

Form 5500

Annual Return/Report of Employee Benefit Plan

OMB Nos. 1210-0110 1210-0089

2024

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Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration

Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation

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.

Part I Annual Report Identification Information

For calendar plan year 2024 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2024 and ending 12/31/2024

- A This return/report is for: a multiemployer plan, a multiple-employer plan, a single-employer plan, a DFE, etc.
B This return/report is: the first return/report, the final return/report, an amended return/report, a short plan year return/report, etc.
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, etc.
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: MOSURE & SYRAKIS 401(K) PROFIT SHARING TRUST
1b Three-digit plan number (PN): 001
1c Effective date of plan: 12/01/1987
2a Plan sponsor's name (employer, if for a single-employer plan): MS CONSULTANTS, INC.
2b Employer Identification Number (EIN): 34-6546916
2c Plan Sponsor's telephone number: 614-898-7100
2d Business code (see instructions): 541330

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.

Table with 4 columns: SIGN HERE, Signature of plan administrator, Date, Enter name of individual signing as plan administrator. Includes rows for employer/plan sponsor and DFE.

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3a Plan administrator's name and address <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Same as Plan Sponsor	3b Administrator's EIN	
	3c Administrator's telephone number	
4 If the name and/or EIN of the plan sponsor or the plan name has changed since the last return/report filed for this plan, enter the plan sponsor's name, EIN, the plan name and the plan number from the last return/report: a Sponsor's name c Plan Name	4b EIN	
	4d PN	
5 Total number of participants at the beginning of the plan year	5	554
6 Number of participants as of the end of the plan year unless otherwise stated (welfare plans complete only lines 6a(1) , 6a(2) , 6b , 6c , and 6d). a(1) Total number of active participants at the beginning of the plan year a(2) Total number of active participants at the end of the plan year b Retired or separated participants receiving benefits..... c Other retired or separated participants entitled to future benefits d Subtotal. Add lines 6a(2) , 6b , and 6c e Deceased participants whose beneficiaries are receiving or are entitled to receive benefits. f Total. Add lines 6d and 6e g(1) Number of participants with account balances as of the beginning of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item) g(2) Number of participants with account balances as of the end of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item) h Number of participants who terminated employment during the plan year with accrued benefits that were less than 100% vested.....	6a(1)	384
	6a(2)	367
	6b	12
	6c	100
	6d	479
	6e	0
	6f	479
	6g(1)	534
6g(2)	476	
6h	58	
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 2S 2T 3D

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

9a Plan funding arrangement (check all that apply)	9b Plan benefit arrangement (check all that apply)
(1) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Insurance	(1) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Insurance
(2) <input type="checkbox"/> Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts	(2) <input type="checkbox"/> Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts
(3) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Trust	(3) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Trust
(4) <input type="checkbox"/> General assets of the sponsor	(4) <input type="checkbox"/> General assets of the sponsor

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 2
- (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 2024 Form M-1 annual report. If the plan was not required to file the 2024 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 _____

<p style="text-align: center;">SCHEDULE A (Form 5500)</p> <p style="text-align: center; font-size: small;">Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: center; font-size: small;">Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: center; font-size: small;">Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation</p>	<p>Insurance Information</p> <p>This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).</p> <p>▶ File as an attachment to Form 5500.</p> <p>▶ Insurance companies are required to provide the information pursuant to ERISA section 103(a)(2).</p>	<p>OMB No. 1210-0110</p> <hr/> <p style="font-size: large;">2024</p> <hr/> <p>This Form is Open to Public Inspection</p>
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<p>A Name of plan MOSURE & SYRAKIS 401(K) PROFIT SHARING TRUST</p>	<p>B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶</p>	<p>001</p>
<p>C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 MS CONSULTANTS, INC.</p>	<p>D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 34-6546916</p>	

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.

1 Coverage Information:

(a) Name of insurance carrier
EMPOWER ANNUITY INSURANCE COMPANY OF AMERICA

(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
84-0467907	68322	1114146-01	124	01/01/2024	12/31/2024

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
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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	3648389
5	Current value of plan's interest under this contract in separate accounts at year end.....	1346669
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. Specify nature of costs ▶	6d
e	Type of contract: (1) <input type="checkbox"/> individual policies (2) <input type="checkbox"/> group deferred annuity (3) <input type="checkbox"/> other (specify) ▶	
f	If contract purchased, in whole or in part, to distribute benefits from a terminating plan, check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>	
7	Contracts With Unallocated Funds (Do not include portions of these contracts maintained in separate accounts)	
a	Type of contract: (1) <input type="checkbox"/> deposit administration (2) <input type="checkbox"/> immediate participation guarantee (3) <input type="checkbox"/> guaranteed investment (4) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> other ▶ GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT	
b	Balance at the end of the previous year	7b 3354793
c	Additions: (1) Contributions deposited during the year	7c(1) 76530
	(2) Dividends and credits.....	7c(2) 0
	(3) Interest credited during the year.....	7c(3) 58143
	(4) Transferred from separate account	7c(4) 2411275
	(5) Other (specify below)..... ▶ LOAN PAYMENTS	7c(5) 153436
	(6) Total additions	7c(6) 2699384
d	Total of balance and additions (add lines 7b and 7c(6))	7d 6054177
e	Deductions:	
	(1) Disbursed from fund to pay benefits or purchase annuities during year	7e(1) 1060562
	(2) Administration charge made by carrier.....	7e(2) 3806
	(3) Transferred to separate account	7e(3) 1341421
	(4) Other (specify below)..... ▶	7e(4)
(5) Total deductions	7e(5) 2405789	
f	Balance at the end of the current year (subtract line 7e(5) from line 7d).....	7f 3648388

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)	0
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)	0
	(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)	0
	(2) Dividends or retroactive rate refunds. (These amounts were <input type="checkbox"/> paid in cash, or <input type="checkbox"/> 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. Specify nature of costs.	10b	

Part IV Provision of Information

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

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

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06-1050034	93629	1114146-01	165	01/01/2024	12/31/2024

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4 Current value of plan's interest under this contract in the general account at year end	4	0
5 Current value of plan's interest under this contract in separate accounts at year end.....	5	6266051

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. Specify nature of costs ▶	6d	

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** 0

c Additions: (1) Contributions deposited during the year	7c(1)	0
	7c(2)	0
	7c(3)	0
	7c(4)	0
	7c(5)	0

(6) Total additions **7c(6)** 0

d Total of balance and additions (add lines **7b** and **7c(6)**) **7d** 0

e Deductions:

(1) Disbursed from fund to pay benefits or purchase annuities during year	7e(1)	0
(2) Administration charge made by carrier.....	7e(2)	0
(3) Transferred to separate account	7e(3)	0
(4) Other (specify below)	7e(4)	0

(5) Total deductions **7e(5)** 0

f Balance at the end of the current year (subtract line **7e(5)** from line **7d**)..... **7f** 0

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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)	0
	(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)	0
	(2) Dividends or retroactive rate refunds. (These amounts were <input type="checkbox"/> paid in cash, or <input type="checkbox"/> 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) <small>Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service</small> <small>Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration</small> <small>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation</small>	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.	<small>OMB No. 1210-0110</small> 2024 This Form is Open to Public Inspection.
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Part I Service Provider Information (see instructions)

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)

ACEC RETIREMENT TRUST

1510 WOODSTOCK RD
ROSWELL, GA 30075-2132

(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	OTHER	51794	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>		Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

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

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(b) 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?
64	RECORDKEEPER	22138	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	0	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

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

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(b) Service Code(s)	(c) Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest	(d) Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-.	(e) Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor)	(f) Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures?	(g) Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-.	(h) Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount?
28	INVESTMENT MGMT	12248	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>		Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

Part I Service Provider Information (continued)

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

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

Part II Service Providers Who Fail or Refuse to Provide Information

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

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

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Part III Termination Information on Accountants and Enrolled Actuaries (see instructions)
(complete as many entries as needed)

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

Explanation:

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

Explanation:

a Name:	b EIN:
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Explanation:

SCHEDULE D (Form 5500) <small>Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service</small> <small>Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration</small>	DFE/Participating Plan Information This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA). ▶ File as an attachment to Form 5500.	<small>OMB No. 1210-0110</small> 2024 This Form is Open to Public Inspection.
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A Name of plan <u>MOSURE & SYRAKIS 401(K) PROFIT SHARING TRUST</u>	B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶	<u>001</u>
C Plan or DFE sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 <u>MS CONSULTANTS, INC.</u>	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) <u>34-6546916</u>	

Part I	Information on interests in MTIAs, CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs (to be completed by plans and DFEs) (Complete as many entries as needed to report all interests in DFEs)
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a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: <u>MID CAP VALUE/ROBECO BOSTON PARTNER</u>		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <u>EMPOWER ANNUITY INSURANCE COMPANY</u>		
c EIN-PN <u>06-1050034-440</u>	d Entity code <u>P</u>	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <u>609961</u>
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: <u>CORE PLUS BOND/PGIM FUND</u>		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <u>EMPOWER ANNUITY INSURANCE COMPANY</u>		
c EIN-PN <u>06-1050034-299</u>	d Entity code <u>P</u>	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <u>1026461</u>
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: <u>LARGE CAP GROWTH/JENNISON FUND</u>		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <u>EMPOWER ANNUITY INSURANCE COMPANY</u>		
c EIN-PN <u>06-1050034-408</u>	d Entity code <u>P</u>	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <u>4629629</u>
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: <u>PRUDENTIAL CORE PLUS BOND FUND CLAS</u>		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <u>PRUDENTIAL COLLECTIVE INVESTMENT TRUST</u>		
c EIN-PN <u>23-6994310-165</u>	d Entity code <u>C</u>	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <u>0</u>
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: <u>VICTORY SMALL CAP VALUE COLLECTIVE</u>		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <u>THE VICTORY PORTFOLIOS</u>		
c EIN-PN <u>90-6240599-008</u>	d Entity code <u>C</u>	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <u>424741</u>
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):		
c EIN-PN	d Entity code	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):		
c EIN-PN	d Entity code	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:

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

c EIN-PN

d Entity code

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

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c EIN-PN

d Entity code

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d Entity code

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

SCHEDULE H (Form 5500) <small>Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service</small> <small>Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration</small> <small>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation</small>	Financial Information This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), and section 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code). ▶ File as an attachment to Form 5500.	OMB No. 1210-0110 2024 This Form is Open to Public Inspection
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A Name of plan MOSURE & SYRAKIS 401(K) PROFIT SHARING TRUST	B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 001
C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 MS CONSULTANTS, INC.	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 34-6546916

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.

		(a) Beginning of Year	(b) End of Year
Assets			
a Total noninterest-bearing cash	1a	0	0
b Receivables (less allowance for doubtful accounts):			
(1) Employer contributions	1b(1)	0	0
(2) Participant contributions	1b(2)	0	0
(3) Other	1b(3)	0	0
c General investments:			
(1) Interest-bearing cash (include money market accounts & certificates of deposit)	1c(1)	0	0
(2) U.S. Government securities	1c(2)	0	0
(3) Corporate debt instruments (other than employer securities):			
(A) Preferred	1c(3)(A)	0	0
(B) All other	1c(3)(B)	0	0
(4) Corporate stocks (other than employer securities):			
(A) Preferred	1c(4)(A)	0	0
(B) Common	1c(4)(B)	0	0
(5) Partnership/joint venture interests	1c(5)	0	0
(6) Real estate (other than employer real property)	1c(6)	0	0
(7) Loans (other than to participants)	1c(7)	0	0
(8) Participant loans	1c(8)	223339	226964
(9) Value of interest in common/collective trusts	1c(9)	11750612	15498245
(10) Value of interest in pooled separate accounts	1c(10)	6457203	7612720
(11) Value of interest in master trust investment accounts	1c(11)	0	0
(12) Value of interest in 103-12 investment entities	1c(12)	0	0
(13) Value of interest in registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds)	1c(13)	17375833	17188594
(14) Value of funds held in insurance company general account (unallocated contracts).....	1c(14)	3354793	3648389
(15) Other.....	1c(15)	4803	4523

1d Employer-related investments:		(a) Beginning of Year	(b) End of Year
(1) Employer securities.....	1d(1)	0	0
(2) Employer real property.....	1d(2)	0	0
e Buildings and other property used in plan operation.....	1e	0	0
f Total assets (add all amounts in lines 1a through 1e).....	1f	39166583	44179435
Liabilities			
g Benefit claims payable.....	1g	0	0
h Operating payables.....	1h		
i Acquisition indebtedness.....	1i	0	0
j Other liabilities.....	1j	0	0
k Total liabilities (add all amounts in lines 1g through 1j).....	1k	0	0
Net Assets			
l Net assets (subtract line 1k from line 1f).....	1l	39166583	44179435

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)	1634292	
(B) Participants.....	2a(1)(B)	3013459	
(C) Others (including rollovers).....	2a(1)(C)	247684	
(2) Noncash contributions.....	2a(2)	0	4895435
(3) Total contributions. Add lines 2a(1)(A) , (B) , (C) , and line 2a(2)	2a(3)		
b Earnings on investments:			
(1) Interest:			
(A) Interest-bearing cash (including money market accounts and certificates of deposit).....	2b(1)(A)	0	
(B) U.S. Government securities.....	2b(1)(B)	0	
(C) Corporate debt instruments.....	2b(1)(C)	0	
(D) Loans (other than to participants).....	2b(1)(D)	0	
(E) Participant loans.....	2b(1)(E)	19059	
(F) Other.....	2b(1)(F)	58143	
(G) Total interest. Add lines 2b(1)(A) through (F)	2b(1)(G)		77202
(2) Dividends:			
(A) Preferred stock.....	2b(2)(A)	0	
(B) Common stock.....	2b(2)(B)	0	
(C) Registered investment company shares (e.g. mutual funds).....	2b(2)(C)	1007211	
(D) Total dividends. Add lines 2b(2)(A) , (B) , and (C)	2b(2)(D)		1007211
(3) Rents.....	2b(3)		0
(4) Net gain (loss) on sale of assets:			
(A) Aggregate proceeds.....	2b(4)(A)	0	
(B) Aggregate carrying amount (see instructions).....	2b(4)(B)	0	
(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)	0	
(B) Other.....	2b(5)(B)	0	
(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)		1375152
(7) Net investment gain (loss) from pooled separate accounts	2b(7)		1482575
(8) Net investment gain (loss) from master trust investment accounts	2b(8)		0
(9) Net investment gain (loss) from 103-12 investment entities	2b(9)		0
(10) Net investment gain (loss) from registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds)	2b(10)		1391446
c Other income	2c		-279
d Total income. Add all income amounts in column (b) and enter total.....	2d		10228742

Expenses

e Benefit payment and payments to provide benefits:			
(1) Directly to participants or beneficiaries, including direct rollovers.....	2e(1)	5104138	
(2) To insurance carriers for the provision of benefits	2e(2)	0	
(3) Other.....	2e(3)	0	
(4) Total benefit payments. Add lines 2e(1) through (3)	2e(4)		5104138
f Corrective distributions (see instructions)	2f		0
g Certain deemed distributions of participant loans (see instructions).....	2g		28422
h Interest expense.....	2h		0
i Administrative expenses:			
(1) Salaries and allowances	2i(1)	0	
(2) Contract administrator fees	2i(2)	83330	
(3) Recordkeeping fees	2i(3)	0	
(4) IQPA audit fees	2i(4)	0	
(5) Investment advisory and investment management fees	2i(5)	0	
(6) Bank or trust company trustee/custodial fees	2i(6)	0	
(7) Actuarial fees	2i(7)	0	
(8) Legal fees	2i(8)	0	
(9) Valuation/appraisal fees	2i(9)	0	
(10) Other trustee fees and expenses	2i(10)	0	
(11) Other expenses.....	2i(11)	0	
(12) Total administrative expenses. Add lines 2i(1) through (11)	2i(12)		83330
j Total expenses. Add all expense amounts in column (b) and enter total.....	2j		5215890

Net Income and Reconciliation

k Net income (loss). Subtract line 2j from line 2d	2k		5012852
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: **PACKER THOMAS**

(2) EIN: **34-1667340**

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.)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	124
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.)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
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.)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
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.)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
e Was this plan covered by a fidelity bond?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	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?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
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?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
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?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
i Did the plan have assets held for investment? (Attach schedule(s) of assets if "Yes" is checked, and see instructions for format requirements.)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
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.)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
k Were all the plan assets either distributed to participants or beneficiaries, transferred to another plan, or brought under the control of the PBGC?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
l Has the plan failed to provide any benefit when due under the plan?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
m If this is an individual account plan, was there a blackout period? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-3.)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
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.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

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) <small>Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service</small> <small>Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration</small> <small>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation</small>	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.	<small>OMB No. 1210-0110</small> 2024 This Form is Open to Public Inspection.
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C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 <u>MS CONSULTANTS, INC.</u>	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) <u>34-6546916</u>	

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.....

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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): 84-1455663

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.....

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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)? Yes No N/A
If the plan is a defined benefit plan, go to line 8.

5 If a waiver of the minimum funding standard for a prior year is being amortized in this plan year, see instructions and enter the date of the ruling letter granting the waiver. **Date:** Month _____ Day _____ Year _____
If you completed line 5, complete lines 3, 9, and 10 of Schedule MB and do not complete the remainder of this schedule.

6 a Enter the minimum required contribution for this plan year (include any prior year accumulated funding deficiency not waived)	6a	
b Enter the amount contributed by the employer to the plan for this plan year	6b	
c Subtract the amount in line 6b from the amount in line 6a. Enter the result (enter a minus sign to the left of a negative amount).....	6c	

If you completed line 6c, skip lines 8 and 9.

7 Will the minimum funding amount reported on line 6c be met by the funding deadline?..... Yes No N/A

8 If a change in actuarial cost method was made for this plan year pursuant to a revenue procedure or other authority providing automatic approval for the change or a class ruling letter, does the plan sponsor or plan administrator agree with the change? Yes No N/A

Part III	Amendments
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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

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: <input type="checkbox"/> last contributing employer <input type="checkbox"/> alternative <input type="checkbox"/> reasonable approximation (see instructions for required attachment).....	14a	
b The plan year immediately preceding the current plan year. <input type="checkbox"/> Check the box if the number reported is a change from what was previously reported (see instructions for required attachment).....	14b	
c The second preceding plan year. <input type="checkbox"/> Check the box if the number reported is a change from what was previously reported (see instructions for required attachment).....	14c	

15 Enter the ratio of the number of participants under the plan on whose behalf no employer had an obligation to make an employer contribution during the current plan year to:

a The corresponding number for the plan year immediately preceding the current plan year	15a	
b The corresponding number for the second preceding plan year	15b	

16 Information with respect to any employers who withdrew from the plan during the preceding plan year:

a Enter the number of employers who withdrew during the preceding plan year	16a	
b If line 16a is greater than 0, enter the aggregate amount of withdrawal liability assessed or estimated to be assessed against such withdrawn employers.....	16b	

17 If assets and liabilities from another plan have been transferred to or merged with this plan during the plan year, check box and see instructions regarding supplemental information to be included as an attachment

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

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

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 11 / 14 / 2022 (MM/DD/YYYY) and the Opinion Letter serial number Q702518A.

ms consultants, inc.
401(K) PROFIT SHARING
TRUST

AUDIT OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

For the years ended December 31, 2024 and 2023



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REPORT OF INDEPENDENT AUDITORS

PLAN ADMINISTRATOR
ms consultants, inc.
401(k) Profit Sharing Trust

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

We have performed audits of the accompanying financial statements of ms consultants, inc. 401(k) Profit Sharing Trust, 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-modified cash basis as of December 31, 2024 and 2023, and the related statements of changes in net assets available for benefits-modified cash basis 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 ms consultants, inc. 401(k) Profit Sharing Trust'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 a certification from a qualified institution as of December 31, 2024 and 2023 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 financial statements referred to above, other than those agreed to or derived from the certified investment information, are presented fairly, in all material respects, in accordance with the modified cash basis of accounting as described within Note B.

- the information in the financial statements referred to above 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 of Accounting

We draw attention to Note B to the financial statement, which describes the basis of accounting. The financial statements are prepared on the modified cash basis of accounting, which is a basis of accounting other than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. Our opinion is not modified with respect to this matter.

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. 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 ms consultants, inc. 401(k) Profit Sharing Trust 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 these financial statements in accordance with the modified cash basis of accounting, 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 ms consultants, inc. 401(k) Profit Sharing Trust'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 generally accepted auditing standards 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 generally accepted auditing standards, 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 ms consultants, inc. 401(k) Profit Sharing Trust's internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statements.
- Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about ms consultants, inc. 401(k) Profit Sharing Trust'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 the modified cash basis of accounting.

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 the modified cash basis of accounting.

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

Other Matter - Supplemental Schedules Required by ERISA

The supplemental schedules of delinquent participant contributions and assets (held at end of year) are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are 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 schedules, 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 generally accepted auditing standards. For information included in the supplemental schedules 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 schedules, we evaluated whether the supplemental schedules, other than the information agreed to or derived from the certified investment information, including its form and content, is 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 schedules, other than the information in the supplemental schedules 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 schedules 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).

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Rachel Thomas". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

New Castle, Pennsylvania
September 10, 2025

**STATEMENTS OF NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS--
MODIFIED CASH BASIS**

	December 31,	
	2024	2023
ASSETS		
Investments		
Mutual funds - at fair value	\$ 17,188,594	\$ 17,375,833
Pooled separate accounts - at fair value	7,612,720	6,457,203
Common collective trust - at fair value	15,498,245	11,750,612
Guaranteed investment contract - at contract value	3,648,389	3,354,793
Investments subtotal	<u>43,947,948</u>	<u>38,938,441</u>
Cash surrender value of life insurance	4,523	4,803
Total investments	<u>43,952,471</u>	<u>38,943,244</u>
Receivables:		
Notes receivable from participants	274,276	282,617
Total receivables	<u>274,276</u>	<u>282,617</u>
TOTAL ASSETS	44,226,747	39,225,861
NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS	\$ 44,226,747	\$ 39,225,861

STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS--MODIFIED CASH BASIS

	Years ended December 31,	
	2024	2023
ADDITIONS		
Investment income:		
Net realized and unrealized appreciation in fair value of investments	\$4,249,173	\$ 5,333,695
Dividends and interest	1,065,354	718,441
Change in cash surrender value	(280)	(35)
Total investment income	<u>\$5,314,247</u>	<u>6,052,101</u>
Interest income on notes receivable from participants	19,716	15,043
Contributions:		
Employer	1,634,292	772,487
Participant	3,013,459	2,872,282
Rollover	247,684	578,443
Total contributions	<u>4,895,435</u>	<u>4,223,212</u>
TOTAL ADDITIONS	10,229,398	10,290,356
DEDUCTIONS		
Benefits paid to participants	5,145,182	1,965,881
Administrative expenses	83,330	68,840
TOTAL DEDUCTIONS	5,228,512	2,034,721
NET CHANGE	5,000,886	8,255,635
NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS BEGINNING OF YEAR	39,225,861	30,970,226
NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS END OF YEAR	\$ 44,226,747	\$ 39,225,861

ms consultants, inc. 401(k) Profit Sharing Trust
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NOTE A – DESCRIPTION OF PLAN

The following description of the ms consultants, inc. 401(k) Profit Sharing Trust (the "Plan") provides only general information. Participants should refer to the Plan document for a more complete description of the Plan's provisions.

General

The Plan is a defined contribution plan covering substantially all employees of the Company. Employees who have at least three months of service are eligible for elective deferrals and matching contributions (if actively employed on June 30th and December 31st). Employees are automatically enrolled in the Plan and 3% of the employees' compensation is automatically withheld ("automatic deferral provision") each payroll unless the employee makes a contrary decision. The Plan includes an automatic deferral escalation provision in which participants' elective deferrals increase by 1% at the beginning of each plan year up to a maximum deferral of 6%, unless the participant makes a contrary decision. The Plan is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 ("ERISA").

Contributions

Participants may elect to contribute a portion of their annual compensation, not to exceed certain limitations. The Company matches contributions semi-annually in an amount equal to 25% of each eligible participant's deferral contribution up to 6% of their annual compensation. The Company can also make a profit-sharing contribution in an amount determined at the sole discretion of the Company. The Company also provides for a nonelective contribution of 1.5% of eligible compensation. The Company made nonelective contributions for the years ended December 31, 2024 and 2023 in the amounts of \$512,322 and \$505,432, respectively. The nonelective contribution for the year ended December 31, 2024 had not been received by the Plan as of the date of this report. The nonelective contribution for the year ended December 31, 2023 was received by the Plan in September 2024.

Participant Accounts

Each participant's account is credited with the participant's contributions, the Company's matching contribution, an allocation of the Company's profit-sharing contribution and the Plan earnings and losses and administrative expenses. Allocations of the Plan's earnings and losses are based on the proportion that each participant's account bears to the total of all participant accounts. The benefit to which a participant is entitled is the benefit that can be provided from the participant's vested account.

The Company's discretionary contributions are allocated based on a percentage of wages to participants who were actively employed on the last day of the plan year and who have more than 1,000 hours of service. The Company made discretionary contributions for the years ended December 31, 2024 and 2023 in the amounts of \$580,201 and \$-0-, respectively

Vesting

Participants are immediately fully vested in their voluntary contributions plus actual earnings thereon. A participant becomes vested in employer matching and discretionary contributions as follows:

Years of Service	Vested Percentage of Employer Contributions
Less than 2	0%
2	20%
3	40%
4	60%
5	80%
6 or more	100%

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NOTE A – DESCRIPTION OF PLAN (continued)

Notes Receivable from Participants

Participants may borrow from their account a minimum of \$1,000 up to a maximum of equal to the lesser of \$50,000 or 50% of the vested balance of their account. The receivables are secured by the balance in the participant's account and must bear interest at the prime rate plus 1%. During 2024, the notes had fixed rates ranging from 4.25% to 9.50% for the term of the note. Principal and interest may be paid through payroll deductions or by check.

Payment of Benefits

Benefits are payable in an amount equal to the value of the participant's vested interest in his or her account, either in a lump-sum payment, in a direct rollover to an IRA or other employer plan, and under certain conditions a participant may elect certain periodic payments.

Forfeitures

Forfeitures arising from terminated participants with less than fully vested interest in the Plan are re-allocated to the account balances of the remaining participants. The amounts set aside during the year to be reallocated to participants were \$163,898 and \$13,268 for the years ended December 31, 2024 and 2023, respectively. The forfeitures applied for the years ended December 31, 2024 and 2023 were \$-0- and \$75,574, respectively.

Plan Termination

Although it has not expressed any intention to do so, the Company has the right 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 become fully vested in their accounts.

NOTE B – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of Accounting

The accounting records of the Plan are maintained on the modified cash basis of accounting. The modified cash basis for presentation differs principally from accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America in that there are no provisions for employee or employer contributions receivable, except for notes receivable from participants, and no provision for any liabilities of the Plan. Contributions are recorded when received by the Plan and distributions and expenses are recorded when paid by the Plan.

Investment Valuation

Mutual funds 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 D for discussion of fair value measurements.

Benefit-responsive investment contracts are reported at contract value by Empower Annuity Insurance Company of America. Contract value represents contributions made under the contract, plus earnings, less withdrawals and administrative expenses. See Note E for discussion of contract value measurements.

Purchases and sales of securities are recorded on a settlement date basis. Interest income is recorded when received. Dividends are recorded on the settlement date. Net appreciation includes the plan's gains and losses on investments bought and sold as well as held during the year.

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NOTE B – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Notes Receivable from Participants

Notes receivable from participants are measured at their unpaid principal balance plus any accrued but unpaid interest. Accounting standards allow a plan to present loans that have been deemed distributed on an outstanding loan list as a plan asset until a distributable event, such as, a participant's balance being actually distributed from the plan. However, the Department of Labor requires the participant loan that has been deemed distributed during the year as an expense if the participant is not continuing payment under the loan.

Accounting standards require that participant loans be classified as notes receivable from participants in the accompanying financial statements; however, the Department of Labor requires these to be classified as investments on the Form 5500 and on the schedule of assets (held at end of year).

Payments of Benefits

Benefits are recorded when paid.

Administrative Expenses

Certain expenses of maintaining the Plan are paid directly by the Company and are excluded from these financial statements.

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with the modified cash basis of accounting requires the Plan Administrator to make estimates and assumptions that affect certain reported amounts of assets and changes therein and disclosures of contingent assets and liabilities. Accordingly, actual results may differ from those estimates.

NOTE C – INFORMATION CERTIFIED BY THE PLAN'S TRUSTEE

Certain information in the accompanying financial statements and ERISA-required supplemental schedule related to investments and notes receivable from participants, held as of December 31, 2024 and 2023, and net appreciation in fair value of investments, interest and dividends, and interest income on notes receivable from participants for the years then ended was obtained by management and agreed to or derived from information certified as complete and accurate by the Plan's trustees, Empower Annuity Insurance Company of America and Empower Trust Company, LLC. However, the investment in the Touchstone Large Cap Focused Fund mutual fund of \$25,002 and \$20,785 at December 31, 2024 and 2023, respectively, and the cash surrender value of life insurance held with Lincoln National Life of \$4,523 and \$4,803 at December 31, 2024 and 2023 respectively, were not certified and, therefore, were subject to other auditing procedures.

NOTE D – FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS

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

Level 1 fair values are based on unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities.

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NOTE D – FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS (continued)

Level 2 fair value inputs are based on inputs other than quoted prices within Level 1 that are observable for the asset, either directly or indirectly. Observable inputs include quoted market prices in active markets for similar assets, quoted prices in markets that are not active for identical or similar assets and other market observable inputs such as interest rate, credit spread and foreign currency exchange rates observable in the marketplace or derived from market transactions.

Level 3 fair values are based on at least one significant unobservable input for the asset. Level 3 securities contain unobservable market inputs and as a result considerable judgment may be used in determining the fair values.

Certain investments are measured at fair value using the net asset value (NAV) per share, or its equivalent, as a practical expedient. These investments include commingled funds which may include money market funds, common collective trusts and pooled separate accounts which are typically valued using the NAV provided by the administrator of the fund. The Plan assets include common collective trusts. In accordance with accounting guidance, these investments have not been classified in the fair value hierarchy.

Following is a description of the valuation methodologies used for assets measured at fair value. There have been no changes in the methodologies used at December 31, 2024 and 2023.

Mutual funds: Valued at quoted market prices on the last business day of the Plan year.

Common/collective trust: Units held in collective investment trusts are valued using the NAV of the fund, as a practical expedient. The NAV is based on the fair value of the underlying assets owned by the fund, minus its liabilities, and then divided by the number of units outstanding. The NAV of a collective investment fund is calculated based on a compilation of primarily observable market information. The number of units of the fund that are outstanding on the calculation date is derived from observable purchase and redemption activity in the fund.

Pooled separate accounts: As a practical expedient, net asset value (NAV) of each of the separate accounts is calculated in a manner consistent with U.S. GAAP for investment companies and is determinative of their fair value and represents the price at which the Plan would be able to initiate a transaction. Several of the separate accounts invest in publicly quoted mutual funds or actively managed stocks. The fair value of the underlying mutual funds or stocks is used to determine the NAV of the separate account, which is not publicly quoted. Some of the separate accounts also invest in fixed income securities. The fair value of the underlying securities is based on quoted prices of similar assets and used to determine the NAV of the separate account. There are no unfunded commitments relating to these investments or significant restrictions on redemptions.

The methods described above may produce a fair value calculation that may not be indicative of net realizable value or reflective of future fair values. Furthermore, while 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.

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NOTE D – FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS (continued)

The following tables set forth by level, within the fair value hierarchy, the Plan’s assets at fair value as of December 31, 2024 and 2023.

Assets Measured at Fair Value at December 31, 2024 on a Recurring Basis				
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Investments measured at fair value:				
Mutual funds	\$ 17,188,594	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 17,188,594
Subtotal investments at fair value	17,188,594	-	-	17,188,594
Investment at net asset value:				
Common collective trust				15,498,245
Pooled separate accounts				7,612,720
Subtotal investments at net asset value:				23,110,965
Total				\$ 40,299,559

Assets Measured at Fair Value at December 31, 2023 on a Recurring Basis				
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Investments measured at fair value:				
Mutual funds	\$ 17,375,833	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 17,375,833
Subtotal investments at fair value	17,375,833	-	-	17,375,833
Investment at net asset value:				
Common collective trust				11,750,612
Pooled separate accounts				6,457,203
Subtotal investments at net asset value:				18,207,815
Total				\$ 35,583,648

NOTE E – INVESTMENT CONTRACTS

The Plan invests in a benefit-responsive investment contract with Empower Annuity Insurance Company of America. Empower Annuity Insurance Company of America maintains the investment 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.

Because the guaranteed investment contract is benefit-responsive, contract value is the relevant measurement attribute for that portion of the net assets available for benefits attributable to the guaranteed investment contract. The guaranteed investment contract is presented on the face of the statements of net assets available for benefits, modified cash basis at contract value. Contract value, as reported to the Plan by Empower Annuity Insurance Company of America, represents contributions made under the contract, plus earnings, less participant withdrawals and administrative expenses. Participants may ordinarily direct the withdrawal or transfer of all or a portion of their investment at contract value. There are no reserves against contract value for credit risk of the contract issuer or otherwise.

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NOTE E – INVESTMENT CONTRACTS (continued)

The following tables set forth a summary of changes in the contract value of the plan's guaranteed investment contract for the years ended December 31, 2024 and 2023.

	<u>Guaranteed Investment Contract</u>	
	<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>
Balance, beginning of year	\$ 3,354,793	\$ 3,528,614
Interest credited	58,143	58,976
Purchases	2,641,242	401,300
Sales	(2,405,789)	(634,097)
Balance, end of year	\$ 3,648,389	\$ 3,354,793

NOTE F – LIFE INSURANCE CONTRACTS

Individual insurance policies are issued by Lincoln National Life Insurance Company on the lives of those participants requesting the insurance options. The cash surrender value on these policies as of December 31, 2024 and 2023 was \$4,523 and \$4,803 respectively.

NOTE G – TAX STATUS

The Internal Revenue Service issued an opinion letter dated November 14, 2022, indicating that the prototype adopted by the Plan, as then designed, was in compliance with applicable requirements of the Internal Revenue Code. Although the Plan has been amended from the original prototype document, Plan management believes that the Plan is currently being operated in accordance with the Internal Revenue Code.

NOTE H – PARTY-IN-INTEREST

Certain parties provide services or have fiduciary responsibilities to the Plan, including the Plan Sponsor. These services are parties-in-interest transactions. The Plan also invested in certain mutual funds and a guaranteed investment contract which are owned and managed by Empower Annuity Insurance Company of America and Empower Trust Company, LLC, the trustees. These transactions also qualify as party-in-interest transactions.

The Plan allows participants to borrow funds against their account balances. These transactions qualify as party-in-interest transactions.

NOTE I – RISKS AND UNCERTAINTIES

The Plan provides various investment options which are exposed to various risks, such as interest rate, market and credit risks. Due to the level of risk associated with investments, it is at least reasonably possible that changes in the values of the investments will occur in the near term and that such changes could materially affect participants' account balances and the amounts reported in the statements of net assets available for benefits-modified cash basis.

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NOTE J – RECONCILIATION OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS TO FORM 5500

The following is a reconciliation of net assets available for benefits-modified cash basis between the financial statements and the Form 5500 as of December 31, 2024 and 2023:

	<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>
Net assets available for benefits-modified cash basis per financial statements	\$ 44,226,747	\$ 39,225,861
Deemed distributions of participant loans	(47,312)	(59,277)
Net assets available for benefits per Form 5500	<u>\$ 44,179,435</u>	<u>\$ 30,166,584</u>

The following is a reconciliation of the net change in assets available for benefits-modified cash basis between the financial statements and the Form 5500 as of December 31, 2024 and 2023:

	<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>
Net change in net assets available for benefits per financial statements	\$ 5,000,886	\$ 8,255,635
Deemed distributions of participant loans	(28,422)	-
Participant loan withdrawn that was previously deemed distributed	41,034	-
Interest assessed on participant loans previously deemed distributed	(647)	(1,840)
Net income per Form 5500	<u>\$ 5,012,851</u>	<u>\$ 8,253,795</u>

NOTE K – SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

Management evaluates events occurring subsequent to the date of the financial statements in determining the accounting for and disclosure of transactions and events that affect the financial statements. Subsequent events have been evaluated through September 10, 2025, which is the date the financial statements were available to be issued.

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SCHEDULE H, LINE 4a - SCHEDULE OF DELINQUENT PARTICIPANT CONTRIBUTIONS

EIN: 34-6546916
 Plan Number: 001
 December 31, 2024

Participant Contributions Transferred Late to Plan	Total that Constitute Nonexempt Prohibited Transactions			Total Fully Corrected Under VFCP and PTE 2002-51
Check here if Late Participant Loan Repayments are included:	Contributions Not Corrected	Contributions Corrected Outside VFCP	Contributions Pending Correction in VFCP	
<input type="checkbox"/>	\$ -	\$ 124	\$ -	\$ -
	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 124</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>

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

EIN: 34-6546916
Plan Number: 001
December 31, 2024

(a)	(b)	(c)	(e)
Identity of Issuer, Borrower, Lessor or Similar Party	Description of Investment Including Maturity Date, Rate of Interest, Collateral, Par, or Maturity Value	Current Value	
American Funds	American Balanced R6	\$ 1,766,025	
American Funds	Washington Mutual R6	2,629,598	
* Empower	Empower SF Balanced Inst	1,475,856	
Nuveen	Real Estate Securities R6	315,264	
T. Rowe Price	Instl Mid-Cap Equity	908,403	
T. Rowe Price	Integrated US Small-Cap	471,227	
Touchstone	Large Cap Focused Fund	25,002	
Vanguard	FTSE Social Index I	593,806	
Vanguard	Institutional Index	3,883,910	
Vanguard	Mid Cap Index	1,441,186	
Vanguard	Small Cap Index	1,229,907	
Vanguard	Total Bond Market Index	842,509	
Vanguard	Total International Stock Index	1,605,901	
TOTAL MUTUAL FUNDS			17,188,594
Robeco Investments	Mid Cap Value	609,961	
Jennison	Large Cap Growth	4,629,629	
PGIM	Core Plus Bond	1,026,461	
Capital Group	Europacific Growth	1,346,669	
TOTAL POOLED SEPARATE ACCOUNTS			7,612,720
Fidelity Institutional	Fidelity Freedom Blend 2015 Commingled Trust	747,308	
Fidelity Institutional	Fidelity Freedom Blend 2020 Commingled Trust	24,642	
Fidelity Institutional	Fidelity Freedom Blend 2025 Commingled Trust	2,275,492	
Fidelity Institutional	Fidelity Freedom Blend 2030 Commingled Trust	1,934,653	
Fidelity Institutional	Fidelity Freedom Blend 2035 Commingled Trust	3,197,469	
Fidelity Institutional	Fidelity Freedom Blend 2040 Commingled Trust	1,198,740	
Fidelity Institutional	Fidelity Freedom Blend 2045 Commingled Trust	2,541,536	
Fidelity Institutional	Fidelity Freedom Blend 2050 Commingled Trust	869,765	
Fidelity Institutional	Fidelity Freedom Blend 2055 Commingled Trust	1,228,842	
Fidelity Institutional	Fidelity Freedom Blend 2060 Commingled Trust	748,179	
Fidelity Institutional	Fidelity Freedom Blend 2065 Commingled Trust	306,878	
Victory	Victory Small Cap Value Collective 75	424,741	
TOTAL COMMON COLLECTIVE TRUSTS			15,498,245
* Empower Investments	Fixed Account - Series Class III	3,648,389	
* Participant Loans	Interest rates of 4.25% - 9.50% with various maturity dates through January 2033.	226,964	
Lincoln National Life Insurance Co.	Cash Surrender Value - Life Insurance Contract	4,523	
TOTAL INVESTMENTS			\$ 44,179,435

* Party-in-interest



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SCHEDULE OF ASSETS (HELD AT END OF YEAR)

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INVESTMENT OPTION	MATURITY DATE	INTEREST RATE	COST OF ASSETS	CURRENT VALUE
1MXCJX			1,853,536.81	1,475,856.08
1FIB15T			718,430.06	747,307.67
1FIB20T			23,618.06	24,642.39
1FIB25T			2,146,261.37	2,275,492.39
1FIB30T			1,751,204.73	1,934,652.97
1FIB35T			2,875,354.17	3,197,468.42
1FIB40T			1,040,175.69	1,198,740.32
1FIB45T			2,179,350.59	2,541,536.27
1FIB50T			726,760.56	869,764.82
1FIB55T			1,046,713.15	1,228,842.28
1FIB60T			649,268.64	748,179.17
1FIB65T			279,792.96	306,877.97
1H0028A			1,323,271.95	1,346,668.83
1VTSNX			1,562,731.55	1,605,901.19
1FREGX			361,418.63	315,263.88
1TQAIX			463,396.55	471,226.53
1VSCIX			981,364.39	1,229,907.17
1VSCV75			292,866.29	424,740.66
1PMEGX			890,832.19	908,403.38
1H0121A			594,333.68	609,961.20
1VMCIX			1,023,303.64	1,441,185.80
1RWMGX			2,089,503.83	2,629,598.35
1H0109A			4,074,292.80	4,629,629.42
1VFTNX			467,724.38	593,806.37
1VIII X			2,935,491.67	3,883,909.77
1RLBGX			1,445,344.90	1,766,024.93
1H0089A			1,000,212.56	1,026,460.56
1VBTIX			881,951.47	842,508.42
1GWAQ25		1.950	3,311,684.58	3,484,490.95
			38,990,191.85	43,759,048.16
PARTICIPANT LOANS	VARIOUS	4.250-9.500	227,112.22	226,963.77
FORFEITURES			160,476.23	163,897.92

INVESTMENT OPTION	MATURITY DATE	INTEREST RATE	COST OF ASSETS	CURRENT VALUE
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LEGEND

INVESTMENT OPTION:

1MXCJX	Empower SecureFoundation Bal Inst			
1FIB20T	Fidelity Freedom Blend 2020 Commingled T		1FIB15T	Fidelity Freedom Blend 2015 Commingled T
1FIB30T	Fidelity Freedom Blend 2030 Commingled T		1FIB25T	Fidelity Freedom Blend 2025 Commingled T
1FIB40T	Fidelity Freedom Blend 2040 Commingled T		1FIB35T	Fidelity Freedom Blend 2035 Commingled T
1FIB50T	Fidelity Freedom Blend 2050 Commingled T		1FIB45T	Fidelity Freedom Blend 2045 Commingled T
1FIB60T	Fidelity Freedom Blend 2060 Commingled T		1FIB55T	Fidelity Freedom Blend 2055 Commingled T
1H0028A	Capital Group EuroPacific Growth SA		1FIB65T	Fidelity Freedom Blend 2065 Commingled T
1FREGX	Nuveen Real Estate Securities R6		1VTSNX	Vanguard Total Intl Stock Index Instl
1VSCIX	Vanguard Small Cap Index Instl		1TQAIX	T. Rowe Price Integrated US Sm Gr Eq I
1PMEGX	T. Rowe Price Instl Mid-Cap Equity Gr		1VSCV75	Victory Small Cap Value Collective 75
1VMCIX	Vanguard Mid Cap Index Ins		1H0121A	Mid Cap Value / Robeco Boston Partners
1H0109A	Large Cap Growth / Jennison Fund		1RWMGX	American Funds Washington Mutual R6
1VIII	Vanguard Institutional Index Instl Pl		1VFTNX	Vanguard FTSE Social Index I
1H0089A	Core Plus Bond / PGM Fund		1RLBGX	American Funds American Balanced R6
1GWAQ25	EI Fixed Account - Series Class III		1VBTIX	Vanguard Total Bond Market Index Inst

COST OF ASSETS: The original cost of the assets in each investment option as of the last day of the plan year

CURRENT VALUE: The value of all assets in each investment option as of the last day of the plan year