Form 5500

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Department of Labor
Employee Benefits Security Administration

Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation

Annual Return/Report of Employee Benefit Plan

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

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

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Part I Annual Report Identification Information

For calendar plan year 2018 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2018 and ending 12/31/2018

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.)
- [X] 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:
- [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
BERNSTEIN LITOWITZ BERGER & GROSSMANN LLP EMPLOYEES 401(K) PLAN

1b Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 003

1c Effective date of plan 10/01/1987

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)
BERNSTEIN LITOWITZ BERGER & GROSSMANN LLP

1251 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS
44TH FLOOR
NEW YORK, NY 10020

2b Employer Identification Number (EIN)
13-3165559

2c Plan Sponsor's telephone number
212-554-1400

2d Business code (see instructions)
541110

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

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

SIGN HERE	Filed with authorized/valid electronic signature.	10/15/2019	ANDREW GERMANN
	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 ☐ Same as Plan Sponsor

BERNSTEIN LITOWITZ BERGER & GROSSMANN LLP

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NEW YORK, NY 10020

3b Administrator's EIN
13-3165559

3c Administrator's telephone number
212-554-1400

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**	235
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)**	193
a(2) Total number of active participants at the end of the plan year	**6a(2)**	152
b Retired or separated participants receiving benefits	**6b**	0
c Other retired or separated participants entitled to future benefits	**6c**	55
d Subtotal. Add lines **6a(2)**, **6b**, and **6c**	**6d**	207
e Deceased participants whose beneficiaries are receiving or are entitled to receive benefits.	**6e**	0
f Total. Add lines **6d** and **6e**.	**6f**	207
g Number of participants with account balances as of the end of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item)	**6g**	162
h Number of participants who terminated employment during the plan year with accrued benefits that were less than 100% vested	**6h**	0
7 Enter the total number of employers obligated to contribute to the plan (only multiemployer plans complete this item)	**7**	

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

2E 2F 2G 2J 3D

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

9a Plan funding arrangement (check all that apply)

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

9b Plan benefit arrangement (check all that apply)

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

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

a Pension Schedules

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

b General Schedules

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

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

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

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

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

11c Enter the Receipt Confirmation Code for the 2018 Form M-1 annual report. If the plan was not required to file the 2018 Form M-1 annual report, enter the Receipt Confirmation Code for the most recent Form M-1 that was required to be filed under the Form M-1 filing requirements. (Failure to enter a valid Receipt Confirmation Code will subject the Form 5500 filing to rejection as incomplete.)

Receipt Confirmation Code_____

SCHEDULE A (Form 5500)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Department of Labor
Employee Benefits Security Administration

Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation

Insurance Information

This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).

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

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

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A Name of plan
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B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 003

C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500
BERNSTEIN LITOWITZ BERGER & GROSSMANN LLP

D Employer Identification Number (EIN)
13-3165559

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

1 Coverage Information:

(a) Name of insurance carrier
JOHN HANCOCK NEW YORK

(b) EIN	(c) NAIC code	(d) Contract or identification number	(e) Approximate number of persons covered at end of policy or contract year	Policy or contract year	
				(f) From	(g) To
13-3646501	86375	801381	167	01/01/2018	12/31/2018

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

(a) Total amount of commissions paid	(b) Total amount of fees paid
0	15135

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

(a) Name and address of the agent, broker, or other person to whom commissions or fees were paid
ASSOCIATED PENSION CONSULTANTS, INC
111 EXPRESS STREET
PLAINVIEW, NY 11803

(b) Amount of sales and base commissions paid	Fees and other commissions paid		(e) Organization code
	(c) Amount	(d) Purpose	
	7875	TPA COMPENSATION (7844) OTHER ALLOWANCES (31)	5

(a) Name and address of the agent, broker, or other person to whom commissions or fees were paid
FIDUCIARY ADMINISTRATORS LLC
111 EXPRESS STREET
PLAINVIEW, NY 11791

(b) Amount of sales and base commissions paid	Fees and other commissions paid		(e) Organization code
	(c) Amount	(d) Purpose	
	7260	3(16) SERVICES	5

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

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

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

Part II Investment and Annuity Contract Information

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

4	Current value of plan's interest under this contract in the general account at year end	4	0
5	Current value of plan's interest under this contract in separate accounts at year end	5	14251434

6 Contracts With Allocated Funds:

a State the basis of premium rates ▶ AS PER RULES OF INSURANCE COMPANY

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

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

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

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

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

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

Part III Welfare Benefit Contract Information

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

8 Benefit and contract type (check all applicable boxes)

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

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

Part IV Provision of Information

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

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

SCHEDULE C (Form 5500)	Service Provider Information	OMB No. 1210-0110
Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation	This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA). ▶ **File as an attachment to Form 5500.**	**2018** **This Form is Open to Public Inspection.**

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BERNSTEIN LITOWITZ BERGER & GROSSMANN LLP

D Employer Identification Number (EIN)
13-3165559

Part I Service Provider Information (see instructions)

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

1 Information on Persons Receiving Only Eligible Indirect Compensation

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

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

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

JOHN HANCOCK NEW YORK
PO BOX 600
BUFFALO, NY 14201

13-3646501

(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)

(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)

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			Yes ☐ No ☐	Yes ☐ No ☐		Yes ☐ No ☐

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

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

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

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

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

(complete as many entries as needed)

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

Explanation:

a Name:	**b** EIN:
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d Address:	**e** Telephone:

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Explanation:

SCHEDULE D (Form 5500)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Department of Labor
Employee Benefits Security Administration

DFE/Participating Plan Information

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

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:	AMERICAN CENTURY 2060		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):	JOHN HANCOCK NEW YORK		
c EIN-PN 13-3646501-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)	34152
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:	AMERICAN CENTURY 2055		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):	JOHN HANCOCK NEW YORK		
c EIN-PN 13-3646501-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)	309300
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:	AMERICAN CENTURY 2050		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):	JOHN HANCOCK NEW YORK		
c EIN-PN 13-3646501-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)	597395
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:	AMERICAN CENTURY 2045		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):	JOHN HANCOCK NEW YORK		
c EIN-PN 13-3646501-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)	2222004
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:	AMERICAN CENTURY 2040		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):	JOHN HANCOCK NEW YORK		
c EIN-PN 13-3646501-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)	1802595
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:	AMERICAN CENTURY 2035		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):	JOHN HANCOCK NEW YORK		
c EIN-PN 13-3646501-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)	1666643
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:	AMERICAN CENTURY 2030		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):	JOHN HANCOCK NEW YORK		
c EIN-PN 13-3646501-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)	1530172

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: AMERICAN CENTURY 2025

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK NEW YORK

c EIN-PN 13-3646501-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 677758

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: AMERICAN CENTURY 2020

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK NEW YORK

c EIN-PN 13-3646501-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 1918923

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: AMERICAN CENTURY IN RETIREMENT

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK NEW YORK

c EIN-PN 13-3646501-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 419375

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: JH MULTI-INDEX LS AGGRESSIVE

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK NEW YORK

c EIN-PN 13-3646501-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 62885

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: JH MULTI-INDEX LS GROWTH

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK NEW YORK

c EIN-PN 13-3646501-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 59920

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: JH MULTI-INDEX LS BALANCED

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK NEW YORK

c EIN-PN 13-3646501-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 1126

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: DFA INTL SMALL CAP VALUE

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK NEW YORK

c EIN-PN 13-3646501-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 50622

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: DFA U.S. SMALL CAP FUND

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK NEW YORK

c EIN-PN 13-3646501-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 48850

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: INTL EQUITY INDEX FUND

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK NEW YORK

c EIN-PN 13-3646501-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 118268

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: ISHARES MSCI EAFE GROWTH ETF

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK NEW YORK

c EIN-PN 13-3646501-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 14539

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: ISHARES MSCI EAFE VALUE ETF

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK NEW YORK

c EIN-PN 13-3646501-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 8585

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: MID CAP INDEX FUND

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK NEW YORK

c EIN-PN 13-3646501-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 106595

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: SMALL CAP INDEX FUND

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK NEW YORK

c EIN-PN 13-3646501-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 105275

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: VANGUARD MID-CAP GROWTH ETF

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK NEW YORK

c EIN-PN 13-3646501-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 100515

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: VANGUARD MID-CAP VALUE ETF

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK NEW YORK

c EIN-PN 13-3646501-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 67397

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: VANGUARD SMALL CAP GROW INDEX

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK NEW YORK

c EIN-PN 13-3646501-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 80934

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: VANGUARD SMALL CAP VALUE INDEX

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK NEW YORK

c EIN-PN 13-3646501-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 69807

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: 500 INDEX FUND

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK NEW YORK

c EIN-PN 13-3646501-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 612191

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: TOTAL STOCK MARKET INDEX FUND

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK NEW YORK

c EIN-PN 13-3646501-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 7944

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: VANGUARD GROWTH INDEX FUND

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK NEW YORK

c EIN-PN 13-3646501-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 279917

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: VANGUARD TOT WLD STK INDEX ETF

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK NEW YORK

c EIN-PN 13-3646501-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 4082

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: VANGUARD VALUE INDEX FUND

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK NEW YORK

c EIN-PN 13-3646501-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 147457

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: DFA INFLATION-PROTECTED SEC

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK NEW YORK

c EIN-PN 13-3646501-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 110997

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: FIDELITY ADVISOR TOTAL BOND

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK NEW YORK

c EIN-PN 13-3646501-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 31498

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: TOTAL BOND MARKET FUND

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK NEW YORK

c EIN-PN 13-3646501-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 52466

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

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK NEW YORK

c EIN-PN 13-3646501-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 904384

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: VANGUARD SHORT-TERM FEDERAL

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): JOHN HANCOCK NEW YORK

c EIN-PN 13-3646501-000	**d** Entity code P	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 26863

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)

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)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Department of Labor
Employee Benefits Security Administration

Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation

Financial Information

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

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

OMB No. 1210-0110

2018

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For calendar plan year 2018 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2018 and ending 12/31/2018

A Name of plan
BERNSTEIN LITOWITZ BERGER & GROSSMANN LLP EMPLOYEES 401(K) PLAN

B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 003

C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500
BERNSTEIN LITOWITZ BERGER & GROSSMANN LLP

D Employer Identification Number (EIN)
13-3165559

Part I Asset and Liability Statement

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

Assets		(a) Beginning of Year	(b) End of Year
a Total noninterest-bearing cash	1a	0	0
b Receivables (less allowance for doubtful accounts):			
(1) Employer contributions	1b(1)	0	0
(2) Participant contributions	1b(2)	0	3463
(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)	209877	333926
(9) Value of interest in common/collective trusts	1c(9)	0	0
(10) Value of interest in pooled separate accounts	1c(10)	15196759	14251434
(11) Value of interest in master trust investment accounts	1c(11)	0	0
(12) Value of interest in 103-12 investment entities	1c(12)	0	0
(13) Value of interest in registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds)	1c(13)	0	0
(14) Value of funds held in insurance company general account (unallocated contracts)	1c(14)	0	0
(15) Other	1c(15)	0	0

			(a) Beginning of Year	(b) End of Year
1d	Employer-related investments:			
	(1) Employer securities	1d(1)	0	0
	(2) Employer real property	1d(2)	0	0
e	Buildings and other property used in plan operation	1e	0	0
f	Total assets (add all amounts in lines 1a through 1e)	1f	15406636	14588823
	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	15406636	14588823

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)	221	
	(B) Participants	2a(1)(B)	1246800	
	(C) Others (including rollovers)	2a(1)(C)	29291	
	(2) Noncash contributions	2a(2)	0	
	(3) Total contributions. Add lines **2a(1)(A), (B), (C),** and line **2a(2)**	2a(3)		1276312
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)	14148	
	(F) Other	2b(1)(F)	0	
	(G) Total interest. Add lines **2b(1)(A)** through **(F)**	2b(1)(G)		14148
	(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)		-803400
(8) Net investment gain (loss) from master trust investment accounts	2b(8)		0
(9) Net investment gain (loss) from 103-12 investment entities	2b(9)		
(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		487060
Expenses			
e Benefit payment and payments to provide benefits:			
(1) Directly to participants or beneficiaries, including direct rollovers	2e(1)	1176640	
(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)		1176640
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)	47238	
(3) Investment advisory and management fees	2i(3)	79640	
(4) Other	2i(4)	1355	
(5) Total administrative expenses. Add lines **2i(1)** through **(4)**	2i(5)		128233
j Total expenses. Add all **expense** amounts in column (b) and enter total	2j		1304873
Net Income and Reconciliation			
k Net income (loss). Subtract line **2j** from line **2d**	2k		-817813
l Transfers of assets:			
(1) To this plan	2l(1)		
(2) From this plan	2l(2)		

Part III Accountant's Opinion

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

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

(1) [ ] Unqualified **(2)** [ ] Qualified **(3)** [X] Disclaimer **(4)** [ ] Adverse

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

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

(1) Name: ANCHIN BLOCK AND ANCHIN LLP **(2)** EIN: 13-0436940

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

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

Part IV Compliance Questions

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

During the plan year:

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

			Yes	No	Amount
c	Were any leases to which the plan was a party in default or classified during the year as uncollectible? (Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part II if "Yes" is checked.)	4c		X	
d	Were there any nonexempt transactions with any party-in-interest? (Do not include transactions reported on line 4a. Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part III if "Yes" is checked.)	4d		X	
e	Was this plan covered by a fidelity bond?	4e	X		500000
f	Did the plan have a loss, whether or not reimbursed by the plan's fidelity bond, that was caused by fraud or dishonesty?	4f		X	
g	Did the plan hold any assets whose current value was neither readily determinable on an established market nor set by an independent third party appraiser?	4g		X	
h	Did the plan receive any noncash contributions whose value was neither readily determinable on an established market nor set by an independent third party appraiser?	4h		X	
i	Did the plan have assets held for investment? (Attach schedule(s) of assets if "Yes" is checked, and see instructions for format requirements.)	4i	X		
j	Were any plan transactions or series of transactions in excess of 5% of the current value of plan assets? (Attach schedule of transactions if "Yes" is checked, and see instructions for format requirements.)	4j		X	
k	Were all the plan assets either distributed to participants or beneficiaries, transferred to another plan, or brought under the control of the PBGC?	4k		X	
l	Has the plan failed to provide any benefit when due under the plan?	4l		X	
m	If this is an individual account plan, was there a blackout period? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-3.)	4m		X	
n	If 4m was answered "Yes," check the "Yes" box if you either provided the required notice or one of the exceptions to providing the notice applied under 29 CFR 2520.101-3.	4n		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).

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2018

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For calendar plan year 2018 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2018 and ending 12/31/2018

A Name of plan
BERNSTEIN LITOWITZ BERGER & GROSSMANN LLP EMPLOYEES 401(K) PLAN

B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 003

C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500
BERNSTEIN LITOWITZ BERGER & GROSSMANN LLP

D Employer Identification Number (EIN)
13-3165559

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): 13-3646501 _____

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): _____

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

a Enter the percentage of plan assets held as:
Stock: 0.0% Investment-Grade Debt: _____% High-Yield Debt: _____% Real Estate: _____% Other: _____%

b Provide the average duration of the combined investment-grade and high-yield debt:
☐ 0-3 years ☐ 3-6 years ☐ 6-9 years ☐ 9-12 years ☐ 12-15 years ☐ 15-18 years ☐ 18-21 years ☐ 21 years or more

c What duration measure was used to calculate line 19(b)?
☐ Effective duration ☐ Macaulay duration ☐ Modified duration ☐ Other (specify):

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BERNSTEIN LITOWITZ BERGER & GROSSMANN LLP EMPLOYEES 401(k) PLAN

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

DECEMBER 31, 2018

BERNSTEIN LITOWITZ BERGER & GROSSMANN
EMPLOYEES 401(k) PLAN

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Trustees of
the Bernstein Litowitz Berger & Grossmann LLP Employees 401(k) Plan:

Report on the Financial Statements

We were engaged to audit the accompanying financial statements of Bernstein Litowitz Berger & Grossman LLP Employees 401(k) Plan, which comprise the statement of net assets available for benefits as of December 31, 2018, and the related statement of changes in net assets available for benefits for the year then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

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

Auditor's Responsibility

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

Basis for Disclaimer of Opinion

As permitted by 29 CFR 2520.103-8 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, the plan administrator instructed us not to perform, and we did not perform, any auditing procedures with respect to the information summarized in Note 3, which was certified by John Hancock Life Insurance Company of New York, the custodian of the Plan, except for comparing the information with the related information included in the 2018 financial statements. We have been informed by the plan administrator that the custodian holds the Plan's investment assets and executes investment transactions. The plan administrator has obtained a certification from the custodian as of and for the year ended December 31, 2018, that the information provided to the plan administrator by the custodian is complete and accurate.

Disclaimer of Opinion

Because of the significance of the matter described in the Basis for Disclaimer of Opinion paragraph, we have not been able to obtain sufficient, appropriate audit evidence to provide a basis for an audit opinion on the 2018 financial statements. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the 2018 financial statements.

Other Matter - Supplemental Schedule

The supplemental Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year) as of December 31, 2018 is required by the Department of Labor's (DOL) Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 and is presented for the purpose of additional analysis and is not a required part of the financial statements. Because of the significance of the matter described in the Basis for Disclaimer of Opinion paragraph, we do not express an opinion on this supplemental schedule.

Other Matter - 2017 Financial Statements

The financial statements of the Plan as of December 31, 2017, were audited by predecessor auditors. As permitted by 29 CFR 2520.103-8 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), the plan administrator instructed the predecessor auditor not to perform, and they did not perform, any auditing procedures with respect to the information certified by the custodian. Their report, dated September 27, 2018, indicated that (a) because of the significance of the information that they did not audit, they were unable to obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence to provide a basis for an audit opinion and accordingly, they did not express an opinion on the financial statements and (b) the form and content of the information included in the financial statements other than that derived from the information certified by the custodian, were presented in compliance with the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.

Report on Form and Content in Compliance With DOL Rules and Regulations 2018

The form and content of the information included in the 2018 financial statements and supplemental schedule, other than that derived from the information certified by the custodian, 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.

Anchin, Block + Anchin LLP

New York, New York
October 15, 2019

BERNSTEIN LITOWITZ BERGER & GROSSMANN LLP
EMPLOYEES 401(k) PLAN

STATEMENTS OF NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS

A S S E T S

	December 31,	
	2018	2017
Assets:		
Investments, at fair value	**$ 14,251,434**	$ 15,196,759
Participant contributions receivable	**3,463**	-
Notes receivable from participants	**333,926**	209,877
Total Assets	**14,588,823**	15,406,636
Liabilities:		
Excess contributions payable	**13,896**	-
Net Assets Available for Benefits	**$ 14,574,927**	$ 15,406,636

See the accompanying Notes to the Financial Statements.

BERNSTEIN LITOWITZ BERGER & GROSSMANN LLP
EMPLOYEES 401(k) PLAN

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2018

Additions to Net Assets Attributed to:		
Investment Loss:		
Net depreciation in fair value of investments		**$ (803,400)**
Interest income on notes receivable from participants		**14,148**
Contributions:		
Participant contributions	$ 1,232,904	
Participant rollovers	29,291	
Corrective contributions	221	
Total Contributions		**1,262,416**
Total Additions		**473,164**
Deductions from Net Assets Attributed to:		
Benefits paid to participants	1,176,640	
Administrative expenses	128,233	
Total Deductions		**1,304,873**
Net Decrease in Net Assets for the Year		**(831,709)**
Net Assets Available for Benefits:		
Beginning of year		**15,406,636**
End of year		**$ 14,574,927**

See accompanying Notes to the Financial Statements.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 1 - PLAN DESCRIPTION

The following description of the Bernstein Litowitz Berger & Grossmann LLP Employees 401(k) 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

The Plan is a defined contribution plan covering eligible employees of Bernstein Litowitz Berger & Grossmann LLP (the "Firm") who have one year of service and are age 21 or older. All employees are eligible to participate in the Plan except for employees covered by a collective bargaining agreement, leased employees, non-resident aliens who receive no earned income, key employees and employees deemed short term hired for specific cases. The Plan is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 ("ERISA"). The Trustees are responsible for the oversight of the Plan.

Contributions

Employees become eligible to participate in the Plan on the first day of each plan quarter coincident with or next following completion of one year of eligibility service and attainment of age 21, if later. Each year, participants may make pretax and Roth elective contributions up to 15% of compensation, as defined in the Plan. Participants who have attained age 50 before the end of the plan year are eligible to make catch-up contributions. Participants may also contribute amounts representing pre-tax distributions from other qualified defined benefit or defined contributions plans (rollover). Participant contributions are subject to certain limitations.

Participants direct the investments of contributions credited to his or her accounts into various investment options offered by the Plan.

Participant Accounts

Each participant's account is credited with the participant's contributions and plan earnings. Participant accounts are charged with an allocation of administrative expenses that are paid by the Plan. Allocations are based on participant earnings, account balances, or specific participant transactions, as defined. The benefit to which a participant is entitled is the benefit that can be provided from the participant's vested account.

NOTE 1 - PLAN DESCRIPTION (CONTINUED)

Vesting

Participants are vested immediately in their contributions plus actual earnings thereon.

Notes Receivable from Participants

Participants may borrow from their accounts a minimum of $1,000 up to a maximum equal to the lesser of $50,000 or 50% of the vested portion of their account balance. Loan terms may not exceed five years unless the loan is for the purpose of acquiring a principal residence in which case the term of the loan may not exceed 20 years. The loans are secured by the vested balance in the participant's account and bear interest at a reasonable rate of interest as determined at the time of the loan application by the Firm. Loans outstanding during the year had interest rates which ranged from 4.75% to 6.75%. Principal and interest are paid ratably through weekly payroll deductions and credited to the borrower's account balance.

Administrative Expenses

Substantially all of the Plan's expenses are paid by the Plan.

Payments of Benefits

Normal retirement age is 62. When a participant terminates employment or ceases to be an employee due to disability they are entitled to receive his or her distribution under the Plan in a lump sum as soon as administratively feasible. Upon death of the participant the distribution will be made in a lump sum no later than December 31 of the calendar year containing the fifth anniversary of the death unless elected differently by the beneficiary. Upon termination, if the participant's vested account is less than $1,000 the distribution shall be made in the form of a lump sum payment. Under certain circumstances (hardship), and with approval of the Firm, a participant can elect at any time to receive a portion of his or her vested account balance subject to the provisions of the Plan. In-service withdrawals are permitted once a participant has attained age 59 ½.

NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of Accounting

The accompanying financial statements have been prepared under 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.

Investment Valuation and Income Recognition

The Plan's investments are stated at fair value as described in Note 4.

Purchases and sales of securities are recorded on a trade date basis. Interest income is recorded on an accrual basis. Dividends are recorded on the ex-dividend date. Net appreciation (depreciation) 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, 2018 or 2017. Delinquent notes receivable from participants are recorded as distributions based upon the terms of the plan document.

Payment of Benefits

Benefits are recorded when paid.

NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Expenses

Substantial expenses of maintaining the Plan are paid by the Plan, unless otherwise paid by the Firm. Expenses that are paid by the Firm are excluded from these financial statements. Fees related to the administration of notes receivable from participants are charged directly to the participants account and are included in administrative expenses. Investment related expenses are included in net depreciation of fair value of investments.

Excess Contributions Payable

Amounts payable to participants totaling $13,896 for contributions in excess of amounts allowed by the Internal Revenue Service ("IRS") are recorded as excess contributions payable, with a corresponding reduction to 2018 contributions. The Plan distributed the 2018 excess contributions to the applicable participants prior to March 15, 2019.

NOTE 3 - UNAUDITED INFORMATION

John Hancock Life Insurance Company of New York, custodian of the Plan, holds the notes receivable from participants and the Plan's investment assets and executes transactions thereon. Financial information relating to those assets is included in the accompanying financial statements and supplemental schedule based on information provided by the custodian which was certified as complete and accurate. That information, which is unaudited, consists of substantially all of the Plan's assets as of December 31, 2018 and 2017, and net investment loss for the year ended December 31, 2018.

NOTE 4 - FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS (UNAUDITED)

Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) *Accounting Standards Codification* (ASC) 820, *Fair Value Measurements and Disclosures*, provides the framework for measuring fair value. That framework provides a fair value hierarchy that prioritizes the inputs to valuation techniques used to measure fair value. The hierarchy gives the highest priority to unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (Level 1 measurements) and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (Level 3 measurements).

The three levels of the fair value hierarchy under FASB ASC 820 are described as follows:

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

Level 2 Inputs to the valuation methodology include:

- quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities in active markets;
- quoted prices for identical or similar assets or liabilities in inactive markets;
- inputs other than quoted prices that are observable for the asset or liability;
- 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.

NOTE 4 - FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS (UNAUDITED) (CONTINUED)

The asset or liability's fair value measurement level within the fair value hierarchy is based on the lowest level of any input that is significant to the fair value measurement. Valuation techniques used need to maximize the use of observable inputs and minimize the use of unobservable inputs. In evaluating the level at which the Plan's investments have been classified, the Plan has assessed factors including, but not limited to price transparency, the ability to redeem at net asset value at the year-end and the existence or absence of certain restrictions at year-end.

Following is a description of the valuation methodology used for assets measured at fair value. There have been no changes in the methodology used at December 31, 2018 and 2017.

Pooled separate accounts: The pooled separate accounts invest in mutual funds, and are valued using a market approach based on the quoted fair value of the underlying investments held and are considered level 2 measurements.

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

The following table sets forth by level, within the fair value hierarchy, the Plan's investments at fair value as of December 31, 2018 and 2017:

2018	**Total**	**Level 1**	**Level 2**	**Level 3**
Pooled separate accounts	**$ 14,251,434**	**$ -**	**$ 14,251,434**	**$ -**

2017	Total	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3
Pooled separate accounts	$ 15,196,759	$ -	$ 15,196,759	$ -

NOTE 5 - PARTY-IN-INTEREST TRANSACTIONS

The Plan investments are units of pooled separate accounts managed by John Hancock Life Insurance Company of New York ("John Hancock"). John Hancock is the custodian as defined by the Plan and, therefore, these transactions qualify as party-in-interest transactions. Fees paid by the Plan for the investment management services are included in net depreciation in fair value of investments.

The Firm has an agreement with Fiduciary Administrators, LLC under which it has assigned it as the Designated Plan Administrator. Under this agreement, ERISA 3(16) fiduciary services have been delegated. Fiduciary Administrators, LLC is the plan administrator for the Plan and therefore, they are a related party and these transactions qualify as party-in-interest transactions and amount to $7,260 for the year ended December 31, 2018.

During 2018, Associated Pension Consultants, Inc. ("Associated Pension") (an affiliate of Fiduciary Administrators, LLC) provided certain third party administration services to the Plan. Associated Pension is the recordkeeper for the Plan and is related to the plan administrator, therefore, these transactions qualify as party-in-interest transactions and amount to $9,229 for the year ended December 31, 2018.

During 2018 Commonwealth Financial Network ("Commonwealth") provided certain consulting services to the Plan. Commonwealth is the investment advisor for the Plan, therefore, these transactions qualify as party-in-interest transactions.

NOTE 6 - PLAN TERMINATION

Although it has not expressed an intent to do so, the Firm has the right to terminate the Plan subject to the provisions of ERISA and terms of the Plan. In the event of termination or partial termination of the Plan, participants' accounts shall be fully vested as of the date of such termination. The Firm determines the date and manner in which participants' accounts will be distributed in accordance with ERISA.

NOTE 7 - TAX STATUS

The IRS has determined and informed the plan administrator by a letter dated March 31, 2014, that the form of the volume submitter plan is acceptable under the applicable sections of the Internal Revenue Code ("IRC"). The Plan has been amended since receiving the advisory letter. However, the plan administrator believes that the volume submitter plan is designed, and is currently being operated, in compliance with the applicable requirements of the IRC and, therefore, believes 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 liability (or asset) if the Plan has taken an uncertain position that more likely than not would not be sustained upon examination by the IRS. The plan administrator has analyzed the tax positions taken by the Plan, and has concluded that as of December 31, 2018, there are no uncertain positions taken or expected to be taken that would require adjustment to 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.

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 statement of net assets available for benefits.

NOTE 9 - RECONCILIATION OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS TO FORM 5500

The following is a reconciliation of net assets available for benefits per the financial statements to amounts reportable on Form 5500:

	December 31,	
	2018	2017
Net assets available for benefits per the financial statements	**$ 14,574,927**	$ 15,406,636
Add: excess contributions payable	**13,896**	-
Net assets available for benefits per Form 5500	**$ 14,588,823**	$ 15,406,636

The following is a reconciliation of the net decrease in net assets available for benefits per the financial statements to the Form 5500:

Net decrease in net assets available for benefits per the financial statements	$ (831,709)
Add: excess contribution	13,986
Net decrease in net assets available for benefits per Form 5500	$ (817,813)

NOTE 10 - SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

Effective March 1, 2019 the Bernstein Litowitz Berger and Grossmann LLP Executive 401(k) Plan merged into the Plan. Total assets transferred into the Plan amounted to $3,800,431.

The plan document was amended and restated effective March 1, 2019 to allow for the merger, amended the name of the Plan to the Bernstein Litowitz Berger & Grossman 401(k) Plan, changed the eligibility requirement of one year of eligibility service to completion of six months of service and the participant elective contributions previously capped at 15% of compensation was changed to a cap of 100% of compensation.

Effective March 1, 2019, the Plan changed custodians and total assets of $18,702,222 were transferred from John Hancock to Great-West Trust Company, LLC.

Subsequent events have been evaluated through October 15, 2019, which is the date the financial statements were available to be issued.

BERNSTEIN LITOWITZ BERGER & GROSSMANN LLP
EMPLOYEES 401(k) PLAN
EIN 13-3165559, PLAN NO. 003
FORM 5500
SCHEDULE H, LINE 4(i)
SCHEDULE OF ASSETS (HELD AT END OF YEAR)
DECEMBER 31, 2018

	Identity of Issue, Borrower, Lessor or Similar Party	Description of Investment Including Maturity Date, Rate of Interest, Par or Maturity Value	Current Value
*	John Hancock	500 Index Fund	$ 612,191
*	John Hancock	American Century 2020	1,918,923
*	John Hancock	American Century 2025	677,758
*	John Hancock	American Century 2030	1,530,172
*	John Hancock	American Century 2035	1,666,643
*	John Hancock	American Century 2040	1,802,595
*	John Hancock	American Century 2045	2,222,004
*	John Hancock	American Century 2050	597,395
*	John Hancock	American Century 2055	309,300
*	John Hancock	American Century 2060	34,152
*	John Hancock	American Century In Retirement	419,375
*	John Hancock	DFA Inflation-Protected Sec	110,997
*	John Hancock	DFA Intl Small Cap Value	50,622
*	John Hancock	DFA U.S. Small Cap Fund	48,850
*	John Hancock	Fidelity Advisor Total Bond	31,498
*	John Hancock	Intl Equity Index Fund	118,268
*	John Hancock	iShares MSCI EAFE Growth ETF	14,539
*	John Hancock	iShares MSCI EAFE Value ETF	8,585
*	John Hancock	JH Multi-Index LS Aggressive	62,885
*	John Hancock	JH Multi-Index LS Balanced	1,126
*	John Hancock	JH Multi-Index LS Growth	59,920
*	John Hancock	Mid Cap Index Fund	106,595
*	John Hancock	Money Market Fund	904,384
*	John Hancock	Small Cap Index Fund	105,275
*	John Hancock	Total Bond Market Fund	52,466
*	John Hancock	Total Stock Market Index Fund	7,944
*	John Hancock	Vanguard Growth Index Fund	279,917
*	John Hancock	Vanguard Mid-Cap Growth ETF	100,515
*	John Hancock	Vanguard Mid-Cap Value ETF	67,397
*	John Hancock	Vanguard Short-Term Federal	26,863
*	John Hancock	Vanguard Small Cap Grow Index	80,934
*	John Hancock	Vanguard Small Cap Value Index	69,807
*	John Hancock	Vanguard Tot Wld Stk Index ETF	4,082
*	John Hancock	Vanguard Value Index Fund	147,457
		Total Pooled Separate Accounts, at fair value	$ 14,251,434
*	Notes receivable from participants (at 4.75% - 6.75%, maturing 2019-2025)		$ 333,926

* Indicates Party-In-Interest to the Plan

See Independent Auditors' Report.

Schedule H, Line 4i
Schedule of Assets (Held At End of Year)

Name of Plan:

► Bernstein Litowitz Berger & Grossmann LLP Employees 401(k) Plan

Employer Identification Number:► 13-3165559

For plan year (beginning/ending):► 01/01/2018 / 12/31/2018 Plan number:► 003

(a)	(b) Identity of issue, borrower, lessor, or similar party	(c) Description of investment including maturity date, rate of interest, collateral, par or maturity value	(d) Cost	(e) Current value
	John Hancock New York	American Century 2060		34152
	John Hancock New York	American Century 2055		309300
	John Hancock New York	American Century 2050		597395
	John Hancock New York	American Century 2045		2222004
	John Hancock New York	American Century 2040		1802595
	John Hancock New York	American Century 2035		1666643
	John Hancock New York	American Century 2030		1530172
	John Hancock New York	American Century 2025		677758
	John Hancock New York	American Century 2020		1918923
	John Hancock New York	American Century In Retirement		419375
	John Hancock New York	JH Multi-Index LS Aggressive		62885
	John Hancock New York	JH Multi-Index LS Growth		59920
	John Hancock New York	JH Multi-Index LS Balanced		1126
	John Hancock New York	DFA Intl Small Cap Value		50622
	John Hancock New York	DFA U.S. Small Cap Fund		48850
	John Hancock New York	Intl Equity Index Fund		118268
	John Hancock New York	iShares MSCI EAFE Growth ETF		14539
	John Hancock New York	iShares MSCI EAFE Value ETF		8585
	John Hancock New York	Mid Cap Index Fund		106595
	John Hancock New York	Small Cap Index Fund		105275
	John Hancock New York	Vanguard Mid-Cap Growth ETF		100515
	John Hancock New York	Vanguard Mid-Cap Value ETF		67397
	John Hancock New York	Vanguard Small Cap Grow Index		80934
	John Hancock New York	Vanguard Small Cap Value Index		69807
	John Hancock New York	500 Index Fund		612191
	John Hancock New York	Total Stock Market Index Fund		7944
	John Hancock New York	Vanguard Growth Index Fund		279917
	John Hancock New York	Vanguard Tot Wld Stk Index ETF		4082
	John Hancock New York	Vanguard Value Index Fund		147457
	John Hancock New York	DFA Inflation-Protected Sec		110997
	John Hancock New York	Fidelity Advisor Total Bond		31498
	John Hancock New York	Total Bond Market Fund		52466
	John Hancock New York	Money Market Fund		904384
	John Hancock New York	Vanguard Short-Term Federal		26863
	Participant Loans	4.75% - 6.50%		333926