Form 5500

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Department of Labor
Employee Benefits Security Administration

Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation

Annual Return/Report of Employee Benefit Plan

This form is required to be filed for employee benefit plans under sections 104 and 4065 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) and sections 6057(b) and 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code).

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

OMB Nos. 1210-0110
1210-0089

2017

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Part I Annual Report Identification Information

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

A This return/report is for:
- [ ] a multiemployer plan
- [X] 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
- [X] 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:
- [X] Form 5558
- [ ] automatic extension
- [ ] the DFVC program
- [ ] special extension (enter description)

Part II Basic Plan Information—enter all requested information

1a Name of plan
ROBERT BOSCH DEFINED CONTRIBUTION RETIREMENT PLAN

1b Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 016

1c Effective date of plan 07/01/2011

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)
ROBERT BOSCH LLC

2800 SOUTH 25TH AVE
BROADVIEW, IL 60155-4532

2b Employer Identification Number (EIN)
36-2903176

2c Plan Sponsor's telephone number
708-865-5200

2d Business code (see instructions)
423100

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.	11/30/2018	GARY GRABARCZYK
	Signature of plan administrator	Date	Enter name of individual signing as plan administrator
SIGN HERE			
	Signature of employer/plan sponsor	Date	Enter name of individual signing as employer or plan sponsor
SIGN HERE			
	Signature of DFE	Date	Enter name of individual signing as DFE

3a Plan administrator's name and address [X] Same as Plan Sponsor

3b Administrator's EIN

3c Administrator's telephone number

4 If the name and/or EIN of the plan sponsor 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**	14021
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)**	12549
a(2) Total number of active participants at the end of the plan year	**6a(2)**	13682
b Retired or separated participants receiving benefits	**6b**	17
c Other retired or separated participants entitled to future benefits	**6c**	1358
d Subtotal. Add lines **6a(2)**, **6b**, and **6c**	**6d**	15057
e Deceased participants whose beneficiaries are receiving or are entitled to receive benefits.	**6e**	29
f Total. Add lines **6d** and **6e**.	**6f**	15086
g Number of participants with account balances as of the end of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item)	**6g**	14963
h Number of participants who terminated employment during the plan year with accrued benefits that were less than 100% vested	**6h**	536
7 Enter the total number of employers obligated to contribute to the plan (only multiemployer plans complete this item)	**7**	

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

2A 2E 2F 2G 2R 2T 3B 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)	[X]	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)	[X]	Trust
(4)	[ ]	General assets of the sponsor

10 Check all applicable boxes in 10a and 10b to indicate which schedules are attached, and, where indicated, enter the number attached. (See instructions)

a Pension Schedules

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

b General Schedules

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

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

11a If the plan provides welfare benefits, was the plan subject to the Form M-1 filing requirements during the plan year? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-2.) .....…… ☐ Yes ☐ No

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

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

11c Enter the Receipt Confirmation Code for the 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)	Service Provider Information	OMB No. 1210-0110
Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation	This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA). ▶ **File as an attachment to Form 5500.**	**2017** **This Form is Open to Public Inspection.**

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B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 016

C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500
ROBERT BOSCH LLC

D Employer Identification Number (EIN)
36-2903176

Part I Service Provider Information (see instructions)

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

1 Information on Persons Receiving Only Eligible Indirect Compensation

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

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

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

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

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

STRATEGIC ADVISORS, INC.

04-2654524

(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?
27	ADVISOR	17583	Yes [ ] No [X]	Yes [ ] No [ ]		Yes [ ] No [ ]

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Part I Service Provider Information (continued)

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

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

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

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

Part II Service Providers Who Fail or Refuse to Provide Information

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

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

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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:
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SCHEDULE D (Form 5500)

Department of the Treasury
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DFE/Participating Plan Information

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A Name of plan
ROBERT BOSCH DEFINED CONTRIBUTION RETIREMENT PLAN

B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 016

C Plan or DFE sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500
ROBERT BOSCH LLC

D Employer Identification Number (EIN)
36-2903176

Part I **Information on interests in MTIAs, CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs (to be completed by plans and DFEs)**
(Complete as many entries as needed to report all interests in DFEs)

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: ROBERT BOSCH DC RETIREMENT PLAN TR

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): ROBERT BOSCH LLC

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)
30-0988910-101	M	284247026

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: JPM STABLE ASSET INCOME FUND

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JP MORGAN CHASE BANK, NA

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)
20-1978950-001	C	0

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: JPMCB SMARTRETMNT 2015 FD INST

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JP MORGAN CHASE BANK, NA

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)
20-3063321-001	C	0

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: JPMCB SMARTRETMNT 2020 FD INST

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JP MORGAN CHASE BANK, NA

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)
20-3063359-001	C	0

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: JPMCB SMARTRETMNT 2030 FD INST

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JP MORGAN CHASE BANK, NA

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)
20-3063387-001	C	0

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: JPMCB SMARTRETMNT 2040 FD INST

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JP MORGAN CHASE BANK, NA

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)
20-3063440-001	C	0

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: JPMCB SMARTRETMNT 2050 FD INST

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JP MORGAN CHASE BANK, NA

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)
20-5819476-001	C	0

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: JPMCB SMARTRETMNT INC FD INST

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JP MORGAN CHASE BANK, NA

c EIN-PN 20-3063490-001	**d** Entity code C	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 0

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: NORTHERN TRUST COLL AGGR BOND INDEX

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): NORTHEN TRUST INVESTMENTS

c EIN-PN 45-6138589-200	**d** Entity code C	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 0

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: NORTHERN TRUST COLL EAFE INDEX

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): NORTHEN TRUST INVESTMENTS

c EIN-PN 45-6138589-111	**d** Entity code C	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 0

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: NORTHERN TRUST COLL RUSSELL 1000

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): NORTHEN TRUST INVESTMENTS

c EIN-PN 45-6138589-109	**d** Entity code C	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 0

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: NORTHERN TRUST COLL S&P 500 IDX

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): NORTHEN TRUST INVESTMENTS

c EIN-PN 45-6138589-002	**d** Entity code C	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 0

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: NORTHERN TRUST EMERGING MKT FD

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): NORTHERN TRUST INVESTMENTS, INC.

c EIN-PN 06-6275604-012	**d** Entity code C	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 0

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: NT COLLECTIVE EMERGING MARKETS FUND

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): NORTHERN TRUST INVESTMENTS, INC.

c EIN-PN 45-6138589-101	**d** Entity code C	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 0

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

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):

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

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

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):

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

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b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):

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

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

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

a Plan name

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

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SCHEDULE H (Form 5500)

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D Employer Identification Number (EIN)
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Part I Asset and Liability Statement

1 Current value of plan assets and liabilities at the beginning and end of the plan year. Combine the value of plan assets held in more than one trust. Report the value of the plan's interest in a commingled fund containing the assets of more than one plan on a line-by-line basis unless the value is reportable on lines 1c(9) through 1c(14). Do not enter the value of that portion of an insurance contract which guarantees, during this plan year, to pay a specific dollar benefit at a future date. **Round off amounts to the nearest dollar.** MTIAs, CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs do not complete lines 1b(1), 1b(2), 1c(8), 1g, 1h, and 1i. CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs also do not complete lines 1d and 1e. See instructions.

Assets		(a) Beginning of Year	(b) End of Year
a Total noninterest-bearing cash	1a	0	0
b Receivables (less allowance for doubtful accounts):			
(1) Employer contributions	1b(1)	604816	284157
(2) Participant contributions	1b(2)	0	0
(3) Other	1b(3)	0	0
c General investments:			
(1) Interest-bearing cash (include money market accounts & certificates of deposit)	1c(1)	0	0
(2) U.S. Government securities	1c(2)	0	0
(3) Corporate debt instruments (other than employer securities):			
(A) Preferred	1c(3)(A)	0	0
(B) All other	1c(3)(B)	0	0
(4) Corporate stocks (other than employer securities):			
(A) Preferred	1c(4)(A)	0	0
(B) Common	1c(4)(B)	0	0
(5) Partnership/joint venture interests	1c(5)	0	0
(6) Real estate (other than employer real property)	1c(6)	0	0
(7) Loans (other than to participants)	1c(7)	0	0
(8) Participant loans	1c(8)	0	0
(9) Value of interest in common/collective trusts	1c(9)	208240527	0
(10) Value of interest in pooled separate accounts	1c(10)	0	0
(11) Value of interest in master trust investment accounts	1c(11)	0	284247026
(12) Value of interest in 103-12 investment entities	1c(12)	0	0
(13) Value of interest in registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds)	1c(13)	875524	0
(14) Value of funds held in insurance company general account (unallocated contracts)	1c(14)		
(15) Other	1c(15)	211766	0

			(a) Beginning of Year	(b) End of Year
1d	Employer-related investments:			
	(1) Employer securities	1d(1)	0	0
	(2) Employer real property	1d(2)	0	0
e	Buildings and other property used in plan operation	1e	0	0
f	Total assets (add all amounts in lines 1a through 1e)	1f	209932633	284531183
	Liabilities			
g	Benefit claims payable	1g	0	0
h	Operating payables	1h	0	0
i	Acquisition indebtedness	1i	0	0
j	Other liabilities	1j	0	0
k	Total liabilities (add all amounts in lines 1g through1j)	1k	0	0
	Net Assets			
l	Net assets (subtract line 1k from line 1f)	1l	209932633	284531183

Part II Income and Expense Statement

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

	Income		(a) Amount	(b) Total
a	**Contributions:**			
	(1) Received or receivable in cash from: **(A)** Employers	2a(1)(A)	48105605	
	(B) Participants	2a(1)(B)	0	
	(C) Others (including rollovers)	2a(1)(C)	0	
	(2) Noncash contributions	2a(2)	0	
	(3) Total contributions. Add lines **2a(1)(A), (B), (C),** and line **2a(2)**	2a(3)		48105605
b	**Earnings on investments:**			
	(1) Interest:			
	(A) Interest-bearing cash (including money market accounts and certificates of deposit)	2b(1)(A)	0	
	(B) U.S. Government securities	2b(1)(B)	0	
	(C) Corporate debt instruments	2b(1)(C)	0	
	(D) Loans (other than to participants)	2b(1)(D)	0	
	(E) Participant loans	2b(1)(E)	0	
	(F) Other	2b(1)(F)	0	
	(G) Total interest. Add lines **2b(1)(A)** through **(F)**	2b(1)(G)		0
	(2) Dividends: **(A)** Preferred stock	2b(2)(A)	0	
	(B) Common stock	2b(2)(B)	0	
	(C) Registered investment company shares (e.g. mutual funds)	2b(2)(C)	0	
	(D) Total dividends. Add lines **2b(2)(A)**, **(B)**, and **(C)**	2b(2)(D)		0
	(3) Rents	2b(3)		0
	(4) Net gain (loss) on sale of assets: **(A)** Aggregate proceeds	2b(4)(A)	0	
	(B) Aggregate carrying amount (see instructions)	2b(4)(B)	0	
	(C) Subtract line **2b(4)(B)** from line **2b(4)(A)** and enter result	2b(4)(C)		0
	(5) Unrealized appreciation (depreciation) of assets: **(A)** Real estate	2b(5)(A)	0	
	(B) Other	2b(5)(B)	0	
	(C) Total unrealized appreciation of assets. Add lines **2b(5)(A)** and **(B)**	2b(5)(C)		0

		(a) Amount	(b) Total
(6) Net investment gain (loss) from common/collective trusts	2b(6)		0
(7) Net investment gain (loss) from pooled separate accounts	2b(7)		0
(8) Net investment gain (loss) from master trust investment accounts	2b(8)		37060583
(9) Net investment gain (loss) from 103-12 investment entities	2b(9)		0
(10) Net investment gain (loss) from registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds)	2b(10)		0
c Other income	2c		0
d Total income. Add all **income** amounts in column (b) and enter total	2d		85166188
Expenses			
e Benefit payment and payments to provide benefits:			
(1) Directly to participants or beneficiaries, including direct rollovers	2e(1)	10604956	
(2) To insurance carriers for the provision of benefits	2e(2)	0	
(3) Other	2e(3)	0	
(4) Total benefit payments. Add lines **2e(1)** through **(3)**	2e(4)		10604956
f Corrective distributions (see instructions)	2f		0
g Certain deemed distributions of participant loans (see instructions)	2g		0
h Interest expense	2h		0
i Administrative expenses: (1) Professional fees	2i(1)	0	
(2) Contract administrator fees	2i(2)	0	
(3) Investment advisory and management fees	2i(3)	17583	
(4) Other	2i(4)	-97	
(5) Total administrative expenses. Add lines **2i(1)** through **(4)**	2i(5)		17486
j Total expenses. Add all **expense** amounts in column (b) and enter total	2j		10622442
Net Income and Reconciliation			
k Net income (loss). Subtract line **2j** from line **2d**	2k		74543746
l Transfers of assets:			
(1) To this plan	2l(1)		54804
(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: PRICEWATERHOUSECOOPERS **(2)** EIN: 13-4008324

d The opinion of an independent qualified public accountant is **not attached** because:

(1) ☐ This form is filed for a CCT, PSA, or MTIA. **(2)** ☐ It will be attached to the next Form 5500 pursuant to 29 CFR 2520.104-50.

Part IV Compliance Questions

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

During the plan year:

		Yes	No	Amount
a Was there a failure to transmit to the plan any participant contributions within the time period described in 29 CFR 2510.3-102? Continue to answer "Yes" for any prior year failures until fully corrected. (See instructions and DOL's Voluntary Fiduciary Correction Program.)	4a		X	
b Were any loans by the plan or fixed income obligations due the plan in default as of the close of the plan year or classified during the year as uncollectible? Disregard participant loans secured by participant's account balance. (Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part I if "Yes" is checked.)	4b		X	

			Yes	No	Amount
c	Were any leases to which the plan was a party in default or classified during the year as uncollectible? (Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part II if "Yes" is checked.)	4c		X	
d	Were there any nonexempt transactions with any party-in-interest? (Do not include transactions reported on line 4a. Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part III if "Yes" is checked.)	4d		X	
e	Was this plan covered by a fidelity bond?	4e	X		15000000
f	Did the plan have a loss, whether or not reimbursed by the plan's fidelity bond, that was caused by fraud or dishonesty?	4f		X	
g	Did the plan hold any assets whose current value was neither readily determinable on an established market nor set by an independent third party appraiser?	4g		X	
h	Did the plan receive any noncash contributions whose value was neither readily determinable on an established market nor set by an independent third party appraiser?	4h		X	
i	Did the plan have assets held for investment? (Attach schedule(s) of assets if "Yes" is checked, and see instructions for format requirements.)	4i		X	
j	Were any plan transactions or series of transactions in excess of 5% of the current value of plan assets? (Attach schedule of transactions if "Yes" is checked, and see instructions for format requirements.)	4j		X	
k	Were all the plan assets either distributed to participants or beneficiaries, transferred to another plan, or brought under the control of the PBGC?	4k		X	
l	Has the plan failed to provide any benefit when due under the plan?	4l		X	
m	If this is an individual account plan, was there a blackout period? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-3.)	4m	X		
n	If 4m was answered "Yes," check the "Yes" box if you either provided the required notice or one of the exceptions to providing the notice applied under 29 CFR 2520.101-3.	4n	X		

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.)

SCHEDULE R (Form 5500)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Department of Labor
Employee Benefits Security Administration

Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation

Retirement Plan Information

This schedule is required to be filed under sections 104 and 4065 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) and section 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code).

▶ **File as an attachment to Form 5500.**

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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
ROBERT BOSCH DEFINED CONTRIBUTION RETIREMENT PLAN

B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 016

C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500
ROBERT BOSCH LLC

D Employer Identification Number (EIN)
36-2903176

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**

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): 04-6568107

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**

Part V Additional Information for Multiemployer Defined Benefit Pension Plans

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

a Name of contributing employer

b EIN **c** Dollar amount contributed by employer

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

e Contribution rate information *(If more than one rate applies, check this box* ☐ *and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete lines 13e(1) and 13e(2).)*
(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) _____
(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify):

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a Name of contributing employer

b EIN **c** Dollar amount contributed by employer

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

e Contribution rate information *(If more than one rate applies, check this box* ☐ *and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete lines 13e(1) and 13e(2).)*
(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) _____
(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify): _____

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a Name of contributing employer

b EIN **c** Dollar amount contributed by employer

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

e Contribution rate information *(If more than one rate applies, check this box* ☐ *and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete lines 13e(1) and 13e(2).)*
(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) _____
(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify): _____

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a Name of contributing employer

b EIN **c** Dollar amount contributed by employer

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

e Contribution rate information *(If more than one rate applies, check this box* ☐ *and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete lines 13e(1) and 13e(2).)*
(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) _____
(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify): _____

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a Name of contributing employer

b EIN **c** Dollar amount contributed by employer

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

e Contribution rate information *(If more than one rate applies, check this box* ☐ *and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete lines 13e(1) and 13e(2).)*
(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) _____
(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify): _____

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a Name of contributing employer

b EIN **c** Dollar amount contributed by employer

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

e Contribution rate information *(If more than one rate applies, check this box* ☐ *and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete lines 13e(1) and 13e(2).)*
(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) _____
(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify): _____

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a Name of contributing employer

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):

PLAN NAME: ROBERT BOSCH DEFINED CONTRIBUTION RETIREMENT PLAN
PLAN SPONSOR NAME: ROBERT BOSCH LLC
EIN: 36-2903176 PN: 016
ATTACHMENT TO FORM 5500
MULTIPLE-EMPLOYER PLAN INFORMATION
12/31/2017

EMPLOYER NAME	EIN	ESTIMATE OF CONTRIBUTION %
ASSOCIATED FUEL PUMP SYSTEMS CORPORATION	57-0901745	1.5%
FHP MANUFACTURING COMPANY	58-2483956	0.1%
ROBERT BOSCH LLC	36-2903176	98.4%

Robert Bosch Defined Contribution Retirement Plan

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Note: Supplemental schedules required by Section 2520.103-10 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 have not been included herein as they are not applicable.

Report of Independent Auditors

To the Administrator of the
Robert Bosch Defined Contribution Retirement Plan

Report on the Financial Statements

We were engaged to audit the accompanying financial statements of the Robert Bosch Defined Contribution Retirement Plan (the "Plan"), which comprise the statements of net assets available for benefits as of December 31, 2017 and 2016, and the related statement of changes in net assets available for benefits for the year ended December 31, 2017, and the related notes to the financial statements.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the 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 the financial statements based on conducting the audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Because of the matter described in the Basis for Disclaimer of Opinion paragraph, however, we were not able to obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence to provide a basis for an audit opinion.

Basis for Disclaimer of Opinion

As permitted by 29 CFR 2520.103-8 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, the plan administrator instructed us not to perform, and we did not perform, any auditing procedures with respect to the information summarized in Note 3, which was certified by Mercer Trust Company and Fidelity Management Trust Company, the trustees 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 Fidelity Management Trust Company held the Plan's investment assets and executed investment transactions as of December 31, 2017 and for the period from January 1, 2017 to December 31, 2017, and that Mercer Trust Company held the Plan's investment assets and executed investment transactions as of December 31, 2016. The plan administrator has obtained certifications from the trustees as of December 31, 2017 and 2016 and for the year ended December 31, 2017, that the information provided to the plan administrator by the trustees 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 the financial statements.

Report on Form and Content in Compliance with DOL Rules and Regulations

The form and content of the information included in the financial statements, other than that derived from the information certified by the trustees, have been audited by us in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and, in our opinion, are presented in compliance with the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974.

November 30, 2018

Robert Bosch Defined Contribution Retirement Plan
Statements of Net Assets Available for Benefits
December 31, 2017 and 2016

	2017	2016
Assets		
Investments in Robert Bosch Defined Contribution Retirement Plan Trust (see Note 4)	$ 284,247,026	$ -
Investments, at fair value	-	209,327,817
Total investments	284,247,026	209,327,817
Receivables		
Company contribution receivable	284,157	604,816
Total receivables	284,157	604,816
Net assets available for benefits	$ 284,531,183	$ 209,932,633

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

Robert Bosch Defined Contribution Retirement Plan
Statement of Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits
Year Ended December 31, 2017

Additions to net assets attributed to	
Investment income	
Net investment income from plan interest in Robert Bosch Defined Contribution Retirement Plan Trust	$ 37,115,386
Company Contributions	48,105,606
Total additions	85,220,992
Deductions from net assets attributed to	
Distributions to participants	10,604,956
Administrative Expenses	17,486
Total deductions	10,622,442
Net increase	74,598,550
Net assets available for benefits	
Beginning of year	209,932,633
End of year	$ 284,531,183

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

1. Description of the Plan

The following description of the Robert Bosch Defined Contribution Retirement Plan (the "Plan") provides only general information. Participants should refer to the Plan document for a more complete description of the Plan's provisions. Robert Bosch LLC (the "Company") is the Plan administrator.

General

The Plan, a defined contribution plan established July 1, 2011, is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 ("ERISA"). Each covered employee who was an active participant in the Bosch Pension Plan on the day immediately preceding the established date including a covered employee who terminated employment with all affiliates before, but received compensation after June 30, 2011, became an active participant of the Plan. All full-time employees of the Company and its participating subsidiaries and affiliates that have adopted the Plan hired on July 1, 2011 or later are eligible to participate in the Plan on their date of hire. Part-time employees are eligible to participate after one year of service with 1,000 hours of service, as defined in the Plan document. When subsidiaries and affiliates adopt the Plan, participating employees generally receive credit for prior service, subject to the terms defined by the Plan.

Effective January 1, 2017, Fidelity Workplace Services LLC and Fidelity Management Trust Company (the "Trustee") became the Plan's recordkeeper and trustee, respectively. Plan assets were transferred to the Trustee on January 3, 2017. Prior to this, Mercer Trust Company and Mercer HR Services, LLC were the trustee and recordkeeper of the Plan, respectively. In conjunction with the change in trustee, the Plan, along with several other plans sponsored by the Company and its affiliates, became part of the Robert Bosch Defined Contribution Retirement Plan Trust (the "Master Trust").

Effective January 3, 2017, Robert Bosch Automotive Steering LLC became a participating company of the Plan.

Contributions

The Plan provides for employer contributions to be made to each plan participant's account. Contributions, generally ranging from 2.5% to 6.5% of eligible compensation except as otherwise defined, are based on age at December 31 of the current plan year, as defined in the plan document, and are subject to maximum amounts established by the Internal Revenue Code (the "Code"). Employee contributions and rollovers are not allowed under the Plan.

Vesting

After 3 years of service with the Company, a participant will become 100% vested in Company contributions plus actual earnings thereon. Accounts of participants who are terminated in connection with the closure or sale of a participating location generally become fully vested on the closure date. Forfeited balances of terminated participants' nonvested accounts can be used to reduce Company contributions or to pay expenses of the Plan. Forfeited nonvested accounts totaled $126 and $33,223 at December 31, 2017 and 2016, respectively. Forfeitures of $38,295 for the year ended December 31, 2017 were used to reduce employer contributions.

Participant Accounts

Each participant's account is credited with the Company's contributions and Plan earnings. Allocations of Plan earnings are based on participant account balances in the respective investment options. The benefit to which a participant is entitled is equal to the vested balance that can be provided from the participant's account.

Investment Options
Participants may direct contributions in any of the investment options offered, which include mutual funds and collective trusts. Participants may also utilize a brokerage account, which permits the participant to invest in other securities. Changes in allocations of future contributions and transfers among funds of presently invested contributions are permitted pursuant to Plan provisions. The Plan's investments, other than the brokerage account, are held by the Trustee. The self-directed brokerage account is administered by Fidelity Brokerage Services LLC (administered by TD Ameritrade Inc. prior to January 3, 2017).

Distributions to Participants
In the event of retirement, termination of service, death, or disability, the participant may receive a lump sum or installment payments equal to the vested value of his or her account.

The amount may be transferred directly to an Individual Retirement Account or another qualified plan. If the participant does not elect a direct plan-to-plan transfer, the Internal Revenue Service ("IRS") requires the Plan to withhold applicable taxes from the final distribution.

The Plan does not allow for loans, hardship withdrawals or in-service withdrawals after attaining age 59 ½.

Plan Termination
Although it has not expressed any intent to do so, the Company has the right under the Plan to discontinue contributions at any time and to terminate the Plan subject to the provisions of ERISA. In the event the Plan is terminated, the accounts of all participants shall immediately be fully vested and distributed to the participants.

Administrative Expenses
The majority of administrative expenses, including investment management, audit and recordkeeping fees, are paid by the Company. Fees for financial advisory services and overnight mail are paid by the Plan.

2. Significant Accounting Policies

Basis of Accounting
The financial statements of the Plan have been prepared on the accrual basis of accounting and in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("GAAP").

Use of Estimates
The preparation of financial statements in conformity with GAAP requires the Plan administrator to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets, liabilities and changes therein, and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

New Accounting Pronouncement
In February 2017, the Financial Accounting Standards Board issued ASU 2017-06 *Employee Benefit Plan Master Trust Reporting* to improve the usefulness of information reported to users of employee benefit plan financial statements by clarifying presentation requirements for a plan's interest in a master trust and requiring more detailed disclosures of the plan's interest in the master trust. The new guidance requires that a plan's interest in a master trust and changes in that interest be reported in separate line items in the statement of net assets available for benefits and statement of changes in net assets available for benefits, respectively. The new guidance also removes the requirement to disclose the percentage interest for plans with a divided interest in a master trust, requires all plans to disclose the dollar amount of their interest in each general investment type of the master trust, and requires plans to disclose the master trust's other asset and liability balances and the dollar amount of the plan's interest in each of those balances. This guidance is effective for the plan year ending December 31, 2019, with retrospective application required. Early adoption is permitted. The Plan's management has early-adopted the new guidance for the 2017 financial statements. The adoption did not have a material impact on the financial statements.

Investment Valuation and Income Recognition
The Plan's investments (through the Master Trust in 2017) are stated at fair value. Mutual funds are valued at quoted market prices based on the net asset value of shares held by the Plan at year-end. The fair value of collective trusts is determined using the net asset value of units held by the Plan at year-end as a practical expedient, based on information reported by the investment advisor using the financial statements of the collective trusts. In addition to these investments, stocks within the Plan's self directed brokerage accounts are valued at the closing price at year-end reported on the active market on which the individual securities are traded.

Purchases and sales of securities are recorded on a trade-date basis. Interest income is recorded on the accrual basis. Dividends are recorded on the ex-dividend date. The net investment income from the Plan's interest in the Master Trust, which consists primarily of the realized gains or losses on the fair value of the Master Trust investments and the unrealized appreciation (depreciation) on those investments is included in the statement of changes in net assets available for benefits.

Distributions to Participants
Distributions to participants are recorded when paid.

3. Certification of Investment Information

In accordance with the provisions of 29 CFR 2520.103-5 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA, Fidelity Management Trust Company and Mercer Trust Company have certified as complete and accurate certain investment information included in the accompanying financial statements and Note 4, as of December 31, 2017 and 2016, and for the year ended December 31, 2017. The following list and table present a summary of the certified amounts.

- Note 4 – Investment balances in the Master Trust and the Plan's interest in those investment balances as of December 31, 2017; net appreciation in fair value of investments and other investment income of the Master Trust, and the Plan's interest therein, for the year ended December 31, 2017

- Financial statements – Certain investment information in the accompanying statements of net assets available for benefits as of December 31, 2017 and 2016 and statement of changes in net assets available for benefits for the year ended December 31, 2017, as shown below

	2017	2016
Investments, at fair value		$209,116,051
Investments in Robert Bosch Defined Contribution Retirement Plan Trust	$284,247,026	
Net investment income from plan interest in Robert Bosch Defined Contribution Retirement Plan Trust	37,115,386	

4. Investment in Master Trust

In addition to the Plan, the Master Trust includes the following retirement plans sponsored by the Company and its affiliates:

1) Bosch Savings Incentive Plan

2) Bosch Security Systems Retirement Savings Plan; and

3) Bosch Braking Systems Thrift Plan

Each participating plan has a divided interest in the Master Trust. Each plan's allocated share of the Master Trust's net assets and investment income is based upon the value of the investment fund options chosen by participants of that plan, and the individual contribution and benefit payment transactions directed by those participants along with related expenses. Investment income is allocated daily, based upon the proportion of a participant's balance in each fund option to the fund option as a whole for each participating plan.

The following table presents the fair value of the net assets and liabilities in the Master Trust, and the Plan's interest in those amounts, at December 31, 2017:

	December 31, 2017	
	Master Trust Balances	Plan's Interest in Master Trust Balances
Investments, at fair value		
Mutual funds	$ 424,421,449	$ 5,986,211
Self-directed brokerage account	86,286,993	1,016,370
Collective trusts	2,110,986,846	277,244,445
Total investments at fair value	2,621,695,288	284,247,026
Investments, at contract value		
Synthetic GICs	234,744,319	-
Total Investments	2,856,439,607	284,247,026
Net Assets	$ 2,856,439,607	$ 284,247,026

The Master Trust's investment income and net appreciation, and the Plan's interest in those amounts, for the year ended December 31, 2017 is presented in the following table:

	Year Ended December 31, 2017	
	Master Trust	Plan's Interest in Master Trust
Net appreciation in fair value of investments	$ 370,837,356	$ 36,774,486
Dividend and interest income	31,421,937	340,900
Total investment income and net appreciation	$ 402,259,293	$ 37,115,386

5. Fair Value Measurements

The FASB established a framework to increase consistency and comparability in fair value measurements. That framework provides a fair value hierarchy that prioritizes the inputs to valuation techniques used to measure fair value. The hierarchy gives the highest priority to unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (Level 1 measurements) and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (Level 3 measurements). The three levels of the fair value hierarchy are described as follows:

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

Level 2 Inputs to the valuation methodology include:

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

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

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

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

For a description of the valuation methodologies used for assets measured at fair value, see Investment Valuation and Income Recognition under Note 2. There have been no changes in the methodologies used at December 31, 2017 and 2016. In determining the reasonableness of the methodology, the Plan's Investment Committee evaluates a variety of factors including review of existing contracts, economic conditions, industry and market developments, and overall credit ratings.

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

For the year ended December 31, 2017, there were no significant transfers in or out of Levels 1, 2 or 3.

The following table sets forth by level, within the fair value hierarchy, the Master Trust's investments at fair value as of December 31, 2017:

	Investment Assets at Fair Value as of December 31, 2017			
	Level 1	**Level 2**	**Level 3**	**Total**
Mutual funds	$424,421,449	$ -	$ -	$ 424,421,449
Self directed brokerage account	86,286,993	-	-	86,286,993
Total assets in the fair value hierarchy	510,708,442	-	-	510,708,442
Collective trusts (a)				2,110,986,846
Total investments at fair value				$ 2,621,695,288

(a) In accordance with Subtopic 820-10, certain investments that are measured at fair value using the net asset value per share (or its equivalent) practical expedient have not been classified in the fair value hierarchy. The fair value amounts presented in this table are intended to permit reconciliation of the fair value hierarchy to the amounts presented in the Master Trust's net assets in Note 4.

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

	Investment Assets at Fair Value as of December 31, 2016			
	Level 1	**Level 2**	**Level 3**	**Total**
Mutual funds	$ 875,524	$ -	$ -	$ 875,524
Self directed brokerage account	211,766	-	-	211,766
Total assets in the fair value hierarchy	1,087,290	-	-	1,087,290
Collective trusts (a)				208,240,527
Total investments at fair value				$ 209,327,817

(a) In accordance with Subtopic 820-10, certain investments that are measured at fair value using the net asset value per share (or its equivalent) practical expedient have not been classified in the fair value hierarchy. The fair value amounts presented in this table are intended to permit reconciliation of the fair value hierarchy to the amounts presented in the statements of net assets available for benefits.

Common collective trusts consist of pools of investments used by institutional investors to obtain equity and fixed income market exposures by investing in funds which are intended to mirror market indices. They are valued on the basis of the relative interest of each participating investor in the fair value of the underlying assets of each of the respective common collective trusts. The funds are valued using the net asset value as provided by the investment account manager as a practical expedient. Certain of these investments require a notice period subsequent to exchange out of a fund before purchasing units of that same fund or a competing fund. Further, while fund redemptions are unlimited for participants, there may be restrictions on the total divestiture of a fund by the Plan.

The Master Trust's common collective trusts include:

December 31, 2017	Fair Value	Unfunded Commitments	Redemption Frequency	Redemption Notice Period
JP Morgan Stable Asset Income Fund	$ 19,680,621	n/a	Unlimited	None
JP Morgan Liquidity Fund	$ 8,732,337	n/a	Unlimited	None
JP Morgan SmartRetirement Income Fund	$ 91,485,492	n/a	Unlimited	30 day buyback
JP Morgan SmartRetirement 2020 Fund	$ 262,693,000	n/a	Unlimited	30 day buyback
JP Morgan SmartRetirement 2030 Fund	$ 316,173,062	n/a	Unlimited	30 day buyback
JP Morgan SmartRetirement 2040 Fund	$ 228,143,431	n/a	Unlimited	30 day buyback
JP Morgan SmartRetirement 2050 Fund	$ 70,029,149	n/a	Unlimited	30 day buyback
NT Collective Bond Index Fund Non Lending	$ 183,741,455	n/a	Unlimited	30 day buyback
NT Collective EAFE Index Fund Non Lending	$ 181,055,857	n/a	Unlimited	30 day buyback
NT Collective Russell 1000 Growth Fund	$ 281,782,999	n/a	Unlimited	30 day buyback
NT S&P 500 Index Fund Non Lending	$ 379,038,215	n/a	Unlimited	30 day buyback
NT Custom Emerging Markets Fund	$ 88,431,228	n/a	Unlimited	None

The Plan's common collective trusts include:

December 31, 2016	Fair Value	Unfunded Commitments	Redemption Frequency	Redemption Notice Period
JPMorgan Stable Asset Income Fund	$ 5,271,834	n/a	Unlimited	60 day buyback
JPMorgan SmartRetirement Income Fund	$ 4,459,819	n/a	Unlimited	30 day buy back
JPMorgan SmartRetirement 2015 Fund*	$ 15,300,828	n/a	Unlimited	30 day buy back
JPMorgan SmartRetirement 2020 Fund	$ 67,350,831	n/a	Unlimited	30 day buy back
JPMorgan SmartRetirement 2030 Fund	$ 65,276,104	n/a	Unlimited	30 day buy back
JPMorgan SmartRetirement 2040 Fund	$ 37,834,902	n/a	Unlimited	30 day buy back
JPMorgan SmartRetirement 2050 Fund	$ 7,977,034	n/a	Unlimited	30 day buy back
NT Collective Bond Index Fund Non Lending	$ 2,934,153	n/a	Unlimited	30 day buy back
NT Collective EAFE Index Fund Non Lending	$ 135,546	n/a	Unlimited	30 day buy back
NT Collective Russell 1000 Growth Fund	$ 543,536	n/a	Unlimited	30 day buy back
NT S&P 500 Index Fund Non Lending	$ 1,046,032	n/a	Unlimited	30 day buy back
NT Custom Emerging Markets Fund	$ 109,908	n/a	Unlimited	30 day buy back

* The JPMorgan SmartRetirement fund was closed to new investments and future transactions in October 2017. All funds in the 2015 fund were transferred to the JP Morgan SmartRetirement Income Fund.

6. Tax Status

The IRS has determined and informed the Company in a letter dated August 8, 2013 that the Plan is designed in accordance with applicable sections of the Code. Although the Plan has been amended since the date covered by the letter, the plan administrator and the Plan's ERISA counsel believe that the Plan is designed and is currently being operated in compliance with the applicable requirements of the Code and therefore believe that 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 asset or liability if the Plan has taken an uncertain position that more likely than not would not be sustained upon examination by the IRS. The plan administrator has analyzed the tax positions taken by the Plan, and has concluded that as of December 31, 2017 and 2016, there are no uncertain positions taken or expected to be taken that would require recognition of an asset or liability or disclosure in the financial statements. The Plan is subject to routine audits by taxing jurisdictions; however, there are currently no audits for any tax periods in progress. The plan administrator believes that the Plan is no longer subject to income tax examinations for plan years beginning prior to January 1, 2014.

7. Party-in-Interest Transactions

The Plan (through the Master Trust) invests in a money market mutual fund as of December 31, 2017 that is managed by the Trustee or its affiliates. Transactions in this fund qualify as exempt party-in-interest transactions.

8. Risks and Uncertainties

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

9. Subsequent Events

Effective January 1, 2018, employees covered by the Agreement between Chassis Systems Full Brakes, North America of Robert Bosch LLC and Union 183 became covered by the Plan.

Effective February 14, 2018, the Plan's investment in the JP Morgan Stable Asset Income Fund (a collective trust) was replaced with the Bosch Stable Value Fund investment option (which holds several synthetic guaranteed investment contracts, along with a collective trust and mutual fund for liquidity).

Effective January 1, 2019, the Plan will merge with and into the Bosch Savings Incentive Plan and the Bosch Braking Systems Thrift Plan. Management is evaluating the impact of this change on the affected plans.

The Plan has evaluated the events and transactions that have occurred through November 30, 2018, the date the financial statements were available to be issued, and concluded there were no other subsequent events to recognize or disclose.