE, CO 80111

84-0467907

| (b)<br>Service Code(s) | (c)<br>Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest | (d)<br>Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-. | (e)<br>Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor) | (f)<br>Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures? | (g)<br>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)<br>Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount? |
|------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 64                     | RECORDKEEPER                                                                                      | 50031                                                                  | Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>                                  | Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>                                                            | 0                                                                                                                                                                               | Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>                          |

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

EMPOWER RETIREMENT ADVISORY SERVICE

8515 EAST ORCHARD ROAD  
GREENWOOD VILLAGE, CO 80111

| (b)<br>Service Code(s) | (c)<br>Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest | (d)<br>Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-. | (e)<br>Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor) | (f)<br>Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures? | (g)<br>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)<br>Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount? |
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| 28                     | INVESTMENT MGMT                                                                                   | 33810                                                                  | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>                                  | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>                                                                       |                                                                                                                                                                                 | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>                                     |

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

KRAVITZ, INC.

16030 VENTURA BOULEVARD, SUITE 200  
ENCINO, CA 91436

| (b)<br>Service Code(s) | (c)<br>Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest | (d)<br>Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-. | (e)<br>Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor) | (f)<br>Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures? | (g)<br>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)<br>Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount? |
|------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 17                     | NONE                                                                                              | 5986                                                                   | Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>                                  | Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>                                                            | 10000                                                                                                                                                                           | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>                          |

**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)

KPLANS, INC.

16030 VENTURA BLVD. SUITE 200  
ENCINO, CA 91436

| (b)<br>Service Code(s) | (c)<br>Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest | (d)<br>Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-. | (e)<br>Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor) | (f)<br>Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures? | (g)<br>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)<br>Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount? |
|------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 27                     | INVESTMENT ADVISOR                                                                                | 3203                                                                   | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>                                  | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>                                                                       |                                                                                                                                                                                 | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>                                     |

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

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

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

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

**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<br>(see instructions)                                                                                                                            | (c) Enter amount of indirect compensation |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|
| KRAVITZ, INC.                                                                                               | 17                                                                                                                                                                 | 10000                                     |
| (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. |                                           |
| GREAT-WEST LIFE & ANNUITY INSURANCE 8515 EAST ORCHARD ROAD<br>GREENWOOD VILLAGE, CO 80111<br><br>84-0467907 | TPA ALLOWANCE PAYMENT                                                                                                                                              |                                           |
| (a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2                                                     | (b) Service Codes<br>(see instructions)                                                                                                                            | (c) Enter amount of indirect compensation |
|                                                                                                             |                                                                                                                                                                    |                                           |
| (d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation                                         | (e) Describe the indirect compensation, including any formula used to determine the service provider's eligibility for or the amount of the indirect compensation. |                                           |
|                                                                                                             |                                                                                                                                                                    |                                           |
| (a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2                                                     | (b) Service Codes<br>(see instructions)                                                                                                                            | (c) Enter amount of indirect compensation |
|                                                                                                             |                                                                                                                                                                    |                                           |
| (d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation                                         | (e) Describe the indirect compensation, including any formula used to determine the service provider's eligibility for or the amount of the indirect compensation. |                                           |
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**Part II Service Providers Who Fail or Refuse to Provide Information**

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

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

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

|                    |                     |
|--------------------|---------------------|
| <b>a</b> Name:     | <b>b</b> EIN:       |
| <b>c</b> Position: |                     |
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| <b>SCHEDULE H</b><br><b>(Form 5500)</b><br><br><small>Department of the Treasury<br/>Internal Revenue Service</small><br><br><small>Department of Labor<br/>Employee Benefits Security Administration</small><br><br><small>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation</small> | <b>Financial Information</b><br><br>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).<br><br><b>► File as an attachment to Form 5500.</b> | OMB No. 1210-0110<br><br><b>2017</b><br><br><b>This Form is Open to Public Inspection</b> |
| For calendar plan year 2017 or fiscal plan year beginning <u>01/01/2017</u> and ending <u>12/31/2017</u>                                                                                                                                                                 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |                                                                                           |
| <b>A</b> Name of plan<br><u>ELLISON TECHNOLOGIES/ACIETA EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SAVINGS PLAN</u>                                                                                                                                                                            | <b>B</b> Three-digit plan number (PN) <span style="float: right;">►</span>                                                                                                                                                                                                   | <u>001</u>                                                                                |
| <b>C</b> Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500<br><u>ELLISON TECHNOLOGIES, INC.</u>                                                                                                                                                                       | <b>D</b> Employer Identification Number (EIN)<br><u>95-3406732</u>                                                                                                                                                                                                           |                                                                                           |

| Part I                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | Asset and Liability Statement                                                              |                 | (a) Beginning of Year | (b) End of Year |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| <b>1</b> 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. <b>Round off amounts to the nearest dollar.</b> 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. |                                                                                            |                 |                       |                 |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | <b>Assets</b>                                                                              |                 |                       |                 |
| <b>a</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | Total noninterest-bearing cash .....                                                       | <b>1a</b>       |                       |                 |
| <b>b</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | Receivables (less allowance for doubtful accounts):                                        |                 |                       |                 |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | (1) Employer contributions .....                                                           | <b>1b(1)</b>    | 225202                | 214405          |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | (2) Participant contributions .....                                                        | <b>1b(2)</b>    |                       |                 |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | (3) Other.....                                                                             | <b>1b(3)</b>    | 5000                  | 5000            |
| <b>c</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | General investments:                                                                       |                 |                       |                 |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | (1) Interest-bearing cash (include money market accounts & certificates of deposit) .....  | <b>1c(1)</b>    |                       |                 |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | (2) U.S. Government securities.....                                                        | <b>1c(2)</b>    |                       |                 |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | (3) Corporate debt instruments (other than employer securities):                           |                 |                       |                 |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | (A) Preferred .....                                                                        | <b>1c(3)(A)</b> |                       |                 |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | (B) All other.....                                                                         | <b>1c(3)(B)</b> |                       |                 |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | (4) Corporate stocks (other than employer securities):                                     |                 |                       |                 |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | (A) Preferred .....                                                                        | <b>1c(4)(A)</b> |                       |                 |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | (B) Common .....                                                                           | <b>1c(4)(B)</b> |                       |                 |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | (5) Partnership/joint venture interests .....                                              | <b>1c(5)</b>    |                       |                 |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | (6) Real estate (other than employer real property) .....                                  | <b>1c(6)</b>    |                       |                 |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | (7) Loans (other than to participants) .....                                               | <b>1c(7)</b>    |                       |                 |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | (8) Participant loans .....                                                                | <b>1c(8)</b>    | 673504                | 745522          |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | (9) Value of interest in common/collective trusts.....                                     | <b>1c(9)</b>    |                       |                 |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | (10) Value of interest in pooled separate accounts.....                                    | <b>1c(10)</b>   |                       |                 |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | (11) Value of interest in master trust investment accounts .....                           | <b>1c(11)</b>   |                       |                 |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | (12) Value of interest in 103-12 investment entities .....                                 | <b>1c(12)</b>   |                       |                 |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | (13) Value of interest in registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds).....        | <b>1c(13)</b>   | 53028401              | 59375839        |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | (14) Value of funds held in insurance company general account (unallocated contracts)..... | <b>1c(14)</b>   | 7479272               | 5649624         |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | (15) Other .....                                                                           | <b>1c(15)</b>   |                       |                 |

|                    |                                                                  | (a) Beginning of Year | (b) End of Year   |
|--------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|
| <b>1d</b>          | Employer-related investments:                                    |                       |                   |
| (1)                | Employer securities .....                                        | <b>1d(1)</b>          |                   |
| (2)                | Employer real property .....                                     | <b>1d(2)</b>          |                   |
| <b>e</b>           | Buildings and other property used in plan operation .....        | <b>1e</b>             |                   |
| <b>f</b>           | Total assets (add all amounts in lines 1a through 1e) .....      | <b>1f</b>             | 61411379 65990390 |
| <b>Liabilities</b> |                                                                  |                       |                   |
| <b>g</b>           | Benefit claims payable .....                                     | <b>1g</b>             |                   |
| <b>h</b>           | Operating payables .....                                         | <b>1h</b>             |                   |
| <b>i</b>           | Acquisition indebtedness .....                                   | <b>1i</b>             |                   |
| <b>j</b>           | Other liabilities .....                                          | <b>1j</b>             | 28469 37879       |
| <b>k</b>           | Total liabilities (add all amounts in lines 1g through 1j) ..... | <b>1k</b>             | 28469 37879       |
| <b>Net Assets</b>  |                                                                  |                       |                   |
| <b>l</b>           | Net assets (subtract line 1k from line 1f) .....                 | <b>1l</b>             | 61382910 65952511 |

**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.

|          |                                                                                                        | (a) Amount      | (b) Total |
|----------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------|
| <b>a</b> | <b>Contributions:</b>                                                                                  |                 |           |
| (1)      | Received or receivable in cash from: <b>(A)</b> Employers .....                                        | <b>2a(1)(A)</b> | 493701    |
|          | <b>(B)</b> Participants .....                                                                          | <b>2a(1)(B)</b> | 3356613   |
|          | <b>(C)</b> Others (including rollovers) .....                                                          | <b>2a(1)(C)</b> | 37689     |
| (2)      | Noncash contributions .....                                                                            | <b>2a(2)</b>    |           |
| (3)      | Total contributions. Add lines <b>2a(1)(A)</b> , <b>(B)</b> , <b>(C)</b> , and line <b>2a(2)</b> ..... | <b>2a(3)</b>    | 3888003   |
| <b>b</b> | <b>Earnings on investments:</b>                                                                        |                 |           |
| (1)      | Interest:                                                                                              |                 |           |
|          | <b>(A)</b> Interest-bearing cash (including money market accounts and certificates of deposit) .....   | <b>2b(1)(A)</b> |           |
|          | <b>(B)</b> U.S. Government securities .....                                                            | <b>2b(1)(B)</b> |           |
|          | <b>(C)</b> Corporate debt instruments .....                                                            | <b>2b(1)(C)</b> |           |
|          | <b>(D)</b> Loans (other than to participants) .....                                                    | <b>2b(1)(D)</b> |           |
|          | <b>(E)</b> Participant loans .....                                                                     | <b>2b(1)(E)</b> | 39410     |
|          | <b>(F)</b> Other .....                                                                                 | <b>2b(1)(F)</b> | 72507     |
|          | <b>(G)</b> Total interest. Add lines <b>2b(1)(A)</b> through <b>(F)</b> .....                          | <b>2b(1)(G)</b> | 111917    |
| (2)      | Dividends: <b>(A)</b> Preferred stock .....                                                            | <b>2b(2)(A)</b> |           |
|          | <b>(B)</b> Common stock .....                                                                          | <b>2b(2)(B)</b> |           |
|          | <b>(C)</b> Registered investment company shares (e.g. mutual funds) .....                              | <b>2b(2)(C)</b> | 1662594   |
|          | <b>(D)</b> Total dividends. Add lines <b>2b(2)(A)</b> , <b>(B)</b> , and <b>(C)</b> .....              | <b>2b(2)(D)</b> | 1662594   |
| (3)      | Rents .....                                                                                            | <b>2b(3)</b>    |           |
| (4)      | Net gain (loss) on sale of assets: <b>(A)</b> Aggregate proceeds .....                                 | <b>2b(4)(A)</b> |           |
|          | <b>(B)</b> Aggregate carrying amount (see instructions) .....                                          | <b>2b(4)(B)</b> |           |
|          | <b>(C)</b> Subtract line <b>2b(4)(B)</b> from line <b>2b(4)(A)</b> and enter result .....              | <b>2b(4)(C)</b> | 0         |
| (5)      | Unrealized appreciation (depreciation) of assets: <b>(A)</b> Real estate .....                         | <b>2b(5)(A)</b> |           |
|          | <b>(B)</b> Other .....                                                                                 | <b>2b(5)(B)</b> |           |
|          | <b>(C)</b> Total unrealized appreciation of assets. Add lines <b>2b(5)(A)</b> and <b>(B)</b> .....     | <b>2b(5)(C)</b> | 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)  |            |           |
| (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) |            | 6886748   |
| c Other income .....                                                                           | 2c     |            | 20000     |
| d Total income. Add all <b>income</b> amounts in column (b) and enter total.....               | 2d     |            | 12569262  |

**Expenses**

|                                                                                     |       |         |         |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|---------|---------|
| e Benefit payment and payments to provide benefits:                                 |       |         |         |
| (1) Directly to participants or beneficiaries, including direct rollovers.....      | 2e(1) | 7896691 |         |
| (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) |         | 7896691 |
| 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) | 85970   |         |
| (2) Contract administrator fees .....                                               | 2i(2) |         |         |
| (3) Investment advisory and management fees .....                                   | 2i(3) | 17000   |         |
| (4) Other .....                                                                     | 2i(4) |         |         |
| (5) Total administrative expenses. Add lines 2i(1) through (4).....                 | 2i(5) |         | 102970  |
| j Total expenses. Add all <b>expense</b> amounts in column (b) and enter total..... | 2j    |         | 7999661 |

**Net Income and Reconciliation**

|                                                          |       |  |         |
|----------------------------------------------------------|-------|--|---------|
| k Net income (loss). Subtract line 2j from line 2d ..... | 2k    |  | 4569601 |
| l Transfers of assets:                                   |       |  |         |
| (1) To this plan.....                                    | 2l(1) |  |         |
| (2) From this plan .....                                 | 2l(2) |  |         |

**Part III Accountant's Opinion**

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

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

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

**b** Did the accountant perform a limited scope audit pursuant to 29 CFR 2520.103-8 and/or 103-12(d)?

☒ Yes ☐ No

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

(1) Name: **AHLSTROM & BAKER, CPA**

(2) EIN: **33-0138137**

**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:

**a** Was there a failure to transmit to the plan any participant contributions within the time period described in 29 CFR 2510.3-102? Continue to answer "Yes" for any prior year failures until fully corrected. (See instructions and DOL's Voluntary Fiduciary Correction Program.).....

**b** Were any loans by the plan or fixed income obligations due the plan in default as of the close of the plan year or classified during the year as uncollectible? Disregard participant loans secured by participant's account balance. (Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part I if "Yes" is checked.) .....

|    | Yes | No | Amount |
|----|-----|----|--------|
| 4a |     | X  |        |
| 4b |     | X  |        |

|                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | Yes | No | Amount  |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|----|---------|
| <b>c</b> Were any leases to which the plan was a party in default or classified during the year as uncollectible? (Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part II if "Yes" is checked.) .....                                          |     | X  |         |
| <b>4c</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |     | X  |         |
| <b>d</b> Were there any nonexempt transactions with any party-in-interest? (Do not include transactions reported on line 4a. Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part III if "Yes" is checked.) .....                               |     | X  |         |
| <b>4d</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |     | X  |         |
| <b>e</b> Was this plan covered by a fidelity bond? .....                                                                                                                                                                      | X   |    | 1000000 |
| <b>4e</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | X   |    | 1000000 |
| <b>f</b> Did the plan have a loss, whether or not reimbursed by the plan's fidelity bond, that was caused by fraud or dishonesty? .....                                                                                       |     | X  |         |
| <b>4f</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |     | X  |         |
| <b>g</b> Did the plan hold any assets whose current value was neither readily determinable on an established market nor set by an independent third party appraiser? .....                                                    |     | X  |         |
| <b>4g</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |     | X  |         |
| <b>h</b> Did the plan receive any noncash contributions whose value was neither readily determinable on an established market nor set by an independent third party appraiser? .....                                          |     | X  |         |
| <b>4h</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |     | X  |         |
| <b>i</b> Did the plan have assets held for investment? (Attach schedule(s) of assets if "Yes" is checked, and see instructions for format requirements.) .....                                                                | X   |    |         |
| <b>4i</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | X   |    |         |
| <b>j</b> Were any plan transactions or series of transactions in excess of 5% of the current value of plan assets? (Attach schedule of transactions if "Yes" is checked, and see instructions for format requirements.) ..... |     | X  |         |
| <b>4j</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |     | X  |         |
| <b>k</b> Were all the plan assets either distributed to participants or beneficiaries, transferred to another plan, or brought under the control of the PBGC? .....                                                           |     | X  |         |
| <b>4k</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |     | X  |         |
| <b>l</b> Has the plan failed to provide any benefit when due under the plan? .....                                                                                                                                            |     | X  |         |
| <b>4l</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |     | X  |         |
| <b>m</b> If this is an individual account plan, was there a blackout period? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-3.) .....                                                                                                  |     | X  |         |
| <b>4m</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |     | X  |         |
| <b>n</b> 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. ....                                      |     |    |         |
| <b>4n</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |     |    |         |

**5a** Has a resolution to terminate the plan been adopted during the plan year or any prior plan year? ..... ☐ Yes ☒ No  
If "Yes," enter the amount of any plan assets that reverted to the employer this year \_\_\_\_\_.

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

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

**5c** If the plan is a defined benefit plan, is it covered under the PBGC insurance program (See ERISA section 4021.)? ..... ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Not determined  
If "Yes" is checked, enter the My PAA confirmation number from the PBGC premium filing for this plan year \_\_\_\_\_. (See instructions.)

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| <div>SCHEDULE R<br/>(Form 5500)<br/><br/>Department of the Treasury<br/>Internal Revenue Service<br/><br/>Department of Labor<br/>Employee Benefits Security Administration<br/><br/>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation</div>                                                                                                                      | <div>Retirement Plan Information</div> <div>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).</div> <div>▶ File as an attachment to Form 5500.</div> | <div>OMB No. 1210-0110</div> <div>2017</div> <div>This Form is Open to Public Inspection.</div> |
| For calendar plan year 2017 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2017 and ending 12/31/2017                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                 |
| A Name of plan<br>ELLISON TECHNOLOGIES/ACIETA EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SAVINGS PLAN                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 001                                                            |
| C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500<br>ELLISON TECHNOLOGIES, INC.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | D Employer Identification Number (EIN)<br>95-3406732                                            |
| 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):<br><br>EIN(s): 84-1455663                                                                                                 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                 |
| Profit-sharing plans, ESOPs, and stock bonus plans, skip line 3.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                 |
| 3 Number of participants (living or deceased) whose benefits were distributed in a single sum, during the plan year                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | 3                                                                                               |
| Part II                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | Funding Information (If the plan is not subject to the minimum funding requirements of section 412 of the Internal Revenue Code or ERISA section 302, skip this Part.)                                                                                                                           |                                                                                                 |
| 4 Is the plan administrator making an election under Code section 412(d)(2) or ERISA section 302(d)(2)? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> N/A<br>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<br>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? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> 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? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> 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. <input type="checkbox"/> Increase <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease <input type="checkbox"/> Both <input type="checkbox"/> 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? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                 |
| 11 a Does the ESOP hold any preferred stock? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> 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.) <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No                                                                                                             |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                 |
| 12 Does the ESOP hold any stock that is not readily tradable on an established securities market? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No                                                                                                                                                                                           |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                 |
| For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the Instructions for Form 5500.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                 |
| Schedule R (Form 5500) 2017 v. 170203                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                 |

**Part V Additional Information for Multiemployer Defined Benefit Pension Plans**

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

**a** Name of contributing employer

**b** EIN

**c** Dollar amount contributed by employer

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

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

(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) \_\_\_\_\_

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

**a** Name of contributing employer

**b** EIN

**c** Dollar amount contributed by employer

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

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

(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) \_\_\_\_\_

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

**a** Name of contributing employer

**b** EIN

**c** Dollar amount contributed by employer

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

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

(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) \_\_\_\_\_

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

**a** Name of contributing employer

**b** EIN

**c** Dollar amount contributed by employer

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

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

(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) \_\_\_\_\_

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

**a** Name of contributing employer

**b** EIN

**c** Dollar amount contributed by employer

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

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

(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) \_\_\_\_\_

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

**a** Name of contributing employer

**b** EIN

**c** Dollar amount contributed by employer

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

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

(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

|                                                                          |            |  |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|--|
| <b>a</b> The current year .....                                          | <b>14a</b> |  |
| <b>b</b> The plan year immediately preceding the current plan year ..... | <b>14b</b> |  |
| <b>c</b> The second preceding plan year .....                            | <b>14c</b> |  |

- 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:

|                                                                                                       |            |  |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|--|
| <b>a</b> The corresponding number for the plan year immediately preceding the current plan year ..... | <b>15a</b> |  |
| <b>b</b> The corresponding number for the second preceding plan year .....                            | <b>15b</b> |  |

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

|                                                                                                                                                                        |            |  |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|--|
| <b>a</b> Enter the number of employers who withdrew during the preceding plan year .....                                                                               | <b>16a</b> |  |
| <b>b</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 ..... | <b>16b</b> |  |

- 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): \_\_\_\_\_

**ELLISON TECHNOLOGIES/ACIETA  
EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SAVINGS PLAN**

Financial Statements  
and Supplemental Schedule

December 31, 2017

With Independent Auditor's Report

**ELLISON TECHNOLOGIES/ACIETA  
EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SAVINGS PLAN**

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## Independent Auditor's Report

To the Administrative Committee of the Ellison Technologies/ACIETA Employees Retirement Savings Plan

### Report on the Financial Statements

We were engaged to audit the accompanying financial statements of Ellison Technologies/ACIETA Employees Retirement Savings Plan, which comprise the statements of net assets available for benefits as of December 31, 2017 and 2016, and the related statement of changes in net assets available for benefits for the year ended December 31, 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 audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Because of the matter described in the Basis for Disclaimer of Opinion paragraph, however, we were not able to obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence to provide a basis for an audit opinion.

### Basis for Disclaimer of Opinion

As permitted by 29 CFR 2520.103-8 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, the plan administrator instructed us not to perform, and we did not perform, any auditing procedures with respect to the information summarized in Note 3, which was certified by Great-West Trust Company, LLC, the trustee of the Plan, except for comparing such information with the related information included in the financial statements. We have been informed by the plan administrator that the trustee holds the Plan's investment assets and executes investment transactions. The plan administrator has obtained a certification from the trustee as of December 31, 2017 and 2016, and for the year ended December 31, 2017, that the information provided to the plan administrator by 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 assets (held at end of year) as of December 31, 2017 is required by the Department of Labor's (DOL) 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.

### 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 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.

*Ahlstrom & Baker*

September 21, 2018

**ELLISON TECHNOLOGIES/ACIETA  
EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SAVINGS PLAN**

**Statements of Net Assets Available for Benefits**

December 31, 2017 and 2016

|                                          | <u>2017</u>                | <u>2016</u>                |
|------------------------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| <b>Assets:</b>                           |                            |                            |
| Investments (participant-directed):      |                            |                            |
| Investments at fair value                | \$59,375,839               | \$53,028,401               |
| Investment at contract value             | <u>5,649,624</u>           | <u>7,479,272</u>           |
| Total investments                        | <u>65,025,463</u>          | <u>60,507,673</u>          |
| Receivables:                             |                            |                            |
| Notes receivable from participants       | 745,522                    | 673,504                    |
| Employer's matching contribution         | 214,405                    | 225,183                    |
| Employer's other                         | -                          | 19                         |
| Other                                    | <u>5,000</u>               | <u>5,000</u>               |
| Total receivables                        | <u>964,927</u>             | <u>903,706</u>             |
| Total assets                             | <u>65,990,390</u>          | <u>61,411,379</u>          |
| <b>Liabilities:</b>                      |                            |                            |
| Accrued expenses                         | 37,475                     | 27,541                     |
| Accrued other                            | <u>404</u>                 | <u>928</u>                 |
| Total liabilities                        | <u>37,879</u>              | <u>28,469</u>              |
| <b>Net assets available for benefits</b> | <u><u>\$65,952,511</u></u> | <u><u>\$61,382,910</u></u> |

The accompanying notes are an integral part  
of these financial statements.

**ELLISON TECHNOLOGIES/ACIETA  
EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SAVINGS PLAN**

**Statement of Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits**

Year Ended December 31, 2017

**Additions to net assets attributed to:**

Investment income:

|                                               |                  |
|-----------------------------------------------|------------------|
| Interest, dividends and capital gains         | \$ 1,735,101     |
| Net appreciation in fair value of investments | <u>6,886,748</u> |

|                         |                  |
|-------------------------|------------------|
| Total investment income | <u>8,621,849</u> |
|-------------------------|------------------|

Contributions:

|                         |               |
|-------------------------|---------------|
| Employer's matching     | 493,545       |
| Employer's other        | 156           |
| Participants' deferrals | 3,356,613     |
| Participants' rollovers | <u>37,689</u> |

|                     |                  |
|---------------------|------------------|
| Total contributions | <u>3,888,003</u> |
|---------------------|------------------|

Other income:

|                                                       |               |
|-------------------------------------------------------|---------------|
| Interest income on notes receivable from participants | 39,410        |
| Revenue sharing income                                | <u>20,000</u> |

|                    |               |
|--------------------|---------------|
| Total other income | <u>59,410</u> |
|--------------------|---------------|

|                 |                   |
|-----------------|-------------------|
| Total additions | <u>12,569,262</u> |
|-----------------|-------------------|

**Deductions from net assets attributed to:**

|                               |                |
|-------------------------------|----------------|
| Benefits paid to participants | 7,896,691      |
| Administrative expenses       | <u>102,970</u> |

|                  |                  |
|------------------|------------------|
| Total deductions | <u>7,999,661</u> |
|------------------|------------------|

|                            |           |
|----------------------------|-----------|
| Net increase in net assets | 4,569,601 |
|----------------------------|-----------|

**Net assets available for benefits:**

|                   |                   |
|-------------------|-------------------|
| Beginning of year | <u>61,382,910</u> |
|-------------------|-------------------|

|             |                            |
|-------------|----------------------------|
| End of year | <u><u>\$65,952,511</u></u> |
|-------------|----------------------------|

The accompanying notes are an integral part  
of these financial statements.

**ELLISON TECHNOLOGIES/ACIETA  
EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SAVINGS PLAN**

**Notes to Financial Statements**

**1. Description of the Plan**

The following description of the Ellison Technologies/ACIETA Employees Retirement Savings Plan ("Plan") provides only general information. Participants should refer to the Plan agreement for a more complete description of the Plan's provisions.

**General**

The Plan is a defined contribution plan, which was adopted effective October 1, 2000 under the provisions of Section 401(a) of the Internal Revenue Code ("Code") with a cash or deferred arrangement qualified under Section 401(k) of the Code. Ellison Technologies, Inc. ("Ellison"), is the Plan sponsor, and the Plan also includes a related party company, ACIETA LLC ("ACIETA"), as a participating employer. The Plan covers all employees of Ellison and ACIETA with three months of service who are age eighteen or older, with Plan entry dates on the first day of a calendar quarter. The Plan is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act, as amended ("ERISA").

**Contributions**

Participants may elect to reduce their compensation, as defined by the Plan, by a certain amount and have that amount contributed to the Plan as a pre-tax salary deferral or as an after-tax (Roth) salary deferral. Participants who have attained age 50 before the Plan year-end are also eligible to make additional catch-up contributions. Participants may also contribute amounts representing distributions from other qualified defined benefit or defined contribution plans. The Plan includes an auto-enrollment provision whereby all newly eligible employees are automatically enrolled in the Plan unless they affirmatively elect not to participate in the Plan. Automatically enrolled participants have their deferral rate set at 8 percent of eligible compensation and their contributions invested in a target date fund until changed by the participant. The Employers may make matching contributions to eligible participants of the Plan. The basic matching contribution is determined for each Plan year wherein the Employer contributes a certain percentage of the participant's contribution. The supplemental matching contribution is determined for any Plan year, wherein the Employer contributes a certain percentage of the participants' contribution if the participant is still employed on the last day of the Plan year. The Employer may also make a profit sharing contribution for participants who are employed on the last day of the Plan year and have at least 1000 hours of service during the Plan year. For the year ended December 31, 2017, Ellison and ACIETA made a basic matching contribution of 10 percent, and also Ellison made a supplemental matching contribution of 10 percent. Contributions are subject to certain limits.

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**Notes to Financial Statements**

**1. Description of the Plan (continued)**

**Participant Accounts**

Participants direct the investment of contributions to various mutual options or to a fixed account invested in the Great-West Life & Annuity Insurance Company general account and which are reflected in individual participant accounts maintained by the Plan. These accounts reflect the participant's contributions, and an allocation of (a) the Employer's contributions, and (b) the Plan's earnings and administrative expenses. Allocations are based on participant compensation, account balances, or specific participant transactions, as defined. The benefit to which a participant is entitled is the benefit that can be provided from the participant's vested account.

**Vesting**

Participants are vested immediately in their contributions plus actual earnings thereon. Vesting in the Employer's contribution portion of their accounts is based on years of continuous service. A participant is 100 percent vested after five years of credited service.

**Notes Receivable from Participants**

Participants may borrow from their fund accounts a minimum loan of \$1,000 up to a maximum equal to the lesser of \$50,000 or 50 percent of their vested account balance. Loans must be repaid within 5 years or within 15 years for the purchase of a primary residence. The loans are secured by the balance in the participant's account and bear interest at the prime rate (at the date of the loan issuance) plus 2 percent. Principal and interest is paid ratably through payroll deductions.

**Payment of Benefits**

On termination of service due to death, disability, or retirement or for other reasons, 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 in installments. Under certain conditions, in-service withdrawals are permitted.

**Forfeiture/Asset Holding Account**

At December 31, 2017 and 2016, the Plan's forfeiture/asset holding account totaled \$22,026 and \$5,222, respectively. These accounts are available to pay administrative expenses and/or reduce future employer contributions. In 2017, employer contributions were reduced by \$40,086 and administrative expenses of \$9,150 were paid from the forfeiture/asset holding account.

**Plan Termination**

Although it has not expressed any intent to do so, the Employers have the right under the Plan to discontinue its contributions at any time and the Plan sponsor can terminate the Plan subject to the provisions of ERISA. In the event of Plan termination, participants would become 100 percent vested in their employer contributions.

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**Notes to Financial Statements**

**2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies**

**Basis of Accounting**

The financial statements of the Plan are prepared under the accrual method of accounting.

Investments held by a defined contribution plan are required to be reported at fair value, except for fully benefit-responsive investment contracts. Contract value is the relevant measurement attribute for the portion of the net assets available for benefits of a defined contribution plan attributable to fully benefit-responsive investment contracts because contract value is the amount participants would receive if they were to initiate permitted transactions under the terms of the Plan.

**Use of Estimates**

The preparation of financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect certain reported amounts of assets and liabilities and changes in those assets and liabilities, and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities. Accordingly, actual results may differ from those estimates.

**Investment Valuation and Income Recognition**

The Plan's investments are reported at fair value (except for the fully benefit-responsive investment contract, which is reported at contract value). Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants as of the measurement date. See Note 4 for disclosures regarding fair value measurements.

Purchases and sales of investments are recorded on a trade-date basis. Interest income is recorded on the accrual basis, which approximates when interest is received. Dividends are recorded on the ex-dividend date. Net appreciation includes the Plan's gains and losses on investments bought and sold as well as held during the year. Management fees and operating expenses charged to the Plan for investments are deducted from income earned on a daily basis and are not separately reflected. Consequently, management fees and operating expense are reflected as a reduction of investment income for such investments.

**Notes Receivable from Participants**

Notes receivable from participants are stated at the unpaid principal balance plus any accrued but unpaid interest. Interest income is recorded on the accrual basis. Related fees are recorded as administrative expenses and are expensed when they are incurred. No allowance for credit losses has been recorded as of December 31, 2017 and 2016. If a participant ceases to make loan repayments and the plan administrator deems the participant loan to be in default, the participant loan balance is reduced and a benefit payment is recorded.

**Payment of Benefits**

Benefits are recorded when paid or upon distribution.

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**Notes to Financial Statements**

**2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)**

**Expenses**

The Plan pays expenses for Plan recordkeeping and for fees related to withdrawals, managed accounts and notes receivable from participants. Such expenses are charged directly to the participant's account and are included in administrative expenses. The Plan may also pay administrative expenses related to investment advisory fees, and certain third-party administrator fees and audit fees. Other expenses of maintaining the Plan are paid directly by the Employers, at their option, and are excluded from these financial statements. Investment related expenses are included in net appreciation of fair value of investments.

**Other Income**

The Plan receives revenue sharing income from the Plan recordkeeper which is reflected as other income and credited to the Plan's forfeiture/asset holding account and used to pay Plan expenses.

**Subsequent Events**

Management evaluates events occurring subsequent to the date of the financial statements in determining the accounting for and disclosure of transactions and events that affect the financial statements. Subsequent events have been evaluated through September 21, 2018, which is the date the financial statements were available to be issued.

**3. Financial Information Certified by Trustee**

The following is a summary of financial information reflected in the Plan financial statements at December 31, 2017 and 2016, and for the year ended December 31, 2017, as certified by Great-West Trust Company, LLC, the trustee of the Plan, in accordance with 29 CFR 2520.103-5(c) of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.

Statements of Net Assets Available for Benefits:

|                                                                                                | December 31,<br><u>2017</u> | <u>2016</u>         |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|
| Investments at fair value:                                                                     |                             |                     |
| Mutual funds                                                                                   | \$59,375,839                | \$53,028,401        |
| Investment at contract value:                                                                  |                             |                     |
| Great-West Life & Annuity Insurance Company<br>general account - Key Guaranteed Portfolio Fund | <u>5,649,624</u>            | <u>7,479,272</u>    |
| Total investments                                                                              | 65,025,463                  | 60,507,673          |
| Notes receivable from participants                                                             | <u>745,522</u>              | <u>673,504</u>      |
| Total assets certified                                                                         | <u>\$65,770,985</u>         | <u>\$61,181,177</u> |

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**Notes to Financial Statements**

**3. Financial Information Certified by Trustee (continued)**

Statement of Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits:

|                                                       | Year Ended<br><u>December 31, 2017</u> |
|-------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|
| Investment income:                                    |                                        |
| Interest, dividends and capital gains:                |                                        |
| Mutual funds                                          | \$1,662,594                            |
| General account - Key Guaranteed Portfolio Fund       | <u>72,507</u>                          |
| Total interest, dividends and capital gains           | 1,735,101                              |
| Net appreciation in fair value of mutual funds        | <u>6,886,748</u>                       |
| Total investment income                               | 8,621,849                              |
| Interest income on notes receivable from participants | <u>39,410</u>                          |
| Total income certified                                | <u>\$8,661,259</u>                     |

In addition, the investments reflected on the supplemental schedule of assets (held at end of year) were certified by the trustee.

**4. Fair Value Measurements**

The framework for measuring fair value 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 (Level 1 measurements) and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (Level 3 measurements). Valuation techniques maximize the use of relevant observable inputs and minimize the use of unobservable inputs. The three levels of the fair value hierarchy with the related inputs to the valuation methodology are described as follows:

- Level 1    Quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets that the Plan has the ability to access.
- Level 2    Significant other observable (directly or indirectly) inputs, including quoted prices for similar assets in active markets or in inactive markets and other market observable inputs such as interest rate, credit risks, etc.
- Level 3    Significant unobservable inputs, including the Plan's own assumptions in determining the fair value of investments.

The valuation methodology used for the Plan's investments in mutual funds measured at fair value is that the mutual funds are valued at the daily closing price as reported by the fund. Mutual funds held by the Plan are open-end mutual funds that are registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission. These funds are required to publish their daily net asset value and to transact at that

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**4. Fair Value Measurements (continued)**

price. The mutual funds held by the Plan are deemed to be actively traded. There have been no changes in the methodologies used at December 31, 2017 and 2016.

The following table sets forth by level within the fair value hierarchy, the Plan's investment assets at fair value as of December 31, 2017 and 2016:

|                                  | <u>Level 1</u>      | <u>Level 2</u> | <u>Level 3</u> | <u>Total</u>        |
|----------------------------------|---------------------|----------------|----------------|---------------------|
| <u>As of December 31, 2017 -</u> |                     |                |                |                     |
| Mutual funds                     | <u>\$59,375,839</u> | <u>\$ -</u>    | <u>\$ -</u>    | <u>\$59,375,839</u> |
| <u>As of December 31, 2016 -</u> |                     |                |                |                     |
| Mutual funds                     | <u>\$53,028,401</u> | <u>\$ -</u>    | <u>\$ -</u>    | <u>\$53,028,401</u> |

**5. Investment in Insurance Company General Account at Contract Value**

The Plan's investment in the Key Guaranteed Portfolio Fund is a fully benefit-responsive investment contract with Great-West Life & Annuity Insurance Company ("Great-West"), and is therefore reported at contract value. Contract value is the relevant measure for a fully benefit-responsive investment contract because this is the amount received by participants if they were to initiate permitted transactions under the terms of the Plan. Contract value represents deposits made to the contract, plus earnings at guaranteed crediting rates, less withdrawals and fees.

Great-West maintains the Plan funds in its general account and represents a fixed account that is considered evergreen (no maturity date), with no market value adjustment upon discontinuance. Great-West, as the guaranteed investment contract issuer, is contractually obligated to repay the principal and a specified interest rate that is guaranteed to the Plan. There are no reserves against contract value for credit risk of the contract issuer or otherwise.

The account is credited with earnings at interest rates which are announced in advance and guaranteed for a specific time period. The methodology for calculating the interest crediting rate is based on the earnings of the underlying assets in the entire medium-long term new portfolio compared to the minimum interest crediting rate (cannot be less than zero percent), as stated in the contract, and prevailing market conditions. The interest crediting rate is reset quarterly.

Normally while the contract is active, transfers among investment options and distributions to participants will be made immediately. Generally there are not any events that could limit the ability of the Plan to transact at contract value and there are not any events that allow the issuer to terminate the contract and which require the Plan to settle at an amount different than contract value. However, upon contract termination, Great-West reserves the right to defer payment of the contract up to 12 months.

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**6. Tax Status**

The Plan obtained its latest determination letter on April 13, 2011, in which the Internal Revenue Service stated that the Plan, as then designed, was in compliance with the applicable requirements of the Internal Revenue Code. The Plan has been amended since receiving the determination letter. However, the Plan administrator and the Plan's tax counsel believe that the Plan is currently designed and being operated in compliance with the applicable requirements of the Internal Revenue Code. Therefore, no provision for income taxes has been included in the Plan's financial statements.

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require Plan management to evaluate tax positions taken by the Plan and recognize a tax liability if the Plan has taken an uncertain position that more likely than not would not be sustained upon examination by the taxing authorities. The Plan administrator has analyzed the tax positions taken by the Plan, and has concluded that there are no uncertain positions taken or expected to be taken that would require recognition of a liability or disclosure in the financial statements. The Plan is subject to routine audits by taxing jurisdictions; however, there are currently no audits for any tax periods in progress.

**7. Related Party and Party-In-Interest Transactions**

The Plan has an investment in the Great-West Life & Annuity Insurance Company general account. During 2017, the Plan also paid Plan expenses of \$85,970 and received other income of \$20,000, to/from other Great-West entities who are affiliates of the Plan trustee. In addition, the Plan paid expenses of \$17,000 to its investment advisor. These transactions, including the notes receivable from participants, qualify as allowable party-in-interest transactions for which there are statutory exemptions.

**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 statement of net assets available for benefits.

## **SUPPLEMENTAL SCHEDULE**

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| Vanguard Total International Stock Index Fund                | Mutual Fund                                                       |                 | 494,516                  |
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| Vanguard Value Index Fund                                    | Mutual Fund                                                       |                 | 1,111,918                |
| <br>* Great-West Life & Annuity Insurance Company            | <br>General Account -<br>Key Guaranteed<br>Portfolio Fund (1.35%) |                 | <br>5,649,624            |
| <br>* Participant loans                                      | <br>Interest rates at 5.25%<br>to 6.25%                           |                 | <br><u>745,522</u>       |
|                                                              |                                                                   |                 | <u>\$65,770,985</u>      |

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| <b>Part I Annual Report Identification Information</b>                                                   |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| For calendar plan year 2017 or fiscal plan year beginning <u>01/01/2017</u> and ending <u>12/31/2017</u> |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| A This return/report is for:                                                                             | <input type="checkbox"/> a multiemployer plan <input type="checkbox"/> a multiple-employer plan (Filers checking this box must attach a list of participating employer information in accordance with the form instructions.)<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> a single-employer plan <input type="checkbox"/> a DFE (specify) ____ |
| B This return/report is:                                                                                 | <input type="checkbox"/> the first return/report <input type="checkbox"/> the final return/report<br><input type="checkbox"/> an amended return/report <input type="checkbox"/> a short plan year return/report (less than 12 months)                                                                                                     |
| C If the plan is a collectively-bargained plan, check here: .....                                        | <input type="checkbox"/>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| D Check box if filing under:                                                                             | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form 5558 <input type="checkbox"/> automatic extension <input type="checkbox"/> the DFVC program<br><input type="checkbox"/> special extension (enter description)                                                                                                                                    |

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**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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| <b>SIGN HERE</b> |                                    | 10/1/18 | Melanie A. Rodriguez                                         |
|                  | Signature of plan administrator    | Date    | Enter name of individual signing as plan administrator       |
| <b>SIGN HERE</b> |                                    | 10/1/18 | Melanie A. Rodriguez                                         |
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**a Pension Schedules**

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- (2)** ☐ **MB** (Multiemployer Defined Benefit Plan and Certain Money Purchase Plan Actuarial Information) - signed by the plan actuary
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**b General Schedules**

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| Vanguard Total Bond Market Index Fund                        | Mutual Fund                                                       |                 | 584,896                  |
| Vanguard Total International Stock Index Fund                | Mutual Fund                                                       |                 | 494,516                  |
| Vanguard Total Stock Market Index Fund                       | Mutual Fund                                                       |                 | 251,556                  |
| Vanguard Value Index Fund                                    | Mutual Fund                                                       |                 | 1,111,918                |
| <br>* Great-West Life & Annuity Insurance Company            | <br>General Account -<br>Key Guaranteed<br>Portfolio Fund (1.35%) |                 | <br>5,649,624            |
| <br>* Participant loans                                      | <br>Interest rates at 5.25%<br>to 6.25%                           |                 | <br><u>745,522</u>       |
|                                                              |                                                                   |                 | <u>\$65,770,985</u>      |

(A) Historical cost information is not required for participant-directed investments.

\* A party-in-interest as defined by ERISA.

See accompanying independent auditor's report.