| Form 5500 | Annual Return/Report of Employee Benefit Plan | OMB Nos. 1210-0110 1210-0089 |
|---|---|---|
| Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service<br>Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration<br>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation | This form is required to be filed for employee benefit plans under sections 104 and 4065 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) and sections 6057(b) and 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code).<br>▶ **Complete all entries in accordance with the instructions to the Form 5500.** | **2021**<br>**This Form is Open to Public Inspection** |

## Part I Annual Report Identification Information

For calendar plan year 2021 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2021 and ending 12/31/2021

**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)

**E** If this is a retroactively adopted plan permitted by SECURE Act section 201, check here. . . . . ▶ [ ]

## Part II Basic Plan Information—enter all requested information

**1a** Name of plan
VERSO CORPORATION RETIREMENT SAVINGS PLAN FOR NON UNION EMPLOYEES

**1b** Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 001

**1c** Effective date of plan 08/10/2006

**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)
VERSO CORPORATION

8540 GANDER CREEK DRIVE
MIAMISBURG, OH 45342

**2b** Employer Identification Number (EIN) 75-3217389

**2c** Plan Sponsor's telephone number 937-528-3608

**2d** Business code (see instructions) 322100

**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. | 10/04/2022 | TERRY DYER |
| | **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 |

**For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the Instructions for Form 5500.**

**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** | 1652 |
| **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)** | 857 |
| **a(2)** | Total number of active participants at the end of the plan year | **6a(2)** | 815 |
| **b** | Retired or separated participants receiving benefits | **6b** | 39 |
| **c** | Other retired or separated participants entitled to future benefits | **6c** | 792 |
| **d** | Subtotal. Add lines **6a(2)**, **6b**, and **6c**. | **6d** | 1646 |
| **e** | Deceased participants whose beneficiaries are receiving or are entitled to receive benefits. | **6e** | 22 |
| **f** | Total. Add lines **6d** and **6e**. | **6f** | 1668 |
| **g** | Number of participants with account balances as of the end of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item) | **6g** | 1661 |
| **h** | Number of participants who terminated employment during the plan year with accrued benefits that were less than 100% vested | **6h** | 10 |
| **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:

2F 2G 2J 2K 2R 2S 2T 3D 3H

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

**9a** Plan funding arrangement (check all that apply)

- **(1)** [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 2021 Form M-1 annual report. If the plan was not required to file the 2021 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) | Insurance Information | OMB No. 1210-0110 |
|---|---|---|
| Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service<br>Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration<br>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation | This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).<br>▶ **File as an attachment to Form 5500.**<br>▶ Insurance companies are required to provide the information pursuant to ERISA section 103(a)(2). | **2021**<br>**This Form is Open to Public Inspection** |

For calendar plan year 2021 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2021 and ending 12/31/2021

| **A** Name of plan | **B** Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ |
|---|---|
| VERSO CORPORATION RETIREMENT SAVINGS PLAN FOR NON UNION EMPLOYEES | 001 |
| **C** Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 | **D** Employer Identification Number (EIN) |
| VERSO CORPORATION | 75-3217389 |

**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

NEW YORK LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

| **(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 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 13-5582869 | 66915 | QK63040 | 1661 | 01/01/2021 | 12/31/2021 |

**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 |
|---|---|
| | |

**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

| **(b)** Amount of sales and base commissions paid | Fees and other commissions paid **(c)** Amount | **(d)** Purpose | **(e)** Organization code |
|---|---|---|---|
| | | | |

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

| **(b)** Amount of sales and base commissions paid | Fees and other commissions paid **(c)** Amount | **(d)** Purpose | **(e)** Organization code |
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| | | | |

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

| **(b)** Amount of sales and base commissions paid | Fees and other commissions paid | | **(e)** Organization code |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **(c)** Amount | **(d)** Purpose | |
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| **(b)** Amount of sales and base commissions paid | Fees and other commissions paid | | **(e)** Organization code |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **(c)** Amount | **(d)** Purpose | |
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**(a)** Name and address of the agent, broker, or other person to whom commissions or fees were paid

| **(b)** Amount of sales and base commissions paid | Fees and other commissions paid | | **(e)** Organization code |
|---|---|---|---|
| | **(c)** Amount | **(d)** Purpose | |
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|---|---|---|---|
| | **(c)** Amount | **(d)** Purpose | |
| | | | |

## 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 | 27087137 |
| 5 | Current value of plan's interest under this contract in separate accounts at year end | 5 | |

**6** Contracts With Allocated Funds:

**a** State the basis of premium rates ▶

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 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. | 6d | |

Specify nature of costs ▶

**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 | 33508558 |
| c | Additions: (1) Contributions deposited during the year | 7c(1) | 852993 | |
| | (2) Dividends and credits | 7c(2) | | |
| | (3) Interest credited during the year | 7c(3) | 593040 | |
| | (4) Transferred from separate account | 7c(4) | | |
| | (5) Other (specify below) | 7c(5) | 23763717 | |
| | ▶ STABLE FORFEITURES, FIXED FUND TRANSFERS IN AND LOAN PAYMENTS | | | |
| | (6)Total additions | | 7c(6) | 25209750 |
| d | Total of balance and additions (add lines **7b** and **7c(6)**). | | 7d | 58718308 |
| e | Deductions: | | | |
| | (1) Disbursed from fund to pay benefits or purchase annuities during year | 7e(1) | 10100459 | |
| | (2) Administration charge made by carrier | 7e(2) | 37824 | |
| | (3) Transferred to separate account | 7e(3) | | |
| | (4) Other (specify below) | 7e(4) | 21492888 | |
| | ▶ FIXED FUND TRANSFERS OUT AND LOANS ISSUED | | | |
| | (5) Total deductions | | 7e(5) | 31631171 |
| f | Balance at the end of the current year (subtract line **7e(5)** from line **7d**) | | 7f | 27087137 |

## 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) ▶

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|---|---|---|---|---|
| **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)** | |
| **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)** | |
| (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)** | |
| (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. | | | **10b** | |

Specify nature of costs.

## Part IV Provision of Information

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

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

| SCHEDULE C (Form 5500) | Service Provider Information | OMB No. 1210-0110 |
|---|---|---|
| Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service | This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA). | 2021 |
| Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration | ▶ File as an attachment to Form 5500. | This Form is Open to Public Inspection. |
| Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation | | |

For calendar plan year 2021 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2021 and ending 12/31/2021

**A** Name of plan
VERSO CORPORATION RETIREMENT SAVINGS PLAN FOR NON UNION EMPLOYEES

**B** Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 001

**C** Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500
VERSO CORPORATION

**D** Employer Identification Number (EIN)
75-3217389

## 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

CHARLES SCHWAB & CO., INC.

94-1737782

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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 | 348987 | Yes [X] No [ ] | Yes [X] No [ ] | 0 | Yes [ ] No [X] |

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

NATIONAL FINANCIAL SERVICES

04-3523567

| (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 | 0 | Yes [X] No [ ] | Yes [ ] No [X] | 0 | Yes [X] No [ ] |

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

STEPHENS INC

71-0641478

| (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? |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 16 50 | CONSULTANT | 93776 | Yes [ ] No [X] | 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)

CLARK SCHAEFER HACKETT & COMPANY

31-0800053

| (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 50 | AUDITOR | 8000 | Yes ☐ No ☒ | Yes ☐ No ☐ | | Yes ☐ No ☐ |

**(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 | 705 | Yes ☒ No ☐ | Yes ☒ No ☐ | 0 | Yes ☒ No ☐ |

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

D & G ADVISORY GROUP LLC

38-3040374

| (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? |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 16 53 | ADVISOR | 69950 | 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)

LENNY KISIN DBA

415 N MCKINLEY ST
SUITE 1045
LITTLE AR, AR 72205

| (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? |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 16 53 | ADVISOR | 12361 | Yes ☐ No ☒ | Yes ☐ No ☐ | | Yes ☐ No ☐ |

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

FISHER INVESTMENTS

20-2480800

| (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? |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 16 53 | ADVISOR | 6437 | 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 |
|---|---|---|
| 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. |
|---|---|---|
| DFA-DIMENSIONAL | 6300 BEE CAVE RD<br>BUILDING ONE<br>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. |
|---|---|---|
| JOHN HANCOCK | 601 CONGRESS STREET<br>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 |
|---|---|---|
| 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. |
|---|---|---|
| ALLIANZ GLOBAL INVESTORS | 125 HIGH STREET<br>SUITE 2614<br>BOSTON, MA 02110 | RATE OF 0.40% 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. |
|---|---|
| AMERICAN CENTURY INVESTMENTS<br>43-0821857 | RATE OF 0.35% 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. |
|---|---|
| ASHMORE<br>475 FIFTH AVENUE<br>15TH FLOOR<br>NEW YORK, NY 10017 | 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. |
|---|---|
| AVANTIS INVESTORS<br>360 EAST 2ND STREET<br>LOS ANGELES, CA 90012 | RATE OF 0.05% 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. |
|---|---|
| CALAMOS<br>36-3316238 | 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. |
|---|---|
| DIAMOND HILL FUNDS<br>31-6547095 | 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. |
|---|---|
| DIMENSIONAL FUND ADVISORS<br>22-2370029 | RATE OF 0.02% 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. |
|---|---|
| FIDELITY INVESTMENTS<br>06-1194217 | RANGE OF 0.10 - 0.25% OF AVERAGE DAILY BALANCE OF ASSETS |

| **(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. |
|---|---|
| FIRST EAGLE FUNDS<br>13-3392291 | 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. |
|---|---|
| GABELLI<br>13-3340139 | RATE OF 0.40% 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. |
|---|---|
| JACOB<br>727 2ND ST #106<br>HERMOSA BEACH, CA 90254 | 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. |
|---|---|
| JANUS HENDERSON<br>43-1804048 | RATE OF 0.35% 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. |
|---|---|
| JPMORGAN<br>13-2624428 | RATE OF 0.25% 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. |
|---|---|
| MFS<br>04-3253929 | 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. |
|---|---|
| SCHWAB FUNDS<br>94-3106735 | RATE OF 0.25% 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. |
|---|---|---|
| SEGALL BRYANT & HAMILL | 540 WEST MADISON STREET<br>SUITE 1900<br>CHICAGO, IL 60661 | RATE OF 0.30% 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. |
|---|---|
| THORNBURG 2300 NORTH RIDGETOP ROAD SANTA FE, NM 87506 | RATE OF 0.60% 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. |
|---|---|
| | |

| **(a)** Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2 | **(b)** Service Codes (see instructions) | **(c)** Enter amount of indirect compensation |
|---|---|---|
| | | |

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

(complete as many entries as needed)

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

Explanation:

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

Explanation:

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

Explanation:

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

Explanation:

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

Explanation:

| SCHEDULE D (Form 5500) | DFE/Participating Plan Information | OMB No. 1210-0110 |
|---|---|---|
| Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service<br>Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration | This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).<br>▶ **File as an attachment to Form 5500.** | **2021**<br>**This Form is Open to Public Inspection.** |

For calendar plan year 2021 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2021 and ending 12/31/2021

**A** Name of plan
VERSO CORPORATION RETIREMENT SAVINGS PLAN FOR NON UNION EMPLOYEES

**B** Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 001

**C** Plan or DFE sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500
VERSO CORPORATION

**D** Employer Identification Number (EIN)
75-3217389

## 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: CLEARBRIDGE LARGE CAP GROWTH R2

**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): LEGG MASON/WESTERN ASSET

**c** EIN-PN 74-2007858-183 | **d** Entity code C | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 17196351

**a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: STATE STREET S&P 500 INDX FUND NL C

**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): STATE STREET GLOBAL ADVS

**c** EIN-PN 04-0025081-004 | **d** Entity code C | **e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 51291142

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

| SCHEDULE H (Form 5500) | Financial Information | OMB No. 1210-0110 |
|---|---|---|
| Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service<br>Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration<br>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation | This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), and section 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code).<br>▶ **File as an attachment to Form 5500.** | **2021**<br>**This Form is Open to Public Inspection** |

For calendar plan year 2021 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2021 and ending 12/31/2021

**A** Name of plan
VERSO CORPORATION RETIREMENT SAVINGS PLAN FOR NON UNION EMPLOYEES

**B** Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 001

**C** Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500
VERSO CORPORATION

**D** Employer Identification Number (EIN)
75-3217389

## 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 | 19763 | 9547 |
| **b** Receivables (less allowance for doubtful accounts): | | | |
| (1) Employer contributions | 1b(1) | 2789330 | 2976191 |
| (2) Participant contributions | 1b(2) | 346266 | 0 |
| (3) Other | 1b(3) | | |
| **c** General investments: | | | |
| (1) Interest-bearing cash (include money market accounts & certificates of deposit) | 1c(1) | 64486 | 6786 |
| (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) | 3247136 | 2764744 |
| (9) Value of interest in common/collective trusts | 1c(9) | 70233388 | 68487493 |
| (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) | 260810757 | 246536883 |
| (14) Value of funds held in insurance company general account (unallocated contracts) | 1c(14) | 33508558 | 27087137 |
| (15) Other | 1c(15) | 17010015 | 18280748 |

| | | (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 | 388029699 | 366149529 |
| **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 | 388029699 | 366149529 |

## 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) | 7144391 | |
| **(B)** Participants | 2a(1)(B) | 9647190 | |
| **(C)** Others (including rollovers) | 2a(1)(C) | 949891 | |
| **(2)** Noncash contributions | 2a(2) | | |
| **(3)** Total contributions. Add lines **2a(1)(A), (B), (C),** and line **2a(2)** | 2a(3) | | 17741472 |
| **b Earnings on investments:** | | | |
| **(1)** Interest: | | | |
| **(A)** Interest-bearing cash (including money market accounts and certificates of deposit) | 2b(1)(A) | | |
| **(B)** U.S. Government securities | 2b(1)(B) | | |
| **(C)** Corporate debt instruments | 2b(1)(C) | | |
| **(D)** Loans (other than to participants) | 2b(1)(D) | | |
| **(E)** Participant loans | 2b(1)(E) | 151670 | |
| **(F)** Other | 2b(1)(F) | 593040 | |
| **(G)** Total interest. Add lines **2b(1)(A)** through **(F)** | 2b(1)(G) | | 744710 |
| **(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) | 4921215 | |
| **(D)** Total dividends. Add lines **2b(2)(A)**, **(B)**, and **(C)** | 2b(2)(D) | | 4921215 |
| **(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) | | 15393660 |
| (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) | | 23431752 |
| c Other income | 2c | | 2277236 |
| d Total income. Add all **income** amounts in column (b) and enter total | 2d | | 64510045 |
| **Expenses** | | | |
| e Benefit payment and payments to provide benefits: | | | |
| (1) Directly to participants or beneficiaries, including direct rollovers | 2e(1) | 86013914 | |
| (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) | | 86013914 |
| f Corrective distributions (see instructions) | 2f | | 22581 |
| g Certain deemed distributions of participant loans (see instructions) | 2g | | |
| h Interest expense | 2h | | |
| i Administrative expenses: (1) Professional fees | 2i(1) | 8000 | |
| (2) Contract administrator fees | 2i(2) | | |
| (3) Investment advisory and management fees | 2i(3) | 183095 | |
| (4) Other | 2i(4) | 349692 | |
| (5) Total administrative expenses. Add lines **2i(1)** through **(4)** | 2i(5) | | 540787 |
| j Total expenses. Add all **expense** amounts in column (b) and enter total | 2j | | 86577282 |
| **Net Income and Reconciliation** | | | |
| k Net income (loss). Subtract line **2j** from line **2d** | 2k | | -22067237 |
| l Transfers of assets: | | | |
| (1) To this plan | 2l(1) | | 187067 |
| (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)** [X] Unmodified **(2)** [ ] Qualified **(3)** [ ] Disclaimer **(4)** [ ] Adverse

**b** Check the appropriate box(es) to indicate whether the IQPA performed an ERISA section 103(a)(3)(C) audit. Check both boxes (1) and (2) if the audit was performed pursuant to both 29 CFR 2520.103-8 and 29 CFR 2520.103-12(d). Check box (3) if pursuant to neither.

**(1)** [X] DOL Regulation 2520.103-8 **(2)** [ ] DOL Regulation 2520.103-12(d) **(3)** [ ] neither DOL Regulation 2520.103-8 nor DOL Regulation 2520.103-12(d).

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

**(1)** Name: CLARK, SCHAEFER, HACKETT & CO **(2)** EIN: 31-0800053

**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 | |

| | | | Yes | No | Amount |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 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 | |
| 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 | | 5000000 |
| 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** Was the plan a defined benefit plan covered under the PBGC insurance program at any time during this plan year? (See ERISA section 4021 and instructions.) ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Not determined
If "Yes" is checked, enter the My PAA confirmation number from the PBGC premium filing for this plan year _____.

| SCHEDULE R (Form 5500) | Retirement Plan Information | OMB No. 1210-0110 |
|---|---|---|
| Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service<br>Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration<br>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation | 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).<br>▶ **File as an attachment to Form 5500.** | **2021**<br>**This Form is Open to Public Inspection.** |

For calendar plan year 2021 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2021 and ending 12/31/2021

**A** Name of plan
VERSO CORPORATION RETIREMENT SAVINGS PLAN FOR NON UNION EMPLOYEES

**B** Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 001

**C** Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500
VERSO CORPORATION

**D** Employer Identification Number (EIN)
75-3217389

## 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** 235

## 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):

**a** Name of contributing employer

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

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

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

(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) _____

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

**a** Name of contributing employer

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

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

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

(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) _____

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

**a** Name of contributing employer

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

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

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

(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) _____

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

**a** Name of contributing employer

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

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

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

(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) _____

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

**a** Name of contributing employer

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

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

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

(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) _____

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

**14** Enter the number of deferred vested and retired participants (inactive participants), as of the beginning of the plan year, whose contributing employer is no longer making contributions to the plan for:

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| **a** The current plan year. Check the box to indicate the counting method used to determine the number of inactive participants: ☐ last contributing employer ☐ alternative ☐ reasonable approximation (see instructions for required attachment) | **14a** | |
| **b** The plan year immediately preceding the current plan year. ☐ Check the box if the number reported is a change from what was previously reported (see instructions for required attachment) | **14b** | |
| **c** The second preceding plan year. ☐ Check the box if the number reported is a change from what was previously reported (see instructions for required attachment) | **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_____

CLARK SCHAEFER HACKETT
BUSINESS ADVISORS

# Verso Corporation Retirement Savings Plan for Non Union Employees

Financial Statements and Supplemental Schedule

December 31, 2021 and 2020

with Independent Auditors' Report

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BUSINESS ADVISORS

**INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT**

To the Participants and Benefits Plan Administration Committee
Verso Corporation Retirement Savings Plan for Non Union Employees

**Scope and Nature of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) Audit for the 2021 Financial Statements**
We have performed an audit of the financial statements of Verso Corporation Retirement Savings Plan for Non Union Employees, an employee benefit plan subject to the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), as permitted by ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) (ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit). The financial statements comprise the statement of net assets available for benefits as of December 31, 2021, 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 (2021 Financial Statements).

Management, having determined it is permissible in the circumstances, has elected to have the audit of the 2021 Financial Statements performed in accordance with ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) pursuant to 29 CFR 2520.103-8 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. As permitted by ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C), our audit need not extend to any statements or information related to assets held for investment of the plan (investment information) by a bank or similar institution or insurance carrier that is regulated, supervised, and subject to periodic examination by a state or federal agency, provided that the statements or information regarding assets so held are prepared and certified to by the bank or similar institution or insurance carrier in accordance with 29 CFR 2520.103-5 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA (qualified institution).

Management has obtained a certification from a qualified institution as of and for the year ended December 31, 2021, stating that the certified investment information, as described in Note 3 to the financial statements, is complete and accurate.

**Opinion on the 2021 Financial Statements**
In our opinion, based on our audit and on the procedures performed as described in the Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the 2021 Financial Statements section:

- The amounts and disclosures in the accompanying 2021 Financial Statements, other than those agreed to or derived from the certified investment information, are presented fairly, in all material respects, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

- The information in the accompanying 2021 Financial Statements related to assets held by and certified to by a qualified institution agrees to, or is derived from, in all material respects, the information prepared and certified by an institution that management determined meets the requirements of ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C).

**Basis for Opinion on the 2021 Financial Statements**
We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAS). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the 2021 Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of Verso Corporation Retirement Savings Plan for Non Union Employees and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audits.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit opinion.

**Responsibilities of Management for the 2021 Financial Statements**
Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, and for 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. Management's election of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit does not affect management's responsibility for the financial statements.

In preparing the financial statements, management is required to evaluate whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about Verso Corporation Retirement Savings Plan for Non Union Employees' ability to continue as a going concern for one year after the date that the financial statements are available to be issued.

Management is also responsible for maintaining a current plan instrument, including all plan amendments, administering the plan, and determining that the plan's transactions that are presented and disclosed in the financial statements are in conformity with the plan's provisions, including maintaining sufficient records with respect to each of the participants, to determine the benefits due or which may become due to such participants.

**Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the 2021 Financial Statements**
Except as described in the Scope and Nature of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) Audit of the 2021 Financial Statements section of our report, our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditors' report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with GAAS will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Misstatements are considered material if, there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, they would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user based on the financial statements.

In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements.

- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of Verso Corporation Retirement Savings Plan for Non Union Employees' internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.

- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statements.

- Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about Verso Corporation Retirement Savings Plan for Non Union Employees' ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

Our audit did not extend to the certified investment information, except for obtaining and reading the certification, comparing the certified investment information with the related information presented and disclosed in the 2021 Financial Statements, and reading the disclosures relating to the certified investment information to assess whether they are in accordance with the presentation and disclosure requirements of accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Accordingly, the objective of an ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit is not to express an opinion about whether the financial statements as a whole are presented fairly, in all material respects, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit, significant audit findings, and certain internal control-related matters that we identified during the audit.

**Other Matters**

*2021 Supplemental Schedule Required by ERISA*

The supplemental schedule of assets (held at end of year) is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the financial statements but is supplementary information required by the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements. The information included in the supplemental schedule, other than that agreed to or derived from the certified investment information, has been subjected to auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with GAAS. For information included in the supplemental schedule that agreed to or is derived from the certified investment information, we compared such information to the related certified investment information.

In forming our opinion on the supplemental schedule, we evaluated whether the supplemental schedule, other than the information agreed to or derived from the certified investment information, including its form and content, is presented in conformity with the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.

In our opinion:

- The form and content of the supplemental schedule, other than the information in the supplemental schedule that agreed to or is derived from the certified investment information, are presented, in all material respects, in conformity with the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.

- The information in the supplemental schedule related to assets held by and certified to by a qualified institution agrees to, or is derived from, in all material respects, the information prepared and certified by an institution that management determined meets the requirements of ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C).

**Auditors' Report on the 2020 Financial Statements**
We were engaged to audit the 2020 financial statements of Verso Corporation Retirement Savings Plan for Non Union Employees. As permitted by 29 CFR 2520.103-8 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA, the plan administrator instructed us not to perform, and we did not perform, any auditing procedures with respect to the information certified by a qualified institution. In our report dated October 14, 2021, we indicated that (a) because of the significance of the information that we did not audit, we were not able to obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence to provide a basis for an audit opinion and accordingly, we did not express an opinion on the 2020 financial statements, and (b) the form and content of the information included in the 2020 financial statements other than that derived from the certified information were presented in compliance with the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.

Clark, Schaefer, Hackett & Co.

Dayton, Ohio
September 15, 2022

Verso Corporation Retirement Savings Plan for Non Union Employees
Statements of Net Assets Available for Benefits
December 31, 2021 and 2020

| | 2021 | 2020 |
|---|---|---|
| Assets: | | |
| Investments, at fair value: | | |
| Interest-bearing cash | $ 16,333 | $ 84,249 |
| Registered investment companies | 246,536,883 | 260,810,757 |
| Common/collective trusts | 68,487,493 | 70,233,388 |
| Self-directed brokerage accounts | 18,280,748 | 17,010,015 |
| | 333,321,457 | 348,138,409 |
| Investments, at contract value: | | |
| Guaranteed investment contract | 27,087,137 | 33,508,557 |
| Receivables: | | |
| Participant contributions | - | 346,266 |
| Employer contributions | 2,976,191 | 2,789,330 |
| Notes receivable from participants | 2,764,744 | 3,247,137 |
| | 5,740,935 | 6,382,733 |
| Net assets available for benefits | $ 366,149,529 | $ 388,029,699 |

See accompanying notes to the financial statements.

Verso Corporation Retirement Savings Plan for Non Union Employees
Statement of Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits
Year Ended December 31, 2021

| | |
|---|---|
| Additions: | |
| Interest and dividends | $ 5,514,255 |
| Net appreciation in fair value of investments | 41,102,648 |
| Investment expenses | (183,095) |
| | 46,433,808 |
| Interest income on notes receivable from participants | 151,670 |
| Contributions: | |
| Employer | 7,121,810 |
| Participants | 9,647,190 |
| Rollovers | 949,891 |
| | 17,718,891 |
| | 64,304,369 |
| Deductions: | |
| Benefits paid | 86,013,914 |
| Administrative expenses | 357,692 |
| | 86,371,606 |
| Net change | (22,067,237) |
| Net assets available for benefits: | |
| Beginning of year | 388,029,699 |
| Transfers in to plan | 196,205 |
| Transfers out of plan | (9,138) |
| End of year | $ 366,149,529 |

See accompanying notes to the financial statements.

## 1. DESCRIPTION OF THE PLAN:

The following description of the Verso Corporation Retirement Savings Plan for Non Union Employees (the "Plan") is provided for general information purposes only. The Plan is sponsored by Verso Corporation (the "Sponsor"). Participants should refer to the Plan document for a more complete description of the Plan's provisions.

### General

The Plan is a defined contribution 401(k) profit sharing retirement plan available to eligible employees of the Sponsor who are not temporary, seasonal or covered under a collective bargaining agreement. Employees are eligible to enter the Plan immediately. The Plan is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA). The Benefits Plan Administration Committee is responsible for oversight of the Plan. The Investment Policy Committee determines the appropriateness of the Plan's investment offerings and monitors investment performance.

### Contributions

The Plan includes an auto-enrollment provision whereby all newly eligible employees are automatically enrolled in the Plan unless they affirmatively elect not to participate in the Plan. Participants are permitted to defer up to 85% of their eligible compensation subject to the maximum amount permitted by law. 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 distributions from other qualified defined benefit or defined contribution plans (rollovers). Participants direct the investment of their contributions into various investment options offered by the Plan. Contributions are subject to certain limitations established by the Internal Revenue Code.

The Sponsor makes two types of contributions to participants of the Plan, discretionary matching contributions and a Discretionary Annual Contribution ("DAC"). A participant must be employed the last day of each year and work a minimum of 1,000 hours during the plan year to be eligible for the DAC contribution. Discretionary matching and DAC contributions totaled $4,443,445 and $2,678,365 for 2021, respectively.

### Participant accounts

Each participant's account is credited with the participant's contributions, Sponsor discretionary matching and DAC contributions, and Plan earnings. Participant accounts are charged $13 per quarter for administrative expenses. 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.

### Vesting

Participants are immediately vested in all employee and discretionary matching contributions plus earnings thereon. Participants are fully vested in DAC contributions after three years of credited service. Prior to three years of credited service, participants are 0% vested in their DAC contributions. Effective June 30, 2019, the Plan Sponsor amended the Plan to make participants who were involuntarily terminated as a result of the closure of the Verso Paper Mill in Luke, Maryland 100% vested in their account balances. Effective February 10, 2020, the Plan Sponsor amended the Plan to make employees of Verso Androscoggin, LLC under Pixelle divisions that were spun off into a successor plan, 100% vested in their account balances. Effective September 30, 2020, the Plan Sponsor amended the Plan to make participants who were involuntarily terminated as a result of the closure of the Verso Paper Mill in Duluth, Minnesota 100% vested in their account balances. Effective October 31, 2020, the Plan Sponsor amended the Plan to make participants who were involuntarily terminated as a result of the indefinite idling of the Verso Paper Mill in Wisconsin Rapids, Wisconsin 100% vested in their account balances.

**Notes receivable from participants**
Participants may borrow from their accounts up to a maximum of 50% of their vested account balance, but not to exceed $50,000. Participants are permitted to have no more than two loans outstanding at a time. Loan terms range from one to five years or up to 15 years for the purchase of a primary residence. The loans are secured by the balance in the participants' account and bear interest at a rate which must be commensurate with local prevailing rates and is determined by the Plan administrator at the time the loan is made. Principal and interest are paid ratably through payroll deductions.

**Payment of benefits**
Upon termination of employment, participants have the option to leave their balance in their account (if the balance is greater than $1,000) or receive lump-sum or installment distributions. Participants may also make certain in-service withdrawals from the Plan such as hardship and post age 59 ½ withdrawals.

**Forfeitures**
Forfeitures of non-vested sponsor contributions may be used to restore the amount of previous forfeitures for rehired participants with separations of service of less than five years, to reduce the amount of Plan Sponsor contributions, or to pay the cost of administering the Plan. For the year ended December 31, 2021, forfeited non-vested accounts in the amount of $134,440 were used for the purposes described above. At December 31, 2021 and 2020, forfeited non-vested accounts totaled $6,786 and $64,256, respectively.

## 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES:

**Basis of accounting**
The financial statements of the Plan are prepared using 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 the plan administrator to make estimates and assumptions that affect certain 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**
Investments are reported at fair value (except for fully-benefit responsive investment contracts, which are reported at contract value). Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. See Note 4 for 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. Dividends are recorded on the ex-dividend date. Net appreciation includes the Plan's gains and losses on investments bought and sold as well as held during the year.

**Notes receivable from participants**
Notes receivable from participants are measured at their unpaid principal balance. 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, 2021 or 2020. If a participant ceases to make loan repayments and the plan administrator deems the participant loan to be in default, the participant loan balance is reduced, and a benefit payment is recorded.

**Payment of benefits**
Benefits are recorded when paid.

**Administrative expenses**
Certain expenses of maintaining the Plan are paid directly by the Sponsor and are excluded from these financial statements. Fees related to distributions and the administration of notes receivable from participants are charged directly to the participant's account and are included in administrative expenses. Investment-related expenses and other plan administration expenses are included in investment income and are charged to participant accounts based on their account balances.

**Subsequent events**
The Plan has evaluated subsequent events through September 15, 2022, the date the financial statements were available to be issued.

## 3. INFORMATION PREPARED AND CERTIFIED BY TRUSTEE:

Plan management has elected the method of compliance permitted by 29 CFR2520.103-8 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. Accordingly, State Street Bank and Trust Company ("State Street") has certified the completeness and accuracy of all investments reflected on the accompanying statements of net assets available for benefits as of December 31, 2021 and 2020, and the supplemental schedule of assets (held at end of year) as of December 31, 2021; the related investment activity reflected in the statement of changes in net assets available for benefits for the year ended December 31, 2021.

## 4. FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS:

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

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

Level 2: Inputs to the valuation methodology include:

- Quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities in active markets;
- Quoted prices for identical or similar assets or liabilities in inactive markets;
- Inputs other than quoted prices that are observable for the asset or liability;
- Inputs that are derived principally from or corroborated by observable market data by correlation or other means. If the asset or liability has a specified (contractual) term, the Level 2 input must be observable for substantially the full term of the asset or liability.

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

The asset 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.

Following is a description of the valuation methodologies used for assets measured at fair value. There have been no changes in the methodologies used at December 31, 2021 and 2020.

Interest-bearing cash: Valued at cost which approximates fair value.

Registered investment companies: Valued at the daily closing price as reported by the fund. The funds held by the Plan are registered with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission. These funds are required to publish their daily net asset value ("NAV") per share and to transact at that price. The registered investment companies held by the Plan are deemed to be actively traded.

Common/collective trusts: These investments do not have a readily determinable fair value. As permitted by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, the Plan has valued such investments at NAV as a practical expedient to estimate fair value. The NAV per share, as provided by the investment manager, is based on the underlying net assets owned by the fund, divided by the number of shares outstanding. This practical expedient would not be used if it is determined to be probable that the Plan will sell the investment for an amount different from the reported NAV.

Self-directed brokerage accounts: Accounts primarily consist of mutual funds and common stocks that are valued on the basis of readily determinable market prices.

The following tables set forth by level, within the fair value hierarchy, a summary of the Plan's assets that were measured at fair value on a recurring basis as of December 31, 2021 and 2020:

| | Assets at Fair Value at December 31, 2021 | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | **Level 1** | **Level 2** | **Level 3** | **Assets at NAV** | **Total** |
| Interest-bearing cash | $ 16,333 | - | - | - | 16,333 |
| Registered investment companies | 246,536,883 | - | - | - | 246,536,883 |
| Common/collective trusts | - | - | - | 68,487,493 | 68,487,493 |
| Self-directed brokerage accounts | 18,280,748 | - | - | - | 18,280,748 |
| Total | $ 264,833,964 | - | - | 68,487,493 | 333,321,457 |

| | Assets at Fair Value at December 31, 2020 | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | **Level 1** | **Level 2** | **Level 3** | **Assets at NAV** | **Total** |
| Interest-bearing cash | $ 84,249 | - | - | - | 84,249 |
| Registered investment companies | 260,810,757 | - | - | - | 260,810,757 |
| Common/collective trusts | - | - | - | 70,233,388 | 70,233,388 |
| Self-directed brokerage accounts | 17,010,015 | - | - | - | 17,010,015 |
| Total | $ 277,905,021 | - | - | 70,233,388 | 348,138,409 |

The table below sets forth the fair value and redemption frequency for those assets whose fair value is estimated using net asset value per share as of December 31, 2021:

| Investment | Fair Value | Unfunded Commitment | Redemption Frequency | Redemption Notice Period |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Common/Collective trusts: | | | | |
| State Street S&P 500 Index Fund NL Class N | $ 51,291,142 | - | Daily | 1 day |
| Clearbridge Large Cap Growth R2 | 17,196,351 | - | Daily | 1 day |
| | $ 68,487,493 | | | |

The table below sets forth the fair value and redemption frequency for those assets whose fair value is estimated using net asset value per share as of December 31, 2020:

| Investment | Fair Value | Unfunded Commitment | Redemption Frequency | Redemption Notice Period |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Common/Collective trusts: | | | | |
| State Street S&P 500 Index Fund NL Class N | $ 46,105,659 | - | Daily | 1 day |
| Clearbridge Large Cap Growth R2 | 24,127,729 | - | Daily | 1 day |
| | $ 70,233,388 | | | |

The common/collective trusts held by the Plan are direct filing entities ("DFE"). The Plan is not required to disclose the investment strategies of DFEs that file a Form 5500 annual report directly with the U.S. Department of Labor.

## 5. GUARANTEED INVESTMENT CONTRACT:

The Plan holds a traditional fully benefit-responsive guaranteed investment contract with New York Life Insurance Company ("New York Life"), which totaled $27,087,137 and $33,508,557 at December 31, 2021 and 2020, respectively. New York Life maintains the contributions in a general account. The account is credited with earnings on the underlying investments and charged for participant withdrawals and administrative expenses. The contract issuer is contractually obligated to repay the principal and specified interest rate that is guaranteed to the Plan. The crediting rate is reviewed on a quarterly basis for resetting. The guaranteed investment contract does not permit the insurance company to terminate the agreement prior to the scheduled maturity date.

The contract meets the fully benefit-responsive investment contract criteria and therefore is reported at contract value. Contract value is the relevant measure for fully-benefit responsive investment contracts because this is the amount received by the participants if they were to initiate permitted transactions under the terms of the Plan. Contract value, as reported to the Plan by New York Life, represents contributions made under the contract, plus earnings, less participant withdrawals, and administrative expenses. Participants may ordinarily direct the withdrawal or transfer of all or a portion of their investment at contract value.

The Plan's ability to receive amounts due is dependent on the issuer's ability to meet its financial obligations. The issuer's ability to meet its contractual obligations may be affected by future economic and regulatory developments.

Certain events might limit the ability of the Plan to transact at contract value with the issuer. Such events include (1) amendments to the Plan documents (including complete or partial Plan termination or merger with another plan), (2) changes to the Plan's prohibition on competing investment options or deletion of equity wash provisions, (3) bankruptcy of the Plan sponsor or other plan sponsor events (for example, divestitures or spin-offs of a subsidiary) that cause a significant withdrawal from the Plan, or (4) the failure to trust to qualify for exemption from federal income taxes or any required prohibited transaction exemption under ERISA, (5) premature termination of the contract. No events are probable of occurring that might limit the ability of the Plan to transact at contract value with participants.

In addition, certain events allow the issuer to terminate the contract with the Plan and settle at an amount different from contract value. Such events include (1) an uncured violation of the Plan's investment guidelines, (2) a breach of material obligation under the contract, (3) a material misrepresentation, (4) a material amendment to the agreement without consent of the user.

## 6. RELATED PARTY AND PARTY IN INTEREST TRANSACTIONS:

Certain Plan investments are managed by State Street Bank and Trust Company, the trustee; therefore, these transactions qualify as party-in-interest transactions.

## 7. TRANSFERS:

Certain transfers of assets between the Plan and the Verso Retirement Savings Plan for Bargained Employees occurred due to eligible employees changing to positions covered under a collective bargaining agreement. Transfers for the year ended December 31, 2021 were as follows:

| | |
|---|---|
| Transfers in to Plan from Verso Retirement Savings Plan for Bargained Employees | $ 196,205 |
| Transfers out of Plan to Verso Retirement Savings Plan for Bargained Employees | $ (9,138) |

## 8. PLAN TERMINATION:

Although it has not expressed any intent to do so, the Sponsor has the right to terminate the Plan subject to the provisions of ERISA. In the event of Plan termination, all benefits will be distributed to participants and beneficiaries in proportion to their respective account balances.

## 9. TAX STATUS:

The Sponsor has adopted a volume submitter Plan document which received a favorable opinion letter from the Internal Revenue Service ("IRS") dated March 31, 2014. The IRS stated in the letter that the Plan, as then designed, was in compliance with the applicable requirements of the Internal Revenue Code ("IRC"). The Plan has since been amended. While the Sponsor has not obtained its own determination letter on the Plan, management believes that the Plan currently is designed and being operated in compliance with the applicable requirements of the IRC. Therefore, no provision for income taxes has been included in the Plan's financial statements.

## 10. 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 value of investment securities will occur in the near term and that such changes could materially affect the amounts reported in the statements of net assets available for benefits.

## 11. PLAN OPERATIONS IMPACTED BY COVID-19:

On March 11, 2020, the World Health Organization declared the novel coronavirus (COVID-19) outbreak a pandemic which has impacted the financial markets and global economy. The COVID-19 pandemic is on-going and the duration and extent of the related financial impact on the Plan's net assets available for benefits and changes in net assets available is uncertain and cannot be reasonably estimated at this time.

On March 27, 2020, the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act was signed into law. The CARES Act provided temporary relief for retirement plan sponsors and their participants with respect to distributions and participant loans during 2020. The provisions of the CARES Act could be effective and operationalized immediately, prior to amending the plan document.

The Plan Administrator has adopted the distribution relief provisions included in the CARES Act which permitted qualified individuals to request a pre-approved distribution, through participant self-certification of eligibility. The maximum dollar amount that could be requested per participant was $100,000 through December 30, 2020. The Organization intends to formally amend the Plan before the end of the applicable remedial amendment period to reflect such provisions.

## 12. SUBSEQUENT EVENT:

On December 19, 2021, the Sponsor entered into an Agreement and Plan of Merger with BillerudKorsnäs Inc., a Delaware Corporation ("Parent"), West Acquisition Merger Sub Inc., a Delaware Corporation and a wholly owned subsidiary of Parent, and BillerudKorsnäs AB, a Swedish limited company. The merger closed on March 31, 2022.

# SUPPLEMENTAL SCHEDULE

| ( a ) | ( b ) Issuer | ( c ) Description of Investment | ( d ) Cost | ( e ) Current Value |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| * State Street Bank and Trust Company | | | | |
| | | Cash reserve account | ** | $ 16,333 |
| | | Unallocated Insurance Contract: | | |
| | | NYL Guaranteed Interest Account | ** | 27,087,137 |
| | | Common/collective trusts: | | |
| * | | State Street S&P 500 Index Fund NL Class N | ** | 51,291,142 |
| | | ClearBridge Large Cap Growth R2 | ** | 17,196,351 |
| | | | | 68,487,493 |
| | | Registered Investment Companies: | | |
| | | American Funds Target Date Retirement 2010 R6 | ** | 393,350 |
| | | American Funds Target Date Retirement 2015 R6 | ** | 50,803 |
| | | American Funds Target Date Retirement 2020 R6 | ** | 8,759,434 |
| | | American Funds Target Date Retirement 2025 R6 | ** | 12,468,492 |
| | | American Funds Target Date Retirement 2030 R6 | ** | 10,665,093 |
| | | American Funds Target Date Retirement 2035 R6 | ** | 7,962,157 |
| | | American Funds Target Date Retirement 2040 R6 | ** | 3,470,077 |
| | | American Funds Target Date Retirement 2045 R6 | ** | 1,815,005 |
| | | American Funds Target Date Retirement 2050 R6 | ** | 1,275,638 |
| | | American Funds Target Date Retirement 2055 R6 | ** | 2,186,760 |
| | | Cohen & Steers Real Estate Securities Z | ** | 11,350,592 |
| | | DFA Emerging Markets I | ** | 9,582,874 |
| | | Franklin Intl Growth R6 | ** | 11,203,307 |
| | | Goldman Sachs Intl Eq Insghts R6 | ** | 18,242,667 |
| | | Janus Enterprise N | ** | 16,901,315 |
| | | John Hancock Disciplined Value Mid Cap I | ** | 12,007,904 |
| | | PGIM High Yield R6 | ** | 8,126,163 |
| | | Putnam Equity Income R6 | ** | 26,454,658 |
| | | Vanguard Growth Index Adm | ** | 8,589,474 |
| | | Vanguard Intermediate Term Bond Index Inst | ** | 40,421,104 |
| | | Vanguard Small Cap Index Inst | ** | 15,934,637 |
| | | Western Asset Core Plus Bond IS | ** | 18,675,379 |
| | | | | 246,536,883 |
| | | Self-directed brokerage accounts | ** | 18,280,748 |

| ( a ) | ( b ) Issuer | ( c ) Description of Investment | ( d ) Cost | ( e ) Current Value |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| * | Loans to various plan participants - at various maturity dates and interest rates ranging from 3.25% to 6.50% | | - | 2,764,744 |
| | | | | $ 363,173,338 |

* Party-in-interest
** Cost information is not required as Plan is participant directed

# Schedule C, Line 2(h) Formula Descriptions

**Verso Corporation Retirement Savings Plan for Non Union Employees**
**EIN No.: 75-3217389, Plan No. 001**
**Plan Year Ending: 12/31/2021**

**Indirect Compensation in the form of revenue sharing was paid to the following Service Providers:**

NATIONAL FINANCIAL SERVICES 04-3523567

Revenue amounts are shown in annualized basis points of plan assets invested in applicable fund

| Fund Family | Fund Name | Start Date | End Date | Revenue to National Financial Services |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| DFA-DIMENSIONAL | DFA EMERGING MARKETS | 1/1/2021 | 12/31/2021 | 0.060 |
| JOHN HANCOCK | JHANCOCK DISPL VAL MIDCAP I | 1/1/2021 | 12/31/2021 | 0.300 |

**Verso Corporation Retirement Savings Plan for Non Union Employees**
**EIN No.: 75-3217389, Plan No. 001**
**Schedule H, Line 4i - Schedule of Assets**
**Plan Year Ending: 12/31/2021**

| (a) | (b) Identity of Issuer, Borrower, Lessor or Similar Party | (c) Description of Investment, Including Maturity Date, Rate of Interest, Par or Maturity Value | (d) CURRENT VALUE |
|---|---|---|---|
| * | State Street Bank & Trust Co. | Cash Reserve Account | **$ 16,333** |
| | New York Life | NYL Guaranteed Interest Account | $ 27,087,137 |
| | | **Stable Fund Total** | **$ 27,087,137** |
| | Legg Mason/Western Asset | ClearBridge Large Cap Growth R2 | $ 17,196,351 |
| | State Street Global Advisors | State Street S&P 500 Indx Fd NL Cl N | $ 51,291,142 |
| | | **Collective Trust Total** | **$ 68,487,493** |
| | Charles Schwab Instl | Personal Choice Retment Account | $ 18,280,748 |
| | | **Other Fund Total** | **$ 18,280,748** |
| | American Funds | American Funds 2010 Trgt Dt Ret R6 | $ 393,350 |
| | American Funds | American Funds 2015 Trgt Dt Ret R6 | $ 50,803 |
| | American Funds | American Funds 2020 Trgt Dt Ret R6 | $ 8,759,434 |
| | American Funds | American Funds 2025 Trgt Dt Ret R6 | $ 12,468,492 |
| | American Funds | American Funds 2030 Trgt Dt Ret R6 | $ 10,665,093 |
| | American Funds | American Funds 2035 Trgt Dt Ret R6 | $ 7,962,157 |
| | American Funds | American Funds 2040 Trgt Dt Ret R6 | $ 3,470,077 |
| | American Funds | American Funds 2045 Trgt Dt Ret R6 | $ 1,815,005 |
| | American Funds | American Funds 2050 Trgt Dt Ret R6 | $ 1,275,638 |
| | American Funds | American Funds 2055 Trgt Dt Ret R6 | $ 2,186,760 |
| | Cohen & Steers | Cohen & Steers Real Estate Sec Z | $ 11,350,592 |
| | Dimensional | DFA Emerging Markets I | $ 9,582,874 |
| | Franklin | Franklin Intl Growth R6 | $ 11,203,307 |
| | Goldman Sachs | Goldman Sachs Intl Eq Insghts R6 | $ 18,242,667 |
| | Janus | Janus Henderson Enterprise N | $ 16,901,315 |
| | John Hancock | JHancock3 Disciplined Val Mid Cap I | $ 12,007,904 |
| | Prudential | PGIM High Yield R6 | $ 8,126,163 |
| | Putnam | Putnam Large Cap Value R6 | $ 26,454,658 |
| | Vanguard | Vanguard Growth Index Instl | $ 8,589,474 |
| | Vanguard | Vanguard InTrmed-Trm Bd Idx Ins Plus | $ 40,421,104 |
| | Vanguard | Vanguard Small Cap Index Inst | $ 15,934,637 |
| | Legg Mason/Western Asset | Western Asset Core Plus Bond IS | $ 18,675,379 |
| | | **Mutual Fund Total** | **$ 246,536,883** |
| * | Participants | Notes Receivable with interest rates of 3.25% to 6.50% | **$ 2,761,344** |
| | | **TOTAL PLAN ASSETS** | **$ 363,169,938** |

* Indicates Party-In-Interest to the Plan