

Form 5500

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

Department of Labor  
Employee Benefits Security  
Administration

Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation

Annual Return/Report of Employee Benefit Plan

This form is required to be filed for employee benefit plans under sections 104 and 4065 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) and sections 6057(b) and 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code).

▶ Complete all entries in accordance with the instructions to the Form 5500.

OMB Nos. 1210-0110  
1210-0089

2024

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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 (Filers checking this box must provide participating employer information in accordance with the form instructions.) [x] a single-employer plan [ ] a DFE (specify) \_\_\_\_
B This return/report is: [ ] the first return/report [ ] the final return/report [ ] an amended return/report [ ] a short plan year return/report (less than 12 months)
C If the plan is a collectively-bargained plan, check here. [ ]
D Check box if filing under: [x] Form 5558 [ ] automatic extension [ ] the DFVC program [ ] special extension (enter description)
E If this is a retroactively adopted plan permitted by SECURE Act section 201, check here. [ ]

Part II Basic Plan Information—enter all requested information

1a Name of plan: RETIREMENT PLAN FOR EMPLOYEES OF TOPSOE, INC.
1b Three-digit plan number (PN): 001
1c Effective date of plan: 01/01/1975
2a Plan sponsor's name (employer, if for a single-employer plan): TOPSOE, INC.
Mailing address (include room, apt., suite no. and street, or P.O. Box): 18050 SATURN LANE, SUITE 400 HOUSTON, TX 77058
2b Employer Identification Number (EIN): 13-1943844
2c Plan Sponsor's telephone number: 281-228-5060
2d Business code (see instructions): 325100

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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<b>3a</b> Plan administrator's name and address <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Same as Plan Sponsor	<b>3b</b> Administrator's EIN	
	<b>3c</b> Administrator's telephone number	
<b>4</b> If the name and/or EIN of the plan sponsor or the plan name has changed since the last return/report filed for this plan, enter the plan sponsor's name, EIN, the plan name and the plan number from the last return/report: <b>a</b> Sponsor's name <b>c</b> Plan Name	<b>4b</b> EIN	
	<b>4d</b> PN	
<b>5</b> Total number of participants at the beginning of the plan year	<b>5</b>	201
<b>6</b> Number of participants as of the end of the plan year unless otherwise stated (welfare plans complete only lines <b>6a(1)</b> , <b>6a(2)</b> , <b>6b</b> , <b>6c</b> , and <b>6d</b> ). <b>a(1)</b> Total number of active participants at the beginning of the plan year ..... <b>a(2)</b> Total number of active participants at the end of the plan year ..... <b>b</b> Retired or separated participants receiving benefits..... <b>c</b> Other retired or separated participants entitled to future benefits ..... <b>d</b> Subtotal. Add lines <b>6a(2)</b> , <b>6b</b> , and <b>6c</b> ..... <b>e</b> Deceased participants whose beneficiaries are receiving or are entitled to receive benefits. .... <b>f</b> Total. Add lines <b>6d</b> and <b>6e</b> ..... <b>g(1)</b> Number of participants with account balances as of the beginning of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item) ..... <b>g(2)</b> Number of participants with account balances as of the end of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item) ..... <b>h</b> Number of participants who terminated employment during the plan year with accrued benefits that were less than 100% vested.....	<b>6a(1)</b>	44
	<b>6a(2)</b>	39
	<b>6b</b>	54
	<b>6c</b>	92
	<b>6d</b>	185
	<b>6e</b>	10
	<b>6f</b>	195
	<b>6g(1)</b>	
<b>6g(2)</b>		
<b>6h</b>		0
<b>7</b> Enter the total number of employers obligated to contribute to the plan (only multiemployer plans complete this item) .....	<b>7</b>	

**8a** If the plan provides pension benefits, enter the applicable pension feature codes from the List of Plan Characteristics Codes in the instructions:  
1A 3H

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

<b>9a</b> Plan funding arrangement (check all that apply)	<b>9b</b> Plan benefit arrangement (check all that apply)
(1) <input type="checkbox"/> Insurance	(1) <input 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)

<b>a Pension Schedules</b>	<b>b General Schedules</b>
(1) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>R</b> (Retirement Plan Information)	(1) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>H</b> (Financial Information)
(2) <input type="checkbox"/> <b>MB</b> (Multiemployer Defined Benefit Plan and Certain Money Purchase Plan Actuarial Information) - signed by the plan actuary	(2) <input type="checkbox"/> <b>I</b> (Financial Information – Small Plan)
(3) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>SB</b> (Single-Employer Defined Benefit Plan Actuarial Information) - signed by the plan actuary	(3) <input type="checkbox"/> <b>A</b> (Insurance Information) – Number Attached _____
(4) <input type="checkbox"/> <b>DCG</b> (Individual Plan Information) – Number Attached _____	(4) <input type="checkbox"/> <b>C</b> (Service Provider Information)
(5) <input type="checkbox"/> <b>MEP</b> (Multiple-Employer Retirement Plan Information)	(5) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>D</b> (DFE/Participating Plan Information)
	(6) <input type="checkbox"/> <b>G</b> (Financial Transaction Schedules)

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

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**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.

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**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 \_\_\_\_\_

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<b>SCHEDULE SB</b> <b>(Form 5500)</b>  <small>Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service</small>  <small>Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration</small>  <small>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation</small>	<b>Single-Employer Defined Benefit Plan</b> <b>Actuarial Information</b>  This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) and section 6059 of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code).  <b>▶ File as an attachment to Form 5500 or 5500-SF.</b>	<small>OMB No. 1210-0110</small>  <b>2024</b>  <b>This Form is Open to Public Inspection</b>
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For calendar plan year 2024 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2024 and ending 12/31/2024

▶ **Round off amounts to nearest dollar.**

▶ **Caution:** A penalty of \$1,000 will be assessed for late filing of this report unless reasonable cause is established.

<b>A</b> Name of plan <u>RETIREMENT PLAN FOR EMPLOYEES OF TOPSOE, INC.</u>	<b>B</b> Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶	<u>001</u>
<b>C</b> Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 or 5500-SF <u>TOPSOE, INC.</u>	<b>D</b> Employer Identification Number (EIN) <u>13-1943844</u>	
<b>E</b> Type of plan: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Single <input type="checkbox"/> Multiple-A <input type="checkbox"/> Multiple-B	<b>F</b> Prior year plan size: <input type="checkbox"/> 100 or fewer <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 101-500 <input type="checkbox"/> More than 500	

<b>Part I Basic Information</b>			
<b>1</b> Enter the valuation date: Month <u>01</u> Day <u>01</u> Year <u>2024</u>			
<b>2</b> Assets:			
<b>a</b> Market value .....	<b>2a</b>	<u>32288222</u>	
<b>b</b> Actuarial value .....	<b>2b</b>	<u>32288222</u>	
<b>3</b> Funding target/participant count breakdown	(1) Number of participants	(2) Vested Funding Target	(3) Total Funding Target
<b>a</b> For retired participants and beneficiaries receiving payment .....	<u>61</u>	<u>11453028</u>	<u>11453028</u>
<b>b</b> For terminated vested participants .....	<u>96</u>	<u>4736039</u>	<u>4736039</u>
<b>c</b> For active participants .....	<u>44</u>	<u>6668215</u>	<u>6670411</u>
<b>d</b> Total .....	<u>201</u>	<u>22857282</u>	<u>22859478</u>
<b>4</b> If the plan is in at-risk status, check the box and complete lines (a) and (b)..... <input type="checkbox"/>			
<b>a</b> Funding target disregarding prescribed at-risk assumptions .....	<b>4a</b>		
<b>b</b> Funding target reflecting at-risk assumptions, but disregarding transition rule for plans that have been in at-risk status for fewer than five consecutive years and disregarding loading factor .....	<b>4b</b>		
<b>5</b> Effective interest rate .....	<b>5</b>	<u>5.15 %</u>	
<b>6</b> Target normal cost			
<b>a</b> Present value of current plan year accruals .....	<b>6a</b>	<u>75943</u>	
<b>b</b> Expected plan-related expenses .....	<b>6b</b>	<u>0</u>	
<b>c</b> Target normal cost .....	<b>6c</b>	<u>75943</u>	

**Statement by Enrolled Actuary**

To the best of my knowledge, the information supplied in this schedule and accompanying schedules, statements and attachments, if any, is complete and accurate. Each prescribed assumption was applied in accordance with applicable law and regulations. In my opinion, each other assumption is reasonable (taking into account the experience of the plan and reasonable expectations) and such other assumptions, in combination, offer my best estimate of anticipated experience under the plan.

<b>SIGN HERE</b>			
	Signature of actuary	<u>08/06/2025</u>	Date
	<u>JAKE PRINGLE</u>	<u>23-07457</u>	Most recent enrollment number
	<u>MILLIMAN, INC.</u>	<u>713-658-8451</u>	Telephone number (including area code)
	<u>1415 LOUISIANA STREET SUITE 500 HOUSTON, TX 77002</u>		
	Address of the firm		

If the actuary has not fully reflected any regulation or ruling promulgated under the statute in completing this schedule, check the box and see instructions

<b>Part II Beginning of Year Carryover and Prefunding Balances</b>		(a) Carryover balance	(b) Prefunding balance
<b>7</b>	Balance at beginning of prior year after applicable adjustments (line 13 from prior year) .....	2088401	0
<b>8</b>	Portion elected for use to offset prior year's funding requirement (line 35 from prior year) .....		
<b>9</b>	Amount remaining (line 7 minus line 8) .....	2088401	0
<b>10</b>	Interest on line 9 using prior year's actual return of <u>14.52</u> % .....	303236	0
<b>11</b>	Prior year's excess contributions to be added to prefunding balance:		
<b>a</b>	Present value of excess contributions (line 38a from prior year) .....		0
<b>b(1)</b>	Interest on the excess, if any, of line 38a over line 38b from prior year Schedule SB, using prior year's effective interest rate of <u>5.23</u> % .....		0
<b>b(2)</b>	Interest on line 38b from prior year Schedule SB, using prior year's actual return .....		
<b>c</b>	Total available at beginning of current plan year to add to prefunding balance .....		0
<b>d</b>	Portion of (c) to be added to prefunding balance .....		
<b>12</b>	Other reductions in balances due to elections or deemed elections .....		
<b>13</b>	Balance at beginning of current year (line 9 + line 10 + line 11d – line 12) .....	2391637	0

<b>Part III Funding Percentages</b>			
<b>14</b>	Funding target attainment percentage .....	<b>14</b>	130.78 %
<b>15</b>	Adjusted funding target attainment percentage .....	<b>15</b>	141.24 %
<b>16</b>	Prior year's funding percentage for purposes of determining whether carryover/prefunding balances may be used to reduce current year's funding requirement .....	<b>16</b>	131.84 %
<b>17</b>	If the current value of the assets of the plan is less than 70 percent of the funding target, enter such percentage .....	<b>17</b>	%

<b>Part IV Contributions and Liquidity Shortfalls</b>						
<b>18</b> Contributions made to the plan for the plan year by employer(s) and employees:						
(a) Date (MM-DD-YYYY)	(b) Amount paid by employer(s)	(c) Amount paid by employees	(a) Date (MM-DD-YYYY)	(b) Amount paid by employer(s)	(c) Amount paid by employees	
<b>Totals ▶</b>			<b>18(b)</b>	0	<b>18(c)</b>	0

**19** Discounted employer contributions – see instructions for small plan with a valuation date after the beginning of the year:

<b>a</b> Contributions allocated toward unpaid minimum required contributions from prior years .....	<b>19a</b>	
<b>b</b> Contributions made to avoid restrictions adjusted to valuation date .....	<b>19b</b>	
<b>c</b> Contributions allocated toward minimum required contribution for current year adjusted to valuation date .....	<b>19c</b>	

**20** Quarterly contributions and liquidity shortfalls:

**a** Did the plan have a "funding shortfall" for the prior year? .....  Yes  No

**b** If line 20a is "Yes," were required quarterly installments for the current year made in a timely manner? .....  Yes  No

**c** If line 20a is "Yes," see instructions and complete the following table as applicable:

Liquidity shortfall as of end of quarter of this plan year			
(1) 1st	(2) 2nd	(3) 3rd	(4) 4th

**Part V Assumptions Used to Determine Funding Target and Target Normal Cost**

<b>21</b> Discount rate:				
<b>a</b> Segment rates:	1st segment: 4.75 %	2nd segment: 4.96 %	3rd segment: 5.59 %	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A, full yield curve used
<b>b</b> Applicable month (enter code) .....				<b>21b</b> 0
<b>22</b> Weighted average retirement age .....				<b>22</b> 63
<b>23</b> Mortality table(s) (see instructions)	<input type="checkbox"/> Prescribed - combined	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Prescribed - separate	<input type="checkbox"/> Substitute	

**Part VI Miscellaneous Items**

<b>24</b> Has a change been made in the non-prescribed actuarial assumptions for the current plan year? If "Yes," see instructions regarding required attachment.....	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
<b>25</b> Has a method change been made for the current plan year? If "Yes," see instructions regarding required attachment.....	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
<b>26</b> Demographic and benefit information		
<b>a</b> Is the plan required to provide a Schedule of Active Participants? If "Yes," see instructions regarding required attachment.....	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
<b>b</b> Is the plan required to provide a projection of expected benefit payments? If "Yes," see instructions regarding required attachment ...	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
<b>27</b> If the plan is subject to alternative funding rules, enter applicable code and see instructions regarding attachment.....	<b>27</b>	

**Part VII Reconciliation of Unpaid Minimum Required Contributions For Prior Years**

<b>28</b> Unpaid minimum required contributions for all prior years .....	<b>28</b>	0
<b>29</b> Discounted employer contributions allocated toward unpaid minimum required contributions from prior years (line 19a).....	<b>29</b>	
<b>30</b> Remaining amount of unpaid minimum required contributions (line 28 minus line 29).....	<b>30</b>	0

**Part VIII Minimum Required Contribution For Current Year**

<b>31</b> Target normal cost and excess assets (see instructions):			
<b>a</b> Target normal cost (line 6c) .....	<b>31a</b>	75943	
<b>b</b> Excess assets, if applicable, but not greater than line 31a .....	<b>31b</b>	75943	
<b>32</b> Amortization installments:	Outstanding Balance	Installment	
<b>a</b> Net shortfall amortization installment .....			
<b>b</b> Waiver amortization installment.....			
<b>33</b> If a waiver has been approved for this plan year, enter the date of the ruling letter granting the approval (Month _____ Day _____ Year _____) and the waived amount .....	<b>33</b>		
<b>34</b> Total funding requirement before reflecting carryover/prefunding balances (lines 31a - 31b + 32a + 32b - 33).....	<b>34</b>	0	
	Carryover balance	Prefunding balance	Total balance
<b>35</b> Balances elected for use to offset funding requirement .....			0
<b>36</b> Additional cash requirement (line 34 minus line 35) .....	<b>36</b>	0	
<b>37</b> Contributions allocated toward minimum required contribution for current year adjusted to valuation date (line 19c) .....	<b>37</b>		
<b>38</b> Present value of excess contributions for current year (see instructions)			
<b>a</b> Total (excess, if any, of line 37 over line 36)	<b>38a</b>	0	
<b>b</b> Portion included in line 38a attributable to use of prefunding and funding standard carryover balances.....	<b>38b</b>		
<b>39</b> Unpaid minimum required contribution for current year (excess, if any, of line 36 over line 37) .....	<b>39</b>	0	
<b>40</b> Unpaid minimum required contributions for all years .....	<b>40</b>	0	

**Part IX Pension Funding Relief Under the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (See Instructions)**

<b>41</b> If an election was made to use the extended amortization rule for a plan year beginning on or before December 31, 2021, check the box to indicate the first plan year for which the rule applies. <input type="checkbox"/> 2019 <input type="checkbox"/> 2020 <input type="checkbox"/> 2021
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<b>SCHEDULE D</b> <b>(Form 5500)</b>  <small>Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service</small>  <small>Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration</small>	<b>DFE/Participating Plan Information</b>  This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).  <b>▶ File as an attachment to Form 5500.</b>	<small>OMB No. 1210-0110</small>  <b>2024</b>  <b>This Form is Open to Public Inspection.</b>
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<b>A</b> Name of plan <u>RETIREMENT PLAN FOR EMPLOYEES OF TOPSOE, INC.</u>	<b>B</b> Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶	<u>001</u>
<b>C</b> Plan or DFE sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 <u>TOPSOE, INC.</u>	<b>D</b> Employer Identification Number (EIN) <u>13-1943844</u>	

<b>Part I</b>	<b>Information on interests in MTIAs, CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs (to be completed by plans and DFEs)</b> (Complete as many entries as needed to report all interests in DFEs)
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<b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: <u>NT COLLECTIVE EAFE INDEX FUND</u>		
<b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <u>NORTHERN TRUST INVESTMENTS</u>		
<b>c</b> EIN-PN <u>45-6138589-017</u>	<b>d</b> Entity code <u>C</u>	<b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <u>931626</u>
<b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: <u>NT COLLECTIVE RUSSELL 1000 INDEX L</u>		
<b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <u>NORTHERN TRUST COMPANY</u>		
<b>c</b> EIN-PN <u>45-6138589-006</u>	<b>d</b> Entity code <u>C</u>	<b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <u>2555020</u>
<b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: <u>NT COLLECTIVE SHORT TERM INVT FUND</u>		
<b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <u>NORTHERN TRUST INVESTMENTS</u>		
<b>c</b> EIN-PN <u>06-6275604-004</u>	<b>d</b> Entity code <u>C</u>	<b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <u>4020864</u>
<b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: <u>NT COLLECTIVE S&amp;P 400 INDEX FUND NL</u>		
<b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <u>NORTHERN TRUST COMPANY</u>		
<b>c</b> EIN-PN <u>45-6138589-004</u>	<b>d</b> Entity code <u>C</u>	<b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <u>630251</u>
<b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:		
<b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):		
<b>c</b> EIN-PN	<b>d</b> Entity code	<b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)
<b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:		
<b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):		
<b>c</b> EIN-PN	<b>d</b> Entity code	<b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)
<b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:		
<b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):		
<b>c</b> EIN-PN	<b>d</b> Entity code	<b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)





**SCHEDULE H  
(Form 5500)**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

Department of Labor  
Employee Benefits Security Administration  
Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation

**Financial Information**

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OMB No. 1210-0110

**2024**

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<b>A</b> Name of plan RETIREMENT PLAN FOR EMPLOYEES OF TOPSOE, INC.	<b>B</b> Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶	001
<b>C</b> Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 TOPSOE, INC.	<b>D</b> Employer Identification Number (EIN) 13-1943844	

**Part I Asset and Liability Statement**

**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.

<b>Assets</b>		<b>(a) Beginning of Year</b>	<b>(b) End of Year</b>
<b>a</b> Total noninterest-bearing cash .....	<b>1a</b>		
<b>b</b> Receivables (less allowance for doubtful accounts):			
<b>(1)</b> Employer contributions .....	<b>1b(1)</b>	0	0
<b>(2)</b> Participant contributions .....	<b>1b(2)</b>		
<b>(3)</b> Other .....	<b>1b(3)</b>		
<b>c</b> General investments:			
<b>(1)</b> Interest-bearing cash (include money market accounts & certificates of deposit) .....	<b>1c(1)</b>		
<b>(2)</b> U.S. Government securities .....	<b>1c(2)</b>		
<b>(3)</b> Corporate debt instruments (other than employer securities):			
<b>(A)</b> Preferred .....	<b>1c(3)(A)</b>		
<b>(B)</b> All other .....	<b>1c(3)(B)</b>		
<b>(4)</b> Corporate stocks (other than employer securities):			
<b>(A)</b> Preferred .....	<b>1c(4)(A)</b>		
<b>(B)</b> Common .....	<b>1c(4)(B)</b>		
<b>(5)</b> Partnership/joint venture interests .....	<b>1c(5)</b>		
<b>(6)</b> Real estate (other than employer real property) .....	<b>1c(6)</b>		
<b>(7)</b> Loans (other than to participants) .....	<b>1c(7)</b>		
<b>(8)</b> Participant loans .....	<b>1c(8)</b>		
<b>(9)</b> Value of interest in common/collective trusts .....	<b>1c(9)</b>	21774409	8137761
<b>(10)</b> Value of interest in pooled separate accounts .....	<b>1c(10)</b>		
<b>(11)</b> Value of interest in master trust investment accounts .....	<b>1c(11)</b>		
<b>(12)</b> Value of interest in 103-12 investment entities .....	<b>1c(12)</b>		
<b>(13)</b> Value of interest in registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds) .....	<b>1c(13)</b>	10513813	25076647
<b>(14)</b> Value of funds held in insurance company general account (unallocated contracts) .....	<b>1c(14)</b>		
<b>(15)</b> Other .....	<b>1c(15)</b>		

<b>1d</b> Employer-related investments:		(a) Beginning of Year	(b) End of Year
(1) Employer securities.....	<b>1d(1)</b>		
(2) Employer real property.....	<b>1d(2)</b>		
<b>e</b> Buildings and other property used in plan operation.....	<b>1e</b>		
<b>f</b> Total assets (add all amounts in lines 1a through 1e).....	<b>1f</b>	32288222	33214408
<b>Liabilities</b>			
<b>g</b> Benefit claims payable.....	<b>1g</b>		
<b>h</b> Operating payables.....	<b>1h</b>		
<b>i</b> Acquisition indebtedness.....	<b>1i</b>		
<b>j</b> Other liabilities.....	<b>1j</b>		
<b>k</b> Total liabilities (add all amounts in lines 1g through 1j).....	<b>1k</b>	0	0
<b>Net Assets</b>			
<b>l</b> Net assets (subtract line 1k from line 1f).....	<b>1l</b>	32288222	33214408

**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.

<b>Income</b>		(a) Amount	(b) Total
<b>a Contributions:</b>			
(1) Received or receivable in cash from: <b>(A)</b> Employers.....	<b>2a(1)(A)</b>		
<b>(B)</b> Participants.....	<b>2a(1)(B)</b>		
<b>(C)</b> Others (including rollovers).....	<b>2a(1)(C)</b>		
(2) Noncash contributions.....	<b>2a(2)</b>		
(3) Total contributions. Add lines <b>2a(1)(A)</b> , <b>(B)</b> , <b>(C)</b> , and line <b>2a(2)</b> .....	<b>2a(3)</b>		0
<b>b Earnings on investments:</b>			
<b>(1) Interest:</b>			
<b>(A)</b> Interest-bearing cash (including money market accounts and certificates of deposit).....	<b>2b(1)(A)</b>		
<b>(B)</b> U.S. Government securities.....	<b>2b(1)(B)</b>		
<b>(C)</b> Corporate debt instruments.....	<b>2b(1)(C)</b>		
<b>(D)</b> Loans (other than to participants).....	<b>2b(1)(D)</b>		
<b>(E)</b> Participant loans.....	<b>2b(1)(E)</b>		
<b>(F)</b> Other.....	<b>2b(1)(F)</b>		
<b>(G)</b> Total interest. Add lines <b>2b(1)(A)</b> through <b>(F)</b> .....	<b>2b(1)(G)</b>		0
<b>(2) Dividends:</b>			
<b>(A)</b> Preferred stock.....	<b>2b(2)(A)</b>		
<b>(B)</b> Common stock.....	<b>2b(2)(B)</b>		
<b>(C)</b> Registered investment company shares (e.g. mutual funds).....	<b>2b(2)(C)</b>	445949	
<b>(D)</b> Total dividends. Add lines <b>2b(2)(A)</b> , <b>(B)</b> , and <b>(C)</b> .....	<b>2b(2)(D)</b>		
(3) Rents.....	<b>2b(3)</b>		
<b>(4) Net gain (loss) on sale of assets:</b>			
<b>(A)</b> Aggregate proceeds.....	<b>2b(4)(A)</b>	3308941	
<b>(B)</b> Aggregate carrying amount (see instructions).....	<b>2b(4)(B)</b>		
<b>(C)</b> Subtract line <b>2b(4)(B)</b> from line <b>2b(4)(A)</b> and enter result.....	<b>2b(4)(C)</b>		
<b>(5) Unrealized appreciation (depreciation) of assets:</b>			
<b>(A)</b> Real estate.....	<b>2b(5)(A)</b>		
<b>(B)</b> Other.....	<b>2b(5)(B)</b>		
<b>(C)</b> Total unrealized appreciation of assets. Add lines <b>2b(5)(A)</b> and <b>(B)</b> .....	<b>2b(5)(C)</b>		

		(a) Amount	(b) Total
(6) Net investment gain (loss) from common/collective trusts .....	<b>2b(6)</b>		
(7) Net investment gain (loss) from pooled separate accounts .....	<b>2b(7)</b>		
(8) Net investment gain (loss) from master trust investment accounts .....	<b>2b(8)</b>		
(9) Net investment gain (loss) from 103-12 investment entities .....	<b>2b(9)</b>		
(10) Net investment gain (loss) from registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds) .....	<b>2b(10)</b>		
<b>c</b> Other income .....	<b>2c</b>		
<b>d</b> Total income. Add all <b>income</b> amounts in column (b) and enter total.....	<b>2d</b>		3754890

**Expenses**

<b>e</b> Benefit payment and payments to provide benefits:			
(1) Directly to participants or beneficiaries, including direct rollovers.....	<b>2e(1)</b>	2828704	
(2) To insurance carriers for the provision of benefits .....	<b>2e(2)</b>		
(3) Other.....	<b>2e(3)</b>		
(4) Total benefit payments. Add lines <b>2e(1)</b> through <b>(3)</b> .....	<b>2e(4)</b>		2828704
<b>f</b> Corrective distributions (see instructions) .....	<b>2f</b>		
<b>g</b> Certain deemed distributions of participant loans (see instructions).....	<b>2g</b>		
<b>h</b> Interest expense.....	<b>2h</b>		
<b>i</b> Administrative expenses:			
(1) Salaries and allowances .....	<b>2i(1)</b>		
(2) Contract administrator fees .....	<b>2i(2)</b>		
(3) Recordkeeping fees .....	<b>2i(3)</b>		
(4) IQPA audit fees .....	<b>2i(4)</b>		
(5) Investment advisory and investment management fees .....	<b>2i(5)</b>		
(6) Bank or trust company trustee/custodial fees .....	<b>2i(6)</b>		
(7) Actuarial fees .....	<b>2i(7)</b>		
(8) Legal fees .....	<b>2i(8)</b>		
(9) Valuation/appraisal fees .....	<b>2i(9)</b>		
(10) Other trustee fees and expenses .....	<b>2i(10)</b>		
(11) Other expenses.....	<b>2i(11)</b>		
(12) Total administrative expenses. Add lines <b>2i(1)</b> through <b>(11)</b> .....	<b>2i(12)</b>		0
<b>j</b> Total expenses. Add all <b>expense</b> amounts in column (b) and enter total.....	<b>2j</b>		2828704

**Net Income and Reconciliation**

<b>k</b> Net income (loss). Subtract line <b>2j</b> from line <b>2d</b> .....	<b>2k</b>		926186
<b>l</b> Transfers of assets:			
(1) To this plan.....	<b>2l(1)</b>		
(2) From this plan .....	<b>2l(2)</b>		

**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: **HAM, LANGSTON & BREZINA, LLP**

(2) EIN: **76-0448495**

**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
<b>a</b> Was there a failure to transmit to the plan any participant contributions within the time period described in 29 CFR 2510.3-102? Continue to answer "Yes" for any prior year failures until fully corrected. (See instructions and DOL's Voluntary Fiduciary Correction Program.)		X	
<b>b</b> Were any loans by the plan or fixed income obligations due the plan in default as of the close of the plan year or classified during the year as uncollectible? Disregard participant loans secured by participant's account balance. (Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part I if "Yes" is checked.)		X	
<b>c</b> Were any leases to which the plan was a party in default or classified during the year as uncollectible? (Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part II if "Yes" is checked.)		X	
<b>d</b> Were there any nonexempt transactions with any party-in-interest? (Do not include transactions reported on line 4a. Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part III if "Yes" is checked.)		X	
<b>e</b> Was this plan covered by a fidelity bond?	X		500000
<b>f</b> Did the plan have a loss, whether or not reimbursed by the plan's fidelity bond, that was caused by fraud or dishonesty?		X	
<b>g</b> Did the plan hold any assets whose current value was neither readily determinable on an established market nor set by an independent third party appraiser?		X	
<b>h</b> Did the plan receive any noncash contributions whose value was neither readily determinable on an established market nor set by an independent third party appraiser?		X	
<b>i</b> Did the plan have assets held for investment? (Attach schedule(s) of assets if "Yes" is checked, and see instructions for format requirements.)	X		
<b>j</b> Were any plan transactions or series of transactions in excess of 5% of the current value of plan assets? (Attach schedule of transactions if "Yes" is checked and see instructions for format requirements.)	X		
<b>k</b> Were all the plan assets either distributed to participants or beneficiaries, transferred to another plan, or brought under the control of the PBGC?		X	
<b>l</b> Has the plan failed to provide any benefit when due under the plan?		X	
<b>m</b> If this is an individual account plan, was there a blackout period? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-3.)			
<b>n</b> If 4m was answered "Yes," check the "Yes" box if you either provided the required notice or one of the exceptions to providing the notice applied under 29 CFR 2520.101-3.			

**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.)

<b>5b(1)</b> Name of plan(s)	<b>5b(2)</b> EIN(s)	<b>5b(3)</b> 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 549095.

<b>SCHEDULE R</b> <b>(Form 5500)</b>  <small>Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service</small>  <small>Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration</small>  <small>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation</small>	<b>Retirement Plan Information</b>  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).  <b>▶ File as an attachment to Form 5500.</b>	<small>OMB No. 1210-0110</small>  <b>2024</b>  <b>This Form is Open to Public Inspection.</b>
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For calendar plan year 2024 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2024 and ending 12/31/2024

<b>A</b> Name of plan <u>RETIREMENT PLAN FOR EMPLOYEES OF TOPSOE, INC.</u>	<b>B</b> Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶	<u>001</u>
<b>C</b> Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 <u>TOPSOE, INC.</u>	<b>D</b> Employer Identification Number (EIN) <u>13-1943844</u>	

<b>Part I</b>	<b>Distributions</b>
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**All references to distributions relate only to payments of benefits during the plan year.**

<b>1</b> Total value of distributions paid in property other than in cash or the forms of property specified in the instructions.....	1	0
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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): 06-0275604

**Profit-sharing plans, ESOPs, and stock bonus plans, skip line 3.**

<b>3</b> Number of participants (living or deceased) whose benefits were distributed in a single sum, during the plan year .....	3	4
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<b>Part II</b>	<b>Funding Information</b> (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.**

<b>6 a</b> Enter the minimum required contribution for this plan year (include any prior year accumulated funding deficiency not waived) .....	6a	
<b>b</b> Enter the amount contributed by the employer to the plan for this plan year .....	6b	
<b>c</b> 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

<b>Part III</b>	<b>Amendments</b>
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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

<b>Part IV</b>	<b>ESOPs</b> (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:

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

**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:

<b>a</b> The corresponding number for the plan year immediately preceding the current plan year .....	<b>15a</b>	
<b>b</b> The corresponding number for the second preceding plan year .....	<b>15b</b>	

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

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

**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 \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ (MM/DD/YYYY) and the Opinion Letter serial number \_\_\_\_\_.

**RETIREMENT PLAN FOR EMPLOYEES OF  
HALDOR TOPSOE, INC.**

**FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SCHEDULES  
WITH INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT  
As of and for the Years Ended December 31, 2024 and 2023**

**RETIREMENT PLAN FOR EMPLOYEES OF HALDOR TOPSOE, INC.  
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## **INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT**

To the Participants and Administrator of the  
Retirement Plan for Employees of Haldor Topsoe, Inc.:

### **Scope and Nature of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) Audits**

We have performed audits of the financial statements of the Retirement Plan for Employees of Haldor Topsoe, Inc. (the "Plan"), an employee benefit plan subject to the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 ("ERISA"), as permitted by ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) ("ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit"). The financial statements comprise the statements of net assets available for benefits as of December 31, 2024 and 2023, and the related statements of changes in net assets available for benefits for the years then ended, and the statements of accumulated plan benefits as of December 31, 2024 and 2023, and the related statements of changes in accumulated plan benefits for the years then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

Management, having determined it is permissible in the circumstances, has elected to have the audits of the 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 ("DOL") 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 DOL's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA ("qualified institution").

Management has obtained a certification from a qualified institution as of and for the years ended December 31, 2024 and 2023, stating that the certified investment information, as described in Note 4 to the financial statements, is complete and accurate.

### **Opinion**

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

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

### **Basis for Opinion**

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

## **INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT, CONTINUED**

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

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

In preparing the financial statements, management is required to evaluate whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the Plan's ability to continue as a going concern within one year after the date that the financial statements are issued or 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 of the Financial Statements section of our report, our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with GAAS will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Misstatements are considered material if, there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, they would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user based on the financial statements.

In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS, we:

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

Our audits did not extend to the certified investment information, except for obtaining and reading the certification, comparing the certified investment information with the related information presented and disclosed in the financial statements, and reading the disclosures relating to the certified investment information to assess whether they are in accordance with the presentation and disclosure requirements of U.S. GAAP.

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 U.S. GAAP.

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.

## INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT, CONTINUED

### **Other Matters - Supplemental Schedules Required by ERISA**

The supplemental schedules, *Schedule H, Line 4i – Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year)* as of December 31, 2024 and *Schedule H, Line 4j – Schedule of Reportable Transactions* for the Year Ended December 31, 2024, are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the financial statements but are supplementary information required by the DOL'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 GAAS. 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 DOL'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, are presented, in all material respects, in conformity with the DOL'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).

*Hamm, Langston + Bregina, LLP*

Houston, Texas  
September 26, 2025

**RETIREMENT PLAN FOR EMPLOYEES OF HALDOR TOPSOE, INC.**  
**STATEMENTS OF NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS**  
**DECEMBER 31, 2024 AND 2023**

	<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>
Assets:		
Investments, at fair value (See Notes 2 and 3)	\$ 33,214,408	\$ 32,288,222
Net assets available for benefits	<u>\$ 33,214,408</u>	<u>\$ 32,288,222</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

**RETIREMENT PLAN FOR EMPLOYEES OF HALDOR TOPSOE, INC.  
STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS  
FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2024 AND 2023**

	<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>
Investment income:		
Dividend and interest income	\$ 445,949	\$ 469,493
Net appreciation in fair value of investments (See Note 2)	<u>3,308,941</u>	<u>3,792,737</u>
Total investment income	<u>3,754,890</u>	<u>4,262,230</u>
Total additions	<u>3,754,890</u>	<u>4,262,230</u>
Deductions from net assets attributed to:		
Benefits paid to participants	<u>2,828,704</u>	<u>2,569,243</u>
Total deductions	<u>2,828,704</u>	<u>2,569,243</u>
Net increase in net assets available for benefits	926,186	1,692,987
Net assets available for benefits at beginning of year	<u>32,288,222</u>	<u>30,595,235</u>
Net assets available for benefits at end of year	<u>\$ 33,214,408</u>	<u>\$ 32,288,222</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

**RETIREMENT PLAN FOR EMPLOYEES OF HALDOR TOPSOE, INC.**  
**STATEMENTS OF ACCUMULATED PLAN BENEFITS**  
**DECEMBER 31, 2024 AND 2023**

	<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>
Actuarial present value of vested benefits:		
Participants currently receiving payments	\$ 11,008,688	\$ 10,090,971
Terminated vested participants	4,988,802	3,674,021
Other participants	<u>4,373,895</u>	<u>6,008,613</u>
Total vested benefits	<u>20,371,385</u>	<u>19,773,605</u>
Total actuarial present value of accumulated plan benefits	<u>\$ 20,371,385</u>	<u>\$ 19,773,605</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

**RETIREMENT PLAN FOR EMPLOYEES OF HALDOR TOPSOE, INC.**  
**STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN ACCUMULATED PLAN BENEFITS**  
**FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2024 AND 2023**

	<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>
Actuarial present value of accumulated plan benefits at beginning of period	\$ 19,773,605	\$ 20,127,313
Increase (decrease) during the year attributable to:		
Benefits paid	(2,828,704)	(2,569,243)
Benefits accumulated	68,435	97,167
Increase for interest due to decrease in the discount period	1,286,822	1,320,509
Actuarial (loss) gain	(1,105,530)	1,008,283
Plan amendments (See Note 6)	165,450	-
Change in actuarial assumptions	<u>3,011,307</u>	<u>(210,424)</u>
Net increase (decrease)	<u>597,780</u>	<u>(353,708)</u>
Actuarial present value of accumulated plan benefits at end of period	<u>\$ 20,371,385</u>	<u>\$ 19,773,605</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

# RETIREMENT PLAN FOR EMPLOYEES OF HALDOR TOPSOE, INC.

## NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

### 1. Description of Plan

The following description of the Retirement Plan for Employees of Haldor Topsoe, Inc. (the "Plan") provides only general information. Participants should refer to the Plan document and the Summary Plan Description for a more complete description of the Plan's provisions.

#### General

The Plan is a non-contributory defined benefit pension plan which was established on January 1, 1985, to cover all eligible employees of Haldor Topsoe, Inc. (the "Company" or "Employer"). The Plan, as amended, is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, as amended ("ERISA").

The Plan has been frozen to new participants. Effective April 1, 2017, the Plan was amended, whereby, participants shall receive one year of credited service for the 2017 Plan year, upon completion of 380 hours of employment.

Effective January 1, 2018, the Plan was amended, in conjunction with the Deferred Salary Plan for Employees of Haldor Topsoe, Inc. ("Deferred Salary Plan") to transfer highly compensated participants out of the Plan and into the Deferred Salary Plan. Highly compensated participants are not eligible to participate in the Plan.

Effective December 31, 2024, the Plan was further amended to freeze all future benefit accruals for all remaining participants. Accordingly, as of this date, participants ceased to earn additional benefits. See Note 6, Plan Termination, for further details regarding the plan freeze and expected termination of the Plan.

#### Administration

The Company administers the Plan. The trustee for the Plan's assets is Northern Trust Company (the "Trustee"). The Plan's actuary is Milliman, Inc.

#### Funding Policy

The Company's funding policy is to contribute such amounts as are necessary, on an actuarial basis, to provide the Plan with assets sufficient to meet the benefits to be paid to participants and their beneficiaries. The contributions to the Plan are based on the limitations of maximum and minimum tax-deductible deposits certified by the actuary. Interest earned on investments and net appreciation (depreciation) in investments serves to reduce future contributions. During the years ended December 31, 2024 and 2023, the Company made no contributions to the Plan. The Plan is currently in compliance with the ERISA minimum funding requirements. After applying credit balances, there were no minimum contributions required for 2024 and 2023.

#### Benefits

Participant benefits are determined based on average annual earnings, years of credited service and age at retirement. Normal retirement age under the Plan is 65; however, participants may retire at an earlier age and receive a reduced benefit, if they have completed at least 15 years of service and attained age 55. Participants with five or more years of service who terminate prior to retirement are eligible to receive deferred vested benefits once they reach retirement age. In addition, a surviving spouse of a vested participant may be eligible for death benefits pursuant to provisions of the Plan. The Plan provides for lump sum benefit payments, as well as alternative benefit options, including joint and survivor annuity options with several percentage options for the survivor benefit as well as several annuity options.

#### Vesting

A participant becomes fully vested in his or her Plan benefits after five years of credited service. Prior to completion of the five-year vesting period, a participant is non-vested.

### 2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

#### Basis of Accounting

The financial statements of the Plan have been prepared on the accrual basis of accounting in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("U.S. GAAP").

# RETIREMENT PLAN FOR EMPLOYEES OF HALDOR TOPSOE, INC.

## NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

### 2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies, continued

#### Use of Estimates

The preparation of the Plan's financial statements in conformity with U.S. GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of net assets available for benefits and changes therein, and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities. Because of inherent uncertainties in this process, actual results could differ from those estimates.

#### Risks and Uncertainties

The Plan provides for various investment options. These investment options are exposed to various risks, such as interest rate, market, and credit risks. Due to the level of risk associated with certain investment securities, it is at least reasonably possible that changes in the values of investment securities will occur in the near term and that such changes could materially affect the amounts reported in the Statements of Net Assets Available for Benefits and the Statements of Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits.

Plan contributions are made, and the actuarial present value of accumulated plan benefits are reported based on certain assumptions pertaining to interest rates, inflation rates and employee demographics, all of which are subject to change. Due to uncertainties inherent in the estimations and assumptions process, it is at least reasonably possible that changes in these estimates and assumptions in the near term will be material to the financial statements.

#### Investment Valuation and Income Recognition

The Plan's investments are reported at fair value. Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. See Note 3 for discussion of fair value measurements.

Net appreciation (depreciation) in fair value of investments includes realized gains and losses on investments sold during the year and unrealized appreciation (depreciation) of investments held at the end of the year. Purchases and sales of securities are recorded on a trade-date basis. Interest income is recorded on the accrual basis. Dividends are recorded on the ex-dividend date.

#### Benefit Payments

Benefit payments are recorded when paid.

#### Administrative Expenses

Certain expenses of maintaining the Plan are paid by the Plan, unless otherwise paid by the Company. Expenses that are paid by the Company are excluded from these financial statements. Investment related expenses are included in the net appreciation (depreciation) in fair value of investments. Certain expenses incurred in connection with the general administration of the Plan that are paid by the Plan are recorded as deductions in the accompanying statements of changes in net assets available for benefits. During the years ended December 31, 2024 and 2023, the Company absorbed substantially all administrative expenses on behalf of the Plan.

#### Actuarial Present Value of Accumulated Plan Benefits

Accumulated plan benefits are those future periodic payments, including lump-sum distributions that are attributable under the Plan's provisions to the service employees have rendered. Accumulated plan benefits include benefits expected to be paid to (a) retired or terminated employees or their beneficiaries, (b) beneficiaries of employees who have died, and (c) present employees or their beneficiaries. The accumulated benefits for active participants are based on the compensation which they have earned during their years of service. Benefits payable under all circumstances – retirement, death, disability, and termination of employment – are included, to the extent they are deemed attributable to employee service rendered to the valuation date. Benefits to be provided via annuity contracts excluded from plan assets are excluded from accumulated plan benefits.

The present value of accumulated vested benefits (benefits to which participants are entitled, regardless of future service with the Company) under the Plan were calculated by consulting actuaries. Changes in the actuarial assumptions resulted in an increase to the accumulated plan benefits of \$3,011,307 in 2024 and a decrease of \$210,424 in 2023. The significant increase in 2024 was primarily attributable to a decrease in the discount rate from 7.00% to 5.08%, while other key assumptions, such as the mortality basis, remained consistent for both years.

# RETIREMENT PLAN FOR EMPLOYEES OF HALDOR TOPSOE, INC.

## NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

### 2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies, continued

#### Actuarial Present Value of Accumulated Plan Benefits, continued

The more significant assumptions underlying the actuarial computations as of December 31, 2024 and 2023 are as follows:

Investment return rate	5.08% (2024) and 7.00% (2023)																
Mortality basis	2024 and 2023: Pri-2012 Private Retirement Plans Mortality Tables projected with Mortality Improvement Scale MP-2021, with employee rates before commencement and retiree rates after commencement (adopted December 31, 2021). Separate tables are used for contingent survivors and disabled retirees. As a generational table, it reflects mortality improvements both before and after the measurement date.																
Retirement age	Participants are assumed to retire in accordance with the following schedule:																
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Asset valuation	Fair market value																
Lump sum option	100%																

The foregoing actuarial assumptions are based on the presumption that the Plan will continue. Were the Plan to terminate, different actuarial assumptions and other factors might be applicable in determining the actuarial present value of accumulated plan benefits.

### 3. Fair Value Measurements

The Financial Accounting Standards Board Accounting Standards Codification Topic 820 ("ASC 820") establishes a framework for measuring fair value. That framework provides a fair value hierarchy that prioritizes the inputs to valuation techniques used to measure fair value. The hierarchy gives the highest priority to unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (Level 1) and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (Level 3). The three levels of the fair value hierarchy under ASC 820 are described below:

- Level 1** Inputs to the valuation methodology are unadjusted quoted prices for identical assets or liabilities in active markets that the Plan has the ability to access at the measurement date.
- Level 2** Inputs to the valuation methodology include:
- Quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities in active markets;
  - Quoted prices for identical or similar assets or liabilities in inactive markets;
  - Inputs other than quoted prices that are observable for the asset or liability;
  - Inputs that are derived principally from or corroborated by observable market data by correlation or other means.

**RETIREMENT PLAN FOR EMPLOYEES OF HALDOR TOPSOE, INC.**  
**NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

**3. Fair Value Measurements, continued**

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

**Level 3** Inputs to the valuation methodology are unobservable and significant to the fair value measurement and reflect the reporting entity's estimates of the assumptions that market participants would use in pricing the asset or liability, including risk assumption.

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

In determining fair value, the Plan uses the market approach, which uses prices and other relevant data based on market transactions involving identical or comparable assets and liabilities.

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

*Mutual funds:* Valued at the daily closing price as reported by the fund. Mutual funds held by the Plan are open-end mutual funds that are registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission. These funds are required to publish their daily net asset value ("NAV") and to transact at that price. The mutual funds held by the Plan are deemed to be actively traded.

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

The methods described above may produce 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.

The following tables set forth by level, within the fair value hierarchy, the Plan's investments at fair value as of December 31, 2024 and 2023:

	<b>Investments at Fair Value as of December 31, 2024</b>			
	<b>Level 1</b>	<b>Level 2</b>	<b>Level 3</b>	<b>Total</b>
Mutual funds	<u>\$ 25,076,647</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 25,076,647</u>
Investments measured at NAV <sup>(a)</sup>				<u>8,137,761</u>
Total investments at fair value				<u>\$ 33,214,408</u>
	<b>Investments at Fair Value as of December 31, 2023</b>			
	<b>Level 1</b>	<b>Level 2</b>	<b>Level 3</b>	<b>Total</b>
Mutual funds	<u>\$ 10,513,813</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 10,513,813</u>
Investments measured at NAV <sup>(a)</sup>				<u>21,774,409</u>
Total investments at fair value				<u>\$ 32,288,222</u>

(a) In accordance with ASC 820, certain investments that were measured at NAV per share (or its equivalent) as a practical expedient have not been classified in the fair value hierarchy. The fair value amounts presented in this table are intended to permit reconciliation of the fair value hierarchy to the line items presented in the Statements of Net Assets Available for Benefits.

**RETIREMENT PLAN FOR EMPLOYEES OF HALDOR TOPSOE, INC.  
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

**3. Fair Value Measurements, continued**

**Fair Value of Investments in Entities That Use NAV**

The following tables summarize investments measured at fair value based on the NAV per share as of December 31, 2024 and 2023:

<u>Investment</u>	<u>Fair Value December 31,</u>		<u>Unfunded</u>	<u>Redemption</u>	<u>Redemption</u>
	<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>	<u>Commitment</u>	<u>Frequency (if currently eligible)</u>	<u>Notice Period</u>
<i>Common/Collective trusts:</i>					
NT Collective Short-Term Investment Fund	\$ 4,020,864	\$ 279,554	N/A	Daily	None
NT Collective Russell 1000 Index Fund Non-Lending	2,555,020	9,038,201	N/A	Daily	None
NT Collective EAFE Index Fund Non-Lending	931,626	6,363,220	N/A	Daily	None
NT Collective S&P 400 Equity Index Fund Non-Lending	630,251	809,826	N/A	Daily	None
NT Collective Aggregate Bond Index Fund Non-Lending	-	2,840,650	N/A	Daily	None
NT Collective Emerging Markets Fund Non-Lending	-	2,442,958	N/A	Daily	None
Total investments at NAV	<u>\$ 8,137,761</u>	<u>\$ 21,774,409</u>			

**4. Information Certified by the Trustee (Unaudited)**

The Plan administrator has elected the method of annual reporting and compliance permitted by 29 CFR 2520.103-8 of the DOL's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. Accordingly, certain information related to investments disclosed in the accompanying financial statements and supplemental schedules, including investments held at December 31, 2024 and 2023, and net appreciation (depreciation) in fair value of investments and interest and dividends for the years ended December 31, 2024 and 2023, was obtained or derived from information supplied to the Plan administrator and certified as complete and accurate by the Trustee.

The Plan's independent auditor did not perform auditing procedures with respect to this information, except for comparing such information to the related information included in the financial statements and supplemental schedules.

**5. Tax Status**

The Plan received a determination letter from the IRS dated September 1, 2015, stating that the Plan is qualified under Section 401(a) of the IRC and, therefore, the related trust is exempt from taxation.

The Plan has been amended since receipt of the determination letter, however, the Plan administrator believes the Plan, as amended, is currently designed and being operated in compliance with the applicable requirements of the IRC.

U.S. GAAP requires Plan management to evaluate the tax position taken by the Plan and recognize a tax liability (or asset) if the Plan has taken an uncertain tax position that more likely than not would not be sustained upon examination by the DOL and IRS. The Plan is subject to routine audits by taxing jurisdictions; however, there are currently no audits for any tax periods in progress.

Management has analyzed the tax positions taken by the Plan and has concluded that, as of December 31, 2024 and 2023, there are no uncertain tax positions taken or expected to be taken that would require recognition of a liability (or asset) or disclosure in the financial statements.

## **RETIREMENT PLAN FOR EMPLOYEES OF HALDOR TOPSOE, INC. NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

### **6. Plan Termination**

The Plan is a defined benefit pension plan that was closed to new participants and amended to exclude highly compensated employees in prior years (see Note 1). Effective December 31, 2024, the Plan was further amended to freeze all future benefit accruals for all remaining participants. This amendment resulted in an increase of \$165,450 in the actuarial present value of accumulated plan benefits in 2024, which is attributable to the application of the Plan's late retirement provisions to a participant's frozen benefit if retirement is delayed. Subsequent to the year-end, the Plan Sponsor initiated the process to formally terminate the Plan, which is expected to be completed during 2025.

Upon termination, the Plan's assets will be allocated to satisfy all liabilities to participants and their beneficiaries in the order prescribed by the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA). As a defined benefit pension plan, the payment of certain vested benefits is guaranteed by the Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation (PBGC), subject to applicable legal limitations.

After payment of all final administrative expenses and satisfaction of all benefit liabilities of the Plan, any remaining surplus assets are designated to be transferred to the Deferred Salary Plan for Employees of Haldor Topsoe, Inc., to be used for future employer contributions.

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

The Plan invests in shares of mutual funds and collective trust funds which are issued by the Trustee, and pays certain expenses related to the maintenance of those funds to the Trustee. These transactions qualify as party-in-interest transactions, as defined by ERISA. However, such transactions are permitted under the provisions of the Plan and are exempt from the prohibition of party-in-interest transactions under ERISA.

### **8. Subsequent Events**

Plan management has evaluated subsequent events through September 26, 2025, which is the date the financial statements were available to be issued. Subsequent to the year-end, the Plan Sponsor initiated proceedings to formally terminate the Plan. This matter is described in further detail in Note 6, Plan Termination. No other subsequent events were identified that would require recognition or disclosure in the financial statements.

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This summary of plan provisions is intended to only describe the essential features of the Plan. All eligibility requirements and benefit amounts shall be determined in strict accordance with the plan document itself.

## Definitions

**Accrued Benefit:** The Accrued Benefit for each Participant is determined under the Fractional Rule and is equal to that amount which is in the same proportion to the Participant's Normal Retirement Benefit as the Participant's Years of Accrual Service completed as of the date of determination bear to the total Years of Accrual Service the Participant would complete if he were to continue to participate until his Normal Retirement Date.

**Actuarially Equivalent:** Actuarially Equivalent means a form of benefit differing in time, period and/or manner of payment from another form of benefit but having the same value when computed based upon the following interest and mortality assumptions:

Interest:	The 417(e) segments for lump sums for the month of November, currently 5.09%, 5.60%, and 5.41% per annum, compounded annually
Mortality:	Participant – 1983 Group Annuity Mortality Table for Males set back 1 year Spouse – 1983 Group Annuity Mortality Table for Females set forward 1 year

**Average Monthly Compensation:** The average of a Participant's highest five consecutive Compensation Periods during the last 10 years of employment. All fractional Compensation Periods will be taken into account.

A Participant's Excess Average Monthly Compensation is that portion, if any, of his Average Monthly Compensation which is in excess of his monthly Integration Level.

**Compensation:** Compensation reflects that compensation which is treated as FICA wages without regard to the Social Security taxable wage base. Compensation also includes any amounts which are treated as salary reduction contributions and used to purchase non-taxable benefits under Section 125 or 401(k) of the Internal Revenue Code.

In accordance with Internal Revenue Code Section 401(a)(17), annual Compensation in excess of the inflation-adjusted limit (\$345,000 for the Plan Year beginning January 1, 2024) is disregarded.

The compensation period is the 12 month period which begins each January 1 and ends each December 31.

**Plan Effective Date:** The Effective Date of the Plan is January 1, 1975.

The plan was last amended effective January 1, 2018.

**Eligible Employee Classification:** A classification of Employees, the members of which are eligible to participate in the Plan. The Plan covers all employee classifications except Leased Employees.

No employee hired after January 31, 2008 shall be eligible to participate in the Plan.

**Fiscal Year:** Fiscal Year means the taxable year of the Employer. The Fiscal Year of the Employer is the 12 month period beginning January 1 and ending December 31.

**Integration Level:** A Participant's monthly Integration Level is equal to his monthly Average Social Security Wage Base. Average Social Security Wage Base means the average (without indexing) of the social security taxable wage bases in effect for each calendar year during the 35-year period ending with the calendar year in which the Participant attains (or will attain) social security retirement age (as defined in Code Section 415(b)). In determining a Participant's Average Social Security Wage Base, the taxable wage base for the current and any subsequent Plan Year will be assumed to be equal to the taxable wage base in effect as of the first day of the Plan Year for which the determination is being made.

**Limitation Year:** The Limitation Year is the 12 month period beginning January 1 and ending December 31.

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**Monthly Social Security Benefit:** Monthly Social Security Benefit means the amount of monthly benefits which an Employee would be entitled to receive as his “primary insurance amount” determined under the provisions of the Social Security Act as in effect on the January 1<sup>st</sup> coincident with or immediately preceding the earlier of (a) his date of retirement or termination or (b) his Normal Retirement Date. Such amount will be determined assuming (a) that he has made or will make appropriate application for such benefit, (b) that no event occurs to delay or forfeit any part of such benefit, (c) that if he dies or retires (except for Disability Retirement) before his Normal Retirement Date, he will continue to receive until his Normal Retirement Date remuneration (which would be treated as taxable wages for purposes of the Social Security Act) at the same rate as at the time of retirement or death, and (d) that if he retires under the Plan on account of Disability, his Monthly Social Security Benefit will be the benefit payable if his Social Security disability insurance benefit were to be approved at the same time as his Disability Retirement Benefit.

A Participant’s Monthly Social Security Benefit will be determined based upon estimated compensation histories. The pre-separation or pre-retirement compensation history is estimated by applying a salary scale, projected backwards, to the Employee’s compensation at separation or retirement. The salary scale represents the actual change in the average wages from year to year as used by the Social Security Administration to determine earnings index factors for Social Security Average Indexed Monthly Earnings.

**One Year Break-in-Service:** A One Year Break-in-Service occurs in any Plan Year during which the Employee completes 500 or fewer Hours of Service.

**Plan Year:** The Plan Year is the 12 month period beginning January 1 and ending December 31.

**Vesting Schedule:** A Participant’s Vested Percentage will be 100% upon the completion of 5 Years of Vesting Service. Prior to the completion of 5 Years of Vesting Service, a Participant’s Vested Percentage is zero.

Notwithstanding the foregoing, in any Plan Year in which the Plan is determined to be a Top-Heavy Plan, the following Vesting Schedule will apply in lieu of the Vesting Schedule provided for above:

<u>Years of Vesting Service</u>	<u>Vested Percentage</u>
Less than 2 Years	0%
2 Years	20%
3 Years	40%
4 Years	60%
5 Years	80%
6 Years or more	100%

## Year of Service

**For Eligibility Purposes:** Years of Service for purposes of eligibility to participate in the Plan are referred to as Years of Eligibility Service and are determined using the Hours of Service Method.

A Year of Eligibility Service is credited for each Computation Period during which an Employee is credited with at least 1,000 Hours of Service. The initial Computation Period is the 12 consecutive month period beginning with the Employee’s Employment Commencement Date. Thereafter, the Computation Period is the Plan Year beginning with the Plan Year in which the initial Computation Period ends.

All of an Employee’s Years of Eligibility Service are taken into account in determining his eligibility to participate.

**For Benefit Purposes:** Years of Service for purposes of computing a Participant’s Normal Retirement Benefit are referred to as Years of Benefit Service and are determined using the Hours of Service Method.

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A Year of Benefit Service is credited for each Plan Year during which an Employee is credited with at least 1,000 Hours of Service. Only full Years of Service will be credited.

All of a Participant's Years of Benefit Service are taken into account in determining his monthly benefit except:

- Service for which the Employee was not entitled to receive Compensation;
- Service while the Employee was an employee of a related Employer which is not an Employer or a Participating Employer under this Plan;
- Service prior to the date a Transferred Employee makes the election to participate;
- Service while the Employee was not in an Eligible Employee Classification; and
- For Participant's electing not to participate in the Plan, Service after the last payroll date in May 2008.
- For all highly compensated employees, Service after December 31, 2017 or the December 31st in the year an employee becomes highly compensated.

**For Accrual Purposes:** Years of Service for purposes of computing a Participant's Accrued Benefit are referred to as Years of Accrual Service and are determined using the Hours of Service Method.

A Year of Accrual Service is credited for each Plan Year during which an Employee is credited with at least 1,000 Hours of Service. Only full Years of Service will be credited.

All of a Participant's Years of Accrual Service are taken into account in determining his monthly benefit except:

- Service for which the Employee was not entitled to receive Compensation;
- Service while the Employee was an employee of a related Employer which is not an Employer or a Participating Employer under this Plan;
- Service prior to the date a Transferred Employee makes the election to participate;
- Service while the Employee was not in an Eligible Employee Classification; and
- For Participant's electing not to participate in the Plan, Service after the last payroll date in May 2008.
- For all highly compensated employees, Service after December 31, 2017 or the December 31st in the year an employee becomes highly compensated.

**For Vesting Purposes:** Years of Service for purposes of computing a Participant's Vested Percentage are referred to as Years of Vesting Service and are determined using the Hours of Service Method.

A Year of Accrual Service is credited for each Plan Year during which an Employee is credited with at least 1,000 Hours of Service. Only full Years of Service are credited.

All of a Participant's Years of Vesting Service are taken into account in determining his Vesting Percentage.

## Participation

All nonunion employees shall be eligible to participate on the first day of the month which coincides with or next follows the attainment of age 21 and the completion of one Year of Eligibility Service. Employees hired on or after January 1, 2007 and on or before January 31, 2008 shall be eligible to participate on the first day of the month which coincides with or first follows the date the Employee attains age 21. Employees electing not to participate as of their last payroll date in May 2008 shall no longer be eligible for active participation in the plan.

No employee hired after January 31, 2008 shall be eligible to participate in the Plan.

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## Normal Retirement

**Normal Retirement Date:** A Participant's Normal Retirement Date is the first day of the month which coincides with or next follows the date on which the Participant attains Normal Retirement Age. A Participant's Normal Retirement Age is the later of age 65 and attainment of the fifth (5th) anniversary of the Participant's Employment Commencement Date.

**Normal Retirement Benefit:** Each Participant who becomes eligible for a Normal Retirement Benefit under the plan will be entitled to receive a monthly retirement pension benefit beginning at the Participant's Normal Retirement Date and payable in the Normal Benefit Form in an amount equal to:

1.1% of his Average Monthly Compensation plus 0.6% of his Excess Average Monthly Compensation, each multiplied by his Years of Benefit Service not to exceed 35 years.

In the case of a Participant hired before January 1, 1994, the greater of the above amount and 4% of his Average Monthly Compensation less 3.333% of his Monthly Social Security Benefit, each multiplied by his Years of Benefit Service, not to exceed 15 years.

In the case of a Participant who terminates after January 1, 1997, the greater of the above amounts and \$165 per month.

As of December 31, 2017, all highly compensated employees' accrued benefits were frozen.

**Normal Benefit Form:** Lifetime Pension – Monthly pension benefit payable for the lifetime of the Participant with payments terminating upon the death of the Participant.

## Early Retirement

**Early Retirement Date:** A Participant's Early Retirement Date is the first day of the month so elected by the Participant which coincides with or next follows the date upon which the Participant satisfies the following requirements:

- Attainment of age 55: and
- Completion of 15 Years of Benefit Service.

**Early Retirement Benefit:** A Participant's Early Retirement Benefit is a monthly pension benefit equal to his Accrued Benefit determined as of his Early Retirement Date, reduced by 1/180 for each of the first 60 months, by 1/360 for each of the next 60 months that his Early Retirement Date precedes his Normal Retirement Date.

## Late Retirement

**Late Retirement Date:** A Participant's Late Retirement Date is the first day of the month coincident with or next following the date he retires and requests the commencement of his Late Retirement Benefit after he has continued in the employ of the Employer beyond his Normal Retirement Date.

**Late Retirement Benefit:** A Participant's Late Retirement Benefit is equal to an amount which is based on the Normal Retirement Benefit formula using his Years of Benefit Service and Compensation through his Late Retirement Date. The Late Retirement Benefit for any Member, other than a Member who first performed an Hour of Employment on or after January 1, 1991 (January 1, 1990, in the case of a Member described in sections 414(q)(1)(A) or (B) of the Code) for Fiscal Years ending December 31, 1991 and December 31, 1992 shall not be less than the amount determined above, as if such Member retired on his Normal Retirement Date, increased 7.2% per year for each of the first five years and 3.6% per year for each year thereafter that the Annuity Starting Date follows the Normal Retirement Date.

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## Optional Benefit Forms

Optional Benefit Forms are available and equal to the Actuarial Equivalent of the Normal Benefit Form and may be in an amount more than or less than that provided by the Normal Benefit Form depending on the option selected. Such distribution may be in one or more of the following forms:

- Lifetime Pension, 5 Years Certain - monthly pension benefit payable for the lifetime of the Participant with payments guaranteed for a minimum of 5 years.
- Lifetime Pension, 10 Years Certain - monthly pension benefit payable for the lifetime of the Participant with payments guaranteed for a minimum of 10 years.
- Lifetime Pension, 15 Years Certain - monthly pension benefit payable for the lifetime of the Participant with payments guaranteed for a minimum of 15 years.
- Lifetime Pension, 20 Years Certain - monthly pension benefit payable for the lifetime of the Participant with payments guaranteed for a minimum of 20 years.
- Joint & 50% Contingent Survivor Pension - monthly pension benefit payable during the joint lifetime of the Participant and the Joint Annuitant; reduces to 50% of the original amount upon the death of the Participant.
- Joint & 2/3 Contingent Survivor Pension - monthly pension benefit payable during the joint lifetime of the Participant and the Joint Annuitant; reduces to 2/3 of the original amount upon the death of the Participant.
- Joint & 75% Contingent Survivor Pension - monthly pension benefit payable during the joint lifetime of the Participant and the Joint Annuitant; reduces to 75% of the original amount upon the death of the Participant.
- Joint & 2/3 Contingent Survivor Pension - monthly pension benefit payable during the joint lifetime of the Participant and the Joint Annuitant; reduces to 2/3 of the original amount upon the death of the Participant.
- Joint & Survivor Pension - monthly pension benefit payable for as long as either the Participant or the Joint Annuitant is alive.
- Lump Sum – in lieu of monthly payments, the present value of the benefit is paid in a single lump sum payment.

## Preretirement Death

In the event of the death of a vested Participant prior to the date that he begins to receive a monthly pension benefit under the Plan, the Participant's Surviving Spouse, if any, will be entitled to receive a monthly pension benefit equal to 100% of the monthly pension benefit which would have been payable had the Participant retired on the day before his death and elected a Joint and 100% Contingent Survivor Pension. This benefit is payable to the spouse commencing on what would have been the Participant's earliest retirement date.

## Termination Benefit

In the event of the termination of a Participant's employment for any reason other than death, disability or retirement, the Participant will become entitled to receive a monthly pension benefit commencing on his Normal Retirement Date equal to his Vested Accrued Benefit.

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**Changes in Principal Plan Provisions Since Prior Valuation**

**IRC Section 401(a)(17) compensation limit:** From \$330,000 to \$345,000, as required by statute.

**IRC Section 415(b) annual benefit limit:** From \$265,000 to \$275,000, as required by statute

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The number of active participants, summarized by attained age and years of credited service as of January 1, 2024, is shown below.

Age	Years of Credited Service										Total	
	0	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40+		
<b>0-24</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>25-29</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>30-34</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>35-39</b>	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
<b>40-44</b>	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
<b>45-49</b>	-	-	2	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
<b>50-54</b>	-	-	1	3	4	1	-	-	-	-	-	9
<b>55-59</b>	-	-	2	2	2	1	2	-	-	-	-	9
<b>60-64</b>	-	-	1	3	-	3	-	2	1	-	-	10
<b>65-69</b>	-	-	-	1	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	4
<b>70+</b>	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
<b>Total</b>	-	-	11	11	10	7	2	2	1	-	-	44

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**2024 Schedule SB, Line 22 – Description of Weighted Average Retirement Age**

The weighted average retirement age for active participants is 63. This equals the sum, over all retirement ages, of the retirement age multiplied by the probability of retiring at that age, as shown in the following table.

(a) Possible Retirement Age "r"	(b) Assumed Rate of Retirement at Age "r"	(c) Probability of Person Age 55 Still Working at "r"	(d) (b) x (c) = Probability of Person Age 55 Retiring at "r"	(e) (a) x (d) = Component of Weighted Average Retirement Age
55	0.025	1.000	0.025	1.375
56	0.025	0.975	0.024	1.365
57	0.025	0.951	0.024	1.355
58	0.025	0.927	0.023	1.344
59	0.025	0.904	0.023	1.333
60	0.050	0.881	0.044	2.643
61	0.050	0.837	0.042	2.553
62	0.250	0.795	0.199	12.323
63	0.100	0.596	0.06	3.755
64	0.100	0.537	0.054	3.437
65	0.750	0.483	0.362	23.546
66	0.250	0.121	0.03	1.997
67	0.250	0.091	0.023	1.524
68	0.250	0.068	0.017	1.156
69	0.250	0.051	0.013	0.880
70	1.000	0.038	0.038	<u>2.660</u>
Weighted Average Retirement Age:				63.245
Rounded to Nearest Age:				63

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The ultimate cost of a pension plan is the excess of actual benefits and administrative expenses paid over actual net investment return on plan assets during the plan's existence until the last payment has been made to the last participant. A plan's "actuarial cost method" determines the expected incidence of actuarial costs by allocating portions of the ultimate cost to each plan year. The cost method is thus a budgeting tool to help ensure that a plan will be adequately and systematically funded and accounted for. Annual contributions are also affected by a plan's "asset valuation method" (as well as plan provisions, actuarial assumptions, and actual plan demographic and investment experience each year).

### **Actuarial Cost Method**

The actuarial cost method used for determining the Plan's ERISA funding requirements and the FASB ASC Topic 960 values is the Unit Credit method. Under this method, an accrued benefit is determined at each active participant's assumed retirement age based on compensation and service at both the beginning and the end of the current year. The Plan's normal cost is the sum of the present value of the excess of each active participant's accrued benefit at the end of the current year over that at the beginning of the current year. The Plan's accrued liability is the sum of (a) the present value of each active participant's accrued benefit at the beginning of the current year plus (b) the present value of each inactive participant's benefits. This method is prescribed for ERISA funding requirements by the Pension Protection Act of 2006.

### **Asset Valuation Method**

The Actuarial Value of Assets used for determining the Plan's ERISA funding requirements is equal to the Market Value of Assets. The Market Value of Assets is equal to the Fair Value of Assets as of the valuation date plus the discounted value of employer contributions made after the valuation date. These contributions are discounted to the valuation date using the Effective Interest Rate for the prior plan year.

### **PBGC Variable-Rate Premium Method**

The standard method is used for the PBGC variable-rate premium calculation (adopted January 1, 2016).

### **Amortization Method**

For the Plan's ERISA funding requirements, incremental Funding Shortfall amounts are amortized over a fifteen-year period, and the related shortfall amortization payment is determined on the first valuation date following the plan year in which it arises based on the segment rates used for ERISA minimum funding purposes on that date, as prescribed under IRC Section 430.

### **ASOP 56 Modeling**

ASOP 56 provides guidance to actuaries in respect to the development and involvement of models used in their actuarial services. The signing actuary should have a limited ability either to obtain information about the model or to understand the underlying workings of the model. Certain disclaimers and disclosures are required whenever particular models or field experts are relied upon. The valuation results were developed using models intended for valuations that use standard actuarial techniques.

### **Changes in Actuarial Methods Since Prior Valuation**

None.

## **Summary of Actuarial Assumptions**

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## ECONOMIC ASSUMPTIONS

### Interest Rates

The current funding and PBGC interest rates are as follows. The funding interest rates are prescribed under IRS regulations based on the Plan Sponsor's interest rate election. The PBGC interest rates are based on the Plan Sponsor's elected method for determining the premium funding target.

	Minimum Funding	Maximum Deductible	PBGC Premium
Segment 1 (0–5 years)	4.75%	4.37%	5.01%
Segment 2 (5–20 years)	4.96%	4.96%	5.13%
Segment 3 (20+ years)	5.59%	4.95%	5.15%
Effective Interest Rate	5.15%	4.92%	5.13%

**ERISA minimum funding:** 24-month average segment rates, using no lookback, adjusted to reflect the applicable segment rate stabilization corridor.

**Maximum Deductible Contribution:** 24-month average segment rates, using no lookback, but not adjusted to reflect segment rate stabilization.

**PBGC premium:** 24-month average segment rates, using no lookback, but not adjusted to reflect segment rate stabilization. The standard method (adopted January 1, 2016) is used for the PBGC variable rate premium calculation.

**FASB ASC Topic 960:** 7.00% per year (adopted January 1, 2010). This is the assumed rate of return for the Plan's entire portfolio of assets, net of investment expenses and including assumed inflation rate of 2.31%. It is based on the Plan's investment policy, including target asset allocation, and Milliman's capital market expectations.

### Asset Returns

**ERISA minimum funding and Maximum Deductible Contribution:** 7.00% per year (adopted December 31, 2010). It is based on the Plan's investment policy, including target asset allocation, and Milliman's capital market expectations.

### Compensation Increases

3.00% per year, with increases assumed to occur at beginning of year. This assumption represents an estimate of future experience.

### Inflation (CPI)

**For max benefit and compensation:** 3.00% per year.

**For expected return on assets:** 2.31% per year.

### Postretirement Benefit Increases

None. (The Plan does not provide for automatic postretirement benefit increases.)

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### Maximum Benefit and Annual Compensation Limitation Increases

**ERISA minimum funding and Maximum Deductible Contribution:** 0% per year as required by statute.

**FASB ASC Topic 960:** The assumed inflation assumption of 3.00% per year.

### Social Security Taxable Wage Base Increases

4.50% per year.

### Administrative Expenses

None assumed payable from plan assets.

### DEMOGRAPHIC ASSUMPTIONS

Except where noted, demographic assumptions are based on the actuary's judgment and continued review of experience.

#### Mortality

**ERISA minimum funding, Maximum Deductible Contribution, and PBGC premium:** Statutory generational tables for 2024 based on Pri-2012 Mortality Table adjusted to base year 2012, with projections to anticipate greater future longevity using adjusted projection scale MP-2021, with separate rates for non-annuitants and annuitants.

**FASB ASC Topic 960:** Pri-2012 Private Retirement Plans Mortality Tables projected with Mortality Improvement Scale MP-2021, with employee rates before commencement and retiree rates after commencement (adopted December 31, 2021). Separate tables are used for contingent survivors and disabled retirees. As a generational table, it reflects mortality improvements both before and after the measurement date. The Society of Actuaries' Retirement Plans Experience Committee recommends use of the Pri-2012 tables and MP-2021 scales for valuing retirement plan liabilities.

#### Retirement

Annual rates of retirement are shown in the following table for active participants who are eligible to retire.

Age	Rate
55 - 59	2.5%
60 – 61	5.0
62	25.0
63 – 64	10.0
65	75.0
66 – 69	25.0
70+	100.0

Terminated vested participants are assumed to retire at age 65.

#### Termination

Table T-2 from the Actuary's Pension Handbook.

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### Disability

None assumed.

### Decrement Timing

Decrements are assumed to occur at the middle of the year, except that 100% retirement (see above) is assumed to occur at the beginning of the year.

### Form of Payment

**For active participants:** 100% assumed to elect a lump sum at retirement.

The current funding and accounting interest rates for determining lump sum values are as follows. The funding interest rates are prescribed under IRS regulations based on the interest rates for ERISA minimum funding, Maximum Deductible Contribution and PBGC premium, respectively. The accounting interest rates for FASB ASC Topic 960 are based on the statutory three-tier segment interest rates in effect for the second month prior to the Plan Year of distribution.

The mortality table for determining lump sum values is the statutory mortality table specified by the IRS for the Plan Year of distribution.

**For terminated vested participants:** 100% assumed to elect a single life annuity at retirement.

### Marital Characteristics

**For participants not in pay status:** 100% of participants are assumed to be married to a spouse of the opposite sex. Males are assumed to be 3 years older than females.

**For participants in pay status:** Actual birth dates of spouses are included in the census data, where relevant.

### Benefits Not Valued and Special Data Adjustments

All plan benefits are valued and there were no special data adjustments.

### Weighted Average Retirement Age

The weighted average retirement age for active participants is 63. This equals the sum, over all retirement ages, of the retirement age multiplied by the probability of retiring at that age, as shown in the following table.

(a) Possible Retirement Age "r"	(b) Assumed Rate of Retirement at Age "r"	(c) Probability of Person Age 55 Still Working at "r"	(d) (b) x (c) = Probability of Person Age 55 Retiring at "r"	(e) (a) x (d) = Component of Weighted Average Retirement Age
55	0.025	1.000	0.025	1.375
56	0.025	0.975	0.024	1.365
57	0.025	0.951	0.024	1.355
58	0.025	0.927	0.023	1.344

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59	0.025	0.904	0.023	1.333
60	0.050	0.881	0.044	2.643
61	0.050	0.837	0.042	2.553
62	0.250	0.795	0.199	12.323
63	0.100	0.596	0.06	3.755
64	0.100	0.537	0.054	3.437
65	0.750	0.483	0.362	23.546
66	0.250	0.121	0.03	1.997
67	0.250	0.091	0.023	1.524
68	0.250	0.068	0.017	1.156
69	0.250	0.051	0.013	0.880
70	1.000	0.038	0.038	<u>2.660</u>
Weighted Average Retirement Age:				63.245
Rounded to Nearest Age:				63

### CHANGES IN ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS SINCE PRIOR VALUATION

**Interest rates for ERISA minimum funding:** From 4.75%, 5.00%, and 5.74% per year, to 4.75%, 4.96%, and 5.59% per year, respectively, as required by statute.

**Interest rates for Maximum Deductible Contribution:** From 2.13%, 3.62%, and 3.93% per year to 4.37%, 4.96%, and 4.95% per year, respectively, as required by statute.

**Interest rates for PBGC (Standard Method):** From 4.84%, 5.15%, and 4.85% per year to 5.01%, 5.13%, and 5.15% per year, respectively, as required by statute.

**Mortality for ERISA minimum funding, Maximum Deductible Contribution, and PBGC premium:** From statutory tables for 2023 to statutory tables for 2024.

**Interest rates for form of payment (lump sum conversion):** Effective January 1, 2024, the interest rates used for determining lump sum values were updated to the applicable segment rates in effect for the 2 months preceding the valuation date.

**SCHEDULE SB  
(Form 5500)**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service  
Department of Labor  
Employee Benefits Security Administration  
Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation

**Single-Employer Defined Benefit Plan  
Actuarial Information**

This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) and section 6059 of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code).

▶ **File as an attachment to Form 5500 or 5500-SF.**

OMB No. 1210-0110

**2024**

**This Form is Open to Public Inspection**

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

▶ **Round off amounts to nearest dollar.**

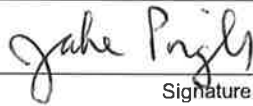
▶ **Caution:** A penalty of \$1,000 will be assessed for late filing of this report unless reasonable cause is established.

<b>A</b> Name of plan Retirement Plan for Employees of Topsoe, Inc.		<b>B</b> Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶	001
<b>C</b> Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 or 5500-SF Topsoe, Inc.		<b>D</b> Employer Identification Number (EIN) 13-1943844	
<b>E</b> Type of plan: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Single <input type="checkbox"/> Multiple-A <input type="checkbox"/> Multiple-B		<b>F</b> Prior year plan size: <input type="checkbox"/> 100 or fewer <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 101-500 <input type="checkbox"/> More than 500	

Part I Basic Information			
<b>1</b> Enter the valuation date:	Month <u>1</u>	Day <u>1</u>	Year <u>2024</u>
<b>2</b> Assets:			
<b>a</b> Market value .....	<b>2a</b>		32,288,222
<b>b</b> Actuarial value .....	<b>2b</b>		32,288,222
<b>3</b> Funding target/participant count breakdown	(1) Number of participants	(2) Vested Funding Target	(3) Total Funding Target
<b>a</b> For retired participants and beneficiaries receiving payment.....	61	11,453,028	11,453,028
<b>b</b> For terminated vested participants.....	96	4,736,039	4,736,039
<b>c</b> For active participants .....	44	6,668,215	6,670,411
<b>d</b> Total.....	201	22,857,282	22,859,478
<b>4</b> If the plan is in at-risk status, check the box and complete lines (a) and (b)..... <input type="checkbox"/>			
<b>a</b> Funding target disregarding prescribed at-risk assumptions .....	<b>4a</b>		
<b>b</b> Funding target reflecting at-risk assumptions, but disregarding transition rule for plans that have been in at-risk status for fewer than five consecutive years and disregarding loading factor .....	<b>4b</b>		
<b>5</b> Effective interest rate .....	<b>5</b>		5.15 %
<b>6</b> Target normal cost .....			
<b>a</b> Present value of current plan year accruals.....	<b>6a</b>		75,943
<b>b</b> Expected plan-related expenses .....	<b>6b</b>		0
<b>c</b> Target normal cost .....	<b>6c</b>		75,943

**Statement by Enrolled Actuary**

To the best of my knowledge, the information supplied in this schedule and accompanying schedules, statements and attachments, if any, is complete and accurate. Each prescribed assumption was applied in accordance with applicable law and regulations. In my opinion, each other assumption is reasonable (taking into account the experience of the plan and reasonable expectations) and such other assumptions, in combination, offer my best estimate of anticipated experience under the plan.

<b>SIGN HERE</b>		08/06/2025
	Signature of actuary	Date
Jake Pringle	Type or print name of actuary	23-07457
Milliman, Inc.	Firm name	Most recent enrollment number
1415 Louisiana Street Suite 500 Houston TX 77002	Address of the firm	(713) 658-8451
		Telephone number (including area code)

If the actuary has not fully reflected any regulation or ruling promulgated under the statute in completing this schedule, check the box and see instructions

For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the Instructions for Form 5500 or 5500-SF.

Schedule SB (Form 5500) 2024  
v. 240311

<b>Part II Beginning of Year Carryover and Prefunding Balances</b>		(a) Carryover balance	(b) Prefunding balance
<b>7</b>	Balance at beginning of prior year after applicable adjustments (line 13 from prior year) .....	2,088,401	0
<b>8</b>	Portion elected for use to offset prior year's funding requirement (line 35 from prior year) .....		
<b>9</b>	Amount remaining (line 7 minus line 8) .....	2,088,401	0
<b>10</b>	Interest on line 9 using prior year's actual return of <u>14.52%</u> .....	303,236	0
<b>11</b>	Prior year's excess contributions to be added to prefunding balance:		
<b>a</b>	Present value of excess contributions (line 38a from prior year) .....		0
<b>b(1)</b>	Interest on the excess, if any, of line 38a over line 38b from prior year Schedule SB, using prior year's effective interest rate of <u>5.23%</u> .....		0
<b>b(2)</b>	Interest on line 38b from prior year Schedule SB, using prior year's actual return .....		
<b>c</b>	Total available at beginning of current plan year to add to prefunding balance .....		0
<b>d</b>	Portion of (c) to be added to prefunding balance .....		
<b>12</b>	Other reductions in balances due to elections or deemed elections .....		
<b>13</b>	Balance at beginning of current year (line 9 + line 10 + line 11d - line 12) .....	2,391,637	0

<b>Part III Funding Percentages</b>			
<b>14</b>	Funding target attainment percentage .....	<b>14</b>	130.78%
<b>15</b>	Adjusted funding target attainment percentage .....	<b>15</b>	141.24%
<b>16</b>	Prior year's funding percentage for purposes of determining whether carryover/prefunding balances may be used to reduce current year's funding requirement .....	<b>16</b>	131.84%
<b>17</b>	If the current value of the assets of the plan is less than 70 percent of the funding target, enter such percentage .....	<b>17</b>	%

<b>Part IV Contributions and Liquidity Shortfalls</b>							
<b>18</b> Contributions made to the plan for the plan year by employer(s) and employees:							
(a) Date (MM-DD-YYYY)	(b) Amount paid by employer(s)	(c) Amount paid by employees	(a) Date (MM-DD-YYYY)	(b) Amount paid by employer(s)	(c) Amount paid by employees		
			<b>Totals ▶</b>	<b>18(b)</b>	0	<b>18(c)</b>	0

**19** Discounted employer contributions – see instructions for small plan with a valuation date after the beginning of the year:

<b>a</b> Contributions allocated toward unpaid minimum required contributions from prior years .....	<b>19a</b>	
<b>b</b> Contributions made to avoid restrictions adjusted to valuation date .....	<b>19b</b>	
<b>c</b> Contributions allocated toward minimum required contribution for current year adjusted to valuation date .....	<b>19c</b>	

**20** Quarterly contributions and liquidity shortfalls:

**a** Did the plan have a "funding shortfall" for the prior year? .....  Yes  No

**b** If line 20a is "Yes," were required quarterly installments for the current year made in a timely manner? .....  Yes  No

**c** If line 20a is "Yes," see instructions and complete the following table as applicable:

Liquidity shortfall as of end of quarter of this plan year			
(1) 1st	(2) 2nd	(3) 3rd	(4) 4th

**Part V Assumptions Used to Determine Funding Target and Target Normal Cost**

**21** Discount rate:

**a** Segment rates:

1st segment: 4.75 %	2nd segment: 4.96 %	3rd segment: 5.59 %	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A, full yield curve used
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**b** Applicable month (enter code) ..... **21b** 0

**22** Weighted average retirement age ..... **22** 63

**23** Mortality table(s) (see instructions)  Prescribed - combined  Prescribed - separate  Substitute

**Part VI Miscellaneous Items**

**24** Has a change been made in the non-prescribed actuarial assumptions for the current plan year? If "Yes," see instructions regarding required attachment. ....  Yes  No

**25** Has a method change been made for the current plan year? If "Yes," see instructions regarding required attachment. ....  Yes  No

**26** Demographic and benefit information

**a** Is the plan required to provide a Schedule of Active Participants? If "Yes," see instructions regarding required attachment. ....  Yes  No

**b** Is the plan required to provide a projection of expected benefit payments? If "Yes," see instructions regarding required attachment ...  Yes  No

**27** If the plan is subject to alternative funding rules, enter applicable code and see instructions regarding attachment ..... **27**

**Part VII Reconciliation of Unpaid Minimum Required Contributions For Prior Years**

**28** Unpaid minimum required contributions for all prior years ..... **28** 0

**29** Discounted employer contributions allocated toward unpaid minimum required contributions from prior years (line 19a)..... **29**

**30** Remaining amount of unpaid minimum required contributions (line 28 minus line 29) ..... **30** 0

**Part VIII Minimum Required Contribution For Current Year**

**31** Target normal cost and excess assets (see instructions):

**a** Target normal cost (line 6c) ..... **31a** 75,943

**b** Excess assets, if applicable, but not greater than line 31a ..... **31b** 75,943

**32** Amortization installments:

	Outstanding Balance	Installment
<b>a</b> Net shortfall amortization installment .....		
<b>b</b> Waiver amortization installment .....		

**33** If a waiver has been approved for this plan year, enter the date of the ruling letter granting the approval (Month \_\_\_\_\_ Day \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_) and the waived amount ..... **33**

**34** Total funding requirement before reflecting carryover/prefunding balances (lines 31a - 31b + 32a + 32b - 33)..... **34** 0

	Carryover balance	Prefunding balance	Total balance
<b>35</b> Balances elected for use to offset funding requirement .....			0
<b>36</b> Additional cash requirement (line 34 minus line 35) .....			<b>36</b> 0
<b>37</b> Contributions allocated toward minimum required contribution for current year adjusted to valuation date (line 19c) .....			<b>37</b>
<b>38</b> Present value of excess contributions for current year (see instructions)			
<b>a</b> Total (excess, if any, of line 37 over line 36) .....			<b>38a</b> 0
<b>b</b> Portion included in line 38a attributable to use of prefunding and funding standard carryover balances .....			<b>38b</b>
<b>39</b> Unpaid minimum required contribution for current year (excess, if any, of line 36 over line 37) .....			<b>39</b> 0
<b>40</b> Unpaid minimum required contributions for all years .....			<b>40</b> 0

**Part IX Pension Funding Relief Under the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (See Instructions)**

**41** If an election was made to use the extended amortization rule for a plan year beginning on or before December 31, 2021, check the box to indicate the first plan year for which the rule applies.  2019  2020  2021

**RETIREMENT PLAN FOR EMPLOYEES OF HALDOR TOPSOE, INC.  
SCHEDULE H, LINE 4i - SCHEDULE OF ASSETS (HELD AT END OF YEAR)  
DECEMBER 31, 2024**

EIN: 13-1943844  
PN: 001

(a)	(b) Identity of Issuer, Borrower, Lessor or Similar Party	(c) Description of Investment, Including Maturity Date, Rate of Interest, Collateral, Par or Maturity Value	(d) Cost	(e) Current Value
	<i>Common/Collective Trusts</i>			
*	Northern Trust Company	NT Collective Short-Term Investment Fund	\$ 4,020,864	\$ 4,020,864
*	Northern Trust Company	NT Collective Russell 1000 Index Fund Non-Lending	1,174,942	2,555,020
*	Northern Trust Company	NT Collective EAFE Index Fund Non-Lending	735,025	931,626
*	Northern Trust Company	NT Collective S&P 400 Equity Index Fund Non-Lending	<u>242,096</u>	<u>630,251</u>
		Total collective trusts	<u>6,172,927</u>	<u>8,137,761</u>
	<i>Mutual Funds</i>			
*	Nothern Funds	Northern Ultra Short Fixed Income Fund	\$ 12,769,518	\$ 12,757,143
	iShares Trust	iShares 1-5 Year Investment Grade Corporate Bond ETF	6,717,885	6,672,712
	FlexShares Trust	FlexShares iBoxx 3-Year Target Duration TIPS Index Fund	4,021,613	3,992,419
	iShares Trust	iShares Broad USD High Yield Corporate Bond ETF	<u>1,825,450</u>	<u>1,654,373</u>
		Total mutual funds	<u>25,334,466</u>	<u>25,076,647</u>
		Total investments	<u>\$ 31,507,393</u>	<u>\$ 33,214,408</u>

\* Represents a party-in-interest

Information has been certified as complete and accurate by the Trustee.

See independent auditor's report

**RETIREMENT PLAN FOR EMPLOYEES OF HALDOR TOPSOE, INC.  
SCHEDULE H, LINE 4j - SCHEDULE OF REPORTABLE TRANSACTIONS\*  
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2024**

EIN: 13-1943844  
PN: 001

(a) Identity of Party Involved	(b) Description of Asset	Number of Transactions	(c) Purchase Price	(d) Selling Price	(g) Cost of Asset	(h) Current Value of Asset on Transaction Date	(i) Net Gain or (Loss)
** Northern Trust Company	Mutual Fund – Northern Funds Ultra-Short Fixed Income Fund	2	\$ 12,769,518	\$ -	\$ 12,769,518	\$ 12,769,518	\$ -
** Northern Trust Company	Collective Trust – NT Collective Aggregate Bond Index Fund - Non-Lending	1	\$ 1,000,000	\$ -	\$ 1,000,000	\$ 1,000,000	\$ -
** Northern Trust Company	Collective Trust – NT Collective Aggregate Bond Index Fund - Non-Lending	1	\$ -	\$ 3,928,858	\$ 3,842,603	\$ 3,928,858	\$ 86,255
** Northern Trust Company	Collective Trust – NT Collective EAFE Index Fund - Non-Lending	4	\$ -	\$ 5,822,137	\$ 4,480,618	\$ 5,822,137	\$ 1,341,519
** Northern Trust Company	Collective Trust – NT Collective Russell 1000 Index Fund - Non-Lending	7	\$ -	\$ 8,571,499	\$ 3,999,644	\$ 8,571,499	\$ 4,571,855
FlexShares Trust	FlexShares Morningstar Global Upstream Nat Res Index Fund	2	\$ -	\$ 2,085,338	\$ 1,738,200	\$ 2,085,338	\$ 347,138
** Northern Trust Company	Collective Trust – NT Collective Short-Term Investment Fund	44	\$ 7,627,371	\$ -	\$ 7,627,371	\$ 7,627,371	\$ -
** Northern Trust Company	Collective Trust – NT Collective Short-Term Investment Fund	19	\$ -	\$ 3,893,857	\$ 3,893,857	\$ 3,893,857	\$ -

\* This schedule is a listing of single transactions and series of transactions of the same security that exceed 5% of the Plan's net assets as of January 1, 2024. The information in this schedule was obtained or derived from information supplied to the Company and certified as complete and accurate by the Trustee.

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