

**Form 5500-SF**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

Department of Labor  
Employee Benefits Security Administration  
Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation

**Short Form Annual Return/Report of Small Employee Benefit Plan**

This form is required to be filed 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-SF.**

OMB Nos. 1210-0110  
1210-0089

**2024**

**This Form is Open to Public Inspection**

**Part I Annual Report Identification Information**

For calendar plan year 2024 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2024 and ending 10/10/2024

- A** This return/report is for:  a single-employer plan  a multiple-employer plan (not multiemployer) (Pension Plan filers checking this box must attach Schedule MEP. Other plans must attach a list of participating employer information in accordance with the form instructions.)
- B** This return/report is  the first return/report  the final return/report  
 an amended return/report  a short plan year return/report (less than 12 months)
- C** Check box if filing under:  Form 5558  automatic extension  DFVC program  
 special extension (enter description)
- D** If the plan is a collectively-bargained plan, check here ..... ▶
- 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**

<b>1a</b> Name of plan LVL ENGINEERING GROUP, INC PROFIT SHARING & 401(K) PLAN	<b>1b</b> Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶	002	
	<b>1c</b> Effective date of plan	04/01/1979	
<b>2a</b> 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) LVL ENGINEERING GROUP, INC.  2310 WALBERT AVE SUITE 103 ALLENTOWN, PA 18104	<b>2b</b> Employer Identification Number (EIN)	23-1604145	
	<b>2c</b> Sponsor's telephone number	610-530-9285	
	<b>2d</b> Business code (see instructions)	541330	
	<b>3a</b> Plan administrator's name and address <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Same as Plan Sponsor.	<b>3b</b> Administrator's EIN	
	<b>3c</b> Administrator's telephone number		
<b>4</b> If the name and/or EIN of the plan sponsor or the plan name has changed since the last return/report filed for this plan, enter the plan sponsor's name, EIN, the plan name and the plan number from the last return/report. <b>a</b> Sponsor's name <b>c</b> Plan Name	<b>4b</b> EIN		
	<b>4d</b> PN		
<b>5a</b> Total number of participants at the beginning of the plan year .....	<b>5a</b>	33	
<b>b</b> Total number of participants at the end of the plan year .....	<b>5b</b>	0	
<b>c(1)</b> Number of participants with account balances as of the beginning of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item) .....	<b>5c(1)</b>	27	
<b>c(2)</b> Number of participants with account balances as of the end of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item) .....	<b>5c(2)</b>	0	
<b>d(1)</b> Total number of active participants at the beginning of the plan year .....	<b>5d(1)</b>	16	
<b>d(2)</b> Total number of active participants at the end of the plan year .....	<b>5d(2)</b>	0	
<b>e</b> Number of participants who terminated employment during the plan year with accrued benefits that were less than 100% vested .....	<b>5e</b>	0	

**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, if applicable, a Schedule SB or Schedule MB completed and signed by an enrolled actuary, 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.

<b>SIGN HERE</b>	Filed with authorized/valid electronic signature.	03/03/2025	LYNN FELDMAN
	Signature of plan administrator	Date	Enter name of individual signing as plan administrator
<b>SIGN HERE</b>	Filed with authorized/valid electronic signature.	03/03/2025	LYNN FELDMAN
	Signature of employer/plan sponsor	Date	Enter name of individual signing as employer or plan sponsor

- 6a** Were all of the plan's assets during the plan year invested in eligible assets? (See instructions.) .....  Yes  No
- b** Are you claiming a waiver of the annual examination and report of an independent qualified public accountant (IQPA) under 29 CFR 2520.104-46? (See instructions on waiver eligibility and conditions.) .....  Yes  No
- If you answered "No" to either line 6a or line 6b, the plan cannot use Form 5500-SF and must instead use Form 5500.**
- c** If the plan is a defined benefit plan, is it covered under the PBGC insurance program (see ERISA section 4021)? .....  Yes  No  Not determined
- If "Yes" is checked, enter the My PAA confirmation number from the PBGC premium filing for this plan year \_\_\_\_\_ (See instructions.)

<b>Part III Financial Information</b>			
<b>7</b> Plan Assets and Liabilities		<b>(a) Beginning of Year</b>	<b>(b) End of Year</b>
<b>a</b> Total plan assets .....	<b>7a</b>	3304070	0
<b>b</b> Total plan liabilities .....	<b>7b</b>	0	0
<b>c</b> Net plan assets (subtract line 7b from line 7a) .....	<b>7c</b>	3304070	0
<b>8</b> Income, Expenses, and Transfers for this Plan Year		<b>(a) Amount</b>	<b>(b) Total</b>
<b>a</b> Contributions received or receivable from:			
<b>(1)</b> Employers .....	<b>8a(1)</b>	2024	
<b>(2)</b> Participants .....	<b>8a(2)</b>	19373	
<b>(3)</b> Others (including rollovers) .....	<b>8a(3)</b>	5871	
<b>b</b> Other income (loss) .....	<b>8b</b>	347909	
<b>c</b> Total income (add lines 8a(1), 8a(2), 8a(3), and 8b) .....	<b>8c</b>		375177
<b>d</b> Benefits paid (including direct rollovers and insurance premiums to provide benefits) .....	<b>8d</b>	3634979	
<b>e</b> Certain deemed and/or corrective distributions (see instructions) .	<b>8e</b>		
<b>f</b> Administrative service providers (salaries, fees, commissions) .....	<b>8f</b>	44268	
<b>g</b> Other expenses .....	<b>8g</b>		
<b>h</b> Total expenses (add lines 8d, 8e, 8f, and 8g) .....	<b>8h</b>		3679247
<b>i</b> Net income (loss) (subtract line 8h from line 8c) .....	<b>8i</b>		-3304070
<b>j</b> Transfers to (from) the plan (see instructions) .....	<b>8j</b>		

<b>Part IV Plan Characteristics</b>	
<b>9a</b>	If the plan provides pension benefits, enter the applicable pension feature codes from the List of Plan Characteristic Codes in the instructions: 2E 3D 2G 2J 2K 2F 2T
<b>b</b>	If the plan provides welfare benefits, enter the applicable welfare feature codes from the List of Plan Characteristic Codes in the instructions:

<b>Part V Compliance Questions</b>				
<b>10</b> During the plan year:		<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>Amount</b>
<b>a</b> 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>10a</b>		X	
<b>b</b> Were there any nonexempt transactions with any party-in-interest? (Do not include transactions reported on line 10a.) .....	<b>10b</b>		X	
<b>c</b> Was the plan covered by a fidelity bond? .....	<b>10c</b>	X		1000000
<b>d</b> Did the plan have a loss, whether or not reimbursed by the plan's fidelity bond, that was caused by fraud or dishonesty? .....	<b>10d</b>		X	
<b>e</b> Were any fees or commissions paid to any brokers, agents, or other persons by an insurance carrier, insurance service, or other organization that provides some or all of the benefits under the plan? (See instructions.) .....	<b>10e</b>		X	
<b>f</b> Has the plan failed to provide any benefit when due under the plan? .....	<b>10f</b>		X	
<b>g</b> Did the plan have any participant loans? (If "Yes," enter amount as of year-end.) .....	<b>10g</b>	X		0
<b>h</b> If this is an individual account plan, was there a blackout period? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-3.) .....	<b>10h</b>	X		
<b>i</b> If 10h was answered "Yes," check the box if you either provided the required notice or one of the exceptions to providing the notice applied under 29 CFR 2520.101-3 .....	<b>10i</b>	X		

**Part VI Pension Funding Compliance**

**11** Is this a defined benefit plan subject to minimum funding requirements? (If "Yes," see instructions and complete Schedule SB (Form 5500) and lines 11a and b below.) If this is a defined contribution pension plan, leave line 11 blank and complete line 12 below.  Yes  No

**a** Enter the unpaid minimum required contributions for all years from Schedule SB (Form 5500) line 40 ..... **11a**

**b PBGC missed contribution reporting requirements.** If the plan is covered by PBGC and the amount reported on line 11a is greater than \$0, 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 \_\_\_\_\_

**12** Is this a defined contribution plan subject to the minimum funding requirements of section 412 of the Code or section 302 of ERISA? .....  Yes  No  
(If "Yes," complete line 12a or lines 12b, 12c, 12d, and 12e below, as applicable.) If this is a defined benefit pension plan, leave line 12 blank and complete line 11 above.

**a** 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 letter ruling granting the waiver. .... Month \_\_\_\_\_ Day \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_

**If you completed line 12a, complete lines 3, 9, and 10 of Schedule MB (Form 5500), and skip to line 13.**

**b** Enter the minimum required contribution for this plan year ..... **12b**

**c** Enter the amount contributed by the employer to the plan for this plan year ..... **12c**

**d** Subtract the amount in line 12c from the amount in line 12b. Enter the result (enter a minus sign to the left of a negative amount) ..... **12d**

**e** Will the minimum funding amount reported on line 12d be met by the funding deadline?.....  Yes  No  N/A

**Part VII Plan Terminations and Transfers of Assets**

**13a** Has a resolution to terminate the plan been adopted in any plan year? .....  Yes  No

**a** If "Yes," enter the amount of any plan assets that reverted to the employer this year..... **13a** 0

**b** Were all the plan assets distributed to participants or beneficiaries, transferred to another plan, or brought under the control of the PBGC? .....  Yes  No

**c** 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.)

13c(1) Name of plan(s):	13c(2) EIN(s)	13c(3) PN(s)

**Part VIII IRS Compliance Questions**

**14a** 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

**14b** 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

**15** 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 06 / 30 / 2020 (MM/DD/YYYY) and the Opinion Letter serial number Q703678A.

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

**1a** Name of plan  
LVL ENGINEERING GROUP, INC PROFIT SHARING & 401(K)  
PLAN

**1b** Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 002

**1c** Effective date of plan  
04/01/1979

**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)  
LVL ENGINEERING GROUP, INC.

**2b** Employer Identification Number (EIN)  
23-1604145

**2c** Sponsor's telephone number  
(610) 530-9285

**2d** Business code (see instructions)  
541330

2310 WALBERT AVE  
SUITE 103  
ALLENTOWN PA 18104

**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.

**4b** EIN

**4d** PN

**a** Sponsor's name  
**c** Plan Name

**5a** Total number of participants at the beginning of the plan year ..... 33

**b** Total number of participants at the end of the plan year ..... 0

**c(1)** Number of participants with account balances as of the beginning of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item) ..... 27

**c(2)** Number of participants with account balances as of the end of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item) ..... 0

**d(1)** Total number of active participants at the beginning of the plan year ..... 16

**d(2)** Total number of active participants at the end of the plan year ..... 0

**e** Number of participants who terminated employment during the plan year with accrued benefits that were less than 100% vested ..... 0

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Under penalties of perjury and other penalties set forth in the instructions, I declare that I have examined this return/report, including, if applicable, a Schedule SB or Schedule MB completed and signed by an enrolled actuary, 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	<i>Lynn Feldman</i>	<u>2/28/25</u>	<u>Lynn Feldman</u>
	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

- 6a Were all of the plan's assets during the plan year invested in eligible assets? (See instructions.).....  Yes  No
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If "Yes" is checked, enter the My PAA confirmation number from the PBGC premium filing for this plan year \_\_\_\_\_ (See instructions.)

**Part III: Financial Information**

7 Plan Assets and Liabilities		(a) Beginning of Year	(b) End of Year
a Total plan assets	7a	3,304,070	0
b Total plan liabilities	7b	0	0
c Net plan assets (subtract line 7b from line 7a)	7c	3,304,070	0
8 Income, Expenses, and Transfers for this Plan Year		(a) Amount	(b) Total
a Contributions received or receivable from:			
(1) Employers	8a(1)	2,024	
(2) Participants	8a(2)	19,373	
(3) Others (including rollovers)	8a(3)	5,871	
b Other income (loss)	8b	347,909	
c Total income (add lines 8a(1), 8a(2), 8a(3), and 8b)	8c		375,177
d Benefits paid (including direct rollovers and insurance premiums to provide benefits)	8d	3,634,979	
e Certain deemed and/or corrective distributions (see instructions)	8e		
f Administrative service providers (salaries, fees, commissions)	8f	44,268	
g Other expenses	8g		
h Total expenses (add lines 8d, 8e, 8f, and 8g)	8h		3,679,247
i Net income (loss) (subtract line 8h from line 8c)	8i		-3,304,070
j Transfers to (from) the plan (see instructions)	8j		

**Part IV: Plan Characteristics**

- 9a If the plan provides pension benefits, enter the applicable pension feature codes from the List of Plan Characteristic Codes in the instructions:  
2E 3D 2G 2J 2K 2F 2T
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**Part V: Compliance Questions**

10 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)	10a	X	
b Were there any nonexempt transactions with any party-in-interest? (Do not include transactions reported on line 10a.)	10b	X	
c Was the plan covered by a fidelity bond?	10c	X	1,000,000
d Did the plan have a loss, whether or not reimbursed by the plan's fidelity bond, that was caused by fraud or dishonesty?	10d	X	
e Were any fees or commissions paid to any brokers, agents, or other persons by an insurance carrier, insurance service, or other organization that provides some or all of the benefits under the plan? (See instructions.)	10e	X	
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g Did the plan have any participant loans? (If "Yes," enter amount as of year-end.)	10g	X	0
h If this is an individual account plan, was there a blackout period? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-3.)	10h	X	
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**d** Subtract the amount in line 12c from the amount in line 12b. Enter the result (enter a minus sign to the left of a negative amount) **12d**

**e** Will the minimum funding amount reported on line 12d be met by the funding deadline?  Yes  No  N/A

**Part VII Plan Terminations and Transfers of Assets**

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- Design-based safe harbor method
- "Prior year" ADP test
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- N/A

**15** 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 06/30/2020 (MM/DD/YYYY) and the Opinion Letter serial number Q703678a.

**LVL ENGINEERING GROUP, INC. PROFIT SHARING & 401(K) PLAN**  
**FEDERAL IDENTIFICATION NUMBER 23-1604145**  
**ATTACHMENT TO THE FINAL FORMS 5500 AND 8955-SSA**  
**FOR THE SHORT YEAR JANUARY 1, 2024 TO OCTOBER 10, 2024**

We are the Court Appointed Accountants to Lynn Feldman, Esq., the Chapter 7 Trustee of LVL Engineering Group, Inc. (Bankrupt, the “Debtor”), the Plan Sponsor of the LVL Engineering Group, Inc. Profit Sharing & 401(k) Plan (the “Plan”). The Debtor filed for protection under Chapter 7 of the United States Bankruptcy Code on March 1, 2024, at which time all operations ceased and Lynn Feldman, Esq. was appointed as the Chapter 7 Trustee (“Trustee”) for the Debtor.

As a result of the Chapter 7 bankruptcy proceeding, and pursuant to 11 U.S.C. Sect. 704(a)(11), the Trustee is responsible for the liquidation of the Plan Assets of the Plan.

The 2024 annual informational returns were prepared by Vanguard Retirement (“Vanguard”), the Plan Asset Custodian, from the best information available; that is, data provided by the Plan’s Record Keeper, Ascensus LLC (“Ascensus”), and information from the Debtor’s former employees. Due to the cessation of business and the filing of bankruptcy, certain key financial records, subsidiary ledgers and documentation supporting various policies, transactions, and other matters that would normally be expected to be present in an operating enterprise, were missing or unavailable.

During 2024, as part of the termination and liquidation process, all of the Plan’s remaining funds were distributed to Participants. We are not aware of any complaints from Participants regarding the distribution or disposition of their account balances.

The period on these returns through March 1, 2024 predates the appointment of the Trustee and her professionals. Neither the Trustee, nor the Trustee’s Court Appointed Accountants have any direct knowledge of the transactions recorded by Vanguard or the Debtor as reported on these returns. In addition, the Trustee and her professionals have no knowledge of the processes used or policies put in place by Vanguard, Ascensus, or the Debtor.

The Trustee, by her signature on the face of these informational returns, has relied on Vanguard’s expertise in preparing the returns from the available records, which were limited due to the entity’s cessation of business. However, it is our qualified opinion that these are complete returns based on the financial information available.

BEDERSON LLP  
FEBRUARY 2025

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