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| <div>Form 5500</div> <div>Department of the Treasury<br/>Internal Revenue Service</div> <div>Department of Labor<br/>Employee Benefits Security<br/>Administration</div> <div>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation</div> | <div>Annual Return/Report of Employee Benefit Plan</div> <div>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).</div> <div>▶ Complete all entries in accordance with the instructions to the Form 5500.</div> | <div>OMB Nos. 1210-0110<br/>1210-0089</div> <div>2022</div> <div>This Form is Open to Public Inspection</div> |
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| Part I                                                                                     | Annual Report Identification Information                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| For calendar plan year 2022 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2022 and ending 12/31/2022 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| A                                                                                          | This return/report is for: <div><div><input type="checkbox"/> a multiemployer plan</div><div><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.)</div><div><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> a single-employer plan</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> a DFE (specify) _____</div></div> |
| B                                                                                          | This return/report is: <div><div><input type="checkbox"/> the first return/report</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> the final return/report</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> an amended return/report</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> a short plan year return/report (less than 12 months)</div></div>                                                                                                          |
| C                                                                                          | If the plan is a collectively-bargained plan, check here. .... ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| D                                                                                          | Check box if filing under: <div><div><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Form 5558</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> automatic extension</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> the DFVC program</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> special extension (enter description)</div></div>                                                                                                                                     |
| E                                                                                          | If this is a retroactively adopted plan permitted by SECURE Act section 201, check here. .... ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |

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| Part II | Basic Plan Information—enter all requested information                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |    |                                                    |
| 1a      | Name of plan<br>GLS INDUSTRIES, INC. 401(K) PLAN                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | 1b | Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 001                 |
|         |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | 1c | Effective date of plan<br>07/01/1996               |
| 2a      | 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>GLS INDUSTRIES, INC.<br><br>7200 NORTH BROADWAY AVENUE<br>ROCHESTER, MN 55906-8978 | 2b | Employer Identification Number (EIN)<br>41-1665692 |
|         |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | 2c | Plan Sponsor's telephone number<br>507-535-1490    |
|         |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | 2d | Business code (see instructions)<br>327300         |
|         |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |    |                                                    |

**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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|-----------|---------------------------------------------------|------------|--------------------------------------------------------------|
| SIGN HERE | Filed with authorized/valid electronic signature. | 08/18/2023 | DENNIS NELSON                                                |
|           | Signature of plan administrator                   | Date       | Enter name of individual signing as plan administrator       |
| SIGN HERE | Filed with authorized/valid electronic signature. | 08/18/2023 | DENNIS NELSON                                                |
|           | Signature of employer/plan sponsor                | Date       | Enter name of individual signing as employer or plan sponsor |
| SIGN HERE |                                                   |            |                                                              |
|           | Signature of DFE                                  | Date       | Enter name of individual signing as DFE                      |

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| <b>3a</b> Plan administrator's name and address <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Same as Plan Sponsor                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | <b>3b</b> Administrator's EIN              |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | <b>3c</b> Administrator's telephone number |
| <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> 145                               |
| <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> ).                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                            |
| <b>a(1)</b> Total number of active participants at the beginning of the plan year .....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | <b>6a(1)</b> 107                           |
| <b>a(2)</b> Total number of active participants at the end of the plan year .....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | <b>6a(2)</b> 112                           |
| <b>b</b> Retired or separated participants receiving benefits .....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | <b>6b</b> 0                                |
| <b>c</b> Other retired or separated participants entitled to future benefits.....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | <b>6c</b> 24                               |
| <b>d</b> Subtotal. Add lines <b>6a(2)</b> , <b>6b</b> , and <b>6c</b> .....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | <b>6d</b> 136                              |
| <b>e</b> Deceased participants whose beneficiaries are receiving or are entitled to receive benefits. ....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | <b>6e</b> 0                                |
| <b>f</b> Total. Add lines <b>6d</b> and <b>6e</b> .....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | <b>6f</b> 136                              |
| <b>g</b> Number of participants with account balances as of the end of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item).....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | <b>6g</b> 114                              |
| <b>h</b> Number of participants who terminated employment during the plan year with accrued benefits that were less than 100% vested.....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | <b>6h</b> 8                                |
| <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>2E 2F 2G 2J 2K 2S 2T 3D 3H                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                            |
| <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 checked="" 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 checked="" 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 checked="" 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>1</b> <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 2022 Form M-1 annual report. If the plan was not required to file the 2022 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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| <div>SCHEDULE A<br/>(Form 5500)<br/><div>Department of the Treasury<br/>Internal Revenue Service</div><div>Department of Labor<br/>Employee Benefits Security Administration</div><div>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation</div></div> | <div>Insurance Information</div> <div>This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).</div> <div>▶ File as an attachment to Form 5500.</div> <div>▶ Insurance companies are required to provide the information pursuant to ERISA section 103(a)(2).</div> | <div>OMB No. 1210-0110</div> <div>2022</div> <div>This Form is Open to Public Inspection</div> |
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| For calendar plan year 2022 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2022 and ending 12/31/2022 |                                                      |
| A Name of plan<br>GLS INDUSTRIES, INC. 401(K) PLAN                                         | B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 001                 |
| C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500<br>GLS INDUSTRIES, INC.             | D Employer Identification Number (EIN)<br>41-1665692 |

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

|                                                                   |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------|
| (a) Name of insurance carrier<br>PRINCIPAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY |
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| (b) EIN    | (c) NAIC code | (d) Contract or identification number | (e) Approximate number of persons covered at end of policy or contract year | Policy or contract year |            |
|------------|---------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------|------------|
|            |               |                                       |                                                                             | (f) From                | (g) To     |
| 42-0127290 | 61271         | 447910                                | 136                                                                         | 01/01/2022              | 12/31/2022 |

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

|                                               |                                    |
|-----------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| (a) Total amount of commissions paid<br>22291 | (b) Total amount of fees paid<br>0 |
|-----------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|

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

|                                                                                                                                                                          |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| (a) Name and address of the agent, broker, or other person to whom commissions or fees were paid<br>PRINCIPAL SECURITIES INC<br>711 HIGH ST<br>DES MOINES, IA 50392-0001 |
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| (b) Amount of sales and base commissions paid | Fees and other commissions paid |             | (e) Organization code |
|-----------------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------|-----------------------|
|                                               | (c) Amount                      | (d) Purpose |                       |
| 22291                                         | 0                               |             | 3                     |

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

| (b) Amount of sales and base commissions paid | Fees and other commissions paid |             | (e) Organization code |
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|                                               | (c) Amount                      | (d) Purpose |                       |
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|                                               | (c) Amount                      | (d) Purpose |                       |
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|                                               | (c) Amount                      | (d) Purpose |                       |
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|                                               | (c) Amount                      | (d) Purpose |                       |
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**Part II Investment and Annuity Contract Information**

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

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| <b>4</b> | Current value of plan's interest under this contract in the general account at year end..... | <b>4</b> | <b>0</b>       |
| <b>5</b> | Current value of plan's interest under this contract in separate accounts at year end.....   | <b>5</b> | <b>8643938</b> |

**6 Contracts With Allocated Funds:****a** State the basis of premium rates ▶

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

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

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

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

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

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

**Part III Welfare Benefit Contract Information**

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

**8** Benefit and contract type (check all applicable boxes)

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

**9** Experience-rated contracts:

|                                                                                                                                                    |                 |                 |  |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|--|
| <b>a</b> Premiums: (1) Amount received .....                                                                                                       | <b>9a(1)</b>    |                 |  |
| (2) Increase (decrease) in amount due but unpaid .....                                                                                             | <b>9a(2)</b>    |                 |  |
| (3) Increase (decrease) in unearned premium reserve .....                                                                                          | <b>9a(3)</b>    |                 |  |
| (4) Earned ((1) + (2) - (3)) .....                                                                                                                 |                 | <b>9a(4)</b>    |  |
| <b>b</b> Benefit charges (1) Claims paid .....                                                                                                     | <b>9b(1)</b>    |                 |  |
| (2) Increase (decrease) in claim reserves .....                                                                                                    | <b>9b(2)</b>    |                 |  |
| (3) Incurred claims (add (1) and (2)) .....                                                                                                        |                 | <b>9b(3)</b>    |  |
| (4) Claims charged .....                                                                                                                           |                 | <b>9b(4)</b>    |  |
| <b>c</b> Remainder of premium: (1) Retention charges (on an accrual basis) --                                                                      |                 |                 |  |
| (A) Commissions .....                                                                                                                              | <b>9c(1)(A)</b> |                 |  |
| (B) Administrative service or other fees .....                                                                                                     | <b>9c(1)(B)</b> |                 |  |
| (C) Other specific acquisition costs .....                                                                                                         | <b>9c(1)(C)</b> |                 |  |
| (D) Other expenses .....                                                                                                                           | <b>9c(1)(D)</b> |                 |  |
| (E) Taxes .....                                                                                                                                    | <b>9c(1)(E)</b> |                 |  |
| (F) Charges for risks or other contingencies .....                                                                                                 | <b>9c(1)(F)</b> |                 |  |
| (G) Other retention charges .....                                                                                                                  | <b>9c(1)(G)</b> |                 |  |
| (H) Total retention .....                                                                                                                          |                 | <b>9c(1)(H)</b> |  |
| (2) Dividends or retroactive rate refunds. (These amounts were <input type="checkbox"/> paid in cash, or <input type="checkbox"/> credited.) ..... |                 | <b>9c(2)</b>    |  |
| <b>d</b> Status of policyholder reserves at end of year: (1) Amount held to provide benefits after retirement .....                                |                 | <b>9d(1)</b>    |  |
| (2) Claim reserves .....                                                                                                                           |                 | <b>9d(2)</b>    |  |
| (3) Other reserves .....                                                                                                                           |                 | <b>9d(3)</b>    |  |
| <b>e</b> Dividends or retroactive rate refunds due. (Do not include amount entered in line 9c(2).) .....                                           |                 | <b>9e</b>       |  |

**10** Nonexperience-rated contracts:

|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |            |  |
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| <b>a</b> Total premiums or subscription charges paid to carrier .....                                                                                                                                                                                       | <b>10a</b> |  |
| <b>b</b> If the carrier, service, or other organization incurred any specific costs in connection with the acquisition or retention of the contract or policy, other than reported in Part I, line 2 above, report amount. ....<br>Specify nature of costs. | <b>10b</b> |  |

**Part IV Provision of Information**

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

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

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| <div>SCHEDULE C</div> <div>(Form 5500)</div> <div>Department of the Treasury<br/>Internal Revenue Service</div> <div>Department of Labor<br/>Employee Benefits Security Administration</div> <div>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation</div> | <div>Service Provider Information</div> <div>This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).</div> <div>▶ File as an attachment to Form 5500.</div> | OMB No. 1210-0110                       |
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| A Name of plan<br>GLS INDUSTRIES, INC. 401(K) PLAN                                         | B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶                     | 001 |
|                                                                                            |                                                      |     |
| C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500<br>GLS INDUSTRIES, INC.             | D Employer Identification Number (EIN)<br>41-1665692 |     |

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| Part I | Service Provider Information (see instructions) |
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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) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation |
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| (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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| 13 50 64               | CONTRACT ADMINISTRATOR                                                                            | 19167                                                                  | Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>                                  | Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>                                                            | 0                                                                                                                                                                               | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" 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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| 49 55 99               | OTHER SERVICES                                                                                    | 0                                                                      | Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>                                  | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>                                                            | 1570                                                                                                                                                                            | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>                          |

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

WILSHIRE ADVISORS LLC

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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 72                  | INVESTMENT ADVISORY                                                                               | 0                                                                      | Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>                                  | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>                                                            | 0                                                                                                                                                                               | Yes <input checked="" 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 |
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| PRINCIPAL SECURITIES INC                                            | 49 55 99                                                                                                                                                           | 1570                                      |
| (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. |                                           |
| PRINCIPAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY<br><br>42-0127290                  | COMMISSIONS AND REFERRAL/SERVICE FEE                                                                                                                               |                                           |
| (a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2             | (b) Service Codes<br>(see instructions)                                                                                                                            | (c) Enter amount of indirect compensation |
| WILSHIRE ADVISORS LLC                                               | 27 72                                                                                                                                                              | 0                                         |
| (d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation | (e) Describe the indirect compensation, including any formula used to determine the service provider's eligibility for or the amount of the indirect compensation. |                                           |
| PRINCIPAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY<br><br>42-0127290                  | 1 BASIS POINT ANNUALLY ON ELIGIBLE PLAN ASSETS IN WILSHIRE 3(21) OR WILSHIRE 3(21) AUTO-EXECUTE FIDUCIARY SERVICE.                                                 |                                           |
| (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 |
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|                                                                          |                               |                                                                                     |
| (a) Enter name and EIN or address of service provider (see instructions) | (b) Nature of Service Code(s) | (c) Describe the information that the service provider failed or refused to provide |
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| (a) Enter name and EIN or address of service provider (see instructions) | (b) Nature of Service Code(s) | (c) Describe the information that the service provider failed or refused to provide |
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| (a) Enter name and EIN or address of service provider (see instructions) | (b) Nature of Service Code(s) | (c) Describe the information that the service provider failed or refused to provide |
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| (a) Enter name and EIN or address of service provider (see instructions) | (b) Nature of Service Code(s) | (c) Describe the information that the service provider failed or refused to provide |
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| (a) Enter name and EIN or address of service provider (see instructions) | (b) Nature of Service Code(s) | (c) Describe the information that the service provider failed or refused to provide |
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**Part III Termination Information on Accountants and Enrolled Actuaries (see instructions)**  
(complete as many entries as needed)

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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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| <b>d</b> Address:  | <b>e</b> Telephone: |
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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>SCHEDULE D</b><br><b>(Form 5500)</b><br>Department of the Treasury<br>Internal Revenue Service<br><br>Department of Labor<br>Employee Benefits Security Administration | <b>DFE/Participating Plan 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<br><br><b>2022</b><br><br><b>This Form is Open to Public Inspection.</b> |
|                                                                                                                                                                           | For calendar plan year 2022 or fiscal plan year beginning <b>01/01/2022</b> and ending <b>12/31/2022</b>                                                                                                                     |                                                                                            |
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| <b>A</b> Name of plan<br><b>GLS INDUSTRIES, INC. 401(K) PLAN</b>                                    |  | <b>B</b> Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶                            | <b>001</b> |
| <b>C</b> Plan or DFE sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500<br><b>GLS INDUSTRIES, INC.</b> |  | <b>D</b> Employer Identification Number (EIN)<br><b>41-1665692</b> |            |

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| <b>Part I</b>                                                                                | <b>Information on interests in MTIAs, CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs (to be completed by plans and DFEs)</b><br>(Complete as many entries as needed to report all interests in DFEs) |                                                                                                                    |  |
| <b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: <b>PRINCIPAL STABLE VALUE FUND</b>            |                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                    |  |
| <b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <b>PRINCIPAL GLOBAL INVESTORS TRUST CO</b> |                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                    |  |
| <b>c</b> EIN-PN <b>93-6274328-001</b>                                                        | <b>d</b> Entity code <b>C</b>                                                                                                                                                    | <b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <b>476584</b>  |  |
| <b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: <b>PRINCIPAL SMALLCAP SEP ACCT-R6</b>         |                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                    |  |
| <b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <b>PRINCIPAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY</b>    |                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                    |  |
| <b>c</b> EIN-PN <b>42-0127290-029</b>                                                        | <b>d</b> Entity code <b>P</b>                                                                                                                                                    | <b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <b>84836</b>   |  |
| <b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: <b>PRIN U.S. PROPERTY SEP ACCT-R6</b>         |                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                    |  |
| <b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <b>PRINCIPAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY</b>    |                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                    |  |
| <b>c</b> EIN-PN <b>42-0127290-027</b>                                                        | <b>d</b> Entity code <b>P</b>                                                                                                                                                    | <b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <b>19077</b>   |  |
| <b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: <b>PRIN CORE PLUS BD SEP ACCT-R6</b>          |                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                    |  |
| <b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <b>PRINCIPAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY</b>    |                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                    |  |
| <b>c</b> EIN-PN <b>42-0127290-005</b>                                                        | <b>d</b> Entity code <b>P</b>                                                                                                                                                    | <b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <b>209520</b>  |  |
| <b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: <b>PRIN DIVERSIFIED INTL SA-R6</b>            |                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                    |  |
| <b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <b>PRINCIPAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY</b>    |                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                    |  |
| <b>c</b> EIN-PN <b>42-0127290-015</b>                                                        | <b>d</b> Entity code <b>P</b>                                                                                                                                                    | <b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <b>243571</b>  |  |
| <b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: <b>PRIN LGCAP S&amp;P 500 INDEX SA-R6</b>     |                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                    |  |
| <b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <b>PRINCIPAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY</b>    |                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                    |  |
| <b>c</b> EIN-PN <b>42-0127290-016</b>                                                        | <b>d</b> Entity code <b>P</b>                                                                                                                                                    | <b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <b>1319098</b> |  |
| <b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: <b>PRIN MIDCAP VALUE I SA-R6</b>              |                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                    |  |
| <b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <b>PRINCIPAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY</b>    |                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                    |  |
| <b>c</b> EIN-PN <b>42-0127290-043</b>                                                        | <b>d</b> Entity code <b>P</b>                                                                                                                                                    | <b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <b>904001</b>  |  |

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| <b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: PRIN SMCAP S&P 600 INDEX SA-R6      |                        |                                                                                                            |
| <b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): PRINCIPAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY |                        |                                                                                                            |
| <b>c</b> EIN-PN 42-0127290-028                                                     | <b>d</b> Entity code P | <b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 561739 |
| <b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: PRIN MIDCAP S&P 400 IDX SA-R6       |                        |                                                                                                            |
| <b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): PRINCIPAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY |                        |                                                                                                            |
| <b>c</b> EIN-PN 42-0127290-023                                                     | <b>d</b> Entity code P | <b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 359679 |
| <b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: PRIN SMALLCAP GROWTH I SA-R6        |                        |                                                                                                            |
| <b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): PRINCIPAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY |                        |                                                                                                            |
| <b>c</b> EIN-PN 42-0127290-070                                                     | <b>d</b> Entity code P | <b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 366692 |
| <b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: PRIN LARGE CAP GROWTH I SA-R6       |                        |                                                                                                            |
| <b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): PRINCIPAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY |                        |                                                                                                            |
| <b>c</b> EIN-PN 42-0127290-066                                                     | <b>d</b> Entity code P | <b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 545370 |
| <b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: PRIN LIFETIME 2010 SEP ACCT-R6      |                        |                                                                                                            |
| <b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): PRINCIPAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY |                        |                                                                                                            |
| <b>c</b> EIN-PN 42-0127290-075                                                     | <b>d</b> Entity code P | <b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 29818  |
| <b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: PRIN LIFETIME 2020 SEP ACCT-R6      |                        |                                                                                                            |
| <b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): PRINCIPAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY |                        |                                                                                                            |
| <b>c</b> EIN-PN 42-0127290-076                                                     | <b>d</b> Entity code P | <b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 132826 |
| <b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: PRIN LIFETIME 2030 SEP ACCT-R6      |                        |                                                                                                            |
| <b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): PRINCIPAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY |                        |                                                                                                            |
| <b>c</b> EIN-PN 42-0127290-077                                                     | <b>d</b> Entity code P | <b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 830441 |
| <b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: PRIN LIFETIME 2040 SEP ACCT-R6      |                        |                                                                                                            |
| <b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): PRINCIPAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY |                        |                                                                                                            |
| <b>c</b> EIN-PN 42-0127290-078                                                     | <b>d</b> Entity code P | <b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 685728 |
| <b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: PRIN LIFETIME 2050 SEP ACCT-R6      |                        |                                                                                                            |
| <b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): PRINCIPAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY |                        |                                                                                                            |
| <b>c</b> EIN-PN 42-0127290-079                                                     | <b>d</b> Entity code P | <b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 427250 |
| <b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: PRIN LIFETIME STRAT INC SA-R6       |                        |                                                                                                            |
| <b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): PRINCIPAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY |                        |                                                                                                            |
| <b>c</b> EIN-PN 42-0127290-080                                                     | <b>d</b> Entity code P | <b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 42813  |

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| <b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: PRIN SMALLCAP VALUE II SA-R6        |                        |                                                                                                            |
| <b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): PRINCIPAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY |                        |                                                                                                            |
| <b>c</b> EIN-PN 42-0127290-096                                                     | <b>d</b> Entity code P | <b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 11547  |
| <b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: PRIN SAM BALANCED SEP ACCT-R6       |                        |                                                                                                            |
| <b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): PRINCIPAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY |                        |                                                                                                            |
| <b>c</b> EIN-PN 42-0127290-105                                                     | <b>d</b> Entity code P | <b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 0      |
| <b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: PRIN SAM CONS BALANCED SA-R6        |                        |                                                                                                            |
| <b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): PRINCIPAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY |                        |                                                                                                            |
| <b>c</b> EIN-PN 42-0127290-106                                                     | <b>d</b> Entity code P | <b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 37386  |
| <b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: PRIN SAM CONS GROWTH SA-R6          |                        |                                                                                                            |
| <b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): PRINCIPAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY |                        |                                                                                                            |
| <b>c</b> EIN-PN 42-0127290-107                                                     | <b>d</b> Entity code P | <b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 12051  |
| <b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: PRIN SAM FLEXIBLE INCOME SA-R6      |                        |                                                                                                            |
| <b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): PRINCIPAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY |                        |                                                                                                            |
| <b>c</b> EIN-PN 42-0127290-108                                                     | <b>d</b> Entity code P | <b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 66051  |
| <b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: PRIN SAM STRAT GROWTH SA-R6         |                        |                                                                                                            |
| <b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): PRINCIPAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY |                        |                                                                                                            |
| <b>c</b> EIN-PN 42-0127290-109                                                     | <b>d</b> Entity code P | <b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 45079  |
| <b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: PRIN EQUITY INCOME SA-R6            |                        |                                                                                                            |
| <b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): PRINCIPAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY |                        |                                                                                                            |
| <b>c</b> EIN-PN 42-0127290-120                                                     | <b>d</b> Entity code P | <b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 392971 |
| <b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: PRIN LIFETIME 2060 SEP ACCT-R6      |                        |                                                                                                            |
| <b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): PRINCIPAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY |                        |                                                                                                            |
| <b>c</b> EIN-PN 42-0127290-130                                                     | <b>d</b> Entity code P | <b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 891352 |
| <b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: PRIN BLUE CHIP SA-R6                |                        |                                                                                                            |
| <b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): PRINCIPAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY |                        |                                                                                                            |
| <b>c</b> EIN-PN 42-0127290-133                                                     | <b>d</b> Entity code P | <b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 425044 |
| <b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:                                     |                        |                                                                                                            |
| <b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):                                  |                        |                                                                                                            |
| <b>c</b> EIN-PN                                                                    | <b>d</b> Entity code   | <b>e</b> 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  
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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> | OMB No. 1210-0110<br><br><b>2022</b><br><br><b>This Form is Open to Public Inspection</b> |                                                                    |            |
| For calendar plan year 2022 or fiscal plan year beginning <u>01/01/2022</u> and ending <u>12/31/2022</u>                                                                                                                                                                 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |                                                                                           |                                                                    |            |
| <b>A</b> Name of plan<br><u>GLS INDUSTRIES, INC. 401(K) PLAN</u>                                                                                                                                                                                                         | <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 80%; padding: 5px;"> <b>B</b> Three-digit plan number (PN) ►             </td> <td style="width: 20%; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> <b>001</b> </td> </tr> </table>          |                                                                                           | <b>B</b> Three-digit plan number (PN) ►                            | <b>001</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><u>GLS INDUSTRIES, INC.</u>                                                                                                                                                                             | <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 80%; padding: 5px;"> <b>D</b> Employer Identification Number (EIN)<br/> <u>41-1665692</u> </td> </tr> </table>                                                                     |                                                                                           | <b>D</b> Employer Identification Number (EIN)<br><u>41-1665692</u> |            |
| <b>D</b> Employer Identification Number (EIN)<br><u>41-1665692</u>                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |                                                                                           |                                                                    |            |

| Part I                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | Asset and Liability Statement |                       |                 |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| <b>1</b> 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. <b>Round off amounts to the nearest dollar.</b> 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>          | 280             |
| <b>(2)</b> Participant contributions.....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                               | <b>1b(2)</b>          |                 |
| <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>          |                 |
| <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>          |                 |
| <b>(9)</b> Value of interest in common/collective trusts.....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |                               | <b>1c(9)</b>          | 65896476584     |
| <b>(10)</b> Value of interest in pooled separate accounts .....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |                               | <b>1c(10)</b>         | 103680918643938 |
| <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>         | 371631164138    |
| <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>         |                 |

| <b>1d</b> Employer-related investments:                              |              | (a) Beginning of Year | (b) End of Year |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| (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>    | 10805898              | 9284660         |

**Liabilities**

|                                                                           |           |   |       |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|---|-------|
| <b>g</b> Benefit claims payable .....                                     | <b>1g</b> |   | 22480 |
| <b>h</b> Operating payables .....                                         | <b>1h</b> |   |       |
| <b>i</b> Acquisition indebtedness .....                                   | <b>1i</b> |   |       |
| <b>j</b> Other liabilities .....                                          | <b>1j</b> |   |       |
| <b>k</b> Total liabilities (add all amounts in lines 1g through 1j) ..... | <b>1k</b> | 0 | 22480 |

**Net Assets**

|                                                           |           |          |         |
|-----------------------------------------------------------|-----------|----------|---------|
| <b>l</b> Net assets (subtract line 1k from line 1f) ..... | <b>1l</b> | 10805898 | 9262180 |
|-----------------------------------------------------------|-----------|----------|---------|

**Part II Income and Expense Statement**

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

**Income**

|                                                                                                            |                 | (a) Amount | (b) Total |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|------------|-----------|
| <b>a Contributions:</b>                                                                                    |                 |            |           |
| (1) Received or receivable in cash from: <b>(A)</b> Employers .....                                        | <b>2a(1)(A)</b> | 161452     |           |
| <b>(B)</b> Participants .....                                                                              | <b>2a(1)(B)</b> | 591802     |           |
| <b>(C)</b> Others (including rollovers) .....                                                              | <b>2a(1)(C)</b> |            |           |
| (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>    |            | 753254    |
| <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> |            |           |
| <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> |            |           |
| <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> |            | 0         |
| (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> |            |           |
| <b>(D)</b> Total dividends. Add lines <b>2b(2)(A)</b> , <b>(B)</b> , and <b>(C)</b> .....                  | <b>2b(2)(D)</b> |            | 0         |
| (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)  |            | 5487      |
| (7) Net investment gain (loss) from pooled separate accounts .....                              | 2b(7)  |            | -1977687  |
| (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) |            | -45224    |
| c Other income .....                                                                            | 2c     |            | 24        |
| d Total income. Add all <b>income</b> amounts in column (b) and enter total .....               | 2d     |            | -1264146  |
| <b>Expenses</b>                                                                                 |        |            |           |
| e Benefit payment and payments to provide benefits:                                             |        |            |           |
| (1) Directly to participants or beneficiaries, including direct rollovers .....                 | 2e(1)  | 237566     |           |
| (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)  |            | 237566    |
| f Corrective distributions (see instructions) .....                                             | 2f     |            | 22839     |
| 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)  | 19167      |           |
| (3) Investment advisory and management fees .....                                               | 2i(3)  |            |           |
| (4) Other .....                                                                                 | 2i(4)  |            |           |
| (5) Total administrative expenses. Add lines 2i(1) through (4) .....                            | 2i(5)  |            | 19167     |
| j Total expenses. Add all <b>expense</b> amounts in column (b) and enter total .....            | 2j     |            | 279572    |
| <b>Net Income and Reconciliation</b>                                                            |        |            |           |
| k Net income (loss). Subtract line 2j from line 2d .....                                        | 2k     |            | -1543718  |
| 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: SMITH SCHAFFER & ASSOCIATES, LTD.

(2) EIN: 41-1489071

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   |    | 3970   |

|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | 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.) |     | X  |         |
| <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.)                                                                                                                             |     | X  |         |
| <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.)                                                                                                                  |     | X  |         |
| <b>4d</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |     | X  |         |
| <b>e</b> Was this plan covered by a fidelity bond?                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | X   |    | 1000000 |
| <b>4e</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | X   |    | 1000000 |
| <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?                                                                                                                                       |     | X  |         |
| <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?                                                                                                                             |     | X  |         |
| <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.)                                                                                     |     | X  |         |
| <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?                                                                                                                                              |     | X  |         |
| <b>4k</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |     | X  |         |
| <b>l</b> Has the plan failed to provide any benefit when due under the plan?                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |     | X  |         |
| <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.)                                                                                                                                                                                     |     | X  |         |
| <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>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |     |    |         |

**5a** Has a resolution to terminate the plan been adopted during the plan year or any prior plan year? ☐ Yes ☒ No  
If "Yes," enter the amount of any plan assets that reverted to the employer this year \_\_\_\_\_.

**5b** If, during this plan year, any assets or liabilities were transferred from this plan to another plan(s), identify the plan(s) to which assets or liabilities were transferred. (See instructions.)

| 5b(1) Name of plan(s) | 5b(2) EIN(s) | 5b(3) PN(s) |
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**5c** Was the plan a defined benefit plan covered under the PBGC insurance program at any time during this plan year? (See ERISA section 4021 and instructions.) ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Not determined  
If "Yes" is checked, enter the My PAA confirmation number from the PBGC premium filing for this plan year \_\_\_\_\_.

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| <div>SCHEDULE R<br/>(Form 5500)<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</div>                                                                                                                            | <div>Retirement Plan Information</div> <div>This schedule is required to be filed under sections 104 and 4065 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) and section 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code).</div> <div>► File as an attachment to Form 5500.</div> | <div>OMB No. 1210-0110</div> <div>2022</div> <div>This Form is Open to Public Inspection.</div> |
| For calendar plan year 2022 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2022 and ending 12/31/2022                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                 |
| A Name of plan<br>GLS INDUSTRIES, INC. 401(K) PLAN                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | B Three-digit plan number (PN) ► 001                                                            |
| C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500<br>GLS INDUSTRIES, INC.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | D Employer Identification Number (EIN)<br>41-1665692                                            |
| Part I                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | Distributions                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |                                                                                                 |
| All references to distributions relate only to payments of benefits during the plan year.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                 |
| 1 Total value of distributions paid in property other than in cash or the forms of property specified in the instructions.....                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | 1 0                                                                                             |
| 2 Enter the EIN(s) of payor(s) who paid benefits on behalf of the plan to participants or beneficiaries during the year (if more than two, enter EINs of the two payors who paid the greatest dollar amounts of benefits):<br><br>EIN(s): 42-0127290                                                                                                       |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                 |
| Profit-sharing plans, ESOPs, and stock bonus plans, skip line 3.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                 |
| 3 Number of participants (living or deceased) whose benefits were distributed in a single sum, during the plan year.....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | 3                                                                                               |
| Part II                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | Funding Information (If the plan is not subject to the minimum funding requirements of section 412 of the Internal Revenue Code or ERISA section 302, skip this Part.)                                                                                                                           |                                                                                                 |
| 4 Is the plan administrator making an election under Code section 412(d)(2) or ERISA section 302(d)(2)? ..... <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> N/A<br>If the plan is a defined benefit plan, go to line 8.                                                                                                |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                 |
| 5 If a waiver of the minimum funding standard for a prior year is being amortized in this plan year, see instructions and enter the date of the ruling letter granting the waiver. Date: Month _____ Day _____ Year _____<br>If you completed line 5, complete lines 3, 9, and 10 of Schedule MB and do not complete the remainder of this schedule.       |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                 |
| 6 a Enter the minimum required contribution for this plan year (include any prior year accumulated funding deficiency not waived).....                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | 6a                                                                                              |
| b Enter the amount contributed by the employer to the plan for this plan year.....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | 6b                                                                                              |
| c Subtract the amount in line 6b from the amount in line 6a. Enter the result (enter a minus sign to the left of a negative amount).....                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | 6c                                                                                              |
| If you completed line 6c, skip lines 8 and 9.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                 |
| 7 Will the minimum funding amount reported on line 6c be met by the funding deadline? ..... <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> N/A                                                                                                                                                                          |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                 |
| 8 If a change in actuarial cost method was made for this plan year pursuant to a revenue procedure or other authority providing automatic approval for the change or a class ruling letter, does the plan sponsor or plan administrator agree with the change? ..... <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> N/A |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                 |
| Part III                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | Amendments                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                                                                                                 |
| 9 If this is a defined benefit pension plan, were any amendments adopted during this plan year that increased or decreased the value of benefits? If yes, check the appropriate box. If no, check the "No" box..... <input type="checkbox"/> Increase <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease <input type="checkbox"/> Both <input type="checkbox"/> No          |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                 |
| Part IV                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | ESOPs (see instructions). If this is not a plan described under section 409(a) or 4975(e)(7) of the Internal Revenue Code, skip this Part.                                                                                                                                                       |                                                                                                 |
| 10 Were unallocated employer securities or proceeds from the sale of unallocated securities used to repay any exempt loan?..... <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No                                                                                                                                                                   |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                 |
| 11 a Does the ESOP hold any preferred stock?..... <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                 |
| b If the ESOP has an outstanding exempt loan with the employer as lender, is such loan part of a "back-to-back" loan? (See instructions for definition of "back-to-back" loan.)..... <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No                                                                                                              |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                 |
| 12 Does the ESOP hold any stock that is not readily tradable on an established securities market?..... <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No                                                                                                                                                                                            |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                 |
| For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the Instructions for Form 5500.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                 |
| Schedule R (Form 5500) 2022 v. 220413                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                 |

**Part V Additional Information for Multiemployer Defined Benefit Pension Plans**

**13** Enter the following information for each employer that (1) contributed more than 5% of total contributions to the plan during the plan year or (2) was one of the top-ten highest contributors (measured in dollars). See instructions. *Complete as many entries as needed to report all applicable employers.*

**a** Name of contributing employer

**b** EIN

**c** Dollar amount contributed by employer

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

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

(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) \_\_\_\_\_

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

**a** Name of contributing employer

**b** EIN

**c** Dollar amount contributed by employer

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

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

(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) \_\_\_\_\_

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

**a** Name of contributing employer

**b** EIN

**c** Dollar amount contributed by employer

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

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

(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) \_\_\_\_\_

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

**a** Name of contributing employer

**b** EIN

**c** Dollar amount contributed by employer

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

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

(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) \_\_\_\_\_

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

**a** Name of contributing employer

**b** EIN

**c** Dollar amount contributed by employer

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

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

(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) \_\_\_\_\_

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

**a** Name of contributing employer

**b** EIN

**c** Dollar amount contributed by employer

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

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

(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) \_\_\_\_\_

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

|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |            |            |            |
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| <b>14</b> Enter the number of deferred vested and retired participants (inactive participants), as of the beginning of the plan year, whose contributing employer is no longer making contributions to the plan for:                                                                                                            | <b>14a</b> |            |            |
| <b>a</b> The current plan year. Check the box to indicate the counting method used to determine the number of inactive participants: <input type="checkbox"/> last contributing employer <input type="checkbox"/> alternative <input type="checkbox"/> reasonable approximation (see instructions for required attachment)..... |            | <b>14b</b> |            |
| <b>b</b> The plan year immediately preceding the current plan year. <input type="checkbox"/> Check the box if the number reported is a change from what was previously reported (see instructions for required attachment) .....                                                                                                |            |            | <b>14c</b> |
| <b>c</b> The second preceding plan year. <input type="checkbox"/> Check the box if the number reported is a change from what was previously reported (see instructions for required attachment) .....                                                                                                                           |            |            |            |
| <b>15</b> Enter the ratio of the number of participants under the plan on whose behalf no employer had an obligation to make an employer contribution during the current plan year to:                                                                                                                                          | <b>15a</b> |            |            |
| <b>a</b> The corresponding number for the plan year immediately preceding the current plan year.....                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |            | <b>15b</b> |            |
| <b>b</b> The corresponding number for the second preceding plan year.....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |            |            |            |
| <b>16</b> Information with respect to any employers who withdrew from the plan during the preceding plan year:                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | <b>16a</b> |            |            |
| <b>a</b> Enter the number of employers who withdrew during the preceding plan year .....                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |            | <b>16b</b> |            |
| <b>b</b> If line 16a is greater than 0, enter the aggregate amount of withdrawal liability assessed or estimated to be assessed against such withdrawn employers.....                                                                                                                                                           |            |            |            |
| <b>17</b> If assets and liabilities from another plan have been transferred to or merged with this plan during the plan year, check box and see instructions regarding supplemental information to be included as an attachment ..... <input type="checkbox"/>                                                                  |            |            |            |

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

☐ Yes.

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

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

☐ No. Other. Provide explanation \_\_\_\_\_

**July 17, 2023**

To the Plan Administrator and Management  
**GLS Industries, Inc. 401(k) Plan**

We have conducted an ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit of the financial statements of GLS Industries, Inc. 401(k) Plan as of and for the year ended December 31, 2022 and have issued our report thereon dated July 17, 2023. Professional standards require that we advise you of the following information related to our audit.

**Our Responsibility in Relation to the Financial Statement Audit**

As communicated in our engagement letter dated February 6, 2023, our responsibility, as described by professional standards, is to conduct our audit in accordance with ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) pursuant to 29 CFR 2520.103-8 of the DOL's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. Therefore, as permitted by ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C), the audit need not extend to any statements of information related to assets held for investment of the Plan (investment information) by a bank or similar institution or insurance carrier that is regulated, supervised, and subject to periodic examination by a state or federal agency, provided that the statements or information regarding assets so held are prepared and certified to by the bank or similar institution or insurance carrier in accordance with 29 CFR 2520.103-5 of the DOL's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA (qualified institution). For an ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit, the audit will 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 financial statements, and reading the disclosures relating to the certified investment information to assess whether they are in accordance with the presentation and disclosure requirement of accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP). Accordingly, the objective of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit is not to express an opinion about whether the financial statements as a whole are presented fairly, in all material respects, in accordance with GAAP.

Our responsibility, as prescribed by professional standards, is to plan and perform our audit to obtain reasonable, rather than absolute, assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit of financial statements includes consideration of internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing 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 over financial reporting. Accordingly, as part of our audit, we considered the internal control of GLS Industries, Inc. 401(k) Plan solely for the purpose of determining our audit procedures and not to provide any assurance concerning such internal control.

We are also responsible for communicating significant matters related to the audit that are, in our professional judgment, relevant to your responsibilities in overseeing the financial reporting process. However, we are not required to design procedures for the purpose of identifying other matters to communicate to you.

We have provided our comments regarding significant control deficiencies and other matters noted during our audit in a separate letter to you dated July 17, 2023.

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### **Planned Scope and Timing of the Audit**

We conducted our audit consistent with the planned scope and timing we previously communicated to you.

### **Compliance with All Ethics Requirements Regarding Independence**

The engagement team, others in our firm, as appropriate, our firm, and our network firms have complied with all relevant ethical requirements regarding independence.

### **Significant Risks Identified**

We have identified the following significant risks:

Participant accounts, data and contributions require significant audit considerations due to the complexity of computing contributions, significant amounts of transactions and timing of remitting contributions.

Benefit payments require special audit consideration due to the possibility of ineligible distributions from the plan or improper calculation of vesting.

### **Qualitative Aspects of Accounting Practices**

#### *Significant Accounting Policies*

Management is responsible for the selection and use of appropriate accounting policies. A summary of the significant accounting policies adopted by the GLS Industries, Inc. 401(k) Plan is included in Note 1 to the financial statements. There have been no initial selection of accounting policies and no changes in significant accounting policies or their application during 2022. No matters have come to our attention that would require us, under professional standards, to inform you about (1) the methods used to account for significant unusual transactions and (2) the effect of significant accounting policies in controversial or emerging areas for which there is a lack of authoritative guidance or consensus.

#### *Significant Accounting Estimates*

Accounting estimates are an integral part of the financial statements prepared by management and are based on management's current judgments. Those judgments are normally based on knowledge and experience about past and current events and assumptions about future events. Certain accounting estimates are particularly sensitive because of their significance to the financial statements and because of the possibility that future events affecting them may differ markedly from management's current judgments. The most sensitive estimate(s) affecting the financial statements was (were):

Management's estimate of the fair value of the investments. We evaluated the key factors and assumptions used to develop the fair value of these investments in determining that their fair value is reasonable in relation to the financial statements for the plan as a whole. Most of the fair value estimates were based upon quoted prices in the open market.

#### *Financial Statement Disclosures*

The financial statement disclosures are neutral, consistent, and clear.

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### **Form 5500 Procedures**

We are required to obtain and read a substantially complete draft of Form 5500 prior to dating our auditor's report. The purpose of this procedure is to identify any material inconsistencies between the draft Form 5500 and the Plan's financial statements. We identified no material inconsistencies in performing and completing our audit.

### **Significant Difficulties Encountered During the Audit**

We encountered no significant difficulties in dealing with management relating to the performance of the audit.

### **Uncorrected and Corrected Misstatements**

For purposes of this communication, professional standards also require us to accumulate all known and likely misstatements identified during the audit, other than those that we believe are trivial, and communicate them to the appropriate level of management. Further, professional standards require us to also communicate the effect of uncorrected misstatements related to prior periods on the relevant classes of transactions, account balances or disclosures, and the financial statements as a whole. In addition, professional standards require us to communicate to you all material, corrected misstatements that were brought to the attention of management as a result of our audit procedures.

### **Disagreements with Management**

For purposes of this letter, professional standards define a disagreement with management as a matter, whether or not resolved to our satisfaction, concerning a financial accounting, reporting, or auditing matter, which could be significant to GLS Industries, Inc. 401(k) Plan's financial statements or the auditor's report. No such disagreements arose during the course of the audit.

### **Representations Requested from Management**

We have requested certain written representations from management, which are included in the management representation letter dated July 17, 2023.

### **Management's Consultations with Other Accountants**

In some cases, management may decide to consult with other accountants about auditing and accounting matters. Management informed us that, and to our knowledge, there were no consultations with other accountants regarding auditing and accounting matters.

### **Other Significant Matters, Findings, or Issues**

In the normal course of our professional association with GLS Industries, Inc. 401(k) Plan, we generally discuss a variety of matters, including the application of accounting principles and auditing standards, significant events or transactions that occurred during the year, business conditions affecting the plan, and business plans and strategies that may affect the risks of material misstatement. None of the matters discussed resulted in a condition to our retention as GLS Industries, Inc. 401(k) Plan's auditors.

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**Other Matters**

The ERISA-required supplemental schedules were subjected to the audit procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with GAAS.

Our responsibility also includes communicating to you any information which we believe is a material misstatement of fact. Nothing came to our attention that caused us to believe that such information, or its manner of presentation, is materially inconsistent with the information, or manner of its presentation, appearing in the financial statements.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the trustees and management of the GLS Industries, Inc. 401(k) Plan and is not intended to be, and should not be, used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Very truly yours,

*Smith, Schafu and Associates, Ltd.*

**SCHEDULE H, line 4i - SCHEDULE OF ASSETS (HELD AT END OF YEAR)**

GLS I, I. 401() P

EIN 41 1665692  
 PLAN NUMBER 001  
 PLAN YEAR 01/01/2022 TO 12/31/2022

| (A) | (B)<br>Identity of issuer, borrower,<br>lessor or similar party. | (C)<br>Description of investment including maturity date,<br>rate of interest, collateral, par or maturity value. | (D)<br>Cost | (E)<br>Current Value |
|-----|------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------|----------------------|
|     | Eaton Vance                                                      | Registered Investment Company<br>Eth Vnc Atl Cp SMID-Cap A Fd                                                     | \$ 0.00     | \$ 164,138.15        |
| *   | Principal Life Insurance Company                                 | Pooled Separate Accounts<br>Prin Blue Chip SA-R6                                                                  | \$ 0.00     | \$ 425,043.55        |
| *   | Principal Life Insurance Company                                 | Pooled Separate Accounts<br>Prin Core Plus Bd Sep Acct-R6                                                         | \$ 0.00     | \$ 209,519.69        |
| *   | Principal Life Insurance Company                                 | Pooled Separate Accounts<br>Prin Diversified Intl SA-R6                                                           | \$ 0.00     | \$ 243,570.87        |
| *   | Principal Life Insurance Company                                 | Pooled Separate Accounts<br>Prin Equity Income SA-R6                                                              | \$ 0.00     | \$ 392,971.30        |
| *   | Principal Life Insurance Company                                 | Pooled Separate Accounts<br>Prin LargeCap Growth I SA-R6                                                          | \$ 0.00     | \$ 545,370.27        |
| *   | Principal Life Insurance Company                                 | Pooled Separate Accounts<br>Prin LgCap S&P 500 Index SA-R6                                                        | \$ 0.00     | \$ 1,319,098.45      |
| *   | Principal Life Insurance Company                                 | Pooled Separate Accounts<br>Prin LifeTime Strat Inc SA-R6                                                         | \$ 0.00     | \$ 42,813.16         |
| *   | Principal Life Insurance Company                                 | Pooled Separate Accounts<br>Prin LifeTime 2010 Sep Acct-R6                                                        | \$ 0.00     | \$ 29,817.67         |
| *   | Principal Life Insurance Company                                 | Pooled Separate Accounts<br>Prin LifeTime 2020 Sep Acct-R6                                                        | \$ 0.00     | \$ 132,825.65        |
| *   | Principal Life Insurance Company                                 | Pooled Separate Accounts<br>Prin LifeTime 2030 Sep Acct-R6                                                        | \$ 0.00     | \$ 830,440.64        |
| *   | Principal Life Insurance Company                                 | Pooled Separate Accounts<br>Prin LifeTime 2040 Sep Acct-R6                                                        | \$ 0.00     | \$ 685,727.69        |
| *   | Principal Life Insurance Company                                 | Pooled Separate Accounts<br>Prin LifeTime 2050 Sep Acct-R6                                                        | \$ 0.00     | \$ 427,250.34        |
| *   | Principal Life Insurance Company                                 | Pooled Separate Accounts<br>Prin LifeTime 2060 Sep Acct-R6                                                        | \$ 0.00     | \$ 891,351.66        |
| *   | Principal Life Insurance Company                                 | Pooled Separate Accounts<br>Prin MidCap S&P 400 Idx SA-R6                                                         | \$ 0.00     | \$ 359,678.69        |

**SCHEDULE H, line 4i - SCHEDULE OF ASSETS (HELD AT END OF YEAR)**

GLS I, I. 401() P  
 EIN 41 1665692  
 PLAN NUMBER 001  
 PLAN YEAR 01/01/2022 TO 12/31/2022

| (A) | (B)<br>Identity of issuer, borrower,<br>lessor or similar party. | (C)<br>Description of investment including maturity date,<br>rate of interest, collateral, par or maturity value. | (D)<br>Cost | (E)<br>Current Value |
|-----|------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------|----------------------|
| *   | Principal Life Insurance Company                                 | Pooled Separate Accounts<br>Prin MidCap Value I SA-R6                                                             | \$ 0.00     | \$ 904,000.96        |
| *   | Principal Life Insurance Company                                 | Pooled Separate Accounts<br>Prin SmallCap Growth I SA-R6                                                          | \$ 0.00     | \$ 366,692.40        |
| *   | Principal Life Insurance Company                                 | Pooled Separate Accounts<br>Prin SmallCap Value II SA-R6                                                          | \$ 0.00     | \$ 11,546.69         |
| *   | Principal Life Insurance Company                                 | Pooled Separate Accounts<br>Prin SmCap S&P 600 Index SA-R6                                                        | \$ 0.00     | \$ 561,738.50        |
| *   | Principal Life Insurance Company                                 | Pooled Separate Accounts<br>Prin SAM Cons Balanced SA-R6                                                          | \$ 0.00     | \$ 37,386.27         |
| *   | Principal Life Insurance Company                                 | Pooled Separate Accounts<br>Prin SAM Cons Growth SA-R6                                                            | \$ 0.00     | \$ 12,051.06         |
| *   | Principal Life Insurance Company                                 | Pooled Separate Accounts<br>Prin SAM Flexible Income SA-R6                                                        | \$ 0.00     | \$ 66,050.77         |
| *   | Principal Life Insurance Company                                 | Pooled Separate Accounts<br>Prin SAM Strat Growth SA-R6                                                           | \$ 0.00     | \$ 45,078.65         |
| *   | Principal Life Insurance Company                                 | Pooled Separate Accounts<br>Prin U.S. Property Sep Acct-R6                                                        | \$ 0.00     | \$ 19,077.15         |
| *   | Principal Life Insurance Company                                 | Pooled Separate Accounts<br>Principal SmallCap Sep Acct-R6                                                        | \$ 0.00     | \$ 84,836.00         |
| *   | Principal Global Investors Trust Co                              | Common/Collective Trust<br>Principal Stable Value Fund                                                            | \$ 0.00     | \$ 476,584.00        |
|     |                                                                  |                                                                                                                   |             |                      |
|     |                                                                  |                                                                                                                   |             |                      |
|     |                                                                  |                                                                                                                   |             |                      |
|     |                                                                  |                                                                                                                   |             |                      |

**GLS INDUSTRIES, INC. 401(K) PLAN  
ROCHESTER, MINNESOTA**

**FINANCIAL STATEMENTS  
DECEMBER 31, 2022**



## **GLS INDUSTRIES 401(k) PLAN**

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## INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Plan Administrator  
**GLS Industries, Inc. 401(k) Plan**  
Rochester, Minnesota

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

We have performed an audit of the financial statements of GLS Industries, Inc. 401(k) 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) (ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit). The financial statements comprise the statements of net assets available for benefits as of December 31, 2022 and 2021, and the related statements of changes in net assets available for benefits for the years then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

Management, having determined it is permissible in the circumstances, has elected to have the audit of the 2022 financial statements performed in accordance with ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) pursuant to 29 CFR 2520.103-8 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. As permitted by ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C), our audits need not extend to any statements or information related to assets held for investment of the plan (investment information) by a bank or similar institution or insurance carrier that is regulated, supervised, and subject to periodic examination by a state or federal agency, provided that the statements or information regarding assets so held are prepared and certified to by the bank or similar institution or insurance carrier in accordance with 29 CFR 2520.103-5 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA (qualified institution).

Management has obtained certifications from a qualified institution as of and for the years ended December 31, 2022 and 2021, stating that the certified investment information, as described in Note 2 to the financial statements, is complete and accurate.

### Opinion

In our opinion, based on our audits and on the procedures performed as described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section:

- the amounts and disclosures in the accompanying financial statements, other than those agreed to or derived from the certified investment information, are presented fairly, in all material respects, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.
- the information in the accompanying financial statements related to assets held by and certified to by a qualified institution agrees to, or is derived from, in all material respects, the information prepared and certified by an institution that management determined meets the requirements of ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C).

### **Basis for Opinion**

We conducted our audits 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 Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of GLS Industries, Inc. 401(k) Plan and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audits. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit opinion.

### **Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statements**

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error. Management's election of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit does not affect management's responsibility for the financial statements.

In preparing the financial statements, management is required to evaluate whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about GLS Industries, Inc. 401(k) Plan's ability to continue as a going concern for one year after the date that the financial statements are issued.

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

### **Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements**

Except as described in the Scope and Nature of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) Audit section of our report, our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an 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.

**Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements (Continued)**

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 GLS Industries, Inc. 401(k) 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 GLS Industries, Inc. 401(k) 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 financial statements, and reading the disclosures relating to the certified investment information to assess whether they are in accordance with the presentation and disclosure requirements of accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

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

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

**Other Matter — Supplemental Schedule Required by ERISA**

The supplemental Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year) as of December 31, 2022 is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the financial statements but is supplementary information required by the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements. The information included in the supplemental schedule, other than that agreed to or derived from the certified investment information, has been subjected to auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with GAAS.

**Other Matter — Supplemental Schedule Required by ERISA (Continued)**

For information included in the supplemental schedule that agreed to or is derived from the certified investment information, we compared such information to the related certified investment information.

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

In our opinion:

- the form and content of the supplemental schedule, other than the information in the supplemental schedule that agreed to or is derived from the certified investment information, is presented, in all material respects, in conformity with the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.
- the information in the supplemental schedule related to assets held by and certified to by a qualified institution agrees to, or is derived from, in all material respects, the information prepared and certified by an institution that management determined meets the requirements of ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C).

*Smith, Schaph and Associates, Ltd.*

Rochester, Minnesota  
July 17, 2023

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**DECEMBER 31, 2022**

**GLS INDUSTRIES, INC. 401(K) PLAN**

**STATEMENTS OF NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS**

**December 31, 2022 and 2021**

| <b>Assets</b>                            | <b>2022</b>         | <b>2021</b>          |
|------------------------------------------|---------------------|----------------------|
| Investments, at Fair Value               | <b>\$ 9,284,660</b> | \$ 10,805,618        |
| <b>Receivables</b>                       |                     |                      |
| Employer contributions                   |                     | 280                  |
| <b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>                      | <b>\$ 9,284,660</b> | <b>\$ 10,805,898</b> |
| <b>Liabilities</b>                       |                     |                      |
| Corrective distribution payable          | <b>22,480</b>       |                      |
| <b>NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS</b> | <b>\$ 9,262,180</b> | <b>\$ 10,805,898</b> |

**See Notes to Financial Statements**

**GLS INDUSTRIES, INC. 401(K) PLAN****STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS****For the Years Ended December 31, 2022 and 2021**

|                                                                  | 2022                       | 2021                       |
|------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| <b>Additions To Net Assets Attributed To:</b>                    |                            |                            |
| Investment Income                                                |                            |                            |
| Net increase (decrease) in fair value of investments             | <u>\$ (2,017,400)</u>      | <u>\$ 1,614,330</u>        |
| Contributions                                                    |                            |                            |
| Participant salary reductions                                    | 591,802                    | 549,313                    |
| Employer contributions                                           | 161,452                    | 159,688                    |
| Total Contributions                                              | <u>753,254</u>             | <u>709,001</u>             |
| Total Additions (Net Investment Losses)                          | <u>(1,264,146)</u>         | <u>2,323,331</u>           |
| <b>Deductions From Net Assets Attributed To:</b>                 |                            |                            |
| Benefits paid to participants including corrective distributions | 260,405                    | 401,880                    |
| Administrative expenses                                          | 19,167                     | 22,220                     |
| Total Deductions                                                 | <u>279,572</u>             | <u>424,100</u>             |
| <b>Increase (Decrease) In Net Assets Available for Benefits</b>  | <b>(1,543,718)</b>         | <b>1,899,231</b>           |
| Net Assets Available for Benefits - Beginning of Year            | <u>10,805,898</u>          | <u>8,906,667</u>           |
| Net Assets Available for Benefits - End of Year                  | <u><b>\$ 9,262,180</b></u> | <u><b>\$10,805,898</b></u> |

**See Notes to Financial Statements**

## GLS INDUSTRIES, INC. 401(k) PLAN

### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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#### 1. Plan Description and Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

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The following description of the GLS Industries, Inc. 401(k) Plan (the "Plan") provides only general information. Participants should refer to the Plan agreement for a more complete description of the Plan's provisions.

*General* - The Plan is a defined contribution plan covering substantially all employees (other than collectively bargained, non-resident alien and leased employees) of GLS Industries, Inc., Rockwood Retaining Walls, Inc., Alliance Concrete Concepts, Inc., Equipment, Inc., Mid-Atlantic Concrete Products, Inc., Silver Creek Stoneworks, Inc., Rockwood Retaining Walls Manufacturing, Inc., Mortarless Systems Engineering, Inc., Rochester Concrete Products, LLC., South Atlantic Concrete Products, LLC., and Interlock Concrete Products, Inc. (collectively, the Company). The Plan became effective July 1, 1996, and is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), as amended. Most recently, the Plan was amended and restated for 2020 Plan year to adopt the required provisions of the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act.

*Administration* - The Plan is administered by GLS Industries, Inc. and advised by a committee whose members are appointed by the Board of Directors of GLS Industries, Inc. The Custodian of the Plan's assets is Principal Life Insurance Company (the Custodian). The Custodian executes transactions based upon direction from the Plan's administrator and the Plan's participants.

*Participation* - To be eligible to make salary deferrals to the Plan, employees are immediately eligible with no age or service requirements. For all other aspects of the Plan, employees are eligible after one year of service (as defined in the plan document) and attaining age 21. Entry dates begin on the first day of the month on or after the completion of the initial requirements.

*Contributions* - Contributions to the Plan include salary reduction, rollover contributions, and catch-up contributions authorized by participants, and matching and profit sharing (if any) contributions made by the Plan Sponsor.

Each participant may authorize the Company to contribute into the Plan salary reduction contributions on a pre-tax or post-tax (Roth) basis up to the limits prescribed by law.

The Company makes matching contributions to the Plan for participants who are twenty-one years of age and who have completed one year of service (one thousand hours) with the Company. For the years ended December 31, 2022 and 2021, the Plan matched 50 percent of employee elective deferrals up to the first 6 percent of eligible wages. Matching contributions totaled \$161,452 and \$159,688 for 2022 and 2021, respectively.

## GLS INDUSTRIES, INC. 401(k) PLAN

### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

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#### 1. Plan Description and Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

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*Participant Accounts* - Each participant's account is updated to include the participant's contribution and an allocation of (a) the Plan Sponsor's contributions, (b) plan earnings (losses), and (c) plan expenses, as applicable. The Plan uses a daily valuation system for each participant's individually-directed account. The benefit to which a participant is entitled is the benefit that can be provided from the participant's vested account.

The Plan provides for participants to direct the funds in which their account balances are invested. The participants' funds are invested in various common collective trust funds, mutual funds, and the fixed income account held by the Trustee.

*Vesting* - Full vesting rights are achieved for matching and employer discretionary contributions after six years of service. Participants are fully vested at all times in all other contributions. Participants vest in employer matching and discretionary contributions as follows:

| <u>Full Years of<br/>Employment</u> | <u>Vested<br/>Percentage</u> |
|-------------------------------------|------------------------------|
| 0-2                                 | 0%                           |
| 2                                   | 20%                          |
| 3                                   | 40%                          |
| 4                                   | 60%                          |
| 5                                   | 80%                          |
| 6                                   | 100%                         |

*Benefits* - On termination of service, disability, death, retirement, reaching normal retirement age or reaching age 59 1/2, participants or their beneficiaries, as applicable, are eligible to receive a distribution in an amount equal to their vested account balance. If the participants' vested account balance is less than \$5,000, the Plan will distribute their vested account balance in a lump-sum payment or roll the balance over to an IRA set up for the benefit of the participant with or without the participant's authorization. If the participants' vested account balance exceeds \$5,000, the participant may elect to take a lump-sum distribution, distribute their account balance in substantially equal amounts, or to leave their vested balance in the Plan. Participants are also able to take a hardship distribution from their vested account balance in an amount not to exceed the participant's financial hardship, as defined by the Plan document.

## GLS INDUSTRIES, INC. 401(k) PLAN

### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

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#### 1. Plan Description and Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

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*Plan Termination* - Although it has not expressed any intent to do so, the Plan Sponsor 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 become 100 percent vested in their accounts.

##### *Basis of Accounting*

The financial statements are prepared on the accrual basis from the financial records supplied by Principal Life Insurance Company.

Employer contributions are recorded as receivable at the time of their approval by the Board of Directors of the Company. Employee contributions are recorded as receivable as soon as the contributions can be isolated from the general assets of the company and before they have been received by the Plan.

##### *Investment Valuation and Income Recognition*

Investments are reported at fair value. 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. See Note 3 for discussion on fair value measurements.

All purchases and sales of securities have been recorded on a trade-date basis. Income is recorded as earned. The increase or decrease in the fair value of investments represents the net difference between the current value of securities held at the beginning of the year or cost of securities purchased during the year and the current value of securities held at the end of the year.

## GLS INDUSTRIES, INC. 401(k) PLAN

### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

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#### 1. Plan Description and Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

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##### Notes Receivable from Participants

The plan does not allow for participants to borrow from their fund accounts.

##### Benefit Payment

Benefit payments are recorded upon distribution to participants.

##### Expenses

Expenses of maintaining the Plan are paid by the Plan Sponsor and the Plan. Administrative expenses paid by the Plan are included in the statement of changes in net assets available for benefits.

##### Forfeitures

Forfeited nonvested amounts can be used to pay administrative expenses of the Plan or to reduce employer matching contributions. Forfeited, non-vested accounts had a \$23 balance at December 31, 2021 and a zero balance at December 31, 2022. Forfeitures during 2022 and 2021 totaled \$7,859 and \$12,052, respectively. During 2022, forfeited non-vested accounts in the amount of \$339 were used to pay plan expenses and \$7,543 were used to reduce employer matching contributions. During 2021, forfeited non-vested accounts in the amount of \$4,030 were used to pay plan expenses and \$8,162 were used to reduce employer matching contributions.

##### Use of Estimates in Preparation of Financial Statements

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

## GLS INDUSTRIES, INC. 401(k) PLAN

### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

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#### 2. Financial Information Certified by the Custodian

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Principal Life Insurance Company (the Custodian) has provided the Plan Administrator with certifications as to the completeness and accuracy of total investments for participants of the Plan held by the Custodian aggregating \$9,284,660 and \$10,805,618 as of December 31, 2022 and 2021, respectively, and the related total investment income/(loss) of (\$2,017,400) and \$1,614,330, respectively for the years then ended. Such amounts and all related financial data are included in the accompanying financial statements and supplemental schedule of the Plan based on such certifications from the Custodian.

Under the terms of the Custodian agreement, the Custodian has non-discretionary authority over Plan assets and maintains investment funds on behalf of the Plan. The Custodian has been granted authority to make purchases and sales of investments at the direction of the Plan Sponsor and plan participants and maintains records of all participant and Plan transactions and accounts.

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#### 3. Fair Value Measurements

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

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

**Level 2:** Observable market-based inputs or unobserved inputs that are corroborated by market-data. Inputs to the valuation methodology include:

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

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

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

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NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

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**3. Fair Value Measurements (Continued)**

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

The following is a description of the valuation methodologies used for assets measured at fair value:

**Pooled Separate Accounts:** Pooled separate accounts are valued based upon the unit values of such pooled accounts held by the Plan at year end. Unit values are based on the fair value of the underlying assets of the fund derived from inputs principally from or corroborated by observable market data by correlation or other means, although not based upon quoted prices in an active market. The underlying investments of the pooled separate accounts consist of mutual funds, each of which follows a separate investment strategy. Due to the nature of these pooled accounts, there are no unfunded commitments or redemption restrictions.

**Mutual Funds:** The mutual funds are 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 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 Funds:** The collective trust funds are valued at the net asset value of units of a bank collective trust. The net asset value, as provided by the Trustee, is used as a practical expedient to estimate fair value. The net asset value is based on the fair value of the underlying investments held by the fund less its liabilities. The practical expedient is not used when it is determined to be probable that the fund will sell the investment for an amount different than the reported net asset value. Participant transactions (purchases and sales) may occur daily. Were the Plan to initiate a full redemption of the collective trust, the investment adviser reserves the right to temporarily delay withdrawal from the trust in order to ensure that securities liquidations will be carried out in an orderly business manner.

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

**GLS INDUSTRIES, INC. 401(k) PLAN**

**NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)**

**3. Fair Value Measurements (Continued)**

The following tables reflect the Plan's investments within the fair value hierarchy:

| <b>As of December 31, 2022</b>                       |                                              |                                   |                |                |
|------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|----------------|----------------|
|                                                      | <b>Assets<br/>Measured at<br/>Fair Value</b> | <b>Fair Value Hierarchy Level</b> |                |                |
|                                                      |                                              | <b>Level 1</b>                    | <b>Level 2</b> | <b>Level 3</b> |
| <b>Pooled Separate Accounts</b>                      | <b>\$ 8,643,938</b>                          | <b>\$ 8,643,938</b>               | <b>\$</b>      | <b>\$</b>      |
| <b>Mutual Funds</b>                                  | <b>164,138</b>                               | <b>164,138</b>                    |                |                |
| <b>Investments Measured at<br/>Net Asset Value *</b> | <b>476,584</b>                               | <b>\$ 8,808,076</b>               | <b>\$</b>      | <b>\$</b>      |
| <b>Total Investments</b>                             | <b>\$ 9,284,660</b>                          |                                   |                |                |
| <b>As of December 31, 2021</b>                       |                                              |                                   |                |                |
|                                                      | <b>Assets<br/>Measured at<br/>Fair Value</b> | <b>Fair Value Hierarchy Level</b> |                |                |
|                                                      |                                              | <b>Level 1</b>                    | <b>Level 2</b> | <b>Level 3</b> |
| <b>Pooled Separate Accounts</b>                      | <b>\$ 10,368,091</b>                         | <b>\$ 10,368,091</b>              | <b>\$</b>      | <b>\$</b>      |
| <b>Mutual Funds</b>                                  | <b>371,631</b>                               | <b>371,631</b>                    |                |                |
| <b>Investments Measured at<br/>Net Asset Value *</b> | <b>65,896</b>                                | <b>\$ 10,739,722</b>              | <b>\$</b>      | <b>\$</b>      |
| <b>Total Investments</b>                             | <b>\$ 10,805,618</b>                         |                                   |                |                |

\* In accordance with Subtopic 820-10, certain investments that were measured at net asset value (or its equivalent) have not been classified in the fair value hierarchy. The fair value amounts presented in this table are intended to permit reconciliation of the fair value hierarchy to the line items presented in the Statement of Net Assets Available for Benefits.

## GLS INDUSTRIES, INC. 401(k) PLAN

### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

#### 3. Fair Value Measurements (Continued)

Financial Accounting Standards Board Update 2009-12, Fair Value Measurement and Disclosure (Topic 820): *Investments in Certain Entities that Calculate Net Asset Value Per Share (or its Equivalent)* requires disclosures of certain attributes in entities that calculate a net asset value per share (or its equivalent) and do not have a readily determinable fair value. The following tables set forth the disclosure of the attributes at December 31, 2022 and 2021:

| 2022                    |            |                      |                      |                          |
|-------------------------|------------|----------------------|----------------------|--------------------------|
|                         | Fair Value | Unfunded Commitments | Redemption Frequency | Redemption Notice Period |
| Common/collective trust | \$ 476,584 | \$                   | Daily **             | Daily **                 |

  

| 2021                    |            |                      |                      |                          |
|-------------------------|------------|----------------------|----------------------|--------------------------|
|                         | Fair Value | Unfunded Commitments | Redemption Frequency | Redemption Notice Period |
| Common/collective trust | \$ 65,896  | \$                   | Daily **             | Daily **                 |

\*\* The investment options held by the common/collective trusts associated with this contract may restrict the amount or frequency of transfers or redemptions in order to protect fund shareholders or investors. In addition, withdrawals from and transfers among the common/collective trusts may be subject to postponement for any period during which trading on the New York Stock Exchange is restricted or any period during which an emergency exists, as determined by the Securities and Exchange Commission, as a result of which it is not reasonably practical to dispose of securities in the common/collective trusts or to fairly determine the value of the assets of the common/collective trusts.

## **GLS INDUSTRIES, INC. 401(k) PLAN**

### **NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)**

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#### **4. Party-in-Interest Transactions**

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Transactions resulting in Plan assets being transferred to or used by a related party are considered prohibited transactions under ERISA unless a specific exemption exists. Certain plan investments include pooled separate accounts, mutual funds and common collective trust funds that are managed by Principal Life Insurance Company (the Custodian); and therefore, these transactions qualify as party-in-interest transactions. However, the transactions are not considered prohibited transactions as ERISA regulations provide for a specific exemption for such transactions.

Additionally, certain employees of the Company provide certain accounting and administrative services to the Plan for which no fee is charged. These transactions are also permitted under ERISA regulations.

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#### **5. Tax Status**

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The prototype plan document utilized by the Plan obtained its latest IRS opinion letter on March 31, 2014, in which the Internal Revenue Service stated that the Plan, as then designed, was in compliance with the applicable requirements of the Internal Revenue Code. The Plan has been amended since receiving the opinion letter. However, the Plan Administrator and the Plan's tax counsel believe that the Plan is currently designed and being operated in compliance with the applicable requirements of the Internal Revenue Code. The Plan evaluates all significant tax positions as required by generally accepted accounting principles in the United States. As of December 31, 2022, the Plan does not believe that it has taken any tax positions that require the recording of any additional tax liability nor does it believe that there are any unrealized tax benefits that would either increase or decrease within the next twelve months.

The Plan's informational returns are subject to examination by the appropriate regulatory authorities as of December 31, 2022, and the Plan's federal informational returns generally remain open for a period of three years.

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#### **6. Risks and Uncertainties**

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The Plan offers a number of investment options to participants that are exposed to various risks, such as interest rate, credit, and overall market volatility risk. Due to the level of risk associated with certain investment securities, it is reasonably possible that changes in the values of investment securities will occur in the near term and such changes could materially affect amounts reported in the statements of net assets available for benefits and participant accounts.

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**GLS INDUSTRIES, INC. 401(k) PLAN**

**NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)**

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**7. Subsequent Events**

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In preparing these financial statements, the Plan has evaluated events and transactions for potential recognition or disclosure through July 17, 2023, the date the financial statements were available to be issued.

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## **SUPPLEMENTAL SCHEDULE**

**GLS INDUSTRIES, INC. 401(K) PLAN**  
**EIN 41-1665692 PN 001**  
**SCHEDULE H LINE 4i -- SCHEDULE OF ASSETS (HELD AT END OF YEAR)**  
**December 31, 2022**

| (a) | (b) Identity of Issuer, Borrower, Lessor<br>or Similar Party | (c) Description of investment including maturity date,<br>rate of interest, collateral, par or maturity value | (d) Cost | (e) Current<br>Value |
|-----|--------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------|----------------------|
|     | <b>Pooled Separate Accounts</b>                              |                                                                                                               |          |                      |
| *   | Principal Life Insurance Company                             | Blue Chip Fund                                                                                                | **       | \$ 425,044           |
| *   | Principal Life Insurance Company                             | Equity Income Fund                                                                                            | **       | 392,971              |
| *   | Principal Life Insurance Company                             | LargeCap Growth I Fund                                                                                        | **       | 545,370              |
| *   | Principal Life Insurance Company                             | LgCap S&P 500 Index Fund                                                                                      | **       | 1,319,098            |
| *   | Principal Life Insurance Company                             | MidCap S&P 400 Index Fund                                                                                     | **       | 359,679              |
| *   | Principal Life Insurance Company                             | MidCap Value I Fund                                                                                           | **       | 904,001              |
| *   | Principal Life Insurance Company                             | SmCap S&P 600 Index Fund                                                                                      | **       | 561,739              |
| *   | Principal Life Insurance Company                             | SmallCap Growth I Fund                                                                                        | **       | 366,692              |
| *   | Principal Life Insurance Company                             | SmallCap Value II Fund                                                                                        | **       | 11,547               |
| *   | Principal Life Insurance Company                             | SmallCap Fund                                                                                                 | **       | 84,836               |
| *   | Principal Life Insurance Company                             | Diversified International Fund                                                                                | **       | 243,571              |
| *   | Principal Life Insurance Company                             | LifeTime 2010 Fund                                                                                            | **       | 29,817               |
| *   | Principal Life Insurance Company                             | LifeTime 2020 Fund                                                                                            | **       | 132,826              |
| *   | Principal Life Insurance Company                             | LifeTime 2030 Fund                                                                                            | **       | 830,441              |
| *   | Principal Life Insurance Company                             | LifeTime 2040 Fund                                                                                            | **       | 685,728              |
| *   | Principal Life Insurance Company                             | LifeTime 2050 Fund                                                                                            | **       | 427,250              |
| *   | Principal Life Insurance Company                             | LifeTime 2060 Fund                                                                                            | **       | 891,352              |
| *   | Principal Life Insurance Company                             | LifeTime Strat Inc. Fund                                                                                      | **       | 42,813               |
| *   | Principal Life Insurance Company                             | SAM Cons Balanced Fund                                                                                        | **       | 37,386               |
| *   | Principal Life Insurance Company                             | SAM Cons Growth Fund                                                                                          | **       | 12,051               |
| *   | Principal Life Insurance Company                             | SAM Flexible Income Fund                                                                                      | **       | 66,051               |
| *   | Principal Life Insurance Company                             | SAM Strat Growth Fund                                                                                         | **       | 45,079               |
| *   | Principal Life Insurance Company                             | Core Plus Bond Fund                                                                                           | **       | 209,519              |
| *   | Principal Life Insurance Company                             | U.S. Property Fund                                                                                            | **       | 19,077               |
|     | <b>Common Collective Trust</b>                               |                                                                                                               |          |                      |
| *   | Principal Global Investors Trust Co                          | Stable Value Fund                                                                                             | **       | 476,584              |
|     | <b>Mutual Funds</b>                                          |                                                                                                               |          |                      |
|     | Eaton Vance Management                                       | Small MidCap A Fund                                                                                           | **       | 164,138              |
|     | Total Investments                                            |                                                                                                               |          | <u>\$ 9,284,660</u>  |

\* Known to be a party-in-interest to the Plan

\*\* Cost information omitted - participant-directed individual account plan