

Form 5500 Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation	Annual Return/Report of Employee Benefit Plan This form is required to be filed for employee benefit plans under sections 104 and 4065 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) and sections 6057(b) and 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code). <p style="text-align: center;">▶ Complete all entries in accordance with the instructions to the Form 5500.</p>	OMB Nos. 1210-0110 1210-0089 2017 This Form is Open to Public Inspection
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Part I	Annual Report Identification Information		
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:	☐ a multiemployer plan ☐ a multiple-employer plan (Filers checking this box must attach a list of participating employer information in accordance with the form instructions.)	
	☒ a single-employer plan ☐ a DFE (specify) ____		
B	This return/report is:	☐ the first return/report ☐ the final return/report ☐ an amended return/report ☐ a short plan year return/report (less than 12 months)	
C	If the plan is a collectively-bargained plan, check here. ▶ ☐		
D	Check box if filing under:	☒ Form 5558 ☐ automatic extension ☐ the DFVC program ☐ special extension (enter description)	

Part II	Basic Plan Information —enter all requested information		
1a	Name of plan <u>PALADIN BRANDS RETIREMENT SAVINGS PLAN</u>	1b	Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ <u>002</u>
		1c	Effective date of plan <u>09/28/2011</u>
2a	Plan sponsor's name (employer, if for a single-employer plan) Mailing address (include room, apt., suite no. and street, or P.O. Box) City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code (if foreign, see instructions) <u>PALADIN BRANDS</u> <u>2211 YORK ROAD</u> <u>SUITE 320</u> <u>OAK BROOK, IL 60523</u>	2b	Employer Identification Number (EIN) <u>90-0218944</u>
		2c	Plan Sponsor's telephone number <u>630-570-6878</u>
		2d	Business code (see instructions) <u>333100</u>

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

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

SIGN HERE	Filed with authorized/valid electronic signature.	10/08/2018	STEVE KLYN
	Signature of plan administrator	Date	Enter name of individual signing as plan administrator
SIGN HERE	Filed with authorized/valid electronic signature.	10/08/2018	STEVE KLYN
	Signature of employer/plan sponsor	Date	Enter name of individual signing as employer or plan sponsor
SIGN HERE			
	Signature of DFE	Date	Enter name of individual signing as DFE

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3a Plan administrator's name and address ☒ Same as Plan Sponsor	3b Administrator's EIN 3c Administrator's telephone number <div style="background-color: #cccccc; height: 40px; width: 100%;"></div>
4 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: a Sponsor's name c Plan Name	4b EIN 4d PN
5 Total number of participants at the beginning of the plan year	5 1218
6 Number of participants as of the end of the plan year unless otherwise stated (welfare plans complete only lines 6a(1) , 6a(2) , 6b , 6c , and 6d).	
a(1) Total number of active participants at the beginning of the plan year	6a(1) 1050
a(2) Total number of active participants at the end of the plan year	6a(2) 1114
b Retired or separated participants receiving benefits	6b 0
c Other retired or separated participants entitled to future benefits	6c 180
d Subtotal. Add lines 6a(2) , 6b , and 6c	6d 1294
e Deceased participants whose beneficiaries are receiving or are entitled to receive benefits.	6e 7
f Total. Add lines 6d and 6e	6f 1301
g Number of participants with account balances as of the end of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item)	6g 1164
h Number of participants who terminated employment during the plan year with accrued benefits that were less than 100% vested	6h 26
7 Enter the total number of employers obligated to contribute to the plan (only multiemployer plans complete this item).....	7

8a If the plan provides pension benefits, enter the applicable pension feature codes from the List of Plan Characteristics Codes in the instructions:

2E 2F 2G 2J 2K 2T 3H

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

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

a Pension Schedules

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

b General Schedules

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

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 _____

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

For calendar plan year 2017 or fiscal plan year beginning **01/01/2017** and ending **12/31/2017**

A Name of plan PALADIN BRANDS RETIREMENT SAVINGS PLAN	B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 002
C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 PALADIN BRANDS	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 90-0218944

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

1 Information on Persons Receiving Only Eligible Indirect Compensation

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

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

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation
GOLDMAN SACHS
13-5108880

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation
COLUMBIA
41-1533211

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation
VANGUARD
23-1945930

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation
NORTHERN
39-1777365

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

ABERDEEN FUNDS

51-0368279

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

JP MORGAN

13-2624428

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

AMERICAN FUNDS

95-1411037

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

METROPOLITAN WEST FUNDS

95-4597302

(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)

WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A.

94-1347393

(b) Service Code(s)	(c) Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest	(d) Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-.	(e) Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor)	(f) Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures?	(g) Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-.	(h) Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount?
15 21 37 50 62 64	SERVICE PROVIDER	141775	Yes ☒ No ☐	Yes ☒ No ☐	0	Yes ☐ No ☒

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Part I Service Provider Information (continued)

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

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

Part II Service Providers Who Fail or Refuse to Provide Information

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

(a) Enter name and EIN or address of service provider (see instructions)	(b) Nature of Service Code(s)	(c) Describe the information that the service provider failed or refused to provide
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Part III Termination Information on Accountants and Enrolled Actuaries (see instructions)
(complete as many entries as needed)

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

Explanation:

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

Explanation:

a Name:	b EIN:
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Explanation:

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Explanation:

SCHEDULE D (Form 5500) <small>Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service</small> <small>Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration</small>	DFE/Participating Plan Information This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA). ► File as an attachment to Form 5500.	OMB No. 1210-0110 2017 This Form is Open to Public Inspection.
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For calendar plan year 2017 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2017 and ending 12/31/2017

A Name of plan <u>PALADIN BRANDS RETIREMENT SAVINGS PLAN</u>	B Three-digit plan number (PN) ► <u>002</u>	
C Plan or DFE sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 <u>PALADIN BRANDS</u>	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) <u>90-0218944</u>	

Part I	Information on interests in MTIAs, CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs (to be completed by plans and DFEs) (Complete as many entries as needed to report all interests in DFEs)
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a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: <u>AMP TR COLUMBIA TRST STB INC 1-25</u>		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <u>AMERIPRISE TRUST COMPANY</u>		
c EIN-PN <u>41-0007957-018</u>	d Entity code <u>C</u>	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <u>2655446</u>
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: <u>WF/BLACKROCK S&P 500 INDEX CIT N5</u>		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <u>WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A.</u>		
c EIN-PN <u>94-3224211-001</u>	d Entity code <u>C</u>	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <u>5461193</u>
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: <u>WF/BLACKROCK S&P MIDCAP INDEX CIT F</u>		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <u>WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A.</u>		
c EIN-PN <u>52-2265235-001</u>	d Entity code <u>C</u>	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <u>595050</u>
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: <u>WF/CAUSEWAY INTL VALUE CIT F</u>		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <u>WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A.</u>		
c EIN-PN <u>47-6375784-001</u>	d Entity code <u>C</u>	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <u>2905223</u>
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):		
c EIN-PN	d Entity code	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):		
c EIN-PN	d Entity code	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):		
c EIN-PN	d Entity code	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):**c** EIN-PN**d** Entity
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code**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or
103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)

Part II Information on Participating Plans (to be completed by DFEs)

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

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

SCHEDULE H (Form 5500) <small>Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service</small> <small>Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration</small> <small>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation</small>	Financial Information This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), and section 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code). ► File as an attachment to Form 5500.	OMB No. 1210-0110 2017 This Form is Open to Public Inspection
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C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 <u>PALADIN BRANDS</u>	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) <u>90-0218944</u>	

Part I	Asset and Liability Statement		
1 Current value of plan assets and liabilities at the beginning and end of the plan year. Combine the value of plan assets held in more than one trust. Report the value of the plan's interest in a commingled fund containing the assets of more than one plan on a line-by-line basis unless the value is reportable on lines 1c(9) through 1c(14). Do not enter the value of that portion of an insurance contract which guarantees, during this plan year, to pay a specific dollar benefit at a future date. Round off amounts to the nearest dollar. MTIAs, CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs do not complete lines 1b(1), 1b(2), 1c(8), 1g, 1h, and 1i. CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs also do not complete lines 1d and 1e. See instructions.			
Assets		(a) Beginning of Year	(b) End of Year
a Total noninterest-bearing cash	1a		
b Receivables (less allowance for doubtful accounts):			
(1) Employer contributions	1b(1)		
(2) Participant contributions	1b(2)		
(3) Other.....	1b(3)		
c General investments:			
(1) Interest-bearing cash (include money market accounts & certificates of deposit)	1c(1)		
(2) U.S. Government securities.....	1c(2)		
(3) Corporate debt instruments (other than employer securities):			
(A) Preferred	1c(3)(A)		
(B) All other	1c(3)(B)		
(4) Corporate stocks (other than employer securities):			
(A) Preferred	1c(4)(A)		
(B) Common	1c(4)(B)		
(5) Partnership/joint venture interests	1c(5)		
(6) Real estate (other than employer real property)	1c(6)		
(7) Loans (other than to participants)	1c(7)		
(8) Participant loans	1c(8)	1290220	1232798
(9) Value of interest in common/collective trusts.....	1c(9)	9617630	11616912
(10) Value of interest in pooled separate accounts.....	1c(10)		
(11) Value of interest in master trust investment accounts	1c(11)		
(12) Value of interest in 103-12 investment entities	1c(12)		
(13) Value of interest in registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds).....	1c(13)	24791283	29227940
(14) Value of funds held in insurance company general account (unallocated contracts).....	1c(14)		
(15) Other	1c(15)		

1d Employer-related investments:		(a) Beginning of Year	(b) End of Year
(1) Employer securities	1d(1)		
(2) Employer real property	1d(2)		
e Buildings and other property used in plan operation	1e		
f Total assets (add all amounts in lines 1a through 1e)	1f	35699133	42077650

Liabilities

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

Net Assets

l Net assets (subtract line 1k from line 1f)	1l	35699133	42077650
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Part II Income and Expense Statement

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

Income

a Contributions:			
(1) Received or receivable in cash from: (A) Employers	2a(1)(A)	811357	
(B) Participants	2a(1)(B)	3565494	
(C) Others (including rollovers)	2a(1)(C)	282949	
(2) Noncash contributions	2a(2)		4659800
(3) Total contributions. Add lines 2a(1)(A) , (B) , (C) , and line 2a(2)	2a(3)		
b Earnings on investments:			
(1) Interest:			
(A) Interest-bearing cash (including money market accounts and certificates of deposit)	2b(1)(A)		
(B) U.S. Government securities	2b(1)(B)		
(C) Corporate debt instruments.....	2b(1)(C)		
(D) Loans (other than to participants)	2b(1)(D)		
(E) Participant loans.....	2b(1)(E)	52580	
(F) Other	2b(1)(F)		
(G) Total interest. Add lines 2b(1)(A) through (F)	2b(1)(G)		52580
(2) Dividends: (A) Preferred stock		2b(2)(A)	
(B) Common stock	2b(2)(B)		
(C) Registered investment company shares (e.g. mutual funds).....	2b(2)(C)	464027	
(D) Total dividends. Add lines 2b(2)(A) , (B) , and (C)	2b(2)(D)		464027
(3) Rents.....	2b(3)		
(4) Net gain (loss) on sale of assets: (A) Aggregate proceeds		2b(4)(A)	
(B) Aggregate carrying amount (see instructions)	2b(4)(B)		
(C) Subtract line 2b(4)(B) from line 2b(4)(A) and enter result	2b(4)(C)		
(5) Unrealized appreciation (depreciation) of assets: (A) Real estate.....		2b(5)(A)	
(B) Other	2b(5)(B)		
(C) Total unrealized appreciation of assets. Add lines 2b(5)(A) and (B)	2b(5)(C)		

		(a) Amount	(b) Total
(6) Net investment gain (loss) from common/collective trusts	2b(6)		1706902
(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)		3973840
c Other income	2c		1248
d Total income. Add all income amounts in column (b) and enter total.....	2d		10858397

Expenses

e Benefit payment and payments to provide benefits:			
(1) Directly to participants or beneficiaries, including direct rollovers.....	2e(1)	4345791	
(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)		4345791
f Corrective distributions (see instructions)	2f		
g Certain deemed distributions of participant loans (see instructions).....	2g		-836
h Interest expense.....	2h		
i Administrative expenses: (1) Professional fees	2i(1)		
(2) Contract administrator fees	2i(2)		
(3) Investment advisory and management fees	2i(3)		
(4) Other	2i(4)	134925	
(5) Total administrative expenses. Add lines 2i(1) through (4).....	2i(5)		134925
j Total expenses. Add all expense amounts in column (b) and enter total.....	2j		4479880

Net Income and Reconciliation

k Net income (loss). Subtract line 2j from line 2d	2k		6378517
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: CLIFTON LARSON ALLEN LLP

(2) EIN: 41-0746749

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
c Were any leases to which the plan was a party in default or classified during the year as uncollectible? (Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part II if "Yes" is checked.)		X	
4c		X	
d Were there any nonexempt transactions with any party-in-interest? (Do not include transactions reported on line 4a. Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part III if "Yes" is checked.)		X	
4d		X	
e Was this plan covered by a fidelity bond?	X		2500000
4e	X		2500000
f Did the plan have a loss, whether or not reimbursed by the plan's fidelity bond, that was caused by fraud or dishonesty?		X	
4f		X	
g Did the plan hold any assets whose current value was neither readily determinable on an established market nor set by an independent third party appraiser?		X	
4g		X	
h Did the plan receive any noncash contributions whose value was neither readily determinable on an established market nor set by an independent third party appraiser?		X	
4h		X	
i Did the plan have assets held for investment? (Attach schedule(s) of assets if "Yes" is checked, and see instructions for format requirements.)	X		
4i	X		
j Were any plan transactions or series of transactions in excess of 5% of the current value of plan assets? (Attach schedule of transactions if "Yes" is checked, and see instructions for format requirements.)		X	
4j		X	
k Were all the plan assets either distributed to participants or beneficiaries, transferred to another plan, or brought under the control of the PBGC?		X	
4k		X	
l Has the plan failed to provide any benefit when due under the plan?		X	
4l		X	
m If this is an individual account plan, was there a blackout period? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-3.)		X	
4m		X	
n If 4m was answered "Yes," check the "Yes" box if you either provided the required notice or one of the exceptions to providing the notice applied under 29 CFR 2520.101-3.			
4n			

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.)

<div>SCHEDULE R (Form 5500) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration 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 PALADIN BRANDS RETIREMENT SAVINGS PLAN		B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 002
C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 PALADIN BRANDS		D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 90-0218944
Part I	Distributions	
All references to distributions relate only to payments of benefits during the plan year.		
1 Total value of distributions paid in property other than in cash or the forms of property specified in the instructions		1 0
2 Enter the EIN(s) of payor(s) who paid benefits on behalf of the plan to participants or beneficiaries during the year (if more than two, enter EINs of the two payors who paid the greatest dollar amounts of benefits): EIN(s): 41-6257133		
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)? ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A If the plan is a defined benefit plan, go to line 8.		
5 If a waiver of the minimum funding standard for a prior year is being amortized in this plan year, see instructions and enter the date of the ruling letter granting the waiver. Date: Month Day Year If you completed line 5, complete lines 3, 9, and 10 of Schedule MB and do not complete the remainder of this schedule.		
6 a Enter the minimum required contribution for this plan year (include any prior year accumulated funding deficiency not waived)		6a
b Enter the amount contributed by the employer to the plan for this plan year		6b
c Subtract the amount in line 6b from the amount in line 6a. Enter the result (enter a minus sign to the left of a negative amount)		6c
If you completed line 6c, skip lines 8 and 9.		
7 Will the minimum funding amount reported on line 6c be met by the funding deadline? ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A		
8 If a change in actuarial cost method was made for this plan year pursuant to a revenue procedure or other authority providing automatic approval for the change or a class ruling letter, does the plan sponsor or plan administrator agree with the change? ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A		
Part III	Amendments	
9 If this is a defined benefit pension plan, were any amendments adopted during this plan year that increased or decreased the value of benefits? If yes, check the appropriate box. If no, check the "No" box. ☐ Increase ☐ Decrease ☐ Both ☐ No		
Part IV	ESOPs (see instructions). If this is not a plan described under section 409(a) or 4975(e)(7) of the Internal Revenue Code, skip this Part.	
10 Were unallocated employer securities or proceeds from the sale of unallocated securities used to repay any exempt loan? ☐ Yes ☐ No		
11 a Does the ESOP hold any preferred stock? ☐ Yes ☐ No		
b If the ESOP has an outstanding exempt loan with the employer as lender, is such loan part of a "back-to-back" loan? (See instructions for definition of "back-to-back" loan.) ☐ Yes ☐ No		
12 Does the ESOP hold any stock that is not readily tradable on an established securities market? ☐ Yes ☐ No		
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:

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

- a** Enter the percentage of plan assets held as:
 Stock: _____% Investment-Grade Debt: _____% High-Yield Debt: _____% Real Estate: _____% Other: _____%
- b** Provide the average duration of the combined investment-grade and high-yield debt:
☐ 0-3 years ☐ 3-6 years ☐ 6-9 years ☐ 9-12 years ☐ 12-15 years ☐ 15-18 years ☐ 18-21 years ☐ 21 years or more
- c** What duration measure was used to calculate line 19(b)?
☐ Effective duration ☐ Macaulay duration ☐ Modified duration ☐ Other (specify): _____

PALADIN BRANDS RETIREMENT SAVINGS PLAN

**FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND
SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION**

YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2017 AND 2016

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

Plan Administrator
Paladin Brands Retirement Savings Plan
Oak Brook, Illinois

Report on the Financial Statements

We were engaged to audit the accompanying financial statements of the Paladin Brands Retirement Savings Plan (the Plan), which comprise the statements of net assets available for benefits as of December 31, 2017 and 2016, and the related statements of changes in net assets available for benefits for the years then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

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

Auditors' Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on 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 (DOL) Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), the Plan administrator instructed us not to perform, and we did not perform, any auditing procedures with respect to the information summarized in Note 4, which was certified by Wells Fargo Bank, N.A., 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 and for the years ended December 31, 2017 and 2016, that the information provided to the Plan administrator by the trustee is complete and accurate.

Disclaimer of Opinion

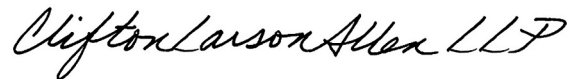
Because of the significance of the matter described in the *Basis for Disclaimer of Opinion* paragraph, we have not been able to obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence to provide a basis for an audit opinion. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on these financial statements.

Other Matter

The supplemental schedule of assets (held at end of year) as of December 31, 2017 is required by the DOL's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA 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 this 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 DOL's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "CliftonLarsonAllen LLP". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

CliftonLarsonAllen LLP

Oak Brook, Illinois
September 28, 2018

**PALADIN BRANDS RETIREMENT SAVINGS PLAN
STATEMENTS OF NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS
DECEMBER 31, 2017 AND 2016**

	<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>
ASSETS		
INVESTMENTS (at Fair Value)	\$ 40,844,852	\$ 34,408,913
RECEIVABLES		
Notes Receivable from Participants	<u>1,241,349</u>	<u>1,299,607</u>
Total Assets	42,086,201	35,708,520
LIABILITIES		
EXCESS CONTRIBUTIONS PAYABLE	<u>14,521</u>	<u>22,237</u>
NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS	<u><u>\$ 42,071,680</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 35,686,283</u></u>

See accompanying Notes to Financial Statements.

PALADIN BRANDS RETIREMENT SAVINGS PLAN
STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS
YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2017 AND 2016

	<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>
ADDITIONS:		
INVESTMENT INCOME		
Net Appreciation in Fair Value of Investments	\$ 5,664,704	\$ 2,110,879
Interest and Dividends	<u>481,312</u>	<u>410,600</u>
Total Investment Income	6,146,016	2,521,479
INTEREST INCOME ON NOTES RECEIVABLE FROM PARTICIPANTS	52,580	44,577
CONTRIBUTIONS		
Participants	3,565,494	3,051,564
Employer	811,357	675,612
Rollover	<u>282,949</u>	<u>638,659</u>
Total Contributions	<u>4,659,800</u>	<u>4,365,835</u>
Total Additions	10,858,396	6,931,891
DEDUCTIONS:		
BENEFITS PAID TO PARTICIPANTS	4,338,074	4,294,521
ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES	<u>134,925</u>	<u>134,552</u>
Total Deductions	<u>4,472,999</u>	<u>4,429,073</u>
NET INCREASE	6,385,397	2,502,818
NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS:		
Beginning of Year	<u>35,686,283</u>	<u>33,183,465</u>
End of Year	<u><u>\$ 42,071,680</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 35,686,283</u></u>

See accompanying Notes to Financial Statements.

PALADIN BRANDS RETIREMENT SAVINGS PLAN
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
DECEMBER 31, 2017 AND 2016

NOTE 1 DESCRIPTION OF PLAN

The following description of the Paladin Brands Retirement Savings Plan (the Plan) provides only general information. Participants should refer to the Plan document for a more complete description of the Plan's provisions.

General

Effective September 28, 2011, Paladin Brands Holding, Inc. (the Employer) adopted a prototype nonstandardized qualified retirement plan and formed the Paladin Brands Retirement Savings Plan. The assets of the Plan were previously held under the Dover Corporation Retirement Savings Plan and were transferred into this Plan on September 28, 2011.

The Plan is a defined contribution plan that allows participants to defer receiving some of their compensation until their retirement and, in the event of death, receipt by their beneficiaries. The Plan is intended to satisfy all of the requirements for a qualified retirement plan under the appropriate provisions of the Internal Revenue Code (IRC) and similar state tax laws. The Plan has been amended throughout the years to comply with tax legislation and most recently amended and restated effective January 1, 2016. The Plan is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).

Eligibility

All employees of the Employer, excluding union employees covered by a collective bargaining agreement, nonresident aliens, and part-time employees with less than 1,000 hours of service, are eligible to contribute to the Plan immediately on the date in which the employee attains age 18. Employees that meet these eligibility requirements are also eligible to receive Employer matching and discretionary nonelective contributions.

Automatic Enrollment

The Plan has an automatic enrollment feature for eligible employees at a 6% pre-tax contribution rate unless the employee elects to formally opt-out within 30 days or elect to contribute at a higher or lower rate. Such employees receive an immediate Employer match upon entering the Plan.

Contributions

Each year, participants may elect to contribute to the Plan, through regular payroll deductions, up to 50% of eligible payroll period compensation, as defined by the Plan, subject to limitations imposed by the IRC. Eligible participants are permitted to elect to have a percentage, limited by Plan provisions, of their compensation contributed as pre-tax and after-tax contributions to the Plan. Participants may also roll over amounts representing distributions from other qualified employee benefit or defined contribution plans. Participants who have attained the age of 50 before the end of the Plan year are eligible to make catch-up contributions.

PALADIN BRANDS RETIREMENT SAVINGS PLAN
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
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NOTE 1 DESCRIPTION OF PLAN (CONTINUED)

Contributions (Continued)

The Plan allows for both a fixed per-payroll matching contribution (basic Employer matching contribution) and an additional discretionary annual year-end matching contribution (year-end Employer matching contribution). The basic Employer matching contribution is a fixed 30% of the first 6% of a participant's compensation that they contribute to the Plan. At the discretion of Plan management, an additional year-end Employer matching contribution may be made to the Plan on behalf of contributing participants employed on the last day of the Plan year.

The Employer may also elect to contribute a discretionary nonelective Employer contribution to the Plan for participants who have satisfied the eligibility requirements specified above. Such contributions are allocated in proportion to the compensation of participants who are employed on the last day of the Plan year whether or not they have deferred any of their compensation into the Plan. The Employer did not make a discretionary nonelective Employer contribution for the years ended December 31, 2017 and 2016.

Participant Accounts

Each participant's account is credited with the participant's contributions, the Employer's matching contribution, an allocation of the Employer's profit sharing contribution, if any, and forfeitures and an allocation of Plan earnings or losses. Participant accounts are charged with an allocation of administrative expenses that are paid by the Plan. Allocations are based on participant earnings or account balances, or participant transactions, as defined. The benefit to which a participant is entitled is the benefit that can be provided by the participant's vested account.

The Plan permits participants to direct the investment of their accounts into their choice of a variety of funds. Each participant has the option of directing their contributions into any of the investment accounts.

Vesting

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NOTE 1 DESCRIPTION OF PLAN (CONTINUED)

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Use of Estimates

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Certain expenses of maintaining the Plan are paid directly by the Employer and are excluded from these financial statements. Fees related to the administration of notes receivable from participants and benefit payments as well as investment and trustee advisory fees are charged directly to the participant's account and are included in administrative expenses.

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The Plan has evaluated subsequent events through September 28, 2018, the date the financial statements were available to be issued.

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

Following is a description of the valuation methodologies used for assets measured at fair value. There have been no changes in the valuation methodologies used at December 31, 2017 and 2016.

Mutual Funds: 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 (NAV) and to transact at that price. The mutual funds held by the Plan are deemed to be actively traded.

Collective Trust Funds: Valued at the NAV of units of the bank collective trust. NAV is a readily determinable fair value and is the basis for current transactions. Participant transactions (purchases and sales) may occur daily.

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NOTE 3 FAIR VALUE OF INVESTMENTS (CONTINUED)

The following tables set forth by level, within the fair value hierarchy, the Plan's assets at fair value as of December 31:

2017				
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Mutual Funds	\$ 29,227,940	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 29,227,940
Collective Trust Funds	-	11,616,912	-	11,616,912
Total Investments at Fair Value	<u>\$ 29,227,940</u>	<u>\$ 11,616,912</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 40,844,852</u>

2016				
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Mutual Funds	\$ 24,791,283	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 24,791,283
Collective Trust Funds	-	9,617,630	-	9,617,630
Total Investments at Fair Value	<u>\$ 24,791,283</u>	<u>\$ 9,617,630</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 34,408,913</u>

NOTE 4 CERTIFICATION OF INVESTMENT INFORMATION

Wells Fargo Bank, N.A., the trustee of the Plan, has supplied the Plan administrator with a certification as to the completeness and accuracy of all investment information and notes receivable from participants reflected on the accompanying statements of net assets available for benefits as of December 31, 2017 and 2016, the statements of changes in net assets available for benefits for the years then ended, and the supplemental schedule of assets (held at end of year) as of December 31, 2017.

NOTE 5 PLAN TAX STATUS

The Internal Revenue Service (IRS) has determined and informed the Employer by a letter dated March 31, 2014, that the Plan and related trust are designed in accordance with applicable sections of the IRC. Although the Plan has been amended since receiving the determination letter, the Plan administrator and the Plan's tax counsel believe that the Plan is designed, and is currently being operated, in compliance with the applicable requirements of the IRC and, therefore, believe the Plan is qualified, and the related trust is tax-exempt.

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

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NOTE 6 PLAN TERMINATION

Although it has not expressed any intent to do so, the Employer has the right under the Plan to discontinue its contributions at any time and to terminate the Plan subject to the provisions of ERISA. In the event of Plan termination, the participants would become 100% vested in their accounts. Any unallocated assets of the Plan would be allocated to participant accounts and distributed in such manner as the Employer may determine.

NOTE 7 PARTY-IN-INTEREST TRANSACTIONS

The Plan invests in collective trust funds managed by Wells Fargo Bank, N.A., the trustee of the Plan. Therefore, these investments qualify as party-in-interest transactions. The Plan paid administrative expenses to Wells Fargo Bank, N.A. in the amounts of \$134,925 and \$134,552 for the years ended December 31, 2017 and 2016, respectively. These party-in-interest transactions are exempt from the prohibited transaction rules of ERISA.

NOTE 8 RISKS AND UNCERTAINTIES

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

NOTE 9 RECONCILIATION OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS TO FORM 5500

The following is a reconciliation of the net assets available for benefits per the financial statements to Form 5500 as of December 31:

	2017	2016
Net Assets Available for Benefits per the Financial Statements	\$ 42,071,680	\$ 35,686,283
Excess Contributions Payable	14,521	22,237
Deemed Distributions	(8,551)	(9,387)
Net Assets Available for Benefits per Form 5500	<u>\$ 42,077,650</u>	<u>\$ 35,699,133</u>

PALADIN BRANDS RETIREMENT SAVINGS PLAN
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NOTE 9 RECONCILIATION OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS TO FORM 5500 (CONTINUED)

The following is a reconciliation of the net increase in net assets available for benefits per the financial statements to Form 5500 for the years ended December 31:

	<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>
Net Increase in Net Assets Available for		
Benefits per the Financial Statements	\$ 6,385,397	\$ 2,502,818
Net Change in Excess Contributions Received	(7,716)	(15,590)
Net Change in Deemed Distributions	<u>836</u>	<u>(3,903)</u>
Net Increase in Net Assets Available for		
Benefits per Form 5500	<u><u>\$ 6,378,517</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 2,483,325</u></u>

PALADIN BRANDS RETIREMENT SAVINGS PLAN
E.I.N. 90-0218944 PLAN NO. 002
SCHEDULE H, LINE 4i—SCHEDULE OF ASSETS (HELD AT END OF YEAR)
DECEMBER 31, 2017

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)
	Identity of Issue, Borrower, Lessor, or Similar Party	Description of Investment Including Maturity Date, Rate of Interest, Collateral, Par, or Maturity Value	Cost **	Current Value
		<u>Collective Trust Funds:</u>		
	Ameriprise/Columbia Trust Company	Stable Income I		\$ 2,655,446
*	Wells Fargo Bank, N.A./BlackRock	S&P MidCap Index CIT F		595,050
*	Wells Fargo Bank, N.A./BlackRock	S&P 500 Index CIT N5		5,461,193
*	Wells Fargo Bank, N.A./Causeway	International Value CIT F		<u>2,905,223</u>
		Total Collective Trust Funds		11,616,912
		<u>Mutual Funds:</u>		
	Aberdeen Funds	Small Cap Equity Fund		735,680
	American Funds	Capital World Growth R6		763,451
	American Funds	Washington Mutual Inv R6		729,888
	Columbia	Balanced Fund R5		310,192
	Columbia	Disciplined Core R5		1,909,240
	JP Morgan	Large Cap Growth R5		2,605,502
	Metropolitan West Funds	Total Return Bond I		2,263,011
	Northern Funds	Small Cap Value Fund		2,514,884
	Vanguard	Vanguard Target Retirement Fund		231,326
	Vanguard	Vanguard Target Retirement 2020		2,587,254
	Vanguard	Vanguard Target Retirement 2030		5,176,615
	Vanguard	Vanguard Target Retirement 2040		7,760,790
	Vanguard	Vanguard Target Retirement 2050		1,059,067
	Vanguard	Vanguard Target Retirement 2060		<u>581,040</u>
		Total Mutual Funds		29,227,940
*	Participants	Participant Loans		
		Rates from 3.25% to 5.50%	-	<u>1,232,798</u>
				<u><u>\$ 42,077,650</u></u>

* Indicates party-in-interest

**Cost omitted for participant-directed accounts



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PALADIN BRANDS RETIREMENT SAVINGS PLAN

**FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND
SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION**

YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2017 AND 2016

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

Plan Administrator
Paladin Brands Retirement Savings Plan
Oak Brook, Illinois

Report on the Financial Statements

We were engaged to audit the accompanying financial statements of the Paladin Brands Retirement Savings Plan (the Plan), which comprise the statements of net assets available for benefits as of December 31, 2017 and 2016, and the related statements of changes in net assets available for benefits for the years then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

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

Auditors' Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on 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 (DOL) Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), the Plan administrator instructed us not to perform, and we did not perform, any auditing procedures with respect to the information summarized in Note 4, which was certified by Wells Fargo Bank, N.A., 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 and for the years ended December 31, 2017 and 2016, that the information provided to the Plan administrator by the trustee is complete and accurate.

Disclaimer of Opinion

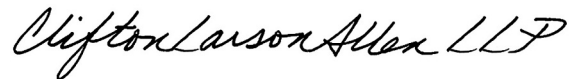
Because of the significance of the matter described in the *Basis for Disclaimer of Opinion* paragraph, we have not been able to obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence to provide a basis for an audit opinion. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on these financial statements.

Other Matter

The supplemental schedule of assets (held at end of year) as of December 31, 2017 is required by the DOL's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA 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 this 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 DOL's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "CliftonLarsonAllen LLP".

CliftonLarsonAllen LLP

Oak Brook, Illinois
September 28, 2018

PALADIN BRANDS RETIREMENT SAVINGS PLAN
STATEMENTS OF NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS
DECEMBER 31, 2017 AND 2016

	<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>
ASSETS		
INVESTMENTS (at Fair Value)	\$ 40,844,852	\$ 34,408,913
RECEIVABLES		
Notes Receivable from Participants	<u>1,241,349</u>	<u>1,299,607</u>
Total Assets	42,086,201	35,708,520
LIABILITIES		
EXCESS CONTRIBUTIONS PAYABLE	<u>14,521</u>	<u>22,237</u>
NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS	<u><u>\$ 42,071,680</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 35,686,283</u></u>

See accompanying Notes to Financial Statements.

PALADIN BRANDS RETIREMENT SAVINGS PLAN
STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS
YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2017 AND 2016

	<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>
ADDITIONS:		
INVESTMENT INCOME		
Net Appreciation in Fair Value of Investments	\$ 5,664,704	\$ 2,110,879
Interest and Dividends	<u>481,312</u>	<u>410,600</u>
Total Investment Income	6,146,016	2,521,479
INTEREST INCOME ON NOTES RECEIVABLE FROM PARTICIPANTS	52,580	44,577
CONTRIBUTIONS		
Participants	3,565,494	3,051,564
Employer	811,357	675,612
Rollover	<u>282,949</u>	<u>638,659</u>
Total Contributions	<u>4,659,800</u>	<u>4,365,835</u>
Total Additions	10,858,396	6,931,891
DEDUCTIONS:		
BENEFITS PAID TO PARTICIPANTS	4,338,074	4,294,521
ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES	<u>134,925</u>	<u>134,552</u>
Total Deductions	<u>4,472,999</u>	<u>4,429,073</u>
NET INCREASE	6,385,397	2,502,818
NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS:		
Beginning of Year	<u>35,686,283</u>	<u>33,183,465</u>
End of Year	<u><u>\$ 42,071,680</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 35,686,283</u></u>

See accompanying Notes to Financial Statements.

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NOTE 1 DESCRIPTION OF PLAN

The following description of the Paladin Brands Retirement Savings Plan (the Plan) provides only general information. Participants should refer to the Plan document for a more complete description of the Plan's provisions.

General

Effective September 28, 2011, Paladin Brands Holding, Inc. (the Employer) adopted a prototype nonstandardized qualified retirement plan and formed the Paladin Brands Retirement Savings Plan. The assets of the Plan were previously held under the Dover Corporation Retirement Savings Plan and were transferred into this Plan on September 28, 2011.

The Plan is a defined contribution plan that allows participants to defer receiving some of their compensation until their retirement and, in the event of death, receipt by their beneficiaries. The Plan is intended to satisfy all of the requirements for a qualified retirement plan under the appropriate provisions of the Internal Revenue Code (IRC) and similar state tax laws. The Plan has been amended throughout the years to comply with tax legislation and most recently amended and restated effective January 1, 2016. The Plan is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).

Eligibility

All employees of the Employer, excluding union employees covered by a collective bargaining agreement, nonresident aliens, and part-time employees with less than 1,000 hours of service, are eligible to contribute to the Plan immediately on the date in which the employee attains age 18. Employees that meet these eligibility requirements are also eligible to receive Employer matching and discretionary nonelective contributions.

Automatic Enrollment

The Plan has an automatic enrollment feature for eligible employees at a 6% pre-tax contribution rate unless the employee elects to formally opt-out within 30 days or elect to contribute at a higher or lower rate. Such employees receive an immediate Employer match upon entering the Plan.

Contributions

Each year, participants may elect to contribute to the Plan, through regular payroll deductions, up to 50% of eligible payroll period compensation, as defined by the Plan, subject to limitations imposed by the IRC. Eligible participants are permitted to elect to have a percentage, limited by Plan provisions, of their compensation contributed as pre-tax and after-tax contributions to the Plan. Participants may also roll over amounts representing distributions from other qualified employee benefit or defined contribution plans. Participants who have attained the age of 50 before the end of the Plan year are eligible to make catch-up contributions.

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NOTE 1 DESCRIPTION OF PLAN (CONTINUED)

Contributions (Continued)

The Plan allows for both a fixed per-payroll matching contribution (basic Employer matching contribution) and an additional discretionary annual year-end matching contribution (year-end Employer matching contribution). The basic Employer matching contribution is a fixed 30% of the first 6% of a participant's compensation that they contribute to the Plan. At the discretion of Plan management, an additional year-end Employer matching contribution may be made to the Plan on behalf of contributing participants employed on the last day of the Plan year.

The Employer may also elect to contribute a discretionary nonelective Employer contribution to the Plan for participants who have satisfied the eligibility requirements specified above. Such contributions are allocated in proportion to the compensation of participants who are employed on the last day of the Plan year whether or not they have deferred any of their compensation into the Plan. The Employer did not make a discretionary nonelective Employer contribution for the years ended December 31, 2017 and 2016.

Participant Accounts

Each participant's account is credited with the participant's contributions, the Employer's matching contribution, an allocation of the Employer's profit sharing contribution, if any, and forfeitures and an allocation of Plan earnings or losses. Participant accounts are charged with an allocation of administrative expenses that are paid by the Plan. Allocations are based on participant earnings or account balances, or participant transactions, as defined. The benefit to which a participant is entitled is the benefit that can be provided by the participant's vested account.

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NOTE 2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of Accounting

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NOTE 3 FAIR VALUE OF INVESTMENTS (CONTINUED)

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	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
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Collective Trust Funds	-	11,616,912	-	11,616,912
Total Investments at Fair Value	<u>\$ 29,227,940</u>	<u>\$ 11,616,912</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 40,844,852</u>

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NOTE 9 RECONCILIATION OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS TO FORM 5500

The following is a reconciliation of the net assets available for benefits per the financial statements to Form 5500 as of December 31:

	<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>
Net Assets Available for Benefits per the Financial Statements	\$ 42,071,680	\$ 35,686,283
Excess Contributions Payable	14,521	22,237
Deemed Distributions	(8,551)	(9,387)
Net Assets Available for Benefits per Form 5500	<u>\$ 42,077,650</u>	<u>\$ 35,699,133</u>

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NOTE 9 RECONCILIATION OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS TO FORM 5500 (CONTINUED)

The following is a reconciliation of the net increase in net assets available for benefits per the financial statements to Form 5500 for the years ended December 31:

	<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>
Net Increase in Net Assets Available for		
Benefits per the Financial Statements	\$ 6,385,397	\$ 2,502,818
Net Change in Excess Contributions Received	(7,716)	(15,590)
Net Change in Deemed Distributions	<u>836</u>	<u>(3,903)</u>
Net Increase in Net Assets Available for		
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SCHEDULE H, LINE 4i—SCHEDULE OF ASSETS (HELD AT END OF YEAR)
DECEMBER 31, 2017

(a)	(b) Identity of Issue, Borrower, Lessor, or Similar Party	(c) Description of Investment Including Maturity Date, Rate of Interest, Collateral, Par, or Maturity Value	(d) Cost **	(e) Current Value
		<u>Collective Trust Funds:</u>		
	Ameriprise/Columbia Trust Company	Stable Income I		\$ 2,655,446
*	Wells Fargo Bank, N.A./BlackRock	S&P MidCap Index CIT F		595,050
*	Wells Fargo Bank, N.A./BlackRock	S&P 500 Index CIT N5		5,461,193
*	Wells Fargo Bank, N.A./Causeway	International Value CIT F		<u>2,905,223</u>
		Total Collective Trust Funds		11,616,912
		<u>Mutual Funds:</u>		
	Aberdeen Funds	Small Cap Equity Fund		735,680
	American Funds	Capital World Growth R6		763,451
	American Funds	Washington Mutual Inv R6		729,888
	Columbia	Balanced Fund R5		310,192
	Columbia	Disciplined Core R5		1,909,240
	JP Morgan	Large Cap Growth R5		2,605,502
	Metropolitan West Funds	Total Return Bond I		2,263,011
	Northern Funds	Small Cap Value Fund		2,514,884
	Vanguard	Vanguard Target Retirement Fund		231,326
	Vanguard	Vanguard Target Retirement 2020		2,587,254
	Vanguard	Vanguard Target Retirement 2030		5,176,615
	Vanguard	Vanguard Target Retirement 2040		7,760,790
	Vanguard	Vanguard Target Retirement 2050		1,059,067
	Vanguard	Vanguard Target Retirement 2060		<u>581,040</u>
		Total Mutual Funds		29,227,940
*	Participants	Participant Loans		
		Rates from 3.25% to 5.50%	-	<u>1,232,798</u>
				<u><u>\$ 42,077,650</u></u>

* Indicates party-in-interest

**Cost omitted for participant-directed accounts



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**FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND
SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION**

YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2017 AND 2016

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

Plan Administrator
Paladin Brands Retirement Savings Plan
Oak Brook, Illinois

Report on the Financial Statements

We were engaged to audit the accompanying financial statements of the Paladin Brands Retirement Savings Plan (the Plan), which comprise the statements of net assets available for benefits as of December 31, 2017 and 2016, and the related statements of changes in net assets available for benefits for the years then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

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

Auditors' Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on 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 (DOL) Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), the Plan administrator instructed us not to perform, and we did not perform, any auditing procedures with respect to the information summarized in Note 4, which was certified by Wells Fargo Bank, N.A., 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 and for the years ended December 31, 2017 and 2016, that the information provided to the Plan administrator by the trustee is complete and accurate.

Disclaimer of Opinion

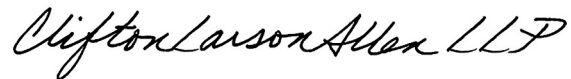
Because of the significance of the matter described in the *Basis for Disclaimer of Opinion* paragraph, we have not been able to obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence to provide a basis for an audit opinion. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on these financial statements.

Other Matter

The supplemental schedule of assets (held at end of year) as of December 31, 2017 is required by the DOL's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA 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 this 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 DOL's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "CliftonLarsonAllen LLP".

CliftonLarsonAllen LLP

Oak Brook, Illinois
September 28, 2018

**PALADIN BRANDS RETIREMENT SAVINGS PLAN
STATEMENTS OF NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS
DECEMBER 31, 2017 AND 2016**

	<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>
ASSETS		
INVESTMENTS (at Fair Value)	\$ 40,844,852	\$ 34,408,913
RECEIVABLES		
Notes Receivable from Participants	<u>1,241,349</u>	<u>1,299,607</u>
Total Assets	42,086,201	35,708,520
LIABILITIES		
EXCESS CONTRIBUTIONS PAYABLE	<u>14,521</u>	<u>22,237</u>
NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS	<u><u>\$ 42,071,680</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 35,686,283</u></u>

See accompanying Notes to Financial Statements.

PALADIN BRANDS RETIREMENT SAVINGS PLAN
STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS
YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2017 AND 2016

	<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>
ADDITIONS:		
INVESTMENT INCOME		
Net Appreciation in Fair Value of Investments	\$ 5,664,704	\$ 2,110,879
Interest and Dividends	<u>481,312</u>	<u>410,600</u>
Total Investment Income	6,146,016	2,521,479
INTEREST INCOME ON NOTES RECEIVABLE FROM PARTICIPANTS	52,580	44,577
CONTRIBUTIONS		
Participants	3,565,494	3,051,564
Employer	811,357	675,612
Rollover	<u>282,949</u>	<u>638,659</u>
Total Contributions	<u>4,659,800</u>	<u>4,365,835</u>
Total Additions	10,858,396	6,931,891
DEDUCTIONS:		
BENEFITS PAID TO PARTICIPANTS	4,338,074	4,294,521
ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES	<u>134,925</u>	<u>134,552</u>
Total Deductions	<u>4,472,999</u>	<u>4,429,073</u>
NET INCREASE	6,385,397	2,502,818
NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS:		
Beginning of Year	<u>35,686,283</u>	<u>33,183,465</u>
End of Year	<u><u>\$ 42,071,680</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 35,686,283</u></u>

See accompanying Notes to Financial Statements.

PALADIN BRANDS RETIREMENT SAVINGS PLAN
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NOTE 1 DESCRIPTION OF PLAN

The following description of the Paladin Brands Retirement Savings Plan (the Plan) provides only general information. Participants should refer to the Plan document for a more complete description of the Plan's provisions.

General

Effective September 28, 2011, Paladin Brands Holding, Inc. (the Employer) adopted a prototype nonstandardized qualified retirement plan and formed the Paladin Brands Retirement Savings Plan. The assets of the Plan were previously held under the Dover Corporation Retirement Savings Plan and were transferred into this Plan on September 28, 2011.

The Plan is a defined contribution plan that allows participants to defer receiving some of their compensation until their retirement and, in the event of death, receipt by their beneficiaries. The Plan is intended to satisfy all of the requirements for a qualified retirement plan under the appropriate provisions of the Internal Revenue Code (IRC) and similar state tax laws. The Plan has been amended throughout the years to comply with tax legislation and most recently amended and restated effective January 1, 2016. The Plan is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).

Eligibility

All employees of the Employer, excluding union employees covered by a collective bargaining agreement, nonresident aliens, and part-time employees with less than 1,000 hours of service, are eligible to contribute to the Plan immediately on the date in which the employee attains age 18. Employees that meet these eligibility requirements are also eligible to receive Employer matching and discretionary nonelective contributions.

Automatic Enrollment

The Plan has an automatic enrollment feature for eligible employees at a 6% pre-tax contribution rate unless the employee elects to formally opt-out within 30 days or elect to contribute at a higher or lower rate. Such employees receive an immediate Employer match upon entering the Plan.

Contributions

Each year, participants may elect to contribute to the Plan, through regular payroll deductions, up to 50% of eligible payroll period compensation, as defined by the Plan, subject to limitations imposed by the IRC. Eligible participants are permitted to elect to have a percentage, limited by Plan provisions, of their compensation contributed as pre-tax and after-tax contributions to the Plan. Participants may also roll over amounts representing distributions from other qualified employee benefit or defined contribution plans. Participants who have attained the age of 50 before the end of the Plan year are eligible to make catch-up contributions.

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NOTE 1 DESCRIPTION OF PLAN (CONTINUED)

Contributions (Continued)

The Plan allows for both a fixed per-payroll matching contribution (basic Employer matching contribution) and an additional discretionary annual year-end matching contribution (year-end Employer matching contribution). The basic Employer matching contribution is a fixed 30% of the first 6% of a participant's compensation that they contribute to the Plan. At the discretion of Plan management, an additional year-end Employer matching contribution may be made to the Plan on behalf of contributing participants employed on the last day of the Plan year.

The Employer may also elect to contribute a discretionary nonelective Employer contribution to the Plan for participants who have satisfied the eligibility requirements specified above. Such contributions are allocated in proportion to the compensation of participants who are employed on the last day of the Plan year whether or not they have deferred any of their compensation into the Plan. The Employer did not make a discretionary nonelective Employer contribution for the years ended December 31, 2017 and 2016.

Participant Accounts

Each participant's account is credited with the participant's contributions, the Employer's matching contribution, an allocation of the Employer's profit sharing contribution, if any, and forfeitures and an allocation of Plan earnings or losses. Participant accounts are charged with an allocation of administrative expenses that are paid by the Plan. Allocations are based on participant earnings or account balances, or participant transactions, as defined. The benefit to which a participant is entitled is the benefit that can be provided by the participant's vested account.

The Plan permits participants to direct the investment of their accounts into their choice of a variety of funds. Each participant has the option of directing their contributions into any of the investment accounts.

Vesting

Participants are immediately vested in their voluntary contributions plus actual earnings thereon. Vesting in the Employer's contribution portion of their accounts plus earnings thereon is based on years of continuous service. A participant is 100% vested in matching contributions after one year of credited service. A participant is 20% vested in discretionary nonelective contributions after two years of credited service and increases 20% for an additional credited year until 100% vested after six years of service. As the Plan was formed by an asset transfer from another plan, all participants carried over their vesting percentage from that plan. Notwithstanding the above, a participant is fully vested upon reaching normal retirement age, death, or permanent disability.

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NOTE 1 DESCRIPTION OF PLAN (CONTINUED)

Benefit Payments

Upon termination of service due to death, retirement on or after normal retirement age, or other reasons, a participant may elect to receive the value of the vested interest in their account. Distributions from the Plan are generally made in the form of single lump-sum payment, although the Plan allows installment distribution payments in the case of fully vested terminated participants who have reached age 55. The Plan's provisions also provide for in-service withdrawals or withdrawals in the event of financial hardship, as defined by the Plan.

Notes Receivable from Participants

A participant may borrow from their fund accounts a minimum of \$1,000 up to a maximum equal to the lesser of \$50,000 or 50% of their vested account balance. The notes are secured by the balance in the participant's account and bear interest at the current prime rate plus 1%, or such other rates prescribed by the Employer. Note terms range from one to five years, or longer for the purchase of a primary residence. Principal and interest are paid ratably through payroll deductions. A participant may have up to two notes outstanding at one time.

Forfeited Accounts

Forfeited nonvested accounts are used to reduce Employer matching contributions and to pay administrative expenses. Forfeited nonvested accounts as of December 31, 2017 and 2016 totaled \$25,696 and \$8,707, respectively. There were \$9,270 and \$35,734 of forfeitures used to reduce Employer matching contributions during the years ended December 31, 2017 and 2016, respectively. There were \$44 and \$1,057 of forfeitures used to pay administrative expenses during the years ended December 31, 2017 and 2016, respectively.

NOTE 2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of Accounting

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

Use of Estimates

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

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NOTE 2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Investment Valuation and Income Recognition

The Plan's investments are reported at fair value. Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. See Note 3 for discussion of fair value measurements.

Purchases and sales of securities are reflected on a trade-date basis. Interest income is recorded on the accrual basis. 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.

Notes Receivable from Participants

Notes receivable from participants are measured at their unpaid principal balance plus any accrued but unpaid interest. Interest income is recorded on the accrual basis. Related fees are 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. Delinquent participant loans, if any, are reclassified as distributions based upon the terms of the Plan document.

Benefit Payments

Benefits are recorded when paid.

Excess Contributions Payable

Refunds of excess participant deferral contributions and forfeited Employer matching contributions may be required to satisfy the relevant nondiscrimination provisions of the Plan. Such refunds are accrued as a liability and as additions to distributions in the Plan year in which the excess deferrals were made to the Plan.

Administrative Expenses

Certain expenses of maintaining the Plan are paid directly by the Employer and are excluded from these financial statements. Fees related to the administration of notes receivable from participants and benefit payments as well as investment and trustee advisory fees are charged directly to the participant's account and are included in administrative expenses.

Subsequent Events

The Plan has evaluated subsequent events through September 28, 2018, the date the financial statements were available to be issued.

Effective May 1, 2018, the Plan was amended to automatically increase the automatic deferral percentage for each participant by 1% each year up to a maximum of 10% of eligible compensation unless a participant makes an alternative election.

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NOTE 3 FAIR VALUE OF INVESTMENTS

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 or liabilities (Level 1) and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (Level 3). The three levels of the fair value hierarchy are described as follows:

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

Level 2 – Inputs other than quoted prices included within Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly or indirectly, such as:

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

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

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

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Deemed Distributions	(8,551)	(9,387)
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NOTE 9 RECONCILIATION OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS TO FORM 5500 (CONTINUED)

The following is a reconciliation of the net increase in net assets available for benefits per the financial statements to Form 5500 for the years ended December 31:

	<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>
Net Increase in Net Assets Available for Benefits per the Financial Statements	\$ 6,385,397	\$ 2,502,818
Net Change in Excess Contributions Received	(7,716)	(15,590)
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Net Increase in Net Assets Available for Benefits per Form 5500	<u>\$ 6,378,517</u>	<u>\$ 2,483,325</u>

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E.I.N. 90-0218944 PLAN NO. 002
SCHEDULE H, LINE 4i—SCHEDULE OF ASSETS (HELD AT END OF YEAR)
DECEMBER 31, 2017

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)
	Identity of Issue, Borrower, Lessor, or Similar Party	Description of Investment Including Maturity Date, Rate of Interest, Collateral, Par, or Maturity Value	Cost **	Current Value
		<u>Collective Trust Funds:</u>		
	Ameriprise/Columbia Trust Company	Stable Income I		\$ 2,655,446
*	Wells Fargo Bank, N.A./BlackRock	S&P MidCap Index CIT F		595,050
*	Wells Fargo Bank, N.A./BlackRock	S&P 500 Index CIT N5		5,461,193
*	Wells Fargo Bank, N.A./Causeway	International Value CIT F		<u>2,905,223</u>
		Total Collective Trust Funds		11,616,912
		<u>Mutual Funds:</u>		
	Aberdeen Funds	Small Cap Equity Fund		735,680
	American Funds	Capital World Growth R6		763,451
	American Funds	Washington Mutual Inv R6		729,888
	Columbia	Balanced Fund R5		310,192
	Columbia	Disciplined Core R5		1,909,240
	JP Morgan	Large Cap Growth R5		2,605,502
	Metropolitan West Funds	Total Return Bond I		2,263,011
	Northern Funds	Small Cap Value Fund		2,514,884
	Vanguard	Vanguard Target Retirement Fund		231,326
	Vanguard	Vanguard Target Retirement 2020		2,587,254
	Vanguard	Vanguard Target Retirement 2030		5,176,615
	Vanguard	Vanguard Target Retirement 2040		7,760,790
	Vanguard	Vanguard Target Retirement 2050		1,059,067
	Vanguard	Vanguard Target Retirement 2060		<u>581,040</u>
		Total Mutual Funds		29,227,940
*	Participants	Participant Loans		
		Rates from 3.25% to 5.50%	-	<u>1,232,798</u>
				<u><u>\$ 42,077,650</u></u>

* Indicates party-in-interest

**Cost omitted for participant-directed accounts



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