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

2019

This Form is Open to Public Inspection

Part I Annual Report Identification Information

For calendar plan year 2019 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2019 and ending 12/31/2019

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
MESIROW FINANCIAL SAVINGS PLAN

1b Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 003

1c Effective date of plan 04/01/1979

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)
MESIROW FINANCIAL SAVINGS PLAN

353 NORTH CLARK STREET, 6TH FLOOR
CHICAGO, IL 60654-4704

2b Employer Identification Number (EIN)
36-3429602

2c Plan Sponsor's telephone number
312-595-6943

2d Business code (see instructions)
523900

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.	10/15/2020	EMILY GRIFFIN
	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**	932
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)**	499
a(2) Total number of active participants at the end of the plan year	**6a(2)**	499
b Retired or separated participants receiving benefits	**6b**	17
c Other retired or separated participants entitled to future benefits	**6c**	396
d Subtotal. Add lines **6a(2)**, **6b**, and **6c**	**6d**	912
e Deceased participants whose beneficiaries are receiving or are entitled to receive benefits.	**6e**	7
f Total. Add lines **6d** and **6e**.	**6f**	919
g Number of participants with account balances as of the end of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item)	**6g**	869
h Number of participants who terminated employment during the plan year with accrued benefits that were less than 100% vested	**6h**	26
7 Enter the total number of employers obligated to contribute to the plan (only multiemployer plans complete this item)	**7**	

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

2E 2F 2G 2J 2K 2R 2S 2T

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)		**9b** Plan benefit arrangement (check all that apply)	
(1)	[ ] Insurance	**(1)**	[ ] Insurance
(2)	[ ] Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts	**(2)**	[ ] Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts
(3)	[X] Trust	**(3)**	[X] Trust
(4)	[ ] General assets of the sponsor	**(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 2019 Form M-1 annual report. If the plan was not required to file the 2019 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.**	**2019** **This Form is Open to Public Inspection.**

For calendar plan year 2019 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2019 and ending 12/31/2019

A Name of plan
MESIROW FINANCIAL SAVINGS PLAN

B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 003

C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500
MESIROW FINANCIAL SAVINGS PLAN

D Employer Identification Number (EIN)
36-3429602

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

TRANSAMERICA RETIREMENT SOLUTIONS

13-3689044

(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)

TRANSAMERICA RETIREMENT SOLUTIONS

13-3689044

(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?
12 15 28 37 38 50 54 59 61 62 63 64 65	RECORD KEEPER	94132	Yes [X] No [ ]	Yes [X] No [ ]	0	Yes [ ] No [X]

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

MITCHELL & TITUS, LLP

13-2781641

(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?
10	ACCOUNTANT/AUDITOR	34000	Yes [ ] No [X]	Yes [ ] No [ ]		Yes [ ] No [ ]

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

TAIBER KOSMALA & ASSOC LLC

(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?
	INVESTMENT ADVISOR	33750	Yes [ ] No [ ]	Yes [ ] No [ ]	0	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)

CHARLES SCHWAB & CO., INC.

94-1737782

(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?
33 71	SECURITIES BROKER	1998	Yes [X] No [ ]	Yes [X] No [ ]	0	Yes [X] 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 [ ]

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
NATIONAL FINANCIAL SERVICES	33 71	0

(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.
AMERICAN BEACON 4151 AMON CARTER BLVD, MD 2450 FORT WORTH, TX 76155	REVENUE SHARING SEE ATTACHMENT TO LINE 2(H)

(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	**(b)** Service Codes (see instructions)	**(c)** Enter amount of indirect compensation
NATIONAL FINANCIAL SERVICES	33 71	0

(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.
AMERICAN FUNDS 5300 ROBIN HOOD ROAD NORFOLK, VA 23513	REVENUE SHARING SEE ATTACHMENT TO LINE 2(H)

(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	**(b)** Service Codes (see instructions)	**(c)** Enter amount of indirect compensation
NATIONAL FINANCIAL SERVICES	33 71	0

(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.
BAIRD 777 EAST WISCONSIN AVE MILWAUKEE, WI 53202	REVENUE SHARING SEE ATTACHMENT TO LINE 2(H)

Part I Service Provider Information (continued)

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NATIONAL FINANCIAL SERVICES	33 71	0

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DFA-DIMENSIONAL 6300 BEE CAVE RD, BLDG ONE AUSTIN, TX 78746	REVENUE SHARING SEE ATTACHMENT TO LINE 2(H)

(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	**(b)** Service Codes (see instructions)	**(c)** Enter amount of indirect compensation
NATIONAL FINANCIAL SERVICES	33 71	0

(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.
DODGE & COX 555 CALIFORNIA STREET, 40TH FLR SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94104	REVENUE SHARING SEE ATTACHMENT TO LINE 2(H)

(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	**(b)** Service Codes (see instructions)	**(c)** Enter amount of indirect compensation
NATIONAL FINANCIAL SERVICES	33 71	0

(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.
FIRST EAGLE 1345 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS NEW YORK, NY 10105	REVENUE SHARING SEE ATTACHMENT TO LINE 2(H)

Part I Service Provider Information (continued)

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NATIONAL FINANCIAL SERVICES	33 71	0

(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.
HOOD RIVER ONE SW COLUMBIA ST, SUITE 630 PORTLAND, OR 97258	REVENUE SHARING SEE ATTACHMENT TO LINE 2(H)

(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	**(b)** Service Codes (see instructions)	**(c)** Enter amount of indirect compensation
NATIONAL FINANCIAL SERVICES	33 71	0

(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.
JOHN HANCOCK 601 CONGRESS STREET BOSTON, MA 02210	REVENUE SHARING SEE ATTACHMENT TO LINE 2(H)

(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	**(b)** Service Codes (see instructions)	**(c)** Enter amount of indirect compensation
NATIONAL FINANCIAL SERVICES	33 71	0

(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.
LAZARD 30 ROCKEFELLER PLAZA, 57TH FLR NEW YORK, NY 10112	REVENUE SHARING SEE ATTACHMENT TO LINE 2(H)

Part I Service Provider Information (continued)

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NATIONAL FINANCIAL SERVICES	33 71	0

(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.
NUVEEN 333 W. WACKER DRIVE CHICAGO, IL 60606	REVENUE SHARING SEE ATTACHMENT TO LINE 2(H)

(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	**(b)** Service Codes (see instructions)	**(c)** Enter amount of indirect compensation
NATIONAL FINANCIAL SERVICES	33 71	0

(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.
PNC CAPITAL ADVISORS 4400 COMPUTER DRIVE WESTBOROUGH, MA 01581	REVENUE SHARING SEE ATTACHMENT TO LINE 2(H)

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NATIONAL FINANCIAL SERVICES	33 71	0

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PRINCIPAL 711 HIGH STREET DES MOINES, IA 50309	REVENUE SHARING SEE ATTACHMENT TO LINE 2(H)

Part I Service Provider Information (continued)

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NATIONAL FINANCIAL SERVICES	33 71	0

(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.
T ROWE PRICE 100 EAST PRATT STREET BALTIMORE, MD 21202	REVENUE SHARING SEE ATTACHMENT TO LINE 2(H)

(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	**(b)** Service Codes (see instructions)	**(c)** Enter amount of indirect compensation
CHARLES SCHWAB & CO., INC.	33 71	0

(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.
AKRE 54-1968332	RATE OF 0.40% OF AVERAGE DAILY BALANCE OF ASSET(S)

(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	**(b)** Service Codes (see instructions)	**(c)** Enter amount of indirect compensation
CHARLES SCHWAB & CO., INC.	33 71	0

(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.
EVERMORE 89 SUMMIT AVE SUMMIT, NJ 07901	RATE OF 0.10% OF AVERAGE DAILY BALANCE OF ASSET(S)

Part I Service Provider Information (continued)

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CHARLES SCHWAB & CO., INC.	33 71	0

(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.
HOTCHKIS & WILEY 725 S. FIGUEROA ST, 39TH FLR LOS ANGELES, CA 90017	RATE OF 0.45% OF AVERAGE DAILY BALANCE OF ASSET(S)

(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	**(b)** Service Codes (see instructions)	**(c)** Enter amount of indirect compensation
CHARLES SCHWAB & CO., INC.	33 71	0

(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.
IVA FUNDS 717 FIFTH AVE, 10TH FL NEW YORK, NY 10022	RATE OF 0.10% OF AVERAGE DAILY BALANCE OF ASSET(S)

(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	**(b)** Service Codes (see instructions)	**(c)** Enter amount of indirect compensation
CHARLES SCHWAB & CO., INC.	33 71	0

(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.
MAINGATE TRUST 615 EAST MICHIGAN ST MILWAUKEE, WI 53202	RATE OF 0.10% OF AVERAGE DAILY BALANCE OF ASSET(S)

Part I Service Provider Information (continued)

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CHARLES SCHWAB & CO., INC.	33 71	0
(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.	
MESIROW FINANCIAL 36-3429602	RATE OF 0.10% OF AVERAGE DAILY BALANCE OF ASSET(S)	

(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	**(b)** Service Codes (see instructions)	**(c)** Enter amount of indirect compensation
CHARLES SCHWAB & CO., INC.	33 71	0
(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.	
PRIMECAP ODYSSEY FUNDS 95-3868081	RATE OF 0.08% OF AVERAGE DAILY BALANCE OF ASSET(S)	

(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	**(b)** Service Codes (see instructions)	**(c)** Enter amount of indirect compensation
CHARLES SCHWAB & CO., INC.	33 71	0
(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.	
SCHWAB FUNDS 94-3106735	RATE OF 0.15% OF AVERAGE DAILY BALANCE OF ASSET(S)	

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
CHARLES SCHWAB & CO., INC.	33 71	0
(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.	
SEQUOIA 13-2663968	RATE OF 0.05% OF AVERAGE DAILY BALANCE OF ASSET(S)	

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

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(d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation	**(e)** Describe the indirect compensation, including any formula used to determine the service provider's eligibility for or the amount of the indirect compensation.	

Part II Service Providers Who Fail or Refuse to Provide Information

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

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

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

(complete as many entries as needed)

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

Explanation:

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

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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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B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 003

C Plan or DFE sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500
MESIROW FINANCIAL SAVINGS PLAN

D Employer Identification Number (EIN)
36-3429602

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: TRANSAMERICA COLLECTIVE TRUST FUNDS

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): TRANSAMERICA RETIREMENT SOLUTIONS CORPORATION

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)
04-6784256-001	C	12719030

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

SCHEDULE H (Form 5500)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Department of Labor
Employee Benefits Security Administration

Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation

Financial Information

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C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of 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	52272	20283
b Receivables (less allowance for doubtful accounts):			
(1) Employer contributions	1b(1)		
(2) Participant contributions	1b(2)		
(3) Other	1b(3)	467	804
c General investments:			
(1) Interest-bearing cash (include money market accounts & certificates of deposit)	1c(1)	312491	295151
(2) U.S. Government securities	1c(2)		
(3) Corporate debt instruments (other than employer securities):			
(A) Preferred	1c(3)(A)		
(B) All other	1c(3)(B)		
(4) Corporate stocks (other than employer securities):			
(A) Preferred	1c(4)(A)		
(B) Common	1c(4)(B)		
(5) Partnership/joint venture interests	1c(5)		
(6) Real estate (other than employer real property)	1c(6)		
(7) Loans (other than to participants)	1c(7)		
(8) Participant loans	1c(8)	1214419	1057771
(9) Value of interest in common/collective trusts	1c(9)	16047403	12719030
(10) Value of interest in pooled separate accounts	1c(10)		
(11) Value of interest in master trust investment accounts	1c(11)		
(12) Value of interest in 103-12 investment entities	1c(12)		
(13) Value of interest in registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds)	1c(13)	127376484	148191055
(14) Value of funds held in insurance company general account (unallocated contracts)	1c(14)		
(15) Other	1c(15)	78036	3183708

			(a) Beginning of Year	(b) End of Year
1d	Employer-related investments:			
	(1) Employer securities	1d(1)		
	(2) Employer real property	1d(2)		
e	Buildings and other property used in plan operation	1e		
f	Total assets (add all amounts in lines 1a through 1e)	1f	145081572	165467802
	Liabilities			
g	Benefit claims payable	1g		
h	Operating payables	1h		
i	Acquisition indebtedness	1i		
j	Other liabilities	1j		
k	Total liabilities (add all amounts in lines 1g through1j)	1k		
	Net Assets			
l	Net assets (subtract line 1k from line 1f)	1l	145081572	165467802

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)	1504813	
	(B) Participants	2a(1)(B)	6561620	
	(C) Others (including rollovers)	2a(1)(C)	1758130	
	(2) Noncash contributions	2a(2)		
	(3) Total contributions. Add lines **2a(1)(A), (B), (C),** and line **2a(2)**	2a(3)		9824563
b	**Earnings on investments:**			
	(1) Interest:			
	(A) Interest-bearing cash (including money market accounts and certificates of deposit)	2b(1)(A)	1852	
	(B) U.S. Government securities	2b(1)(B)		
	(C) Corporate debt instruments	2b(1)(C)		
	(D) Loans (other than to participants)	2b(1)(D)		
	(E) Participant loans	2b(1)(E)	50627	
	(F) Other	2b(1)(F)		
	(G) Total interest. Add lines **2b(1)(A)** through **(F)**	2b(1)(G)		52479
	(2) Dividends: **(A)** Preferred stock	2b(2)(A)		
	(B) Common stock	2b(2)(B)		
	(C) Registered investment company shares (e.g. mutual funds)	2b(2)(C)	2694091	
	(D) Total dividends. Add lines **2b(2)(A)**, **(B)**, and **(C)**	2b(2)(D)		2694091
	(3) Rents	2b(3)		
	(4) Net gain (loss) on sale of assets: **(A)** Aggregate proceeds	2b(4)(A)		
	(B) Aggregate carrying amount (see instructions)	2b(4)(B)		
	(C) Subtract line **2b(4)(B)** from line **2b(4)(A)** and enter result	2b(4)(C)		
	(5) Unrealized appreciation (depreciation) of assets: **(A)** Real estate	2b(5)(A)		
	(B) Other	2b(5)(B)		
	(C) Total unrealized appreciation of assets. Add lines **2b(5)(A)** and **(B)**	2b(5)(C)		

		(a) Amount	(b) Total
(6) Net investment gain (loss) from common/collective trusts	2b(6)		348174
(7) Net investment gain (loss) from pooled separate accounts	2b(7)		
(8) Net investment gain (loss) from master trust investment accounts	2b(8)		
(9) Net investment gain (loss) from 103-12 investment entities	2b(9)		
(10) Net investment gain (loss) from registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds)	2b(10)		26214328
c Other income	2c		310121
d Total income. Add all **income** amounts in column (b) and enter total	2d		39443756
Expenses			
e Benefit payment and payments to provide benefits:			
(1) Directly to participants or beneficiaries, including direct rollovers	2e(1)	18888229	
(2) To insurance carriers for the provision of benefits	2e(2)		
(3) Other	2e(3)		
(4) Total benefit payments. Add lines **2e(1)** through **(3)**	2e(4)		18888229
f Corrective distributions (see instructions)	2f		7415
g Certain deemed distributions of participant loans (see instructions)	2g		
h Interest expense	2h		
i Administrative expenses: **(1)** Professional fees	2i(1)	34000	
(2) Contract administrator fees	2i(2)		
(3) Investment advisory and management fees	2i(3)	33750	
(4) Other	2i(4)	94132	
(5) Total administrative expenses. Add lines **2i(1)** through **(4)**	2i(5)		161882
j Total expenses. Add all **expense** amounts in column (b) and enter total	2j		19057526
Net Income and Reconciliation			
k Net income (loss). Subtract line **2j** from line **2d**	2k		20386230
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) ☐ Unmodified **(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: MITCHELL & TITUS, LLP **(2)** EIN: 13-2781641

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		10000000
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

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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): 13-3689044

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 _____

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(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) _____
(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify): _____

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a Name of contributing employer

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

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

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

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(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):

20 **PBGC missed contribution reporting requirements.** If this is a multiemployer plan or a single-employer plan that is not covered by PBGC, skip line 20.

a Is the amount of unpaid minimum required contributions for all years from Schedule SB (Form 5500) line 40 greater than zero? ☐ Yes ☐ No

b If line 20a is "Yes," has PBGC been notified as required by ERISA sections 4043(c)(5) and/or 303(k)(4)? Check the applicable box:

☐ Yes.

☐ No. Reporting was waived under 29 CFR 4043.25(c)(2) because contributions equal to or exceeding the unpaid minimum required contribution were made by the 30th day after the due date.

☐ No. The 30-day period referenced in 29 CFR 4043.25(c)(2) has not yet ended, and the sponsor intends to make a contribution equal to or exceeding the unpaid minimum required contribution by the 30th day after the due date.

☐ No. Other. Provide explanation_____

Mesirow Financial Savings Plan

Financial Statements and Supplemental Schedule
As of December 31, 2019 and 2018 and for the Year Ended
December 31, 2019

Together With Independent Auditor's Report

Mesirow Financial Savings Plan

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Participants and Plan Administrator of
Mesirow Financial Savings Plan

Report on the Financial Statements

We were engaged to audit the accompanying financial statements of the Mesirow Financial Savings Plan (the Plan), which comprise the statements of net assets available for benefits as of December 31, 2019 and 2018, the related statement of changes in net assets available for benefits for the year ended December 31, 2019, and the related notes to the financial statements.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

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

Auditor's Responsibility

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

Basis for Disclaimer of Opinion

As permitted by 29 CFR 2520.103-8 of the Department of Labor's (DOL) Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), the plan administrator instructed us not to perform, and we did not perform, any auditing procedures with respect to the information summarized in Note 4, which was certified by State Street Bank and Trust Company, the custodian of the Plan, except for comparing the information with the related information included in the 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 December 31, 2019 and 2018, and for the year ended December 31, 2019, that the information provided to the plan administrator by the custodian is complete and accurate.

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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 these financial statements. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on these financial statements.

Other Matter – Supplemental Schedule

The supplemental schedule of assets (held at end of year) as of December 31, 2019 is required by the DOL's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA and is presented for the purpose of additional analysis and is not a required part of the financial statements. Because of the significance of the matter described in the Basis for Disclaimer of Opinion paragraph, we do not express an opinion on this supplemental schedule.

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

The form and content of the information included in the financial statements and supplemental schedule, other than that derived from the information certified by the 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 DOL's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.

Mitchell Titus, LLP

October 14, 2020

Mesirow Financial Savings Plan

Statements of Net Assets Available for Benefits

December 31, 2019 and 2018

	2019	2018
Assets:		
Participant-directed investments, at fair value -		
Mutual funds and common collective trust	$ 164,409,227	$ 143,866,686
Receivables:		
Notes receivable from participants	1,057,771	1,214,419
Other receivables	804	467
	1,058,575	1,214,886
Net Assets Available for Benefits	**$ 165,467,802**	**$ 145,081,572**

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

Mesirow Financial Savings Plan

Statement of Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits

Year Ended December 31, 2019

	2019
Additions to Net Assets Attributed to:	
Investment Income:	
Net appreciation in fair value of investments	$ 26,872,624
Dividends	2,694,091
Total Investment Income	29,566,715
Interest Income on Notes Receivable from Participants	52,479
Contributions:	
Participant	6,561,621
Employer	1,504,813
Rollovers	1,758,130
Total Contributions	9,824,564
Total Additions	39,443,758
Deductions from Net Assets Attributed to:	
Benefits paid to participants	18,895,645
Administrative expenses	161,883
Total Deductions	19,057,528
Net Increase	20,386,230
Net Assets Available for Benefits	
Beginning of year	145,081,572
End of year	**$ 165,467,802**

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

Note 1 - Description of Plan

The following description of the Mesirow Financial Savings Plan (the Plan) is provided for general information purposes only. Participants should refer to the plan documents for more complete information.

General

The Plan is a defined contribution plan covering all full-time employees of Mesirow Financial Holdings, Inc. and its subsidiaries (the Company), as defined in the Plan documents. Covered employees are eligible to participate in the Plan upon date of hire. The 401(k) Administrative Committee of the Company's Board of Directors controls and manages the operation and administration of the Plan. State Street Bank and Trust Company is the trustee and custodian of the Plan. The Plan is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).

Effective July 1, 2018, the Company sold the assets of its wholly owned subsidiary Mesirow Advanced Strategies, Inc to Lighthouse Investment Partners, LLC (Lighthouse). On July 1, 2018, the Plan was amended to allow for all Lighthouse transferred participants to automatically become 100% vested and to allow any current outstanding loan balances with Transamerica to be rolled over to Lighthouse's 401(k) provider.

Contributions

Each year, participants may elect to contribute up to 30% of eligible compensation, as defined by the Plan document, subject to certain limitations. Participants who have attained age 50 before the end of the Plan year are eligible to make catch-up contributions. Participants may designate all or a portion of their contributions as after-tax Roth 401(k) contributions.

For the year ended December 31, 2019, the Company contributes to the Plan the lesser of 50% of the participant's contribution up to a maximum of 6% of the participant's compensation, or $3,000. Effective January 1, 2019, the Company contributes to the Plan the lesser of 50% of the participant's contribution up to a maximum of 8% of the participant's compensation, or $4,000. Compensation is defined as the total annual non-deferred remuneration, including commissions, overtime pay and bonuses, paid and accrued to each participant.

Investment Options

Participants direct the investment of their accounts into various investment options offered by the Plan. The Plan currently offers 31 mutual funds, a common collective trust and a personal choice retirement account as investment options for participants.

Participant Accounts

Individual accounts are maintained for each Plan participant. Participant accounts include investments in mutual funds and the common collective trust as well as loans extended to participants. Each participant's account is credited with the participant's contributions and allocations of the employer's contributions and Plan earnings and charged with withdrawals and allocations of Plan losses and administrative expenses. Plan earnings are allocated in proportion to each participant's balance. A participant is entitled to the benefit that can be provided from his or her vested account.

Note 1 - Description of Plan (Continued)

Vesting

Participants are vested immediately in their voluntary contributions, plus annual earnings thereon. Vesting in the remainder of their accounts is based on years of service. Participants are fully vested after five years of credited service, as defined in the plan documents.

Notes Receivable from Participants

Participants may borrow up to 50% of the vested portion of their accounts, from a minimum of $1,000 up to a maximum not to exceed $50,000, for periods no longer than five years, or 15 years if the proceeds of such loan are used for the purchase of the borrower's principal residence. Loans are secured by the participant's account balance. Each participant is permitted to hold a maximum of two loans under the Plan at any point in time. The loans are charged interest at the prime interest rate, as published in the *Wall Street Journal*, at the time the funds are borrowed.

Forfeited Accounts

Matching contribution that are forfeited balances of terminated participants are retained in the affected participant's accounts until there are five consecutive breaks in service. A break in service is defined as a period of 12 consecutive months, commencing with an employee's termination of employment, during which the employee does not complete 501 or more hours of service for the Company. If such a participant is rehired before incurring five consecutive breaks in service, such amount is not forfeited. If such a participant is not rehired after five consecutive breaks in service, the amount shall be considered forfeited and shall be used to reduce the current year's employer contribution or administrative expenses. Forfeitures of $89,320 were used to reduce employer contributions in 2019; no forfeitures were used to correct participant accounts and no forfeitures were used to pay administrative expenses during the year ended December 31, 2019. Unapplied forfeitures totaled $295,150 and $304,186 as of December 31, 2019 and 2018, respectively.

Rollovers

Rollovers are the transferring of assets directly into the Plan from other retirement plans, qualified under the Internal Revenue Code (IRC), by individuals initiating employment with the Company.

Payment of Benefits

On termination of service because of death, disability, or retirement, a participant may elect to receive either a lump-sum amount equal to the value of the participant's vested interest in his or her account, or annual installments over a period not to exceed the life expectancy of the participant and his or her spouse or designated beneficiary. For termination of services for other reasons, a participant will receive the value of the vested interest in his or her account as a lump-sum distribution.

Included in benefits paid to participants are terminated taxable loan balances totaling $1,065,484 for the year ended December 31, 2019.

Note 2 - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Basis of Accounting

The accompanying financial statements have been prepared on the accrual basis of accounting in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (U.S. GAAP).

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with U.S. GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets, liabilities and changes therein and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Investment Valuation and Income Recognition

Investments are reported at fair value in accordance with U.S. GAAP. Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. See Note 3 for a further discussion of fair value measurements.

Purchases and sales of securities are recorded on a trade-date basis. Interest income is recorded on the accrual basis and dividends are recorded on the ex-dividend date. Net appreciation includes the Plan's gains and losses on investments bought and sold as well as held during the year.

Diversified Stable Pooled Fund

The Diversified Stable Pooled Fund currently holds investments in synthetic GICs comprised of a portfolio of U.S. government and other high-quality (rated A- or above) debt securities managed by Galliard Capital Management, Inc. on behalf of the Plan, and "wrap" contracts with a number of counterparties. The wrap contracts provide additional assurance that participants will be able to withdraw funds at contract value in the event that market value declines below contract value followed by significant participant withdrawals. The fair value of the wrap was not significant at December 31, 2019 and 2018.

Interest crediting rates are determined by comparing contract value and the estimated future market value of the underlying investment portfolio, which is determined by compounding the portfolio's current yield to maturity over the remaining duration of the fund. The crediting rate is equal to the discount rate that equates market value and contract value over the remaining duration of the fund.

The fair value of the investment contracts in the Diversified Stable Pooled Fund held by the Plan as of December 31, 2019 and 2018 was $12,719,030 and $16,047,403, respectively.

Note 2 - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

The wrap contracts limit the ability of the Plan to transact at contract value upon the occurrence of certain events, which the Plan sponsor does not believe are probable. These events include: (i) the Plan's failure to qualify under Section 401(a) or 401(k) of the Code; (ii) the establishment of a defined contribution plan that competes with the Plan for employee contributions; (iii) any substantive modification of the Plan or the administration of the Plan that is not consented to by the contract issuer; (iv) complete or partial termination of the Plan; (v) any change in law, regulation or administrative ruling applicable to the Plan that could have a material adverse effect on the fund's cash flow; (vi) merger or consolidation of the Plan with another plan, the transfer of Plan assets to another plan, or the sale, spin-off or merger of a subsidiary or division of the Plan sponsor; (vii) any communication given to participants by the Plan sponsor or any other Plan fiduciary that is designed to induce or influence participants not to invest in the Funds or to transfer assets out of the Diversified Stable Pooled Fund; (viii) exclusion of a group of previously eligible employees from eligibility in the Plan; (ix) any early retirement program, group termination, group layoff, facility closing, or similar program; and (x) any transfer of assets from the Diversified Stable Pooled Fund directly to a competing option.

Notes Receivable from Participants

Notes receivable from participants are measured at their principal balance plus any accrued interest. Delinquent participant loans are reclassified as distributions based on the terms of the Plan document. No allowance for credit losses has been recorded as of December 31, 2019 or 2018.

Expenses

Administrative expenses for the Plan, including legal, trustee and consulting fees, are paid by the Plan to the extent not paid by the Company.

Payment of Benefits

Benefit payments to participants are recorded when paid. As of December 31, 2019 and 2018, there were no amounts allocated to accounts of persons who have elected to withdraw from the Plan but had not yet been paid.

Risks and Uncertainties

The Plan’s investments 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. The changes could materially affect participants’ account balances and the amounts reported in the statement of net assets available for benefits.

Recent Accounting Pronouncement

In August 2018, the Financial Accounting Standards Board issued Accounting Standards Update (ASU) No. 2018-13, *Disclosure Framework - Changes to the Disclosure Requirements for Fair Value Measurement*. This ASU removes the requirements to disclose the amount of and reasons for transfers between Level 1 and Level 2 of the fair value hierarchy, the policy for timing of level transfers, and the valuation processes for Level 3 fair value measurements.

Note 2 - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

This ASU requires entities that calculate net asset value (NAV) to disclose the timing of liquidation of an investee's assets and the date when redemption restrictions might lapse, only if the timing was communicated to the entity or publicly announced, and disclose information on measurement uncertainty as of the reporting date. In addition, this ASU will require entities to present the changes in unrealized gains and losses for recurring Level 3 fair value measurements, as well as the range and weighted average of significant unobservable inputs used to develop Level 3 fair value measurements, based on materiality. The amendments in this ASU are effective for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2019. All amendments, with the exception of the disclosures on changes in unrealized gains and losses, Level 3 unobservable inputs and measurement uncertainty information, will be applied retrospectively. Early adoption is permitted. The Plan Sponsor is currently evaluating the impact that this ASU will have on the presentation of the Plan's fair value measurement disclosures.

Note 3 - Fair Value Measurements

U.S. GAAP defines fair value as the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants in the principal market or, in the absence of a principal market, the most advantageous market accessible to the reporting entity as of the measurement date. Under U.S. GAAP, the principal market is the market in which the reporting entity would sell the asset or transfer the liability with the greatest volume and level of activity. The most advantageous market, which may be a hypothetical market, is the market in which the reporting entity would sell the asset or transfer the liability at the price that maximizes the amount that would be received for the asset or minimizes the amount that would be paid to transfer the liability, considering transaction costs in the respective market.

U.S. GAAP describes three approaches to measuring fair value: the market approach, the income approach and the cost approach. Each approach includes multiple valuation techniques. U.S. GAAP does not prescribe which valuation technique should be used when measuring fair value but does establish a fair value hierarchy that prioritizes the inputs used in applying the various techniques based on the degree to which such inputs are observable to market participants. Inputs broadly refer to the assumptions that market participants use to make pricing decisions, including assumptions about risk.

The Plan's investments are classified in one of the following three categories based upon the inputs used to determine their respective fair values.

- Level 1 - Quoted prices (unadjusted) for identical assets or liabilities in active markets as of the reporting date. Active markets are those in which transactions for the asset or liability occur in sufficient frequency and volume to provide pricing information on an ongoing basis.

- Level 2 - Observable market-based inputs or unobservable inputs that are corroborated by market data. These inputs may include quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities in active markets as well as quoted prices for identical or similar assets or liabilities in inactive markets.

- Level 3 - Unobservable inputs that cannot be corroborated by market data. These inputs reflect management's best estimate of fair value using its own assumptions about the assumptions a market participant would use in pricing the asset or liability.

When the inputs used to value an investment fall into more than one level, the investment is classified in its entirety based on the lowest level input that is significant to that investment's fair value measurement.

Note 3 - Fair Value Measurements (Continued)

Management's assessment of the significance of a particular input to the fair value measurement requires judgment and is dependent on factors specific to the investment. Valuation techniques used need to maximize the use of relevant observable inputs and minimize the use of unobservable inputs.

As of December 31, 2019 and 2018, the following valuation methodologies have been used to value the Plan's investments:

- Mutual funds - Valued at the quoted market prices, which represent the reported NAV of the shares held by the Plan at year end.

- Common collective trust - Valued at the NAV per unit as determined by the administrator of the trust. Such NAV is based on the value of the underlying assets and liabilities of the trust. The investment objective of the trust held by the Plan is to preserve principal and provide a stable return over the life of the investment. Participants may transfer funds in and out of the trust on a daily basis without any prohibitive restrictions. Additionally, there are no unfunded commitments.

- Interest-bearing cash - Valued based on principal plus accrued interest.

The methods described above may produce a fair value calculation that might not indicate net realizable value or reflect future fair values. Furthermore, while the Plan believes its valuation methods are appropriate and consistent with other market participants, the different methodologies or assumptions used to determine fair value of certain financial instruments could result in a different fair value measurement as of the reporting date.

The following tables summarize by level within the fair value hierarchy the Plan's investments as of December 31, 2019 and 2018:

	December 31, 2019				
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Investments measured at NAV(a)	Total
Mutual funds	$ 151,374,763	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ 151,374,763
Common collective trust	-	-	-	12,719,030	12,719,030
Interest-bearing cash	315,434	-	-	-	315,434
	$ 151,690,197	$ -	$ -	$ 12,719,030	$ 164,409,227

Note 3 - Fair Value Measurements (Continued)

	December 31, 2018				
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Investments measured at NAV(a)	Total
Mutual funds	$ 127,454,520	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ 127,454,520
Common collective trust	-	-	-	16,047,403	16,047,403
Interest-bearing cash	364,763	-	-	-	364,763
	$ 127,819,283	$ -	$ -	$ 16,047,403	$ 143,866,686

(a) Certain investments that are measured at fair value using NAV per share are not 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 participant-directed investments presented in the Statements of Net Assets Available for Benefits.

Note 4 - Certified Investments

The Plan administrator has elected the method of compliance permitted by 29 CFR 2520.103-8 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. Accordingly, State Street Bank and Trust Company, the custodian of the Plan, has certified to the completeness and accuracy of the Plan's investments and notes receivable from participants reflected in the statements of net assets available for benefits as of December 31, 2019 and 2018, the schedule of assets (held at end of year) as of December 31, 2019, and the investment income and interest income on notes receivable from participants reflected in the statement of changes in net assets available for benefits for the year ended December 31, 2019, as indicated.

Note 5 - Plan Termination

Although it has not expressed any such intent, the Company has the right under the Plan to discontinue its contributions at any time and to terminate the Plan subject to the provisions set forth in ERISA. In the event that the Plan is terminated, participants would become 100% vested in their accounts.

Note 6 - Federal Income Tax Status

The Internal Revenue Service (IRS) has determined and informed the Company by a letter, dated August 23, 2013, that the Plan was designed in accordance with the applicable regulations of the IRC. The Plan has been amended since receiving the determination letter.

However, the Company and the Plan administrator believe that the Plan is currently designed and operated in compliance with the applicable requirements of the IRC and the Plan continues to be tax exempt. Therefore, no provision for income taxes has been included in the Plan's financial statements.

Note 6 - Federal Income Tax Status (Continued)

U.S. GAAP requires Plan management to evaluate tax positions taken by the Plan and recognize a tax liability if the Plan has taken an uncertain position that more-likely-than-not would not be sustained upon examination by the IRS. The Plan administrator has analyzed the tax positions taken by the Plan, and has concluded that as of December 31, 2019, there are no uncertain positions taken or expected to be taken that would require recognition of a liability or disclosure in the financial statements.

The Plan is subject to routine audits by taxing jurisdictions; however, there are currently no audits for any tax periods in progress. The Plan administrator believes it is no longer subject to income tax examinations for years prior to 2016.

Note 7 - Party-in-Interest Transactions

Transamerica is the Plan's record keeper and State Street Bank and Trust is the Plan's custodian. The Plan has assets invested with these entities and their affiliates. Such investment transactions qualify as party-in-interest transactions, which are exempt under the prohibited transaction rules of ERISA.

Note 8 - Subsequent Events

In March 2020, the World Health Organization declared the novel strain of the coronavirus (COVID-19) a global pandemic, which has contributed to volatility in financial markets. As a result, the Plan's management assessed whether any economic uncertainties have arisen which could negatively impact the Plan's activities. No adjustments or provisions were made in these financial statements related to COVID-19.

The Plan administrator has evaluated subsequent events through October 14, 2020, the date the financial statements were approved and available to be issued, for events requiring recording or disclosure in the Plan's financial statements, and has identified no subsequent events:

Mesirow Financial Savings Plan

Supplemental Information
Schedule H, Line 4(i) – Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year)
December 31, 2019

EIN: 36-3429602, Plan #: 003

(a)	(b) Identity of Issuer, Borrower, Lessor or Similar Party	(c) Description of Investment, Including Maturity Date, Rate of Interest, Collateral, Par or Maturity Value	Units	(e) Current Value
*	State Street Bank & Trust Company	Interest-Bearing Cash Cash Reserve Account		$ 315,434
		Common Collective Trust Fund		
*	Diversified	Stable Pooled Fund	1,085,788	12,719,030
		Mutual Funds		
	American Beacon	Small Cap Value Fund Instl	399,428	9,718,093
	American Funds	Balanced Fund	219,908	6,273,981
	American Funds	EuroPacific Growth Fund	132,345	7,346,476
	Baird	Baird Core Plus Bond Instl	378,680	4,377,535
	BlackRock	High Yield Bond K	371,925	2,893,574
	BlackRock	International Index K	108,496	1,504,839
	Dimensional	DFA Emerging Markets l	145,693	4,252,781
	Dodge & Cox	International Stock	52,873	2,305,276
	First Eagle	Global I Fund	178,851	10,410,916
	FPA	Crescent Fund	192,674	6,518,161
	Roxbury	Hood River Small Cap Growth Instl	61,180	2,561,619
	John Hancock	Disciplined Value I Fund	682,346	14,151,853
	Lizard	US Small-Mid Cap	167,842	2,289,361
	Nuveen	Real Estate Secs I	114,707	2,361,822
	Principal	Principal Diversified Real Asset Instl	86,520	1,007,087
	T. Rowe Price	Instl Large Cap Growth	291,430	12,837,474
	T. Rowe Price	RA 2010 Fund	105,404	1,900,434
	T. Rowe Price	RA 2020 Fund	153,870	3,398,983
	T. Rowe Price	RA 2025 Fund	16,642	295,898
	T. Rowe Price	RA 2030 Fund	261,824	6,781,245
	T. Rowe Price	RA 2035 Fund	15,381	292,702
	T. Rowe Price	RA 2040 Fund	226,953	6,141,346
	T. Rowe Price	RA 2045 Fund	11,727	217,186
	T. Rowe Price	RA 2050 Fund	206,000	3,221,843
	T. Rowe Price	RA 2055 Fund	2,766	43,982
	T. Rowe Price	RA 2060 Fund	2,641	33,547
	Vanguard	Inflation Protected Secs Adm Fund	89,225	2,309,152
	Vanguard	Institutional Index I Fund	81,627	23,690,481
	Vanguard	Small Cap Index Adm	60,858	4,830,324
	Vanguard	Total Bond Market Index Adm	228,562	2,525,612
	Vanguard	Treasury Money Market Investor	1,697,472	1,697,472
	Charles Schwab	Personal Choice Retirement Account	3,183,708	3,183,708
*	Notes receivable from participants	(3.25% - 5.50% Interest)		1,057,771
				$ 165,466,998

* Investments with party-in-interest as defined under ERISA.
Column (d) was omitted as all investments are participant directed.