

Form 5500 Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation	Annual Return/Report of Employee Benefit Plan This form is required to be filed for employee benefit plans under sections 104 and 4065 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) and sections 6057(b) and 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code). ▶ Complete all entries in accordance with the instructions to the Form 5500.	OMB Nos. 1210-0110 1210-0089 2023 This Form is Open to Public Inspection
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Part I	Annual Report Identification Information
For calendar plan year 2023 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2023 and ending 12/31/2023	
A	This return/report is for: ☐ a multiemployer plan ☐ a multiple-employer plan (Filers checking this box must provide participating employer information in accordance with the form instructions.) ☒ a single-employer plan ☐ a DFE (specify) _____ ☐ the first return/report ☐ the final return/report ☐ an amended return/report ☐ a short plan year return/report (less than 12 months)
C	If the plan is a collectively-bargained plan, check here. ▶ ☐
D	Check box if filing under: ☒ Form 5558 ☐ automatic extension ☐ the DFVC program ☐ special extension (enter description)
E	If this is a retroactively adopted plan permitted by SECURE Act section 201, check here. ▶ ☐

Part II	Basic Plan Information—enter all requested information
1a	Name of plan KOMET USA, LLC 401(K) PLAN
1b	Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 001
1c	Effective date of plan 01/01/2007
2a	Plan sponsor's name (employer, if for a single-employer plan) Mailing address (include room, apt., suite no. and street, or P.O. Box) City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code (if foreign, see instructions) KOMET USA, LLC 3042 SOUTHCROSS BLVD. SUITE 101 ROCK HILL, SC 29730
2b	Employer Identification Number (EIN) 84-1719571
2c	Plan Sponsor's telephone number 803-323-1501
2d	Business code (see instructions) 339110

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

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

SIGN HERE	Filed with authorized/valid electronic signature.	09/26/2024	LAURA DILENA
	Signature of plan administrator	Date	Enter name of individual signing as plan administrator
SIGN HERE			
	Signature of employer/plan sponsor	Date	Enter name of individual signing as employer or plan sponsor
SIGN HERE			
	Signature of DFE	Date	Enter name of individual signing as DFE

3a Plan administrator's name and address ☒ Same as Plan Sponsor	3b Administrator's EIN 3c Administrator's telephone number
4 If the name and/or EIN of the plan sponsor or the plan name has changed since the last return/report filed for this plan, enter the plan sponsor's name, EIN, the plan name and the plan number from the last return/report: a Sponsor's name c Plan Name	4b EIN 4d PN
5 Total number of participants at the beginning of the plan year	5 131
6 Number of participants as of the end of the plan year unless otherwise stated (welfare plans complete only lines 6a(1) , 6a(2) , 6b , 6c , and 6d). a(1) Total number of active participants at the beginning of the plan year a(2) Total number of active participants at the end of the plan year b Retired or separated participants receiving benefits c Other retired or separated participants entitled to future benefits d Subtotal. Add lines 6a(2) , 6b , and 6c e Deceased participants whose beneficiaries are receiving or are entitled to receive benefits. f Total. Add lines 6d and 6e g(1) Number of participants with account balances as of the beginning of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item) g(2) Number of participants with account balances as of the end of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item) h Number of participants who terminated employment during the plan year with accrued benefits that were less than 100% vested.....	6a(1) 84 6a(2) 87 6b 0 6c 52 6d 139 6e 1 6f 140 6g(1) 100 6g(2) 120 6h 12
7 Enter the total number of employers obligated to contribute to the plan (only multiemployer plans complete this item).....	7

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

2E 2F 2G 2J 2K 2T 3D

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

9a Plan funding arrangement (check all that apply) (1) ☒ Insurance (2) ☐ Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts (3) ☒ Trust (4) ☐ General assets of the sponsor	9b Plan benefit arrangement (check all that apply) (1) ☒ Insurance (2) ☐ Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts (3) ☒ Trust (4) ☐ General assets of the sponsor
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10 Check all applicable boxes in 10a and 10b to indicate which schedules are attached, and, where indicated, enter the number attached. (See instructions)

a Pension Schedules

- (1)** ☒ **R** (Retirement Plan Information)
- (2)** ☐ **MB** (Multiemployer Defined Benefit Plan and Certain Money Purchase Plan Actuarial Information) - signed by the plan actuary
- (3)** ☐ **SB** (Single-Employer Defined Benefit Plan Actuarial Information) - signed by the plan actuary
- (4)** ☐ **DCG** (Individual Plan Information) – Number Attached _____
- (5)** ☐ **MEP** (Multiple-Employer Retirement Plan Information)

b General Schedules

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

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

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

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

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

11c Enter the Receipt Confirmation Code for the 2023 Form M-1 annual report. If the plan was not required to file the 2023 Form M-1 annual report, enter the Receipt Confirmation Code for the most recent Form M-1 that was required to be filed under the Form M-1 filing requirements. (Failure to enter a valid Receipt Confirmation Code will subject the Form 5500 filing to rejection as incomplete.)

Receipt Confirmation Code _____

SCHEDULE A (Form 5500) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation	Insurance Information This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA). ▶ File as an attachment to Form 5500. ▶ Insurance companies are required to provide the information pursuant to ERISA section 103(a)(2).	OMB No. 1210-0110 2023 This Form is Open to Public Inspection
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For calendar plan year 2023 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2023 and ending 12/31/2023	
A Name of plan KOMET USA, LLC 401(K) PLAN	B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 001
C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 KOMET USA, LLC	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 84-1719571

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
TRANSAMERICA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

(b) EIN	(c) NAIC code	(d) Contract or identification number	(e) Approximate number of persons covered at end of policy or contract year	Policy or contract year	
				(f) From	(g) To
39-0989781	86231	998337	120	01/01/2023	12/31/2023

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

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

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

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

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

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

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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.

4 Current value of plan's interest under this contract in the general account at year end	4	1700025
5 Current value of plan's interest under this contract in separate accounts at year end.....	5	2799539

6 Contracts With Allocated Funds:**a** State the basis of premium rates ▶**b** Premiums paid to carrier**6b****c** Premiums due but unpaid at the end of the year.....**6c****d** If the carrier, service, or other organization incurred any specific costs in connection with the acquisition or retention of the contract or policy, enter amount.**6d**

Specify nature of costs ▶

e Type of contract: (1) ☐ individual policies (2) ☐ group deferred annuity(3) ☐ other (specify) ▶**f** If contract purchased, in whole or in part, to distribute benefits from a terminating plan, check here ▶ ☐**7** Contracts With Unallocated Funds (Do not include portions of these contracts maintained in separate accounts)**a** Type of contract: (1) ☐ deposit administration (2) ☐ immediate participation guarantee(3) ☐ guaranteed investment (4) ☒ other ▶ STABLE VALUE OPTION**b** Balance at the end of the previous year**7b**

1430874

c Additions: (1) Contributions deposited during the year**7c(1)**

500261

(2) Dividends and credits

7c(2)

(3) Interest credited during the year

7c(3)

31114

(4) Transferred from separate account.....

7c(4)

24103

(5) Other (specify below)

7c(5)

22094

▶ STABLE FORFS, ADDITIONS TO FORFS AND EBA, AND LOAN PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST PAID

(6) Total additions.....

7c(6)

577572

d Total of balance and additions (add lines **7b** and **7c(6)**)**7d**

2008446

e Deductions:

(1) Disbursed from fund to pay benefits or purchase annuities during year

7e(1)

157236

(2) Administration charge made by carrier

7e(2)

6101

(3) Transferred to separate account.....

7e(3)

128009

(4) Other (specify below)

7e(4)

17075

▶ LOANS ISSUED, AND OTHER EXPENSES FROM UNALLOCATED ASSETS

(5) Total deductions.....

7e(5)

308421

f Balance at the end of the current year (subtract line **7e(5)** from line **7d**)**7f**

1700025

Part III Welfare Benefit Contract Information

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

8 Benefit and contract type (check all applicable boxes)

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

9 Experience-rated contracts:

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

10 Nonexperience-rated contracts:

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

Specify nature of costs.

Part IV Provision of Information

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

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

SCHEDULE C (Form 5500) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation	Service Provider Information This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA). ▶ File as an attachment to Form 5500.	OMB No. 1210-0110
		2023
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C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 KOMET USA, LLC	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 84-1719571	

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).

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation
TRANSAMERICA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY
39-0989781

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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)

TRUIST ADVISORY SERVICES INC

37-1808847

(b) Service Code(s)	(c) Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest	(d) Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-.	(e) Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor)	(f) Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures?	(g) Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-.	(h) Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount?
27 53	INVESTMENT ADVISORY- PLAN	8151	Yes ☐ No ☒	Yes ☐ No ☐		Yes ☐ No ☐

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

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(b) Service Code(s)	(c) Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest	(d) Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-.	(e) Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor)	(f) Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures?	(g) Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-.	(h) Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount?
15 37 52 62 64 67	RECORDKEEPER	7958	Yes ☒ No ☐	Yes ☒ No ☐	0	Yes ☐ No ☒

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

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

Part I Service Provider Information (continued)

3. If you reported on line 2 receipt of indirect compensation, other than eligible indirect compensation, by a service provider, and the service provider is a fiduciary or provides contract administrator, consulting, custodial, investment advisory, investment management, broker, or recordkeeping services, answer the following questions for (a) each source from whom the service provider received \$1,000 or more in indirect compensation and (b) each source for whom the service provider gave you a formula used to determine the indirect compensation instead of an amount or estimated amount of the indirect compensation. Complete as many entries as needed to report the required information for each source.

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

Part II Service Providers Who Fail or Refuse to Provide Information

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

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

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

Explanation:

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

Explanation:

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Explanation:

SCHEDULE D (Form 5500) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration	DFE/Participating Plan Information This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA). ▶ File as an attachment to Form 5500.	OMB No. 1210-0110 2023 This Form is Open to Public Inspection.
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C Plan or DFE sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 KOMET USA, LLC	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 84-1719571	

Part I	Information on interests in MTIAs, CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs (to be completed by plans and DFEs) (Complete as many entries as needed to report all interests in DFEs)
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a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: AB SMALL CAP GR RET OPT

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): TRANSAMERICA LIFE INS CO

c EIN-PN 39-0989781-509	d Entity code P	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 124278
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a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: ALLSPRING PRECIOUS METALS RET OPT

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): TRANSAMERICA LIFE INS CO

c EIN-PN 39-0989781-276	d Entity code P	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 63808
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a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: AMER FDS GR FD OF AMERICA INV

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): TRANSAMERICA LIFE INS CO

c EIN-PN 39-0989781-015	d Entity code P	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 181256
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a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: AMERICAN FDS FDAMENTAL INVS RET OPT

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): TRANSAMERICA LIFE INS CO

c EIN-PN 39-0989781-236	d Entity code P	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 125402
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a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: AMERICAN FDS NEW PRSPCTV RET OPT

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): TRANSAMERICA LIFE INS CO

c EIN-PN 39-0989781-259	d Entity code P	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 136532
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a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: BLACKROCK EQ DIVIDEND RET OPT

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): TRANSAMERICA LIFE INS CO

c EIN-PN 39-0989781-240	d Entity code P	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 73642
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a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: DELAWARE IVY SCIENCE & TECH RET OPT

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): TRANSAMERICA LIFE INS CO

c EIN-PN 39-0989781-271	d Entity code P	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 7958
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a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: GOLDMAN SACHS MID CAP VAL RET OPT		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): TRANSAMERICA LIFE INS CO		
c EIN-PN 39-0989781-080	d Entity code P	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 33866

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: GOLDMAN SACHS TECH OPP RET OPT		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): TRANSAMERICA LIFE INS CO		
c EIN-PN 39-0989781-269	d Entity code P	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 54251

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: INVESCO DEVELOPING MKTS RET OPT		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): TRANSAMERICA LIFE INS CO		
c EIN-PN 39-0989781-471	d Entity code P	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 83103

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: LOOMIS SAYLES INV GRADE BD RT OPT		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): TRANSAMERICA LIFE INS CO		
c EIN-PN 39-0989781-086	d Entity code P	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 102972

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: MFS INTL VAL RET OPT		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): TRANSAMERICA LIFE INS CO		
c EIN-PN 39-0989781-518	d Entity code P	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 60641

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: PGIM JENNISON MID CAP GR RET OPT		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): TRANSAMERICA LIFE INS CO		
c EIN-PN 39-0989781-542	d Entity code P	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 44644

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: PIMCO REAL RETURN RET OPT		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): TRANSAMERICA LIFE INS CO		
c EIN-PN 39-0989781-473	d Entity code P	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 12835

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: TA VANGUARD REAL ESTATE INDEX OPT		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): TRANSAMERICA LIFE INS CO		
c EIN-PN 39-0989781-099	d Entity code P	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 15062

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: TA VANGUARD SM-CP VAL IDX RET OPT		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): TRANSAMERICA LIFE INS CO		
c EIN-PN 39-0989781-108	d Entity code P	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 94204

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: TRANS ASST ALLC-MOD GR PRTF RET OPT		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): TRANSAMERICA LIFE INS CO		
c EIN-PN 39-0989781-054	d Entity code P	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 858

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: TRANSAMERICA INTL EQ RET OPT		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): TRANSAMERICA LIFE INS CO		
c EIN-PN 39-0989781-791	d Entity code P	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 6829
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: TRANSAMERICA LG 2025 BLACKROCK		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): TRANSAMERICA LIFE INS CO		
c EIN-PN 39-0989781-049	d Entity code P	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 73520
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: TRANSAMERICA LG 2030 BLACKROCK		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): TRANSAMERICA LIFE INS CO		
c EIN-PN 39-0989781-111	d Entity code P	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 16484
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: TRANSAMERICA LG 2035 BLACKROCK		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): TRANSAMERICA LIFE INS CO		
c EIN-PN 39-0989781-050	d Entity code P	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 366818
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: TRANSAMERICA LG 2040 BLACKROCK		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): TRANSAMERICA LIFE INS CO		
c EIN-PN 39-0989781-112	d Entity code P	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 333478
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: TRANSAMERICA LG 2045 BLACKROCK		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): TRANSAMERICA LIFE INS CO		
c EIN-PN 39-0989781-051	d Entity code P	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 95703
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: TRANSAMERICA LG 2050 BLACKROCK		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): TRANSAMERICA LIFE INS CO		
c EIN-PN 39-0989781-113	d Entity code P	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 219485
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: TRANSAMERICA LG 2055 BLACKROCK		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): TRANSAMERICA LIFE INS CO		
c EIN-PN 39-0989781-505	d Entity code P	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 289810
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: TRANSAMERICA LG 2060 BLACKROCK		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): TRANSAMERICA LIFE INS CO		
c EIN-PN 39-0989781-612	d Entity code P	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 29
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: TRANSAMERICA LG CAP GR RET OPT		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): TRANSAMERICA LIFE INS CO		
c EIN-PN 39-0989781-290	d Entity code P	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 52197

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: TRANSAMERICA LG CAP VAL RET OPT

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): TRANSAMERICA LIFE INS CO

c EIN-PN 39-0989781-477	d Entity code P	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 48112
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a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: TRANSAMERICA LG D BLACKROCK OPT

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): TRANSAMERICA LIFE INS CO

c EIN-PN 39-0989781-047	d Entity code P	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 81384
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a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: VAN ECK GLBL HARD ASSETS RET OPT

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): TRANSAMERICA LIFE INS CO

c EIN-PN 39-0989781-611	d Entity code P	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 0
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a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: WESTERN ASSET CORE PLUS BD RT OPT

b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): TRANSAMERICA LIFE INS CO

c EIN-PN 39-0989781-614	d Entity code P	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 378
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a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

c EIN-PN	d Entity code	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)
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Part II **Information on Participating Plans (to be completed by DFEs, other than DCGs)**

(Complete as many entries as needed to report all participating plans. DCGs must report each participating plan using Schedule DCG.)

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

SCHEDULE H (Form 5500) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation	Financial Information This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), and section 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code). ▶ File as an attachment to Form 5500.	OMB No. 1210-0110
		2023
		This Form is Open to Public Inspection

For calendar plan year 2023 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2023 and ending 12/31/2023		
A Name of plan KOMET USA, LLC 401(K) PLAN	B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶	001
C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 KOMET USA, LLC		
		D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 84-1719571

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

Assets		(a) Beginning of Year	(b) End of Year
a Total noninterest-bearing cash	1a		
b Receivables (less allowance for doubtful accounts):			
(1) Employer contributions	1b(1)	10434	5657
(2) Participant contributions	1b(2)	13659	16292
(3) Other	1b(3)	13	363
c General investments:			
(1) Interest-bearing cash (include money market accounts & certificates of deposit)	1c(1)		
(2) U.S. Government securities	1c(2)		
(3) Corporate debt instruments (other than employer securities):			
(A) Preferred	1c(3)(A)		
(B) All other	1c(3)(B)		
(4) Corporate stocks (other than employer securities):			
(A) Preferred	1c(4)(A)		
(B) Common	1c(4)(B)		
(5) Partnership/joint venture interests	1c(5)		
(6) Real estate (other than employer real property)	1c(6)		
(7) Loans (other than to participants)	1c(7)		
(8) Participant loans	1c(8)	20517	33852
(9) Value of interest in common/collective trusts	1c(9)		
(10) Value of interest in pooled separate accounts	1c(10)	2193450	2799539
(11) Value of interest in master trust investment accounts	1c(11)		
(12) Value of interest in 103-12 investment entities	1c(12)		
(13) Value of interest in registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds)	1c(13)		
(14) Value of funds held in insurance company general account (unallocated contracts)	1c(14)	1430874	1700025
(15) Other	1c(15)		

1d Employer-related investments:		(a) Beginning of Year	(b) End of Year
(1) Employer securities	1d(1)		
(2) Employer real property	1d(2)		
e Buildings and other property used in plan operation	1e		
f Total assets (add all amounts in lines 1a through 1e)	1f	3668947	4555728
Liabilities			
g Benefit claims payable	1g		
h Operating payables	1h		
i Acquisition indebtedness	1i		
j Other liabilities	1j		
k Total liabilities (add all amounts in lines 1g through 1j)	1k		
Net Assets			
l Net assets (subtract line 1k from line 1f)	1l	3668947	4555728

Part II Income and Expense Statement

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

Income		(a) Amount	(b) Total
a Contributions:			
(1) Received or receivable in cash from: (A) Employers	2a(1)(A)	199665	
(B) Participants	2a(1)(B)	565527	
(C) Others (including rollovers)	2a(1)(C)	430316	
(2) Noncash contributions	2a(2)		
(3) Total contributions. Add lines 2a(1)(A) , (B) , (C) , and line 2a(2)	2a(3)		1195508
b Earnings on investments:			
(1) Interest:			
(A) Interest-bearing cash (including money market accounts and certificates of deposit)	2b(1)(A)		
(B) U.S. Government securities	2b(1)(B)		
(C) Corporate debt instruments	2b(1)(C)		
(D) Loans (other than to participants)	2b(1)(D)		
(E) Participant loans	2b(1)(E)	1216	
(F) Other	2b(1)(F)	31114	
(G) Total interest. Add lines 2b(1)(A) through (F)	2b(1)(G)		32330
(2) Dividends: (A) Preferred stock	2b(2)(A)		
(B) Common stock	2b(2)(B)		
(C) Registered investment company shares (e.g. mutual funds)	2b(2)(C)		
(D) Total dividends. Add lines 2b(2)(A) , (B) , and (C)	2b(2)(D)		
(3) Rents	2b(3)		
(4) Net gain (loss) on sale of assets: (A) Aggregate proceeds	2b(4)(A)		
(B) Aggregate carrying amount (see instructions)	2b(4)(B)		
(C) Subtract line 2b(4)(B) from line 2b(4)(A) and enter result	2b(4)(C)		
(5) Unrealized appreciation (depreciation) of assets: (A) Real estate	2b(5)(A)		
(B) Other	2b(5)(B)		
(C) Total unrealized appreciation of assets. Add lines 2b(5)(A) and (B)	2b(5)(C)		

		(a) Amount	(b) Total
(6) Net investment gain (loss) from common/collective trusts.....	2b(6)		
(7) Net investment gain (loss) from pooled separate accounts.....	2b(7)		404901
(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)		
c Other income	2c		
d Total income. Add all income amounts in column (b) and enter total	2d		1632739

Expenses

e Benefit payment and payments to provide benefits:			
(1) Directly to participants or beneficiaries, including direct rollovers	2e(1)	715396	
(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)		715396
f Corrective distributions (see instructions)	2f		14453
g Certain deemed distributions of participant loans (see instructions)	2g		
h Interest expense	2h		
i Administrative expenses:			
(1) Salaries and allowances	2i(1)		
(2) Contract administrator fees.....	2i(2)		
(3) Recordkeeping fees.....	2i(3)	7958	
(4) IQPA audit fees.....	2i(4)		
(5) Investment advisory and investment management fees	2i(5)	8151	
(6) Bank or trust company trustee/custodial fees	2i(6)		
(7) Actuarial fees	2i(7)		
(8) Legal fees	2i(8)		
(9) Valuation/appraisal fees	2i(9)		
(10) Other trustee fees and expenses	2i(10)		
(11) Other expenses	2i(11)		
(12) Total administrative expenses. Add lines 2i(1) through (11)	2i(12)		16109
j Total expenses. Add all expense amounts in column (b) and enter total	2j		745958

Net Income and Reconciliation

k Net income (loss). Subtract line 2j from line 2d	2k		886781
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: **MELISSA G CRITCHER, CPA, PC**

(2) EIN: **27-1654932**

d The opinion of an independent qualified public accountant is **not attached** as part of Schedule H because:

(1) ☐ This form is filed for a CCT, PSA, DCG 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. DCGs do not complete lines 4e, 4f, 4k, 4l, and 5, and DCGs generally complete the rest of Part IV collectively for all plans in the DCG, except as otherwise provided (see instructions).

During the plan year:

	Yes	No	Amount
a Was there a failure to transmit to the plan any participant contributions within the time period described in 29 CFR 2510.3-102? Continue to answer "Yes" for any prior year failures until fully corrected. (See instructions and DOL's Voluntary Fiduciary Correction Program.)		☒	
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.)		☒	
c Were any leases to which the plan was a party in default or classified during the year as uncollectible? (Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part II if "Yes" is checked.)		☒	
d Were there any nonexempt transactions with any party-in-interest? (Do not include transactions reported on line 4a. Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part III if "Yes" is checked.)		☒	
e Was this plan covered by a fidelity bond?	☒		50000
f Did the plan have a loss, whether or not reimbursed by the plan's fidelity bond, that was caused by fraud or dishonesty?		☒	
g Did the plan hold any assets whose current value was neither readily determinable on an established market nor set by an independent third party appraiser?		☒	
h Did the plan receive any noncash contributions whose value was neither readily determinable on an established market nor set by an independent third party appraiser?		☒	
i Did the plan have assets held for investment? (Attach schedule(s) of assets if "Yes" is checked, and see instructions for format requirements.)	☒		
j Were any plan transactions or series of transactions in excess of 5% of the current value of plan assets? (Attach schedule of transactions if "Yes" is checked and see instructions for format requirements.)		☒	
k Were all the plan assets either distributed to participants or beneficiaries, transferred to another plan, or brought under the control of the PBGC?		☒	
l Has the plan failed to provide any benefit when due under the plan?		☒	
m If this is an individual account plan, was there a blackout period? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-3.)		☒	
n If 4m was answered "Yes," check the "Yes" box if you either provided the required notice or one of the exceptions to providing the notice applied under 29 CFR 2520.101-3.		☒	

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

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

5b(1) Name of plan(s)	5b(2) EIN(s)	5b(3) PN(s)

5c Was the plan a defined benefit plan covered under the PBGC insurance program at any time during this plan year? (See ERISA section 4021 and instructions.) ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Not determined

If "Yes" is checked, enter the My PAA confirmation number from the PBGC premium filing for this plan year _____.

SCHEDULE R (Form 5500) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation	Retirement Plan Information This schedule is required to be filed under sections 104 and 4065 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) and section 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code). ▶ File as an attachment to Form 5500.	OMB No. 1210-0110 2023 This Form is Open to Public Inspection.
For calendar plan year 2023 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2023 and ending 12/31/2023		
A Name of plan KOMET USA, LLC 401(K) PLAN		B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 001
C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 KOMET USA, LLC		D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 84-1719571
Part I	Distributions	
All references to distributions relate only to payments of benefits during the plan year.		
1 Total value of distributions paid in property other than in cash or the forms of property specified in the instructions.....		1 0
2 Enter the EIN(s) of payor(s) who paid benefits on behalf of the plan to participants or beneficiaries during the year (if more than two, enter EINs of the two payors who paid the greatest dollar amounts of benefits): EIN(s): 13-3689044		
Profit-sharing plans, ESOPs, and stock bonus plans, skip line 3.		
3 Number of participants (living or deceased) whose benefits were distributed in a single sum, during the plan year		3
Part II	Funding Information (If the plan is not subject to the minimum funding requirements of section 412 of the Internal Revenue Code or ERISA section 302, skip this Part.)	
4 Is the plan administrator making an election under Code section 412(d)(2) or ERISA section 302(d)(2)? ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A		
If the plan is a defined benefit plan, go to line 8.		
5 If a waiver of the minimum funding standard for a prior year is being amortized in this plan year, see instructions and enter the date of the ruling letter granting the waiver. Date: Month _____ Day _____ Year _____		
If you completed line 5, complete lines 3, 9, and 10 of Schedule MB and do not complete the remainder of this schedule.		
6 a Enter the minimum required contribution for this plan year (include any prior year accumulated funding deficiency not waived)		6a
b Enter the amount contributed by the employer to the plan for this plan year		6b
c Subtract the amount in line 6b from the amount in line 6a. Enter the result (enter a minus sign to the left of a negative amount)		6c
If you completed line 6c, skip lines 8 and 9.		
7 Will the minimum funding amount reported on line 6c be met by the funding deadline? ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A		
8 If a change in actuarial cost method was made for this plan year pursuant to a revenue procedure or other authority providing automatic approval for the change or a class ruling letter, does the plan sponsor or plan administrator agree with the change? ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A		
Part III	Amendments	
9 If this is a defined benefit pension plan, were any amendments adopted during this plan year that increased or decreased the value of benefits? If yes, check the appropriate box. If no, check the "No" box. ☐ Increase ☐ Decrease ☐ Both ☐ No		
Part IV	ESOPs (see instructions). If this is not a plan described under section 409(a) or 4975(e)(7) of the Internal Revenue Code, skip this Part.	
10 Were unallocated employer securities or proceeds from the sale of unallocated securities used to repay any exempt loan?..... ☐ Yes ☐ No		
11 a Does the ESOP hold any preferred stock? ☐ Yes ☐ No		
b If the ESOP has an outstanding exempt loan with the employer as lender, is such loan part of a "back-to-back" loan? (See instructions for definition of "back-to-back" loan.) ☐ Yes ☐ No		
12 Does the ESOP hold any stock that is not readily tradable on an established securities market? ☐ Yes ☐ No		
For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the Instructions for Form 5500.		
Schedule R (Form 5500) 2023 v. 230707		

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

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

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

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

Part VI	Additional Information for Single-Employer and Multiemployer Defined Benefit Pension Plans
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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) and (b):	
a Enter the percentage of plan assets held as: Public Equity: _____% Private Equity: _____% Investment-Grade Debt and Interest Rate Hedging Assets: _____% High-Yield Debt: _____% Real Assets: _____% Cash or Cash Equivalents: _____% Other: _____%	
b Provide the average duration of the Investment-Grade Debt and Interest Rate Hedging Assets: ☐ 0-5 years ☐ 5-10 years ☐ 10-15 years ☐ 15 years or more	
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. _____	

Part VII	IRS Compliance Questions
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21a Does the plan satisfy the coverage and nondiscrimination tests of Code sections 410(b) and 401(a)(4) by combining this plan with any other plans under the permissive aggregation rules? ☐ Yes ☒ No	
21b If this is a Code section 401(k) plan, check all boxes that apply to indicate how the plan is intended to satisfy the nondiscrimination requirements for employee deferrals and employer matching contributions (as applicable) under Code sections 401(k)(3) and 401(m)(2).	
☐ Design-based safe harbor method	
☒ "Prior year" ADP test	
☐ "Current year" ADP test	
☐ N/A	
22 If the plan sponsor is an adopter of a pre-approved plan that received a favorable IRS Opinion Letter, enter the date of the Opinion Letter <u>06 / 30 / 2020</u> (MM/DD/YYYY) and the Opinion Letter serial number <u>Q704148A</u> .	

KOMET USA, LLC 401(K) PLAN

Financial Statements and Supplemental Schedule
for the Years Ended December 31, 2023, and 2022
and Independent Auditor's Report

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The Company's financial statements have been prepared for the purpose of filing DOL Form 5500. Supplemental schedules required by Section 2520 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, other than the one listed above, are omitted because of the absence of the conditions under which they are required.	

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Plan Administrator of Komet USA, LLC 401(k)
Plan:

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

I have performed audits of the financial statements of Komet USA, LLC 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, 2023 and 2022, 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 audits of the Komet USA, LLC 401(k) Plan's 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), my 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, 2023 and 2022, stating that the certified investment information, as described in Note 3 to the financial statements, is complete and accurate.

Opinion

In my opinion, based on my 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

I conducted my audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAS). My responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of my report. I am required to be independent of Komet USA, LLC 401(k) Plan and to meet my other ethical responsibilities, in accordance

with the relevant ethical requirements relating to my audits. I believe that the audit evidence I have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for my 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 Komet USA, LLC 401(k) Plan's ability to continue as a going concern for the twelve months following the date the financial statements were available to be used.

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 my report, my 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 my opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with GAAS will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Misstatements are considered material if, there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, they would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user based on the financial statements.

In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS, I:

- 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 Komet USA, LLC 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 my judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about Komet USA, LLC 401(k) Plan's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

My audits 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.

I am 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 I identified during the audit.

Other Matter

Supplemental Schedule Required by ERISA

The supplemental schedule of assets held for investment purposes as of December 31, 2023, 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 audits of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with GAAS. For information included in the supplemental schedule that agreed to or is derived from the certified investment information, I compared such information to the related certified investment information.

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

In my 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).

Melissa G. Critcher CPA PC

Melissa G. Critcher, CPA, PC

Waxhaw, NC

September 17, 2024

KOMET USA, LLC 401(K) PLAN

STATEMENTS OF NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS DECEMBER 31, 2023 AND 2022

	<u>2023</u>	<u>2022</u>
ASSETS:		
Investments, at fair value	<u>\$ 4,499,546</u>	<u>\$ 3,624,324</u>
Receivables:		
Participants contributions receivable	25,261	13,659
Employer contribution receivable	9,701	10,434
Notes receivable from participants	<u>33,852</u>	<u>20,517</u>
Total receivables	<u>68,814</u>	<u>44,610</u>
Total Assets	<u>4,568,360</u>	<u>3,668,934</u>
LIABILITIES:		
Refund of excess contributions	<u>16,223</u>	<u>21,994</u>
NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS	<u><u>\$ 4,552,137</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 3,646,940</u></u>

KOMET USA, LLC 401(K) PLAN

STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2023 AND 2022

	2023	2022
ADDITIONS:		
Investment income (loss):		
Net appreciation (depreciation) in fair value of investments	\$ 434,445	\$ (691,968)
Notes receivable from participants interest income	1,216	500
Contributions:		
Participants	574,496	549,432
Employer	185,438	161,720
Employer - other	18,271	6,223
Rollovers	430,316	10,018
Total contributions	1,208,521	727,393
Total additions	1,644,182	35,925
DEDUCTIONS:		
Benefits paid to participants	707,856	1,607,413
Administrative expenses	14,906	15,724
Refunds of excess contributions	16,223	21,994
Total deductions	738,985	1,645,131
INCREASE (DECREASE) IN NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS	905,197	(1,609,206)
NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS, BEGINNING OF YEAR	3,646,940	5,256,146
NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS, END OF YEAR	\$ 4,552,137	\$ 3,646,940

KOMET USA, LLC 401(K) PLAN

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2023 AND 2022

1. PLAN DESCRIPTION

The following description of Komet USA, LLC 401(k) Plan (the "Plan") is provided for general information purposes only. Participants should refer to the Plan document for more complete information.

General – The Plan is a single employer defined contribution plan covering substantially all eligible employees of Komet USA, LLC (the "Company"). All employees of the Company are eligible to participate in the Plan upon reaching age 18. Employees will be eligible to receive discretionary matching contributions upon reaching age 18 and nonelective employer contributions upon reaching age 21 and after completion of one year of service. The Plan is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 ("ERISA"). The Plan was amended and restated effective April 28, 2022, in accordance with Cycle 3 Restatement in order to bring the Plan into compliance with legislative and regulatory changes set forth in IRS Notice 2017-37 and other legal requirements. The Board of Directors is responsible for oversight of the Plan and determines the appropriateness of the Plan's investment offerings, and monitors investment performance.

On December 29, 2022, the Consolidated Appropriations Act of 2023 was signed into law, which includes the package of retirement provisions referred to as "SECURE 2.0". These provisions continue the themes and reforms that began with the 2019 SECURE Act, focusing on getting more participants into the retirement system and finding ways for them to accumulate more assets. These changes have various effective dates starting in 2023 and forward. Since the provisions include both required and optional elements, the Plan administrator will determine the optional provisions to elect.

The Plan was amended as of September 27, 2023, to revise the definition of compensation to exclude bonus payments.

Contributions – Each year the participants may contribute on a pre-tax basis up to 100% of their eligible compensation, as defined by the Plan, up to the allowable deferral limit defined by the Internal Revenue Code ("IRC"). Participants who have attained age 50 before the end of the Plan year are eligible to make catch-up contributions. The Company may make a discretionary matching contribution based on a specified percentage of compensation or dollar amount. During the years ended December 31, 2023 and 2022, the Company contributed \$185,438 and \$161,720, respectively. Additional nonelective contributions may be contributed at the option of the Company's board of directors. No additional contributions were made for the years ended December 31, 2023 and 2022. Contributions are subject to certain Internal Revenue Service ("IRS") limitations.

Participants may also contribute certain rollover amounts representing distributions from other qualified defined benefit or defined contribution plans.

Participant Accounts – Each participant's account is credited with the participant's contributions,

and Company matching contributions, nonelective contributions, as applicable, as well as, allocations of the Plan earnings, and charged with an allocation of administrative expenses that are paid by the Plan and an allocation of investment gains or losses, withdrawals and administrative expenses. Allocations are based on participant earnings, account balances, or specific participant transactions, as defined in the Plan document. The benefit to which a participant is entitled is the benefit that can be provided from the participant's vested account.

Investments – Upon enrollment in the Plan, participants direct the investment of their contributions and Company contributions into various investment options offered by the Plan.

Vesting - Participants are vested immediately in their contributions. Vesting in the Company's matching and nonelective contributions portion of their accounts plus actual earnings thereon is based on years of service. A participant is 100% vested after four years of credited service.

Notes Receivables From Participants - The Plan allows participants to borrow a minimum of \$1,000 up to a maximum equal to 50% of their vested account balance, not to exceed \$50,000. The notes receivable balances are secured by the balance in the participant's vested account and bear interest in accordance with the provisions in the Plan document. The interest rates on the outstanding notes receivable ranged from 6.50% to 9.50% at December 31, 2023 and 2022, which was commiserate with local prevailing rates. Principal and interest are paid ratably through payroll deductions and notes must be fully repaid within five years unless the note was issued for the purchase of a primary residence, upon which the note must be fully paid in accordance with the Plan provisions. As of December 31, 2023 and 2022, the Plan had outstanding notes receivable from participants with principal balances totaling \$33,852 and \$20,517, respectively.

Payment of Benefits - On termination of service due to death, disability, or retirement, a participant could elect to receive either a lump-sum amount equal to the value of the participant's vested interest in his or her account, or various forms of annuities, as provided in the Plan document. For termination of service for other reasons, a participant may receive the value of the vested interest in his or her account as a lump-sum distribution.

Forfeitures - Benefit payments to terminated participants partially vested in the Plan include their vested portion of employer contributions. Forfeiture may be used to reduce employer contributions or to pay administrative expense of the Plan, as determined by the Company at its sole discretion. At December 31, 2023 and 2022, forfeitures totaled \$102,019 and \$80,187, respectively. There were \$1,250 and \$2,801 of forfeitures used in 2023 and 2022, respectively, to pay Plan expenses.

2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of Accounting - The Plan's financial statements have been prepared on the accrual basis of accounting in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, except that benefits paid to Plan participants are recorded on a cash basis.

Use of Estimates - The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of certain assets and liabilities and changes therein, and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities. Accordingly, the actual amounts could differ from those estimates. Any adjustments applied to estimated amounts are recognized in the year in which such adjustments are determined.

Investment Valuation and Income Recognition - Investments are reported at fair value. Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. Plan management determines the Plan's valuation policies utilizing information provided by the investment advisers and custodians. See Note 4 for discussion of fair value measurements.

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

Notes receivable from Participants - Notes receivable from participants are measured at their unpaid principal balance plus any accrued but unpaid interest. Interest income is recorded on the accrual basis. Related fees are recorded as administrative expenses and are expensed when they are incurred. No allowance for credit losses has been recorded as of December 31, 2023 or 2022.

Excess Contributions Refundable - Amounts payable to participants for contributions in excess of amounts allowed by the IRS are recorded as a liability with a corresponding deduction for the excess contributions. The Plan distributed the 2023 excess contributions prior to March 15, 2024. The Plan distributed the 2022 excess contributions prior to March 15, 2023.

Contributions - Contributions from participants are recorded as they are withheld from the participant's wages. Contributions from the Company are recorded in the period in which the related participant contributions are due.

Payment of Benefits - Benefit payments to participants are recorded when paid.

Administrative Expenses - Administrative expenses of the Plan are paid by the Plan, as provided in the Plan document. Expenses that are paid by the Company are excluded from these financial statements. Investment related expenses are included in net appreciation (depreciation) of fair value of investments.

3. INVESTMENTS (UNAUDITED)

Certain information related to investments and notes receivable from participants disclosed in the accompanying financial statements and ERISA-required supplemental schedule, including investments and notes receivable from participants held at December 31, 2023 and 2022, and net appreciation (depreciation) in fair value of investments, and interest income on notes receivable from participants for the years ended December 31, 2023 and 2022, was obtained by management and agreed to or derived from information certified as complete and accurate by Transamerica Life Insurance Company (the custodian of the Plan).

4. FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS

Fair Value Measurements in accordance with current accounting standards, establishes 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 as follows:

Level 1	Inputs to the valuation methodology are unadjusted quoted prices for identical assets or liabilities in active markets that the Plan has the ability to access.
Level 2	Inputs to the valuation methodology include: ▪ Quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities in active markets; ▪ Quoted prices for identical or similar assets or liabilities in inactive markets; ▪ Inputs other than quoted prices that are observable for the asset or liability; ▪ Inputs that are derived principally from or corroborated by observable market data by correlation or other means. If the asset or liability has a specified (contractual) term, the level 2 input must be observable for substantially the full term of the asset or liability.
Level 3	Inputs to the valuation methodology are unobservable and significant to the fair value measurement.

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

Following is a description of the valuation methodologies used for assets measured at fair value. There were no changes in the methodologies used at December 31, 2023 and 2022:

Pooled Separate Accounts – The Plan invests in certain pooled separate accounts for which quoted prices are not available in active markets for identical instruments. The Plan utilizes the net asset value (“NAV”) of units, as determined by Transamerica Life Insurance Company, the custodian, as the estimated fair value because quoted prices in active markets are determined using observable market information such as quotes from less active markets and/or quoted prices of securities with similar characteristics.

Stable Value Option: The Plan invests in the Transamerica Stable Value Option. The stable value option is backed by the general account of Transamerica Life Insurance Company. The Plan utilizes the NAV of units, as determined by Transamerica Life Insurance Company, as the estimated fair value because quoted prices in active markets are determined using observable market information such as quotes from less active markets and/or quoted prices of securities with similar characteristics.

The following tables set forth by level, within the fair value hierarchy, the Plan's investment assets at fair value as of December 31, 2023 and 2022:

	<u>Assets at Fair Value as of December 31, 2023</u>			
	<u>Level 1</u>	<u>Level 2</u>	<u>Level 3</u>	<u>Total</u>
Stable Value Option	\$ -	\$1,699,470	\$ -	\$1,699,470
Pooled Separate Accounts	-	2,800,076	-	2,800,076
Total investments subject to the fair value hierarchy	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$4,499,546</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$4,499,546</u>

	<u>Assets at Fair Value as of December 31, 2022</u>			
	<u>Level 1</u>	<u>Level 2</u>	<u>Level 3</u>	<u>Total</u>
Stable Value Option	\$ -	\$1,430,874	\$ -	\$1,430,874
Pooled Separate Accounts	-	2,193,450	-	2,193,450
Total investments subject to the fair value hierarchy	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$3,624,324</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$3,624,324</u>

5. RELATED-PARTY TRANSACTIONS AND PARTY-IN-INTEREST TRANSACTIONS

Certain Plan investments are managed by Transamerica Life Insurance Company, the custodian of the Plan and therefore, these transactions qualify as exempt party-in-interest transactions. Fees paid by the Plan for investment management services were included as a reduction of the return earned on each fund. Certain administrative fees related to the administration of the Plan were paid by the Plan or by the Company. These transactions qualify as exempt party-in-interest transactions.

6. PLAN TERMINATION

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

7. FEDERAL INCOME TAX STATUS

The Plan has adopted a plan pre-approved by the IRS. The IRS issued an opinion letter dated June 30, 2020, that the volume submitter plan is acceptable with the applicable sections of the IRC. Although the Plan has been amended since receiving the opinion letter, the Company and the Plan administrator believe that the Plan is currently designed and operated in compliance with the applicable requirements of the IRC and the Plan and the related trust continue to be tax-exempt. Therefore, no provision for income taxes has been included in the Plan's financial statements.

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require Plan management to evaluate tax positions taken by the Plan and recognize a tax liability (or asset) if the Plan has taken an uncertain position that more likely than not would not be sustained upon examination by the applicable authorities. The Plan is subject to routine audits by taxing jurisdictions; however, there are currently no audits for any tax periods in progress.

8. RISKS AND UNCERTAINTIES

The Plan invests in various investment securities. Investment securities are exposed to various risks such as interest rate, market, and credit risks. Market risks include global events which could impact the value of investment securities, such as a pandemic or international conflict. Due to the

level of risk associated with certain investment securities, it is at least reasonably possible that changes in the values of investment securities will occur in the near term and that such changes could materially affect participants' account balances and the amounts reported in the Statements of Net Assets Available for Benefits.

9. RECONCILIATION TO THE FORM 5500

The following is a reconciliation of net assets available for benefits per the financial statements to the Form 5500 at December 31, 2023 and 2022:

	<u>2023</u>	<u>2022</u>
Net assets available for benefits per the financial statements	\$ 4,552,137	\$ 3,646,940
Refund of excess contributions	16,223	21,994
Timing difference on Participant and Employer contributions receivable	(13,013)	
Miscellaneous	<u>381</u>	<u>13</u>
Net assets available for benefits per the Form 5500	<u>\$ 4,555,728</u>	<u>\$ 3,668,947</u>

The following is a reconciliation of the changes in net assets available for benefits per the financial statements to the Form 5500 for the years ended December 31, 2023 and 2022:

	<u>2023</u>	<u>2022</u>
Change in net assets available for benefits per the financial statements	\$ 905,197	\$(1,609,206)
Prior year Employer contribution receivable	-	5,584
Prior year Participant contribution receivable	-	15,048
Current year refund of excess contributions	16,223	21,994
Prior year refund of excess contributions	(21,994)	(16,296)
Timing difference on Participant and Employer contributions	(13,013)	
Miscellaneous	<u>368</u>	<u>13</u>
Change in net assets available for benefits per the Form 5500	<u>\$ 886,781</u>	<u>\$(1,582,863)</u>

10. QUALIFIED NON-ELECTIVE EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTION

During the year ended December 31, 2022, it was determined that the incorrect definition of compensation was used as it relates to bonus payments. In order to correct the mistake, the Plan Sponsor made qualified non-elective contributions totaling \$18,271 and \$6,223 for the years ended December 31, 2023 and 2022, respectively.

11. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

For the year-ended December 31, 2023, the Company has evaluated subsequent events for potential recognition and disclosure through September 17, 2024, the date of financial statement issuance.

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SCHEDULE H, LINE 4i - SCHEDULE OF ASSETS HELD FOR INVESTMENT PURPOSES

AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2023

EIN: 84-1719571 - PLAN NUMBER: 001

(a) Party-in-interest	(b) Identity of issuer, borrower, lessor or similar party	(c) Description of investment including maturity date, rate of interest, collateral, par or maturity value	(e) Current Value
Stable Value Option:			
*	Transamerica Life Insurance Company	Transamerica Stable Value Option	\$ 1,699,470
Pooled Separate Accounts:			
*	Transamerica Life Insurance Company	Transamerica LifeGoal 2035 with BlackRck RetOpt	366,819
*	Transamerica Life Insurance Company	Transamerica LifeGoal 2040 with BlkRck Ret Opt	333,478
*	Transamerica Life Insurance Company	Transamerica LifeGoal 2055 with BlkRck Ret Opt	289,810
*	Transamerica Life Insurance Company	Transamerica LifeGoal 2050 with BlkRck Ret Opt	219,485
*	Transamerica Life Insurance Company	American Funds Growth Fund of America Inv Opt	181,225
*	Transamerica Life Insurance Company	American Funds New Perspective Ret Opt	136,517
*	Transamerica Life Insurance Company	Amer Funds Fundamental Investors Ret Opt	125,387
*	Transamerica Life Insurance Company	AllianceBernstein Small Cap Growth Ret Opt	124,272
*	Transamerica Life Insurance Company	Loomis Sayles Investment Grade Bond Ret Opt	102,938
*	Transamerica Life Insurance Company	Transamerica LifeGoal 2045 with BlkRck Ret Opt	95,703
*	Transamerica Life Insurance Company	Vanguard Small-Cap Value Index Ret Opt	94,199
*	Transamerica Life Insurance Company	Invesco Developing Markets Ret Opt	83,097
*	Transamerica Life Insurance Company	Transamerica LifeGoal Ret with BlackRock Ret Opt	81,384
*	Transamerica Life Insurance Company	BlackRock Equity Dividend Ret Opt	73,642
*	Transamerica Life Insurance Company	Transamerica LifeGoal 2025 with BlackRck RetOpt	73,520
*	Transamerica Life Insurance Company	Allspring Prec Metals Ret Opt	63,808
*	Transamerica Life Insurance Company	MFS International Intrinsic Value Ret Opt	60,625
*	Transamerica Life Insurance Company	Goldman Sachs Technology Tollkeeper Ret Opt	54,251
*	Transamerica Life Insurance Company	Transamerica Lg Cap Growth Ret Opt	52,197
*	Transamerica Life Insurance Company	Transamerica Large Cap Value Ret Opt	48,095
*	Transamerica Life Insurance Company	Prudential Jennison Mid Cap Growth Ret Opt	44,629

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(a) Party-in-interest	(b) Identity of issuer, borrower, lessor or similar party	(c) Description of investment including maturity date, rate of interest, collateral, par or maturity value	(e) Current Value
*	Transamerica Life Insurance Company	Goldman Sachs Mid Cap Value Ret Opt	33,851
*	Transamerica Life Insurance Company	Transamerica LifeGoal 2030 with BlackRck Re Opt	16,484
*	Transamerica Life Insurance Company	TA Vanguard REIT Index Ret Opt	15,055
*	Transamerica Life Insurance Company	PIMCO Real Return Ret Opt	12,810
*	Transamerica Life Insurance Company	Delaware Ivy Science & Technology Ret Opt	7,959
*	Transamerica Life Insurance Company	Transamerica Intl Equity	6,829
*	Transamerica Life Insurance Company	Transamerica Asset Alloc - Mod Grow Port Ret Opt	858
*	Transamerica Life Insurance Company	Expense Budget Account	742
*	Transamerica Life Insurance Company	Western Asset Core Plus Bond Ret Opt	378
*	Transamerica Life Insurance Company	Transamerica LifeGoal 2060 with BlkRck Ret Opt	29
			4,499,546
*	Notes Receivable from Participants	Interest rates range from 6.50% to 9.50%	33,852
			\$ 4,533,398

*Party-in-interest transaction, not a prohibited transaction.

See independent auditor report.

Komet USA, LLC 401(k) Plan
EIN No.: 84-1719571, Plan No. 001
Schedule H, Line 4i - Schedule of Assets
Plan Year Ending: 12/31/2023

(a)	(b) Identity of Issuer, Borrower, Lessor or Similar Party	(c) Description of Investment, Including Maturity Date, Rate of Interest, Par or Maturity Value	(d) CURRENT VALUE
*	Transamerica Life Ins Co	Transamerica Stable Val Option	\$ 1,700,025
		General Account Total	\$ 1,700,025
*	Transamerica Life Ins Co	AB Small Cap Gr Ret Opt	\$ 124,278
*	Transamerica Life Ins Co	AllSpring Precious Metals Ret Opt	\$ 63,808
*	Transamerica Life Ins Co	American Fds Fdamental Invs Ret Opt	\$ 125,402
*	Transamerica Life Ins Co	Amer Fds Gr Fd of America Inv	\$ 181,256
*	Transamerica Life Ins Co	American Fds New Prspctv Ret Opt	\$ 136,532
*	Transamerica Life Ins Co	BlackRock Eq Dividend Ret Opt	\$ 73,642
*	Transamerica Life Ins Co	Delaware Ivy Science & Tech Ret Opt	\$ 7,958
*	Transamerica Life Ins Co	Goldman Sachs Mid Cap Val Ret Opt	\$ 33,866
*	Transamerica Life Ins Co	Goldman Sachs Tech Opp Ret Opt	\$ 54,251
*	Transamerica Life Ins Co	Invesco Developing Mkts Ret Opt	\$ 83,103
*	Transamerica Life Ins Co	Loomis Sayles Inv Grade Bd Rt Opt	\$ 102,972
*	Transamerica Life Ins Co	MFS Intl Val Ret Opt	\$ 60,641
*	Transamerica Life Ins Co	PIMCO Real Return Ret Opt	\$ 12,835
*	Transamerica Life Ins Co	PGIM Jennison Mid Cap Gr Ret Opt	\$ 44,644
*	Transamerica Life Ins Co	TA Vanguard Real Estate Index Opt	\$ 15,062
*	Transamerica Life Ins Co	Trans asst allc-Mod Gr Prtf Ret Opt	\$ 858
*	Transamerica Life Ins Co	Transamerica Intl Eq Ret Opt	\$ 6,829
*	Transamerica Life Ins Co	Transamerica Lg Cap Val Ret Opt	\$ 48,112
*	Transamerica Life Ins Co	Transamerica Lg Cap Gr Ret Opt	\$ 52,197
*	Transamerica Life Ins Co	Transamerica LG 2025 BlackRock	\$ 73,520
*	Transamerica Life Ins Co	Transamerica LG 2030 BlackRock	\$ 16,484
*	Transamerica Life Ins Co	Transamerica LG 2035 BlackRock	\$ 366,818
*	Transamerica Life Ins Co	Transamerica LG 2040 BlackRock	\$ 333,478
*	Transamerica Life Ins Co	Transamerica LG 2045 BlackRock	\$ 95,703
*	Transamerica Life Ins Co	Transamerica LG 2050 BlackRock	\$ 219,485
*	Transamerica Life Ins Co	Transamerica LG 2055 BlackRock	\$ 289,810
*	Transamerica Life Ins Co	Transamerica LG 2060 BlackRock	\$ 29
*	Transamerica Life Ins Co	Transamerica LG d BlackRock Opt	\$ 81,384
*	Transamerica Life Ins Co	TA Vanguard Sm-cp Val Idx Ret Opt	\$ 94,204
*	Transamerica Life Ins Co	Western Asset Core Plus Bd Rt Opt	\$ 378
		Separate Accounts Total	\$ 2,799,539
*	Participants	Notes Receivable with interest rates of 6.50% to 9.50%	\$ 33,852
		TOTAL PLAN ASSETS	\$ 4,533,416

* Indicates Party-In-Interest to the Plan