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| <b>Form 5500</b><br><br>Department of the Treasury<br>Internal Revenue Service<br><br>Department of Labor<br>Employee Benefits Security<br>Administration<br><br>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation | <b>Annual Return/Report of Employee Benefit Plan</b><br>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><br><p style="text-align: center;">▶ <b>Complete all entries in accordance with the instructions to the Form 5500.</b></p> | OMB Nos. 1210-0110<br>1210-0089<br><br><b>2021</b><br><br><b>This Form is Open to Public Inspection</b> |
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| <b>Part I</b>                                                                                             | <b>Annual Report Identification Information</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| For calendar plan year 2021 or fiscal plan year beginning <u>01/01/2021</u> and ending <u>12/31/2021</u>  |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <b>A</b> This return/report is for:                                                                       | <input type="checkbox"/> a multiemployer plan <input type="checkbox"/> a multiple-employer plan (Filers checking this box must attach a list of participating employer information in accordance with the form instructions.)<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> a single-employer plan <input type="checkbox"/> a DFE (specify) _____ |
| <b>B</b> This return/report is:                                                                           | <input type="checkbox"/> the first return/report <input type="checkbox"/> the final return/report<br><input type="checkbox"/> an amended return/report <input type="checkbox"/> a short plan year return/report (less than 12 months)                                                                                                      |
| <b>C</b> If the plan is a collectively-bargained plan, check here. . . . .                                | <input type="checkbox"/>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| <b>D</b> Check box if filing under:                                                                       | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form 5558 <input type="checkbox"/> automatic extension <input type="checkbox"/> the DFVC program<br><input type="checkbox"/> special extension (enter description)                                                                                                                                     |
| <b>E</b> If this is a retroactively adopted plan permitted by SECURE Act section 201, check here. . . . . | <input type="checkbox"/>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |

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| <b>Part II</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | <b>Basic Plan Information—enter all requested information</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |                                                                     |                                                                  |                                                             |  |
| <b>1a</b> Name of plan<br><u>SAIA MOTOR FREIGHT LINE LLC 401K PLAN</u>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 80%;"><b>1b</b> Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶</td> <td style="width: 20%; text-align: center;"><u>001</u></td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2"><b>1c</b> Effective date of plan<br/><u>12/31/1970</u></td> </tr> </table>                             | <b>1b</b> Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶                            | <u>001</u>                                                       | <b>1c</b> Effective date of plan<br><u>12/31/1970</u>       |  |
| <b>1b</b> Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | <u>001</u>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                     |                                                                  |                                                             |  |
| <b>1c</b> Effective date of plan<br><u>12/31/1970</u>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |                                                                     |                                                                  |                                                             |  |
| <b>2a</b> Plan sponsor's name (employer, if for a single-employer plan)<br>Mailing address (include room, apt., suite no. and street, or P.O. Box)<br>City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code (if foreign, see instructions)<br><u>SAIA MOTOR FREIGHT LINE LLC</u><br><br><u>11465 JOHNS CREEK PARKWAY</u><br><u>SUITE 400</u><br><u>JOHNS CREEK, GA 30097</u> | <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td><b>2b</b> Employer Identification Number (EIN)<br/><u>72-0524060</u></td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>2c</b> Plan Sponsor's telephone number<br/><u>985-868-1030</u></td> </tr> <tr> <td><b>2d</b> Business code (see instructions)<br/><u>484110</u></td> </tr> </table> | <b>2b</b> Employer Identification Number (EIN)<br><u>72-0524060</u> | <b>2c</b> Plan Sponsor's telephone number<br><u>985-868-1030</u> | <b>2d</b> Business code (see instructions)<br><u>484110</u> |  |
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**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.

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| <b>SIGN HERE</b> | Filed with authorized/valid electronic signature. | 10/13/2022 | MISTY KYLE                                                   |
|                  | Signature of plan administrator                   | Date       | Enter name of individual signing as plan administrator       |
| <b>SIGN HERE</b> |                                                   |            |                                                              |
|                  | Signature of employer/plan sponsor                | Date       | Enter name of individual signing as employer or plan sponsor |
| <b>SIGN HERE</b> |                                                   |            |                                                              |
|                  | Signature of DFE                                  | Date       | Enter name of individual signing as DFE                      |

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| <b>3a</b> Plan administrator's name and address <input type="checkbox"/> Same as Plan Sponsor<br><br>SAIA MOTOR FREIGHT LINE LLC<br><br>11465 JOHNS CREEK PARK<br>SUITE 400<br>JOHNS CREEK, GA 30097                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | <b>3b</b> Administrator's EIN<br>72-0524060<br><br><b>3c</b> Administrator's telephone number<br>985-868-1030                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| <b>4</b> 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:<br><b>a</b> Sponsor's name<br><b>c</b> Plan Name                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | <b>4b</b> EIN<br><br><b>4d</b> PN                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| <b>5</b> Total number of participants at the beginning of the plan year                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | <b>5</b> 11525                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| <b>6</b> Number of participants as of the end of the plan year unless otherwise stated (welfare plans complete only lines <b>6a(1)</b> , <b>6a(2)</b> , <b>6b</b> , <b>6c</b> , and <b>6d</b> ).<br><br><b>a(1)</b> Total number of active participants at the beginning of the plan year.....<br><b>a(2)</b> Total number of active participants at the end of the plan year .....<br><b>b</b> Retired or separated participants receiving benefits.....<br><b>c</b> Other retired or separated participants entitled to future benefits .....<br><b>d</b> Subtotal. Add lines <b>6a(2)</b> , <b>6b</b> , and <b>6c</b> .....<br><b>e</b> Deceased participants whose beneficiaries are receiving or are entitled to receive benefits. ....<br><b>f</b> Total. Add lines <b>6d</b> and <b>6e</b> .....<br><b>g</b> Number of participants with account balances as of the end of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item) .....<br><b>h</b> Number of participants who terminated employment during the plan year with accrued benefits that were less than 100% vested ..... |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | <div style="background-color: #cccccc; height: 20px; margin-bottom: 5px;"></div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; border-bottom: 1px solid black; margin-bottom: 5px;"> <span><b>6a(1)</b></span> <span>10651</span> </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; border-bottom: 1px solid black; margin-bottom: 5px;"> <span><b>6a(2)</b></span> <span>11619</span> </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; border-bottom: 1px solid black; margin-bottom: 5px;"> <span><b>6b</b></span> <span>46</span> </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; border-bottom: 1px solid black; margin-bottom: 5px;"> <span><b>6c</b></span> <span>865</span> </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; border-bottom: 1px solid black; margin-bottom: 5px;"> <span><b>6d</b></span> <span>12530</span> </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; border-bottom: 1px solid black; margin-bottom: 5px;"> <span><b>6e</b></span> <span>30</span> </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; border-bottom: 1px solid black; margin-bottom: 5px;"> <span><b>6f</b></span> <span>12560</span> </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; border-bottom: 1px solid black; margin-bottom: 5px;"> <span><b>6g</b></span> <span>7369</span> </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; border-bottom: 1px solid black;"> <span><b>6h</b></span> <span>1</span> </div> |
| <b>7</b> Enter the total number of employers obligated to contribute to the plan (only multiemployer plans complete this item).....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | <b>7</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| <b>8a</b> If the plan provides pension benefits, enter the applicable pension feature codes from the List of Plan Characteristics Codes in the instructions:<br>2G 2J 2E 2K<br><br><b>b</b> If the plan provides welfare benefits, enter the applicable welfare feature codes from the List of Plan Characteristics Codes in the instructions:                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| <b>9a</b> Plan funding arrangement (check all that apply)<br>(1) <input type="checkbox"/> Insurance<br>(2) <input type="checkbox"/> Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts<br>(3) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Trust<br>(4) <input type="checkbox"/> General assets of the sponsor                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | <b>9b</b> Plan benefit arrangement (check all that apply)<br>(1) <input type="checkbox"/> Insurance<br>(2) <input type="checkbox"/> Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts<br>(3) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Trust<br>(4) <input type="checkbox"/> General assets of the sponsor                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| <b>10</b> Check all applicable boxes in 10a and 10b to indicate which schedules are attached, and, where indicated, enter the number attached. (See instructions)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| <b>a Pension Schedules</b><br>(1) <input type="checkbox"/> <b>R</b> (Retirement Plan Information)<br><br>(2) <input type="checkbox"/> <b>MB</b> (Multiemployer Defined Benefit Plan and Certain Money Purchase Plan Actuarial Information) - signed by the plan actuary<br><br>(3) <input type="checkbox"/> <b>SB</b> (Single-Employer Defined Benefit Plan Actuarial Information) - signed by the plan actuary                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | <b>b General Schedules</b><br>(1) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>H</b> (Financial Information)<br>(2) <input type="checkbox"/> <b>I</b> (Financial Information – Small Plan)<br>(3) <input type="checkbox"/> <u>0</u> <b>A</b> (Insurance Information)<br>(4) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>C</b> (Service Provider Information)<br>(5) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>D</b> (DFE/Participating Plan Information)<br>(6) <input type="checkbox"/> <b>G</b> (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 \_\_\_\_\_

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| <b>SCHEDULE C<br/>(Form 5500)</b><br><br>Department of the Treasury<br>Internal Revenue Service<br><br>Department of Labor<br>Employee Benefits Security Administration<br><br>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation | <b>Service Provider Information</b><br><br>This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).<br><br>▶ <b>File as an attachment to Form 5500.</b> | OMB No. 1210-0110                              |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | <b>2021</b>                                    |
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| For calendar plan year 2021 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2021 and ending 12/31/2021   |                                                             |     |
| <b>A</b> Name of plan<br>SAIA MOTOR FREIGHT LINE LLC 401K PLAN                               | <b>B</b> Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶                     | 001 |
|                                                                                              |                                                             |     |
| <b>C</b> Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500<br>SAIA MOTOR FREIGHT LINE LLC | <b>D</b> Employer Identification Number (EIN)<br>72-0524060 |     |

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

**1 Information on Persons Receiving Only Eligible Indirect Compensation**

- a** Check "Yes" or "No" to indicate whether you are excluding a person from the remainder of this Part because they received only eligible indirect compensation for which the plan received the required disclosures (see instructions for definitions and conditions)..... ☒ Yes ☐ No
- b** If you answered line 1a "Yes," enter the name and EIN or address of each person providing the required disclosures for the service providers who received only eligible indirect compensation. Complete as many entries as needed (see instructions).

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

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

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| (b)<br>Service Code(s) | (c)<br>Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest | (d)<br>Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-. | (e)<br>Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor) | (f)<br>Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures? | (g)<br>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)<br>Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount? |
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| 27                     | ADVISOR                                                                                           | 137181                                                                 | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>                                  | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>                                                                       |                                                                                                                                                                                 | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>                                     |

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

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| (b)<br>Service Code(s) | (c)<br>Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest | (d)<br>Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-. | (e)<br>Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor) | (f)<br>Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures? | (g)<br>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)<br>Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount? |
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| 28                     | CONSULTANT                                                                                        | 80000                                                                  | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>                                  | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>                                                                       |                                                                                                                                                                                 | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>                                     |

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

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| (b)<br>Service Code(s) | (c)<br>Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest | (d)<br>Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-. | (e)<br>Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor) | (f)<br>Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures? | (g)<br>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)<br>Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount? |
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| 10                     | AUDITOR/ACCOUNTANT                                                                                | 21000                                                                  | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>                                  | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>                                                                       |                                                                                                                                                                                 | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>                                     |

**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)

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| 64 37 65               | RECORDKEEPER                                                                                      | -5528                                                                  | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>                                  | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>                                                                       |                                                                                                                                                                                 | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>                                     |

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|                        |                                                                                                   |                                                                        | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>                                             | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>                                                                       |                                                                                                                                                                                 | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>                                     |

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

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

**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<br>(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<br>(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<br>(see instructions)                                                                                                                            | (c) Enter amount of indirect compensation |
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| (d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation | (e) Describe the indirect compensation, including any formula used to determine the service provider's eligibility for or the amount of the indirect compensation. |                                           |
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**Part II Service Providers Who Fail or Refuse to Provide Information**

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

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

|                    |                     |
|--------------------|---------------------|
| <b>a</b> Name:     | <b>b</b> EIN:       |
| <b>c</b> Position: |                     |
| <b>d</b> Address:  | <b>e</b> Telephone: |
|                    |                     |

Explanation:

|                    |                     |
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| <b>a</b> Name:     | <b>b</b> EIN:       |
| <b>c</b> Position: |                     |
| <b>d</b> Address:  | <b>e</b> Telephone: |
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Explanation:

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| <b>a</b> Name:     | <b>b</b> EIN:       |
| <b>c</b> Position: |                     |
| <b>d</b> Address:  | <b>e</b> Telephone: |
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Explanation:

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| <b>a</b> Name:     | <b>b</b> EIN:       |
| <b>c</b> Position: |                     |
| <b>d</b> Address:  | <b>e</b> Telephone: |
|                    |                     |

Explanation:

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| <b>a</b> Name:     | <b>b</b> EIN:       |
| <b>c</b> Position: |                     |
| <b>d</b> Address:  | <b>e</b> Telephone: |
|                    |                     |

Explanation:



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

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

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

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

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| <b>SCHEDULE H</b><br><b>(Form 5500)</b><br><br><small>Department of the Treasury<br/>Internal Revenue Service</small><br><br><small>Department of Labor<br/>Employee Benefits Security Administration</small><br><br><small>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation</small> | <b>Financial Information</b><br><br>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><br><b>► File as an attachment to Form 5500.</b> | <small>OMB No. 1210-0110</small><br><br><b>2021</b><br><br><b>This Form is Open to Public Inspection</b> |
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| For calendar plan year 2021 or fiscal plan year beginning <b>01/01/2021</b> and ending <b>12/31/2021</b> |                                                                    |            |
| <b>A</b> Name of plan<br><b>SAIA MOTOR FREIGHT LINE LLC 401K PLAN</b>                                    | <b>B</b> Three-digit plan number (PN) ►                            | <b>001</b> |
| <b>C</b> Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500<br><b>SAIA MOTOR FREIGHT LINE LLC</b>      | <b>D</b> Employer Identification Number (EIN)<br><b>72-0524060</b> |            |

|               |                                      |
|---------------|--------------------------------------|
| <b>Part I</b> | <b>Asset and Liability Statement</b> |
|---------------|--------------------------------------|

**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 |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| <b>a</b> Total noninterest-bearing cash.....                                                      | <b>1a</b>       |                       |                 |
| <b>b</b> Receivables (less allowance for doubtful accounts):                                      |                 |                       |                 |
| <b>(1)</b> Employer contributions .....                                                           | <b>1b(1)</b>    | 0                     | 0               |
| <b>(2)</b> Participant contributions.....                                                         | <b>1b(2)</b>    | 0                     | 0               |
| <b>(3)</b> Other .....                                                                            | <b>1b(3)</b>    |                       |                 |
| <b>c</b> General investments:                                                                     |                 |                       |                 |
| <b>(1)</b> Interest-bearing cash (include money market accounts & certificates of deposit) .....  | <b>1c(1)</b>    | 28150280              | 27867292        |
| <b>(2)</b> U.S. Government securities .....                                                       | <b>1c(2)</b>    |                       |                 |
| <b>(3)</b> Corporate debt instruments (other than employer securities):                           |                 |                       |                 |
| <b>(A)</b> Preferred .....                                                                        | <b>1c(3)(A)</b> |                       |                 |
| <b>(B)</b> All other .....                                                                        | <b>1c(3)(B)</b> |                       |                 |
| <b>(4)</b> Corporate stocks (other than employer securities):                                     |                 |                       |                 |
| <b>(A)</b> Preferred .....                                                                        | <b>1c(4)(A)</b> |                       |                 |
| <b>(B)</b> Common .....                                                                           | <b>1c(4)(B)</b> |                       |                 |
| <b>(5)</b> Partnership/joint venture interests .....                                              | <b>1c(5)</b>    |                       |                 |
| <b>(6)</b> Real estate (other than employer real property) .....                                  | <b>1c(6)</b>    |                       |                 |
| <b>(7)</b> Loans (other than to participants) .....                                               | <b>1c(7)</b>    |                       |                 |
| <b>(8)</b> Participant loans .....                                                                | <b>1c(8)</b>    | 23469644              | 24193886        |
| <b>(9)</b> Value of interest in common/collective trusts .....                                    | <b>1c(9)</b>    | 9479084               | 9177727         |
| <b>(10)</b> Value of interest in pooled separate accounts .....                                   | <b>1c(10)</b>   |                       |                 |
| <b>(11)</b> Value of interest in master trust investment accounts .....                           | <b>1c(11)</b>   |                       |                 |
| <b>(12)</b> Value of interest in 103-12 investment entities .....                                 | <b>1c(12)</b>   |                       |                 |
| <b>(13)</b> Value of interest in registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds) .....       | <b>1c(13)</b>   | 411590052             | 484318696       |
| <b>(14)</b> Value of funds held in insurance company general account (unallocated contracts)..... | <b>1c(14)</b>   |                       |                 |
| <b>(15)</b> Other.....                                                                            | <b>1c(15)</b>   |                       |                 |

|                    |                                                                  | (a) Beginning of Year | (b) End of Year     |
|--------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|
| <b>1d</b>          | Employer-related investments:                                    |                       |                     |
| (1)                | Employer securities.....                                         | <b>1d(1)</b>          |                     |
| (2)                | Employer real property.....                                      | <b>1d(2)</b>          |                     |
| <b>e</b>           | Buildings and other property used in plan operation .....        | <b>1e</b>             |                     |
| <b>f</b>           | Total assets (add all amounts in lines 1a through 1e) .....      | <b>1f</b>             | 472689060 545557601 |
| <b>Liabilities</b> |                                                                  |                       |                     |
| <b>g</b>           | Benefit claims payable .....                                     | <b>1g</b>             |                     |
| <b>h</b>           | Operating payables .....                                         | <b>1h</b>             |                     |
| <b>i</b>           | Acquisition indebtedness.....                                    | <b>1i</b>             |                     |
| <b>j</b>           | Other liabilities.....                                           | <b>1j</b>             | 0 0                 |
| <b>k</b>           | Total liabilities (add all amounts in lines 1g through 1j) ..... | <b>1k</b>             | 0 0                 |
| <b>Net Assets</b>  |                                                                  |                       |                     |
| <b>l</b>           | Net assets (subtract line 1k from line 1f) .....                 | <b>1l</b>             | 472689060 545557601 |

**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.

|          |                                                                                                        | (a) Amount      | (b) Total |
|----------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------|
| <b>a</b> | <b>Contributions:</b>                                                                                  |                 |           |
| (1)      | Received or receivable in cash from: <b>(A)</b> Employers .....                                        | <b>2a(1)(A)</b> | 12609561  |
|          | <b>(B)</b> Participants .....                                                                          | <b>2a(1)(B)</b> | 37598667  |
|          | <b>(C)</b> Others (including rollovers).....                                                           | <b>2a(1)(C)</b> | 3702325   |
| (2)      | Noncash contributions.....                                                                             | <b>2a(2)</b>    |           |
| (3)      | Total contributions. Add lines <b>2a(1)(A)</b> , <b>(B)</b> , <b>(C)</b> , and line <b>2a(2)</b> ..... | <b>2a(3)</b>    | 53910553  |
| <b>b</b> | <b>Earnings on investments:</b>                                                                        |                 |           |
| (1)      | Interest:                                                                                              |                 |           |
|          | <b>(A)</b> Interest-bearing cash (including money market accounts and certificates of deposit).....    | <b>2b(1)(A)</b> | 2948      |
|          | <b>(B)</b> U.S. Government securities .....                                                            | <b>2b(1)(B)</b> |           |
|          | <b>(C)</b> Corporate debt instruments .....                                                            | <b>2b(1)(C)</b> |           |
|          | <b>(D)</b> Loans (other than to participants) .....                                                    | <b>2b(1)(D)</b> |           |
|          | <b>(E)</b> Participant loans.....                                                                      | <b>2b(1)(E)</b> | 1141645   |
|          | <b>(F)</b> Other .....                                                                                 | <b>2b(1)(F)</b> |           |
|          | <b>(G)</b> Total interest. Add lines <b>2b(1)(A)</b> through <b>(F)</b> .....                          | <b>2b(1)(G)</b> | 1144593   |
| (2)      | Dividends: <b>(A)</b> Preferred stock.....                                                             | <b>2b(2)(A)</b> |           |
|          | <b>(B)</b> Common stock .....                                                                          | <b>2b(2)(B)</b> |           |
|          | <b>(C)</b> Registered investment company shares (e.g. mutual funds).....                               | <b>2b(2)(C)</b> | 37659998  |
|          | <b>(D)</b> Total dividends. Add lines <b>2b(2)(A)</b> , <b>(B)</b> , and <b>(C)</b> .....              | <b>2b(2)(D)</b> | 37659998  |
| (3)      | Rents .....                                                                                            | <b>2b(3)</b>    |           |
| (4)      | Net gain (loss) on sale of assets: <b>(A)</b> Aggregate proceeds .....                                 | <b>2b(4)(A)</b> |           |
|          | <b>(B)</b> Aggregate carrying amount (see instructions).....                                           | <b>2b(4)(B)</b> |           |
|          | <b>(C)</b> Subtract line <b>2b(4)(B)</b> from line <b>2b(4)(A)</b> and enter result .....              | <b>2b(4)(C)</b> | 0         |
| (5)      | Unrealized appreciation (depreciation) of assets: <b>(A)</b> Real estate .....                         | <b>2b(5)(A)</b> |           |
|          | <b>(B)</b> Other .....                                                                                 | <b>2b(5)(B)</b> |           |
|          | <b>(C)</b> Total unrealized appreciation of assets. Add lines <b>2b(5)(A)</b> and <b>(B)</b> .....     | <b>2b(5)(C)</b> | 0         |

|                                                                                                |        | (a) Amount | (b) Total |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------|------------|-----------|
| (6) Net investment gain (loss) from common/collective trusts.....                              | 2b(6)  |            | 95894     |
| (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) |            | 28309512  |
| c Other income.....                                                                            | 2c     |            |           |
| d Total income. Add all <b>income</b> amounts in column (b) and enter total.....               | 2d     |            | 121120550 |
| <b>Expenses</b>                                                                                |        |            |           |
| e Benefit payment and payments to provide benefits:                                            |        |            |           |
| (1) Directly to participants or beneficiaries, including direct rollovers.....                 | 2e(1)  | 47964356   |           |
| (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)  |            | 47964356  |
| f Corrective distributions (see instructions).....                                             | 2f     |            |           |
| g Certain deemed distributions of participant loans (see instructions).....                    | 2g     |            |           |
| h Interest expense.....                                                                        | 2h     |            |           |
| i Administrative expenses: (1) Professional fees.....                                          | 2i(1)  |            |           |
| (2) Contract administrator fees.....                                                           | 2i(2)  |            |           |
| (3) Investment advisory and management fees.....                                               | 2i(3)  | 137181     |           |
| (4) Other.....                                                                                 | 2i(4)  | 150472     |           |
| (5) Total administrative expenses. Add lines 2i(1) through (4).....                            | 2i(5)  |            | 287653    |
| j Total expenses. Add all <b>expense</b> amounts in column (b) and enter total.....            | 2j     |            | 48252009  |
| <b>Net Income and Reconciliation</b>                                                           |        |            |           |
| k Net income (loss). Subtract line 2j from line 2d.....                                        | 2k     |            | 72868541  |
| l Transfers of assets:                                                                         |        |            |           |
| (1) To this plan.....                                                                          | 2l(1)  |            |           |
| (2) From this plan.....                                                                        | 2l(2)  |            |           |

**Part III Accountant's Opinion**

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

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

(1) ☒ Unmodified (2) ☐ Qualified (3) ☐ Disclaimer (4) ☐ Adverse

b 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) ☒ 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: HANCOCK ASKEW & CO, LLP

(2) EIN: 58-0662558

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

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

**Part IV Compliance Questions**

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

During the plan year:

a Was there a failure to transmit to the plan any participant contributions within the time period described in 29 CFR 2510.3-102? Continue to answer "Yes" for any prior year failures until fully corrected. (See instructions and DOL's Voluntary Fiduciary Correction Program.).....

|    | Yes | No | Amount |
|----|-----|----|--------|
| 4a |     | X  |        |

|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | Yes                 | No                 | Amount   |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------|--------------------|----------|
| <b>b</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.) .....                                                                                |                     |                    |          |
| <b>4b</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                     | X                  |          |
| <b>c</b> 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.) .....                                                                                                                                                                                                            |                     |                    |          |
| <b>4c</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                     | X                  |          |
| <b>d</b> 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.) .....                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                     |                    |          |
| <b>4d</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                     | X                  |          |
| <b>e</b> Was this plan covered by a fidelity bond? .....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | X                   |                    | 10000000 |
| <b>f</b> Did the plan have a loss, whether or not reimbursed by the plan's fidelity bond, that was caused by fraud or dishonesty? .....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |                     | X                  |          |
| <b>4f</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                     | X                  |          |
| <b>g</b> 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? .....                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |                     |                    |          |
| <b>4g</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                     | X                  |          |
| <b>h</b> 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? .....                                                                                                                                                                                                            |                     |                    |          |
| <b>4h</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                     | X                  |          |
| <b>i</b> Did the plan have assets held for investment? (Attach schedule(s) of assets if "Yes" is checked, and see instructions for format requirements.) .....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | X                   |                    |          |
| <b>4i</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | X                   |                    |          |
| <b>j</b> 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.) .....                                                                                                                                                                    |                     |                    |          |
| <b>4j</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                     | X                  |          |
| <b>k</b> Were all the plan assets either distributed to participants or beneficiaries, transferred to another plan, or brought under the control of the PBGC? .....                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |                     |                    |          |
| <b>4k</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                     | X                  |          |
| <b>l</b> Has the plan failed to provide any benefit when due under the plan? .....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |                     |                    |          |
| <b>4l</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                     | X                  |          |
| <b>m</b> If this is an individual account plan, was there a blackout period? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-3.) .....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |                     |                    |          |
| <b>4m</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                     | X                  |          |
| <b>n</b> 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. ....                                                                                                                                                                                                        |                     |                    |          |
| <b>4n</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                     |                    |          |
| <b>5a</b> Has a resolution to terminate the plan been adopted during the plan year or any prior plan year?..... <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No<br>If "Yes," enter the amount of any plan assets that reverted to the employer this year _____.                                                                                                             |                     |                    |          |
| <b>5b</b> 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.)                                                                                                                                                                                    |                     |                    |          |
| <b>5b(1)</b> Name of plan(s)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | <b>5b(2)</b> EIN(s) | <b>5b(3)</b> PN(s) |          |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                     |                    |          |
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| <b>5c</b> 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.) ..... <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not determined<br>If "Yes" is checked, enter the My PAA confirmation number from the PBGC premium filing for this plan year _____. |                     |                    |          |

**SAIA MOTOR FREIGHT LINE, LLC**  
**401(K) PLAN**

**Financial Statements and  
Independent Auditor's Report**

As of December 31, 2021 and 2020  
And for the Year ended December 31, 2021

# SAIA Motor Freight Line, LLC 401(k) Plan

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## Independent Auditor's Report

Plan Administrator and Participants  
SAIA Motor Freight Line, LLC 401(k) Plan  
Johns Creek, Georgia

### *Scope and Nature of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) Audit of the 2021 Financial Statements*

We have performed an audit of the financial statements of SAIA Motor Freight Line, LLC 401(k) Plan (the Plan), an employee benefit plan subject to the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), as permitted by ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C). 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 (DOL) Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA (ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit). 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 (qualified institution), provided that the investment information is prepared and certified to by the qualified institution in accordance with 29 CFR 2520.103-5 of the DOL's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.

Management has obtained a certification from a qualified institution as of December 31, 2021, and for the year then ended, 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 the procedures performed as described in the *Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the 2021 Financial Statements* section of our report

- 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 (GAAP); and
- the certified investment information in the accompanying 2021 financial statements agrees to, or is derived from, in all material respects, the information prepared and certified by a qualified 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 *Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the 2021 Financial Statements* section of our report. We are required to be independent of the Plan and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. 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 Financial Statements***

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with GAAP, 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 the Plan's ability to continue as a going concern within one year after the date that the financial statements are issued or available to be issued.

Management is responsible for maintaining a current plan instrument, including all plan amendments. Management is also responsible for 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.

### ***Auditor's 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 2021 financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's 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 the Plan's 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 the Plan's 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 GAAP.

Accordingly, the objective of an ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit is not to express an opinion about whether the 2021 financial statements as a whole are presented fairly, in all material respects, in accordance with GAAP.

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 Matter - 2021 Supplemental Schedule Required by ERISA***

The 2021 supplemental schedule, Schedule H, Line 4i - schedule of assets (held at end of year) as of December 31, 2021, is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the 2021 financial statements but is supplementary information required by the DOL'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 2021 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 2021 financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the 2021 financial statements or to the 2021 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 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, is presented, in all material respects, in conformity with the DOL's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.
- the certified investment information in the supplemental schedule agrees to, or is derived from, in all material respects, the information prepared and certified by a qualified institution that management determined meets the requirements of ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C).

### **Other Matter - Report on the 2020 Financial Statements**

We were engaged to audit the statement of net assets available for benefits of the Plan as of December 31, 2020. As permitted by 29 CFR 2520.103-8 of the DOL'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 the qualified institution. Our audit report, dated July 28, 2021, 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 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 information certified by the qualified institution were presented in compliance with the DOL's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.

*Hancock Askew & Co., LLP*

Peachtree Corners, Georgia  
October 10, 2022

# SAIA Motor Freight Line, LLC 401(k) Plan

## Statements of Net Assets Available for Benefits

| <i>December 31,</i>                      | <b>2021</b>           | <b>2020</b>           |
|------------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| <b>ASSETS</b>                            |                       |                       |
| <b>Investments</b>                       |                       |                       |
| Investments, at fair value               | \$ 521,363,715        | \$ 449,219,416        |
| <b>Receivables</b>                       |                       |                       |
| Notes receivable from participants       | <u>24,193,886</u>     | <u>23,469,644</u>     |
| <b>Total assets</b>                      | <u>545,557,601</u>    | <u>472,689,060</u>    |
| <b>Net assets available for benefits</b> | <u>\$ 545,557,601</u> | <u>\$ 472,689,060</u> |

*See accompanying notes to the financial statements.*

# SAIA Motor Freight Line, LLC 401(k) Plan

## Statement of Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits

| <i>Year ended December 31,</i>                               |    | <b>2021</b>           |
|--------------------------------------------------------------|----|-----------------------|
| <b>ADDITIONS TO NET ASSETS</b>                               |    |                       |
| <b>Contributions</b>                                         |    |                       |
| Participant                                                  | \$ | 37,598,667            |
| Employer                                                     |    | 12,609,561            |
| Rollovers                                                    |    | 3,702,325             |
| <b>Total contributions</b>                                   |    | <b>53,910,553</b>     |
| <b>Investment income</b>                                     |    |                       |
| Interest and dividends                                       |    | 37,662,946            |
| Net appreciation in fair value of investments                |    | 28,405,406            |
| <b>Total investment income</b>                               |    | <b>66,068,352</b>     |
| <b>Interest income on notes receivable from participants</b> |    | <b>1,141,645</b>      |
| <b>Total additions</b>                                       |    | <b>121,120,550</b>    |
| <b>DEDUCTIONS FROM NET ASSETS</b>                            |    |                       |
| Benefits paid directly to participants                       |    | 47,964,356            |
| Administrative expenses                                      |    | 287,653               |
| <b>Total deductions</b>                                      |    | <b>48,252,009</b>     |
| <b>Net increase in net assets available for benefits</b>     |    | <b>72,868,541</b>     |
| <b>Net assets available for benefits, beginning of year</b>  |    | <b>472,689,060</b>    |
| <b>Net assets available for benefits, end of year</b>        |    | <b>\$ 545,557,601</b> |

*See accompanying notes to the financial statements.*

# SAIA Motor Freight Line, LLC 401(k) Plan

## Notes to Financial Statements

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### 1. Description of the Plan

The following brief description of the SAIA Motor Freight Line, LLC 401(k) Plan (the Plan) is provided for general information purposes only. Participants should refer to the Plan document for more complete information.

#### *General*

The Plan was adopted by SAIA Motor Freight Line, LLC (the Company) effective December 31, 1970. The Plan is a defined contribution plan under Section 401(k) of the Internal Revenue Code (IRC) and is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), as amended.

#### *Eligibility*

All active employees of the Company are eligible to participate upon attainment of age 21 and 3 months of service; however, employees covered by a collective bargaining agreement, contract employees and leased employees are excluded from participating. The entry date is as soon as administratively feasible following satisfaction of the eligibility requirements.

#### *Contributions*

Eligible employees may elect to contribute, on a pretax basis, up to 50% of their eligible compensation to the Plan, not to exceed the limit under the IRC. In addition, eligible participants are permitted to make catch-up contributions. Participants may also contribute amounts representing distributions from other qualified plans (rollovers). Participants direct the investment of their contributions into various investment options offered by the Plan.

The Company may make a basic matching contribution (Company basic matching contribution) determined and calculated each payroll period. During the period ended December 31, 2021, the Company's basic matching contribution was 50% up to 6% of the participant's deferrals. A percentage is determined each Plan year by the Company. In addition, the Company may make additional discretionary contributions. Any additional discretionary contribution is allocated in the same ratio as each participant's compensation bears to the total of such compensation of all participants. There were no additional discretionary contributions made in 2021. Company contributions are subject to certain limitations as defined by the IRC and the Plan document.

#### *Participant Accounts*

Each participant's account is credited with the participant's contributions, Company matching contributions, allocations of the Company's additional discretionary contributions and Plan earnings (losses). Participant accounts are charged with an allocation of administrative expenses that are paid by the Plan. Allocations are based on participant earnings (losses), 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 vested immediately in their voluntary contributions, as well as, all Company contributions, plus actual earnings (losses) thereon.

#### *Forfeitures*

At December 31, 2021 and 2020, forfeited balances totaled \$816 and \$4,975, respectively. Forfeited balances are used to reduce future Company contributions and to offset Plan expenses. During the year ended December 31, 2021, \$131 of forfeited funds were used to offset Company contributions and \$4,370 was used to reinstate a participant's account that was erroneously charged to forfeitures during 2020.

# SAIA Motor Freight Line, LLC 401(k) Plan

## Notes to Financial Statements

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### 1. Description of the Plan (cont.)

#### *Payment of Benefits*

Participant accounts may be withdrawn upon retirement, death, disability, attainment of age 59½, or termination of employment as a lump-sum. Account balances less than \$5,000 are distributed as a lump-sum payment or rolled over to an individual retirement plan designated by the Plan administrator. Hardship distributions are available from all accounts and rollover contributions may be distributed any time.

#### *Notes Receivable from Participants*

The Plan provides that loans are available to all Plan participants on a nondiscriminatory basis. A participant may borrow the lesser of \$50,000 or 50% of his or her vested account balance. Loans are repayable through payroll deductions and are secured by the participant's account balance. The interest rate is the prime rate plus 1% and is fixed over the life of the note. Loans are repaid over a period not to exceed five years.

### 2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

#### *Basis of Accounting*

The accompanying financial statements are prepared on the accrual basis of accounting. The Plan follows accounting standards set by the Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB). The FASB sets accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP).

#### *Accounting Estimates*

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with GAAP require the Plan's management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts and disclosures. Accordingly, actual results could differ from those estimates.

#### *Investment Valuation and Income Recognition*

The investments of the Plan are reported at fair value, including the stable value fund held in the common collective trust, which holds indirect investments in fully benefit-responsive investment contracts. Fair value is the amount 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 (the exit price). See Note 4 for discussion of the fair value measurements.

Purchases and sales are recorded on a trade-date basis. Interest is recorded when earned and dividends are recorded on the ex-dividend date. Net appreciation (depreciation) includes the Plan's gains and losses on investments bought and sold, as well as, held during the year.

#### *Plan Expenses*

Certain administrative expenses of the Plan are paid by the Plan as provided in the Plan agreement. Certain other administrative expenses of the Plan are paid by the Company. Investment fees are paid by the Plan in the form of reductions of net investment income (loss) earned by Plan participants. The Plan participates in an agreement with Fidelity Management Trust Company (Fidelity), where excess revenue may be returned and deposited into an unallocated revenue credit account. The amounts in the unallocated revenue credit account may be used to pay reasonable and necessary Plan expenses or may be allocated to participants. There were \$123,228 and \$114,215 of unallocated funds in the revenue credit account as of December 31, 2021 and 2020, respectively. For the year ended December 31, 2021, the Plan used \$82,500 of unallocated funds from the revenue credit account to pay certain Plan expenses.

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### 2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (cont.)

#### *Notes Receivable from Participants*

Notes receivable from participants are measured at their unpaid principal balance plus any accrued but unpaid interest. Interest income is recorded on the accrual basis. Related fees are recorded as administrative expenses and are expensed when they are incurred. No allowance for credit losses has been recorded as of December 31, 2021 and 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*

Benefit payments to participants are recorded upon distribution.

### 3. Certified Information

The Plan administrator has elected the method of annual reporting compliance permitted by 29 CFR 2520.103-8 of the Department of Labor's (DOL) Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. Accordingly, Fidelity certified that the financial information included in the financial statements and supplemental schedule as of December 31, 2021 and 2020, and for the year ended December 31, 2021, provided to the Plan is complete and accurate. The information as to investment assets and transactions therein, and investment income included in the accompanying financial statements and supplemental schedule as of December 31, 2021 and 2020, and for the year ended December 31, 2021, are covered by such certifications.

The Plan's independent accountants did not perform auditing procedures with respect to this information, except for comparing such information to the related information included in the financial statements and supplemental schedule.

### 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 measurements) and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs in which little or no market data exists (Level 3 measurements).

#### *Basis of Fair Value Measurement*

*Level 1* - Unadjusted quoted prices in active markets that are accessible at the measurement date for identical, unrestricted assets or liabilities;

*Level 2* - Quoted prices in markets that are not considered to be active or financial instruments for which all significant inputs are observable, either directly or indirectly;

*Level 3* - Prices or valuations that require inputs that are both significant to the fair value measurement and unobservable.

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

# SAIA Motor Freight Line, LLC 401(k) Plan

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### 4. Fair Value Measurements (cont.)

#### *Basis of Fair Value Measurement (cont.)*

The 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.

*Mutual Funds* - Valued at the daily closing price as reported by the fund. Mutual funds held by the Plan are open-end mutual funds that are registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC). These funds are required to publish their daily net asset value (NAV) and to transact at that price. The mutual funds held by the Plan are deemed to be actively traded.

*Common Collective Trust* - Valued at the net asset value using NAV as the practical expedient based on the last reported sales price of the underlying investments held. The Plan's interest in the collective trust fund was based on information reported using the audited financial statements of the collective trust fund at year-end. The investment income (loss) was allocated to participants based on their proportionate share of the net assets of the funds.

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

The following tables set forth by level, within the fair value hierarchy, the Plan's assets at fair value as of December 31, 2021 and 2020.

| <i>December 31, 2021</i>                            | <b>Level 1</b>        | <b>Level 2</b> | <b>Level 3</b> | <b>Total</b>                 |
|-----------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|----------------|----------------|------------------------------|
| <b>Mutual funds</b>                                 | \$ 512,185,988        | \$ -           | \$ -           | \$ 512,185,988               |
|                                                     | <u>\$ 512,185,988</u> | <u>\$ -</u>    | <u>\$ -</u>    | <u>512,185,988</u>           |
| <b>Common collective trust<br/>measured at NAV*</b> |                       |                |                | <u>9,177,727</u>             |
| <b>Total investments at fair value</b>              |                       |                |                | <u><u>\$ 521,363,715</u></u> |
| <i>December 31, 2020</i>                            | <b>Level 1</b>        | <b>Level 2</b> | <b>Level 3</b> | <b>Total</b>                 |
| Mutual funds                                        | \$ 439,740,332        | \$ -           | \$ -           | \$ 439,740,332               |
|                                                     | <u>\$ 439,740,332</u> | <u>\$ -</u>    | <u>\$ -</u>    | <u>439,740,332</u>           |
| Common collective trust<br>measured at NAV*         |                       |                |                | <u>9,479,084</u>             |
| Total investments at fair value                     |                       |                |                | <u><u>\$ 449,219,416</u></u> |

\*Certain investments that are measured at fair value using the NAV per share (or its equivalent) practical expedient have not been categorized in the fair value hierarchy. The fair value amounts presented in this table are intended to permit reconciliation of the fair value to the amounts presented in the statements of net assets available for benefits.

# SAIA Motor Freight Line, LLC 401(k) Plan

## Notes to Financial Statements

### 4. Fair Value Measurements (cont.)

Fair value of investments in certain entities that calculate NAV per share (or its equivalent) follows:

| Investment       | Fair value at<br>December 31, 2021 | Unfunded<br>Commitments | Redemption<br>Frequency | Redemption<br>Notice Period |
|------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Collective trust | \$ 9,177,727                       | None                    | Daily                   | N/A                         |

| Investment       | Fair value at<br>December 31, 2020 | Unfunded<br>Commitments | Redemption<br>Frequency | Redemption<br>Notice Period |
|------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Collective trust | \$ 9,479,084                       | None                    | Daily                   | N/A                         |

### 5. Tax Status

The Plan is based on the Bryan Cave LLP Volume Submitter Defined Contribution Plan Profit Sharing Plan with CODA (Volume Submitter Plan) which received an opinion letter on March 31, 2014, in which the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) stated that the Volume Submitter Plan is in compliance with the applicable requirements of the IRC. Although the Plan has been amended since the date of the opinion letter, the Plan administrator believes that the Plan is currently designed and being operated in compliance with the applicable requirements of the IRC and therefore believes that the Plan is qualified, and the related trust is tax exempt.

GAAP requires Plan management to evaluate tax positions taken by the Plan and recognize a tax liability if the Plan has taken an uncertain position that more likely than not would not be sustained upon examination by the IRS. The Plan is subject to routine audits by taxing jurisdictions; however, there are currently no audits for any tax periods in progress.

### 6. Party-In-Interest Transactions

Fidelity performs services, sells products and maintains certain investments of the Plan for which fees are charged to the Plan. Party-in-interest transactions also include notes receivable from participants. Such transactions, while considered party-in-interest transactions under ERISA, are permitted under the provisions of the Plan and are specifically exempt from the prohibition of party-in-interest transactions.

### 7. Plan Termination

Although it has not expressed an intention to do so, the Company has the right under the Plan to discontinue its contributions at any time and to terminate the Plan subject to the provisions of ERISA. In the event of Plan termination, participants will remain 100% vested in their accounts.

### 8. Risks and Uncertainties

The Plan's investments include funds which invest in various types of investment securities and in various companies within various markets. Investment securities are exposed to several risks such as interest rate, market, and credit risks. Due to the level of risk associated with certain investment securities, it is at least reasonably possible that changes in the values of investment securities will occur in the near term and those changes could materially affect the amounts reported in the statements of net assets available for benefits.

# SAIA Motor Freight Line, LLC 401(k) Plan

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### 9. Subsequent Events

Effective May 20, 2022, the Plan was amended and restated. As a result, no significant changes were made to the provisions or operations of the Plan.

The Plan has evaluated, for consideration of recognition or disclosure, subsequent events that have occurred through the date of issuance, October 10, 2022, and has determined that no significant events occurred after December 31, 2021, but prior to the issuance of these financial statements, that would have a material impact on these financial statements.

## **SUPPLEMENTAL SCHEDULE**

**SAIA Motor Freight Line, LLC 401(k) Plan**  
**Schedule H, Line 4i - Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year)**  
**EIN: 72-0524060**  
**Plan # 001**

December 31, 2021

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| <b>Mutual funds</b>            |                                            |                                                                                                                      |             |                              |
|                                | Pacific Investment Management Company, LLC | PIMCO Total Return Institutional Class                                                                               | **          | \$ 24,585,206                |
|                                | Alliance Bernstein                         | AB Small Cap Growth K                                                                                                | **          | 4,315,216                    |
|                                | Carillon Tower Advisors, Inc.              | Carillon Eagle Mid Cap Growth Fund Class R6                                                                          | **          | 3,791,190                    |
|                                | Ariel Investments, LLC                     | Ariel Appreciation Fund Institutional Class                                                                          | **          | 7,582,769                    |
|                                | Massachusetts Financial Services Company   | MFS Value Fund Class R6                                                                                              | **          | 3,754,959                    |
|                                | Capital Research and Management Company    | American Funds Fundamental Investors Class R6                                                                        | **          | 5,003,669                    |
|                                | Morgan Stanley Investment Management, Inc. | MSIF Institutional Global Franchise Fund I                                                                           | **          | 8,180,498                    |
|                                | American Beacon Advisors Inc               | American Beacon Small Cap Value Fund Class R6                                                                        | **          | 633,224                      |
| *                              | Fidelity Investments                       | Fidelity Blue Chip Growth Fund - Class K6                                                                            | **          | 70,856,244                   |
| *                              | Fidelity Investments                       | Fidelity Equity Income Fund - Class K                                                                                | **          | 18,982,447                   |
| *                              | Fidelity Investments                       | Fidelity Growth Company Fund - Class K6                                                                              | **          | 39,915,394                   |
| *                              | Fidelity Investments                       | Fidelity Low-Priced Stock Fund - Class K6                                                                            | **          | 2,275,258                    |
| *                              | Fidelity Investments                       | Fidelity Puritan Fund - Class K                                                                                      | **          | 19,934,955                   |
| *                              | Fidelity Investments                       | Fidelity 500 Index Fund                                                                                              | **          | 19,060,730                   |
| *                              | Fidelity Investments                       | Fidelity Small Cap Index Fund                                                                                        | **          | 2,967,289                    |
| *                              | Fidelity Investments                       | Fidelity International Index Fund                                                                                    | **          | 6,202,662                    |
| *                              | Fidelity Investments                       | Fidelity Extended Market Index Fund                                                                                  | **          | 5,823,980                    |
| *                              | Fidelity Investments                       | Fidelity Investments Money Market Government Portfolio                                                               | **          | 27,867,292                   |
| *                              | Fidelity Investments                       | Fidelity Diversified International Fund - Class K                                                                    | **          | 9,100,021                    |
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| *                              | Fidelity Investments                       | Fidelity Freedom 2005 Fund - Class K                                                                                 | **          | 462,224                      |
| *                              | Fidelity Investments                       | Fidelity Freedom 2010 Fund - Class K                                                                                 | **          | 1,418,929                    |
| *                              | Fidelity Investments                       | Fidelity Freedom 2015 Fund - Class K                                                                                 | **          | 3,281,270                    |
| *                              | Fidelity Investments                       | Fidelity Freedom 2020 Fund - Class K                                                                                 | **          | 14,126,306                   |
| *                              | Fidelity Investments                       | Fidelity Freedom 2025 Fund - Class K                                                                                 | **          | 41,146,135                   |
| *                              | Fidelity Investments                       | Fidelity Freedom 2030 Fund - Class K                                                                                 | **          | 51,007,530                   |
| *                              | Fidelity Investments                       | Fidelity Freedom 2035 Fund - Class K                                                                                 | **          | 43,934,347                   |
| *                              | Fidelity Investments                       | Fidelity Freedom 2040 Fund - Class K                                                                                 | **          | 34,638,645                   |
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| *                              | Fidelity Investments                       | Fidelity Freedom 2055 Fund - Class K                                                                                 | **          | 7,854,317                    |
| *                              | Fidelity Investments                       | Fidelity Freedom 2060 Fund - Class K                                                                                 | **          | 2,847,185                    |
| *                              | Fidelity Investments                       | Fidelity Freedom 2065 Fund - Class K                                                                                 | **          | 332,971                      |
|                                |                                            |                                                                                                                      |             | 512,185,988                  |
| <b>Common collective trust</b> |                                            |                                                                                                                      |             |                              |
| *                              | Fidelity Investments                       | Managed Income Portfolio Class 2                                                                                     | **          | 9,177,727                    |
| <b>Notes receivable</b>        |                                            |                                                                                                                      |             |                              |
| *                              | Participants                               | Notes receivable with variable maturities and interest rates ranging from 4.25% - 6.50% on all outstanding notes.    | -           | 24,193,886                   |
| <b>Total</b>                   |                                            |                                                                                                                      |             | <u><u>\$ 545,557,601</u></u> |

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