

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 THE EARLE OPERATING HOLDING COMPANY, INC. 401(K) PROFIT SHARING PLAN
1b	Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 002
1c	Effective date of plan 01/01/1996
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) EARLE OPERATING HOLDING COMPANY, INC. PO BOX DRAWER 556 FARMINGDALE, NJ 07727
2b	Employer Identification Number (EIN) 84-4086198
2c	Plan Sponsor's telephone number 732-308-1113
2d	Business code (see instructions) 238900

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.	01/03/2025	KEITH SPRINGER
	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 EARLE COMPANIES c Plan Name THE EARLE COMPANIES 401(K) PROFIT SHARING PLAN	4b EIN 22-1841600 4d PN 002																				
5 Total number of participants at the beginning of the plan year	5 447																				
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	<table style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr><td style="width: 10%;">6a(1)</td><td style="text-align: right;">321</td></tr> <tr><td>6a(2)</td><td style="text-align: right;">373</td></tr> <tr><td>6b</td><td style="text-align: right;">58</td></tr> <tr><td>6c</td><td style="text-align: right;">79</td></tr> <tr><td>6d</td><td style="text-align: right;">510</td></tr> <tr><td>6e</td><td></td></tr> <tr><td>6f</td><td style="text-align: right;">510</td></tr> <tr><td>6g(1)</td><td style="text-align: right;">409</td></tr> <tr><td>6g(2)</td><td style="text-align: right;">467</td></tr> <tr><td>6h</td><td style="text-align: right;">23</td></tr> </table>	6a(1)	321	6a(2)	373	6b	58	6c	79	6d	510	6e		6f	510	6g(1)	409	6g(2)	467	6h	23
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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 3D 3H 2A 2T 2S

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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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
NATIONWIDE 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
31-4156830	66869	350-80161	467	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	

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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** 1406924**5** Current value of plan's interest under this contract in separate accounts at year end **5****6** Contracts With Allocated Funds:**a** State the basis of premium rates ▶**b** Premiums paid to carrier **6b****c** Premiums due but unpaid at the end of the year **6c****d** If the carrier, service, or other organization incurred any specific costs in connection with the acquisition or retention of the contract or policy, enter amount. **6d**
Specify nature of costs ▶**e** Type of contract: (1) ☐ individual policies (2) ☐ group deferred annuity(3) ☐ other (specify) ▶**f** If contract purchased, in whole or in part, to distribute benefits from a terminating plan, check here ☐**7** Contracts With Unallocated Funds (Do not include portions of these contracts maintained in separate accounts)**a** Type of contract: (1) ☐ deposit administration (2) ☐ immediate participation guarantee(3) ☒ guaranteed investment (4) ☐ other ▶**b** Balance at the end of the previous year **7b** 1562865**c** Additions: (1) Contributions deposited during the year **7c(1)** 36058
(2) Dividends and credits **7c(2)**
(3) Interest credited during the year **7c(3)**
(4) Transferred from separate account **7c(4)** 33234
(5) Other (specify below) **7c(5)**(6) Total additions **7c(6)** 69292**d** Total of balance and additions (add lines **7b** and **7c(6)**) **7d** 1632157**e** Deductions:(1) Disbursed from fund to pay benefits or purchase annuities during year **7e(1)** 168410(2) Administration charge made by carrier **7e(2)** 3295(3) Transferred to separate account **7e(3)** 53528(4) Other (specify below) **7e(4)**(5) Total deductions **7e(5)** 225233**f** Balance at the end of the current year (subtract line **7e(5)** from line **7d**) **7f** 1406924

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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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
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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)

NATIONWIDE

ONE NATIONWIDE PLAZA
COLUMBUS, OH 43215

(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	RECORDKEEPER	37259	Yes ☒ No ☐	Yes ☒ No ☐		Yes ☐ No ☒

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

INTAC ACTUARIAL SERVICES, INC

ATTN JOSH ROSENBERG
PO BOX 55970
BOSTON, MA 02205

(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?
17	TPA	27664	Yes ☐ No ☒	Yes ☐ No ☒		Yes ☐ No ☒

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

SAFE MONEY SOLUTIONS, LLC

86 S RIVERWALK DR
PALM COAST, FL 32137

35-2552359

(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?
99	ADVISOR	42718	Yes ☐ No ☒	Yes ☐ No ☒		Yes ☐ No ☒

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

ABBEY E BLATT CPA PC

350 MOTOR PARKWAY STE 308
HAUPPAUGE, NY 11788

35-0801610

(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?
	AUDITOR	11000	Yes ☐ No ☒	Yes ☐ No ☒		Yes ☐ No ☒

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

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			Yes ☐ No ☐	Yes ☐ No ☐		Yes ☐ No ☐

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			Yes ☐ No ☐	Yes ☐ No ☐		Yes ☐ No ☐

Part I Service Provider Information (continued)

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

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

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

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

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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)	697578	702472
(2) Participant contributions	1b(2)	31065	
(3) Other	1b(3)		
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)	985006	1058747
(9) Value of interest in common/collective trusts	1c(9)		
(10) Value of interest in pooled separate accounts	1c(10)		
(11) Value of interest in master trust investment accounts	1c(11)		
(12) Value of interest in 103-12 investment entities	1c(12)		
(13) Value of interest in registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds)	1c(13)	19259190	22362674
(14) Value of funds held in insurance company general account (unallocated contracts)	1c(14)	1562865	1406924
(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	22535704	25530817
Liabilities			
g Benefit claims payable	1g		
h Operating payables	1h		
i Acquisition indebtedness	1i		
j Other liabilities	1j		192
k Total liabilities (add all amounts in lines 1g through 1j)	1k		192
Net Assets			
l Net assets (subtract line 1k from line 1f)	1l	22535704	25530625

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)	707116	
(B) Participants	2a(1)(B)	2528274	
(C) Others (including rollovers)	2a(1)(C)	60435	
(2) Noncash contributions	2a(2)		
(3) Total contributions. Add lines 2a(1)(A) , (B) , (C) , and line 2a(2)	2a(3)		3295825
b Earnings on investments:			
(1) Interest:			
(A) Interest-bearing cash (including money market accounts and certificates of deposit)	2b(1)(A)	2294	
(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)	63995	
(F) Other	2b(1)(F)		
(G) Total interest. Add lines 2b(1)(A) through (F)	2b(1)(G)		66289
(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)	527609	
(D) Total dividends. Add lines 2b(2)(A) , (B) , and (C)	2b(2)(D)		527609
(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)		
(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)		2806555
c Other income	2c		
d Total income. Add all income amounts in column (b) and enter total	2d		6696278

Expenses

e Benefit payment and payments to provide benefits:			
(1) Directly to participants or beneficiaries, including direct rollovers	2e(1)	3582718	
(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)		3582718
f Corrective distributions (see instructions)	2f		
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)	35706	
(3) Recordkeeping fees.....	2i(3)	13460	
(4) IQPA audit fees.....	2i(4)	11000	
(5) Investment advisory and investment management fees	2i(5)	42717	
(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)	15756	
(12) Total administrative expenses. Add lines 2i(1) through (11)	2i(12)		118639
j Total expenses. Add all expense amounts in column (b) and enter total	2j		3701357

Net Income and Reconciliation

k Net income (loss). Subtract line 2j from line 2d	2k		2994921
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: **BLATT & DAUMAN, LLP**

(2) EIN: **11-2778625**

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?	☒		500000
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.
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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 THE EARLE OPERATING HOLDING COMPANY, INC. 401(K) PROFIT SHARING PLAN	B Three-digit plan number (PN) 002	
C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 EARLE OPERATING HOLDING COMPANY, INC.	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 84-4086198	

Part I	Distributions
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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	
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): 31-4156830 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.)
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4 Is the plan administrator making an election under Code section 412(d)(2) or ERISA section 302(d)(2)? If the plan is a defined benefit plan, go to line 8.	☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A
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
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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
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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.
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10 Were unallocated employer securities or proceeds from the sale of unallocated securities used to repay any exempt loan?	☐ Yes ☐ No
11 a Does the ESOP hold any preferred stock?	☐ Yes ☐ No
b If the ESOP has an outstanding exempt loan with the employer as lender, is such loan part of a "back-to-back" loan? (See instructions for definition of "back-to-back" loan.)	☐ Yes ☐ No
12 Does the ESOP hold any stock that is not readily tradable on an established securities market?	☐ Yes ☐ No

Part V Additional Information for Multiemployer Defined Benefit Pension Plans

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

a Name of contributing employer

b EIN

c Dollar amount contributed by employer

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

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

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

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

a Name of contributing employer

b EIN

c Dollar amount contributed by employer

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

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

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

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

a Name of contributing employer

b EIN

c Dollar amount contributed by employer

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

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

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

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

a Name of contributing employer

b EIN

c Dollar amount contributed by employer

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

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

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

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

a Name of contributing employer

b EIN

c Dollar amount contributed by employer

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

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

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

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

a Name of contributing employer

b EIN

c Dollar amount contributed by employer

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

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

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

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

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) 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) 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)	14a 14b 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 b The corresponding number for the second preceding plan year	15a 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 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	16a 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>Q702814A</u> .	

The Earle Operating Holding Company, Inc.
401(k) Profit Sharing Plan

Financial Statements and
Supplementary Information
Years Ended December 31, 2023 and 2022

The Earle Operating Holding Company, Inc.
401(k) Profit Sharing Plan
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Independent Auditor's Report

To the Administrative Committee of the
The Earle Operating Holding Company, Inc. 401(k) Profit Sharing Plan

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

We have performed audits of the financial statements of The Earle Operating Holding Company, Inc. 401(k) Profit Sharing Plan (the "Plan"), an employee benefit plan subject to the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), as permitted by ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) (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 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), our audits need not extend to any statements or information related to assets held for investment of the plan (investment information) by a bank or similar institution or insurance carrier that is regulated, supervised, and subject to periodic examination by a state or federal agency, provided that the statements or information regarding assets so held are prepared and certified to by the bank or similar institution or insurance carrier in accordance with 29 CFR 2520.103-5 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA (qualified institution).

Management has obtained certifications from Nationwide Trust Company, FSB, a qualified institution, as of December 31, 2023 and 2022, and for the years then ended, stating that the certified investment information, as described in Note C to the financial statements, is complete and accurate.

Opinion

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

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

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAS). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of The Earle Operating Holding Company, Inc. 401(k) Profit Sharing Plan and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audits. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit opinion.

Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statements

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

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

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

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

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

In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Plan's internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statements.

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

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

Our 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.

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

Other Matters

Supplemental Schedules Required by ERISA

The supplemental schedule, Schedule H, Line 4i - Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year) for the year ended 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 audit of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with GAAS. For information included in the supplemental schedule that agreed to or is derived from the certified investment information, we compared such information to the related certified investment information.

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

In our opinion:

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

Blatt & Dauman LLP

Hauppauge, New York
October 2, 2024

The Earle Operating Holding Company, Inc.

401(k) Profit Sharing Plan

Statements of Net Assets Available for Benefits

December 31, 2023 and 2022

	<u>2023</u>	<u>2022</u>
Assets		
Investments:		
Mutual funds, at fair value	\$ 22,362,674	\$ 19,259,190
Fully benefit-responsive investment contract, at contract value	<u>1,406,924</u>	<u>1,562,865</u>
Total investments	<u>23,769,598</u>	<u>20,822,055</u>
Receivables:		
Employer contributions	702,472	697,578
Participant contributions	-	31,065
Notes receivable from participants	<u>1,079,186</u>	<u>1,005,444</u>
Total receivables	<u>1,781,658</u>	<u>1,734,087</u>
Total assets	25,551,256	22,556,142
Liabilities		
Corrective distributions payable	966	4,039
Other liabilities	<u>192</u>	<u>-</u>
Total liabilities	<u>1,158</u>	<u>4,039</u>
Net assets available for benefits	\$ 25,550,098	\$ 22,552,103

See accompanying notes and independent auditor's report.

The Earle Operating Holding Company, Inc.

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Statements of Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits

Years Ended December 31, 2023 and 2022

	<u>2023</u>	<u>2022</u>
Additions (Reductions):		
Investment income (loss):		
Net appreciation (depreciation) in fair value of investments	\$ 2,819,251	\$ (4,292,592)
Interest	2,294	502
Dividends	<u>527,609</u>	<u>560,141</u>
Total investment income (loss)	<u>3,349,154</u>	<u>(3,731,949)</u>
 Interest income on notes receivable from participants	 <u>63,995</u>	 <u>44,888</u>
 Contributions:		
Employer	707,116	697,578
Participants	2,527,570	2,329,082
Rollovers	<u>60,435</u>	<u>12,383</u>
Total contributions	<u>3,295,121</u>	<u>3,039,043</u>
 Total additions (reductions)	 6,708,270	 (648,018)
 Deductions:		
Benefits paid to participants	3,591,636	1,526,597
Administrative expenses	118,639	125,754
 Total deductions	 3,710,275	 1,652,351
 Net increase (decrease)	 2,997,995	 (2,300,369)
 Net assets available for benefits:		
Beginning of year	22,552,103	24,852,472
 End of year	 \$ 25,550,098	 \$ 22,552,103

See accompanying notes and independent auditor's report.

The Earle Operating Holding Company, Inc.

401(k) Profit Sharing Plan

Notes to Financial Statements

December 31, 2023

Note A – Description of Plan

The following description of The Earle Companies (“Company”) 401(k) Profit Sharing Plan (“Plan”) provides only general information. Participants should refer to the Plan agreement for a more complete description of the Plan’s provisions.

General. The Plan is a defined contribution plan established by The Earle Companies and is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), as amended. Participation in the plan is entirely voluntary. An eligible employee is any person employed by Earle Asphalt Company, Earle Construction Company, Earle Equipment, LLC, Earle Management, Inc., Earle Residential-Commercial Construction, LLC, Pure Soil Technologies, Inc., Pure Soil Transit, LLC, School of Trades, LLC, Walter R. Earle Corporation, Walter R. Earle-Morrisville LLC and Walter R. Earle Transit LLC.

Effective January 1, 2022 the plan was amended and restated to comply with the Internal Revenue Service’s Cycle 3 Restatement.

Contributions. Participants who have obtained age 18 and completed three months of service, can elect to make pre-tax contributions of their compensation up to the maximum percentage allowable not to exceed the limits of Code Sections 401(k). For 2023, the maximum deferral amount is \$22,500. Participants who have attained age 50 before the end of the Plan year are eligible to make catch-up contributions. Participants may also contribute amounts representing distributions from other qualified defined benefit or contribution plans. Participants direct the investment of their contributions into various investment options offered by the Plan.

The Plan includes an auto-enrollment provision whereby all newly eligible employees are automatically enrolled, unless they affirmatively elect not to participate in the Plan. The plan was amended, and effective May 14, 2023, the automatic deferral rate increased to 5% of eligible compensation. Previously, automatically enrolled participants had their deferral rate set at 4% of eligible compensation. Automatically deferred contributions are invested in a qualified default investment arrangement until changed by the participant.

Each year, the Company has the option of making discretionary matching and/or profit-sharing contributions. In order to be eligible, participants must be employed on the last day of the plan year and complete one year of service. The 401(k) matching formula is a flexible discretionary match based on employee groups. Employer match contributions funded totaled \$707,116 and \$697,578 for the years ended December 31, 2023 and 2022, respectively. For 2023 and 2022, there were no profit-sharing contributions made. Contributions are subject to certain limitations.

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Note A – Description of Plan (continued)

Participant Accounts. Each participant's account is credited with the participant's contribution and allocations of (a) the Company's contribution and, (b) Plan earnings (losses), and charged with an allocation of administrative expenses. Allocations are based on participant earnings or account balances, as defined. The benefit to which a participant is entitled is the benefit that can be provided from the participant's vested account.

Vesting. Participants are immediately vested in their contributions plus actual earnings thereon. Vesting in the Company's contribution portion of their accounts is based on years of continuous service. A participant is 100% vested after six years of credited service.

Notes Receivable from Participant. Participants may borrow from their fund accounts a minimum of \$1,000 up to a maximum equal to the lesser of \$50,000 or 50% of their vested account balance. The loans are secured by the balance in the participant's account and bear interest at rates ranging from 4.25% to 9.75%, which is commensurate with local prevailing rates as determined by the Plan Administrator. All principal and interest payments made by the participant are credited back to the participant's account. Participants are limited to two outstanding loans in one calendar year.

Payment of Benefits. On termination of service due to death, disability or retirement, a participant shall receive a lump-sum amount equal to the value of the participant's vested interest in his or her account, or receive annual installments paid over a specific period of time. For termination of service due to other reasons, a participant may receive the value of the vested interest in his or her account as a lump-sum distribution.

Forfeited Accounts. At December 31, 2023 and 2022, forfeited nonvested accounts totaled \$43,860 and \$31,509, respectively. These accounts are first available to offset Plan expenses, and then if applicable, used to reduce any future employer contributions.

Note B – Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Basis of Accounting

The financial statements of the Plan are prepared under the accrual basis of accounting.

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires the plan administrator to make estimates and assumptions that affect certain reported amounts and disclosures. Accordingly, actual results may differ from those estimates.

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Note B – Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

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. See Note E 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 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. Delinquent participant loans are reclassified as distributions based upon the terms of the plan document.

Administrative Expenses

Certain expenses of maintaining the Plan are paid by the Plan, unless otherwise paid by the Company. Expenses that are paid by the Company are excluded from these financial statements.

Note C – Certified Investments

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, interest and dividends, and interest income on notes receivable from participants for the year ended December 31, 2023, was obtained by management and agreed to or derived from information certified as complete and accurate by Nationwide Trust Company, FSB (the trustee of the Plan).

Note D – Guaranteed Investment Contract

The Plan invests in the Nationwide Fixed Select Contract, a fully benefit-responsive investment contract, totaling \$1,406,924 for 2023. Nationwide maintains the contributions in a general account. The account is credited with earnings on the underlying investments and charged for participant withdrawals and administrative expenses. The guaranteed investment contract issuer is contractually obligated to repay the principal and a specified interest rate that is guaranteed to the Plan. The crediting interest rate is based on a formula established by the contract issuer but may not be less than 1.75%. The crediting rate is reviewed on a quarterly basis for resetting. The guaranteed investment contract does not have a scheduled maturity date. This contract meets the fully benefit-responsive investment contract criteria and therefore is reported at contract value, which approximated fair value. Contract value is the relevant measure for

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Note D – Guaranteed Investment Contract (continued)

fully benefit-responsive investment contracts because this is the amount received by participants if they were to initiate permitted transactions under the terms of the Plan. Contract value, as reported to the Plan by Nationwide, represents contributions made under the contract, plus earnings, less participant withdrawals, and administrative expenses. Participants may ordinarily direct the withdrawal or the transfer of all or a portion of their investment at contract value. The Plan's ability to receive amounts due is dependent on the issuer's ability to meet its financial obligations. The issuer's ability to meet its contractual obligations may be affected by future economic and regulatory developments. Certain events might limit the ability of the Plan to transact at contract value with the issuer. Such events include (1) amendments to the Plan documents (including complete or partial Plan termination or merger with another plan), (2) changes to the Plan's prohibition on competing investment options or deletion of equity wash provisions, (3) bankruptcy of the Plan sponsor or other Plan sponsor events (for example, divestitures or spin-offs of a subsidiary) that cause a significant withdrawal from the Plan, or (4) the failure of the trust to qualify for exemption from federal income taxes or any required prohibited transaction exemption under ERISA (5) premature termination of the contract. No events are probable of occurring that might limit the ability of the Plan to transact at contract value with the contract issuers and that also would limit the ability of the plan to transact at contract value with the participants. In addition, certain events allow the issuer to terminate the contract with the Plan and settle at an amount different from contract value. Such events include (1) an uncured violation of the Plan's investment guidelines, (2) a breach of material obligation under the contract, (3) a material misrepresentation, (4) a material amendment to the agreement without the consent of the issuer.

The net rate, credit rate and average yield earned are the same. The rate history for the contract is as follows:

<u>Time Period</u>	<u>2023</u>	<u>2022</u>
October 1 – December 31	2.37%	2.17%
July 1 – September 30	2.37%	1.91%
April 1 – June 30	2.37%	1.83%
January 1 – March 30	2.37%	1.83%

Note E – Fair Value Measurements

Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) *Accounting Standards Codification* (ASC) 820, *Fair Value Measurements and Disclosures*, 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. This hierarchy consists of three broad levels: Level 1 inputs consist of unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets and have the highest priority, Level 2 inputs consist of observable inputs other than quoted prices for identical assets, and Level 3 inputs have the lowest priority. The Plan uses appropriate valuation techniques based on the available inputs to measure the fair value of its investments. When available, the Plan measures fair value using Level 1 inputs because they generally provide the most reliable evidence of fair value.

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Note E – Fair Value Measurements (continued)

Mutual funds: Valued at quoted market prices in active markets. (Level 1 inputs)

Fully benefit-responsive investment contract: Valued based on the contractual terms of the underlying guaranteed investment contract. (Level 3 inputs)

The methods used to measure fair value may produce an amount that may not be indicative of net realizable value or reflective of future fair values.

Furthermore, although the Plan believes its valuation methods are appropriate and consistent with other market participants, the use of different methodologies or assumptions to determine the fair value of certain financial instruments could result in a different fair value measurement at the reporting date.

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

Assets at Fair Value as of December 31, 2023				
	<u>Level 1</u>	<u>Level 2</u>	<u>Level 3</u>	<u>Total</u>
Mutual funds	\$ 22,362,674	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 22,362,674
Fully benefit-responsive investment contract	-	-	1,406,924	1,406,924
Total	<u>\$ 22,362,674</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 1,406,924</u>	<u>\$ 23,769,598</u>
Assets at Fair Value as of December 31, 2022				
	<u>Level 1</u>	<u>Level 2</u>	<u>Level 3</u>	<u>Total</u>
Mutual funds	\$ 19,259,190	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 19,259,190
Fully benefit-responsive investment contract	-	-	1,562,865	1,562,865
Total	<u>\$ 19,259,190</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 1,562,865</u>	<u>\$ 20,822,055</u>

Note F – Excess Participant Contributions Payable

The plan failed the discrimination test for the year ended December 31, 2023. Excess contributions amounting to \$966 are recorded as a liability in the accompanying statement of net assets available for benefits. Corresponding reductions were made to participant contributions in the amount of \$966.

The plan refunded these excess contributions in March 2024.

Note G – Related Party and Party in Interest Transactions

The Plan invests in select mutual funds and a group annuity contract managed by Nationwide Trust Company, FSB. Transactions in such investments qualify as party-in-interest transactions, which are exempt from the prohibited transactions rules. Participant loans also qualify as party-in-interest transactions. Fees paid by the Plan for the investment management services amounted to \$118,639 for the year ended December 31, 2023

Note H – Plan Termination

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

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Note I – Tax Status

On June 30, 2020, the Internal Revenue Service stated that the prototype adopted by the Plan, as then designed, qualifies under Section 401(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (IRC). Although the Plan has been amended since receiving the determination letter, the Plan administrator and the Plan's tax counsel believe that the Plan is designed and is currently being operated in compliance with the applicable requirements of the IRC and therefore believe that the Plan is qualified and the related trust is tax-exempt.

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 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.

Note J – Plan Amendments

Effective, October 1, 2023 the Earle Companies 401(k) Profit Sharing Plan was amended and renamed as The Earle Operating Holding Company, Inc. 401(k) Profit Sharing Plan

Effective December 31, 2023 the automatic enrollment provision was amended again to increase the automatic deferral rate to 6% of eligible compensation.

Note K – Reconciliation of Financial Statements to Form 5500

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

Net assets available for benefits per the financial statements	\$ 22,550,098
Add: Current year corrective distributions payable	966
Less: Deemed participant loans	(18,574)
Current year accrued loan interest	(1,864)
Rounding	<u>(1)</u>
Net assets available for benefits per Form 5500	<u>\$ 22,530,625</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 year ended December 31, 2023:

Changes in net assets available for benefits per the financial statements	\$ 2,997,995
Add: Corrective distributions payable	966
Less: Prior year corrective distributions payable	(4,039)
Rounding	<u>(1)</u>
Changes in net assets available for benefits per Form 5500	<u>\$ 2,994,921</u>

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Note L – Risks and Uncertainties

The Plan invests in various investment securities. Investment securities are exposed to various risks such as interest rate, market, and credit risks. Due to the level of risk associated with certain investment securities, it is at least reasonably possible that changes in the 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 statement of net assets available for benefits.

Note M – ERISA Bond Requirement

The Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) requires that every person who handles funds or other property of the Plan be bonded. The bond coverage is to be determined by the balance of the total plan assets, and is required to be at least equal to the lesser of 10% of the plan's assets at the beginning of the plan year or \$500,000. At December 31, 2023, the Plan's sponsor maintained bond coverage in the amount of \$500,000.

Note N – Subsequent Events

Subsequent events were evaluated through October 2, 2024, which is the date the financial statements were available to be issued.

In January 2024, the Ashland Contractors, Inc. 401(k) and Profit Sharing Plan merged into The Earle Operating Holding Company Inc. 401(k) Profit Sharing Plan. A special provision applies to the vesting provisions of the plan solely with respect to employees from Ashland Contractors, Inc. who were eligible to participate in the plan prior to January 1, 2024. Such employees shall be 100% vested.

On August 29, 2024, the Plan began the conversion process of transferring plan assets from Nationwide Trust Company to John Hancock and entered into a temporary black out period. During this time, participants had restricted access to their accounts and were unable to obtain distributions from the plan. On September 27, 2024, the temporary blackout period ended, and full account access was restored to all participants.

Supplementary Information

The Earle Operating Holding Company, Inc.

401(k) Profit Sharing Plan

Schedule H, Line 4i – Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year)

EIN: 22-1841600 Plan: 002

December 31, 2023

(a)	(b) Identity of issue, borrower, lessor, or similar party	(c) Description of investment including maturity date, rate of interest, collateral, par, or maturity value	(d) Cost	(e) Current Value
	Alger	Cap App Focs Y	*	\$ 3,103
	Amcent	Mdcap Val R6	*	132,672
	American Funds	Cap Wld Bd R6	*	9,176
	American Funds	Europacific Growth R6 Fund	*	221,216
	American Funds	New Wld R6	*	112,634
	Baron	Growth Inst	*	31,475
	Baron	Oppr Inst	*	211
	Baron	Ptnrs Inst	*	68,086
	Baron	Realest Inst	*	4,543
	Baron	SmCap Inst	*	4,560
	Blackrock	High Yield Bond Portfolio	*	222,871
	Bnymel	Rsrch Gr Z	*	4,746
	Calamos	Intl Grwth I	*	198
	DFA	International Core Equity	*	142,237
	DFA	US Targeted Value	*	15,083
	Fed Hrms	Government Obligations Fund	*	43,887
	Fed Hrms	Mdt Small Cap Growth Inst	*	153,746
	Fidelity Advanced	SmCp Val I	*	171,681
	Fidelity Advanced	Eq Grwth Inst	*	585,188
	Fidelity	Infl Prtct Bond Index	*	406,526
	Fidelity	International Index	*	14,165
	Fidelity	Mid Cap Index	*	103,804
	Fidelity	Small Cap Index	*	247,150
	Fidelity	US Bd Index	*	10,270
**	Nationwide	S P 500 Index R6	*	315,685
	PGIM	Ttl Rtn Bd Z	*	19,264
	Pimco	Inc Inst	*	90,108
	Principle	Mdcap Inst	*	186,501
	TIAA-CREF	Lfcycind 2015 Inst	*	302,394
	TIAA-CREF	Lfcycind 2020 Inst	*	540,687
	TIAA-CREF	Lfcycind 2025 Inst	*	530,807
	TIAA-CREF	Lfcycind 2030 Inst	*	2,886,585
	TIAA-CREF	Lfcycind 2035 Inst	*	2,331,522
	TIAA-CREF	Lfcycind 2040 Inst	*	3,137,030
	TIAA-CREF	Lfcycind 2045 Inst	*	2,567,750
	TIAA-CREF	Lfcycind 2050 Inst	*	1,835,119

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December 31, 2023

(a)	(b) Identity of issue, borrower, lessor, or similar party	(c) Description of investment including maturity date, rate of interest, collateral, par, or maturity value	(d) Cost	(e) Current Value
	TIAA-CREF	Lfcycind 2055 Inst	*	\$ 1,720,757
	TIAA-CREF	Lfcycind 2060 Inst	*	1,167,563
	TIAA-CREF	Lfcycind 2065 Inst	*	202,604
	TIAA-CREF	Lfcycind Rt Inc Inst	*	705
	TIAA-CREF	LargeCap Gr Index Inst	*	15,665
	Vanguard	Balance Index Adml	*	10,815
	Vanguard	Devl Market Index Adml	*	8,846
	Vanguard	Energy Adml	*	11,257
	Vanguard	Eq Inc Adml	*	474,528
	Vanguard	Euro Stock Index Adml	*	14,218
	Vanguard	Global Eq Inv	*	3,937
	Vanguard	Gr Index Adml	*	15,243
	Vanguard	Info Tech Indx Adml	*	10,893
	Vanguard	LgCap Index Adml	*	15,254
	Vanguard	Mid-Cap Idx Fd As	*	13,936
	Vanguard	Pacfc Stk Indx Adml	*	18,636
	Vanguard	Realest Indx Adml	*	335,957
	Vanguard	Sm Cap Indx Fd As	*	19,031
	Vanguard	Smcap Gr Indx Adml	*	33,232
	Vanguard	Ttl Intlstkindx Adml	*	9,970
	Vanguard	Ttl Wldstk Indx Adml	*	14,875
	Vanguard	Val Index Adml	*	130,214
	Vanguard	WIngtn Adml	*	107,770
	Wlmntrbr	Eq Indx R	*	554,088
**	Fixed Select Contract	Group Annuity Contract	*	1,406,924
**	Participant Loans	Interest Rates 4.25% - 9.75%	-	1,079,186
	Total Assets Held			\$ 24,848,784

* Cost information is omitted as the Plan is participant directed.

** Represents a party-in-interest

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(a)	(b) Identity of issue, borrower, lessor, or similar party	(c) Description of investment including maturity date, rate of interest, collateral, par, or maturity value	(d) Cost	(e) Current Value
	Alger	Cap App Focs Y	*	\$ 3,103
	Amcent	Mdcap Val R6	*	132,672
	American Funds	Cap Wld Bd R6	*	9,176
	American Funds	Europacific Growth R6 Fund	*	221,216
	American Funds	New Wld R6	*	112,634
	Baron	Growth Inst	*	31,475
	Baron	Oppr Inst	*	211
	Baron	Ptnrs Inst	*	68,086
	Baron	Realest Inst	*	4,543
	Baron	SmCap Inst	*	4,560
	Blackrock	High Yield Bond Portfolio	*	222,871
	Bnymel	Rsrch Gr Z	*	4,746
	Calamos	Intl Grwth I	*	198
	DFA	International Core Equity	*	142,237
	DFA	US Targeted Value	*	15,083
	Fed Hrms	Government Obligations Fund	*	43,887
	Fed Hrms	Mdt Small Cap Growth Inst	*	153,746
	Fidelity Advanced	SmCp Val I	*	171,681
	Fidelity Advanced	Eq Grwth Inst	*	585,188
	Fidelity	Infl Prtct Bond Index	*	406,526
	Fidelity	International Index	*	14,165
	Fidelity	Mid Cap Index	*	103,804
	Fidelity	Small Cap Index	*	247,150
	Fidelity	US Bd Index	*	10,270
**	Nationwide	S P 500 Index R6	*	315,685
	PGIM	Ttl Rtn Bd Z	*	19,264
	Pimco	Inc Inst	*	90,108
	Principle	Mdcap Inst	*	186,501
	TIAA-CREF	Lfcycind 2015 Inst	*	302,394
	TIAA-CREF	Lfcycind 2020 Inst	*	540,687
	TIAA-CREF	Lfcycind 2025 Inst	*	530,807
	TIAA-CREF	Lfcycind 2030 Inst	*	2,886,585
	TIAA-CREF	Lfcycind 2035 Inst	*	2,331,522
	TIAA-CREF	Lfcycind 2040 Inst	*	3,137,030
	TIAA-CREF	Lfcycind 2045 Inst	*	2,567,750
	TIAA-CREF	Lfcycind 2050 Inst	*	1,835,119

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Schedule H, Line 4i – Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year)

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(a)	(b) Identity of issue, borrower, lessor, or similar party	(c) Description of investment including maturity date, rate of interest, collateral, par, or maturity value	(d) Cost	(e) Current Value
	TIAA-CREF	Lfcycind 2055 Inst	*	\$ 1,720,757
	TIAA-CREF	Lfcycind 2060 Inst	*	1,167,563
	TIAA-CREF	Lfcycind 2065 Inst	*	202,604
	TIAA-CREF	Lfcycind Rt Inc Inst	*	705
	TIAA-CREF	LargeCap Gr Index Inst	*	15,665
	Vanguard	Balance Index Adml	*	10,815
	Vanguard	Devl Market Index Adml	*	8,846
	Vanguard	Energy Adml	*	11,257
	Vanguard	Eq Inc Adml	*	474,528
	Vanguard	Euro Stock Index Adml	*	14,218
	Vanguard	Global Eq Inv	*	3,937
	Vanguard	Gr Index Adml	*	15,243
	Vanguard	Info Tech Indx Adml	*	10,893
	Vanguard	LgCap Index Adml	*	15,254
	Vanguard	Mid-Cap Idx Fd As	*	13,936
	Vanguard	Pacfc Stk Indx Adml	*	18,636
	Vanguard	Realest Indx Adml	*	335,957
	Vanguard	Sm Cap Indx Fd As	*	19,031
	Vanguard	Smcap Gr Indx Adml	*	33,232
	Vanguard	Ttl Intlstkindx Adml	*	9,970
	Vanguard	Ttl Wldstk Indx Adml	*	14,875
	Vanguard	Val Index Adml	*	130,214
	Vanguard	Wlngtn Adml	*	107,770
	Wlmntrbr	Eq Indx R	*	554,088
**	Fixed Select Contract	Group Annuity Contract	*	1,406,924
**	Participant Loans	Interest Rates 4.25% - 9.75%	-	1,079,186
	Total Assets Held			\$ 24,848,784

* Cost information is omitted as the Plan is participant directed.

** Represents a party-in-interest