

Form 5500

Annual Return/Report of Employee Benefit Plan

OMB Nos. 1210-0110 1210-0089

2024

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Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration

Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation

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

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

Part I Annual Report Identification Information

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

- A This return/report is for: a multiemployer plan, a multiple-employer plan, a single-employer plan, a DFE, etc.
B This return/report is: the first return/report, the final return/report, an amended return/report, a short plan year return/report, etc.
C If the plan is a collectively-bargained plan, check here.
D Check box if filing under: Form 5558, automatic extension, the DFVC program, special extension, etc.
E If this is a retroactively adopted plan permitted by SECURE Act section 201, check here.

Part II Basic Plan Information—enter all requested information

1a Name of plan: RETIREMENT PLAN FOR EMPLOYEES OF THE O'CONNELL COMPANIES, INC.
1b Three-digit plan number (PN): 017
1c Effective date of plan: 01/01/1951
2a Plan sponsor's name, mailing address, city, state, and ZIP: THE OCONNELL COMPANIES, INC., 800 KELLY WAY, HOLYOKE, MA 01040
2b Employer Identification Number (EIN): 04-2669288
2c Plan Sponsor's telephone number: 413-534-0246
2d Business code (see instructions): 551112

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

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

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

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3a Plan administrator's name and address <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Same as Plan Sponsor	3b Administrator's EIN	
	3c Administrator's telephone number	
4 If the name and/or EIN of the plan sponsor or the plan name has changed since the last return/report filed for this plan, enter the plan sponsor's name, EIN, the plan name and the plan number from the last return/report: a Sponsor's name c Plan Name	4b EIN	
	4d PN	
5 Total number of participants at the beginning of the plan year	5	400
6 Number of participants as of the end of the plan year unless otherwise stated (welfare plans complete only lines 6a(1) , 6a(2) , 6b , 6c , and 6d). a(1) Total number of active participants at the beginning of the plan year a(2) Total number of active participants at the end of the plan year b Retired or separated participants receiving benefits..... c Other retired or separated participants entitled to future benefits d Subtotal. Add lines 6a(2) , 6b , and 6c e Deceased participants whose beneficiaries are receiving or are entitled to receive benefits. f Total. Add lines 6d and 6e g(1) Number of participants with account balances as of the beginning of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item) g(2) Number of participants with account balances as of the end of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item) h Number of participants who terminated employment during the plan year with accrued benefits that were less than 100% vested.....	6a(1)	156
	6a(2)	140
	6b	148
	6c	85
	6d	373
	6e	14
	6f	387
	6g(1)	
6g(2)		
6h		2
7 Enter the total number of employers obligated to contribute to the plan (only multiemployer plans complete this item)	7	

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

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

10 Check all applicable boxes in 10a and 10b to indicate which schedules are attached, and, where indicated, enter the number attached. (See instructions)

a Pension Schedules

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

b General Schedules

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

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

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

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

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

11c Enter the Receipt Confirmation Code for the 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 _____

**SCHEDULE A
(Form 5500)**

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Department of Labor
Employee Benefits Security Administration
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Insurance Information

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

▶ **File as an attachment to Form 5500.**

▶ Insurance companies are required to provide the information pursuant to ERISA section 103(a)(2).

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A Name of plan RETIREMENT PLAN FOR EMPLOYEES OF THE O'CONNELL COMPANIES, INC.	B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 017
C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 THE OCONNELL COMPANIES, INC.	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 04-2669288

Part I Information Concerning Insurance Contract Coverage, Fees, and Commissions Provide information for each contract on a separate Schedule A. Individual contracts grouped as a unit in Parts II and III can be reported on a single Schedule A.

1 Coverage Information:

(a) Name of insurance carrier
AETNA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

(b) EIN	(c) NAIC code	(d) Contract or identification number	(e) Approximate number of persons covered at end of policy or contract year	Policy or contract year	
				(f) From	(g) To
06-6033492	60054	GA-490	387	01/01/2024	12/31/2024

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

(a) Total amount of commissions paid	(b) Total amount of fees paid
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3 Persons receiving commissions and fees. (Complete as many entries as needed to report all persons).

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

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

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Part II	Investment and Annuity Contract Information	
	Where individual contracts are provided, the entire group of such individual contracts with each carrier may be treated as a unit for purposes of this report.	
4	Current value of plan's interest under this contract in the general account at year end	4
5	Current value of plan's interest under this contract in separate accounts at year end.....	5 536779
6	Contracts With Allocated Funds:	
a	State the basis of premium rates ▶	
b	Premiums paid to carrier	6b
c	Premiums due but unpaid at the end of the year	6c
d	If the carrier, service, or other organization incurred any specific costs in connection with the acquisition or retention of the contract or policy, enter amount. Specify nature of costs ▶	6d
e	Type of contract: (1) <input type="checkbox"/> individual policies (2) <input type="checkbox"/> group deferred annuity (3) <input type="checkbox"/> other (specify) ▶	
f	If contract purchased, in whole or in part, to distribute benefits from a terminating plan, check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>	
7	Contracts With Unallocated Funds (Do not include portions of these contracts maintained in separate accounts)	
a	Type of contract: (1) <input type="checkbox"/> deposit administration (2) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> immediate participation guarantee (3) <input type="checkbox"/> guaranteed investment (4) <input type="checkbox"/> other ▶	
b	Balance at the end of the previous year	7b 2126596
c	Additions: (1) Contributions deposited during the year	7c(1)
	(2) Dividends and credits.....	7c(2)
	(3) Interest credited during the year.....	7c(3) 62765
	(4) Transferred from separate account	7c(4)
	(5) Other (specify below)..... ▶	7c(5)
	(6) Total additions	7c(6) 62765
d	Total of balance and additions (add lines 7b and 7c(6))	7d 2189361
e	Deductions:	
	(1) Disbursed from fund to pay benefits or purchase annuities during year	7e(1) 196838
	(2) Administration charge made by carrier.....	7e(2) 26954
	(3) Transferred to separate account	7e(3) 550000
	(4) Other (specify below)..... ▶	7e(4)
(5) Total deductions	7e(5) 773792	
f	Balance at the end of the current year (subtract line 7e(5) from line 7d).....	7f 1415569

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

8 Benefit and contract type (check all applicable boxes)

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

9 Experience-rated contracts:

a	Premiums: (1) Amount received	9a(1)		
	(2) Increase (decrease) in amount due but unpaid	9a(2)		
	(3) Increase (decrease) in unearned premium reserve	9a(3)		
	(4) Earned ((1) + (2) - (3))		9a(4)	0
b	Benefit charges (1) Claims paid	9b(1)		
	(2) Increase (decrease) in claim reserves	9b(2)		
	(3) Incurred claims (add (1) and (2))		9b(3)	0
	(4) Claims charged		9b(4)	
c	Remainder of premium: (1) Retention charges (on an accrual basis) --			
	(A) Commissions	9c(1)(A)		
	(B) Administrative service or other fees	9c(1)(B)		
	(C) Other specific acquisition costs	9c(1)(C)		
	(D) Other expenses	9c(1)(D)		
	(E) Taxes	9c(1)(E)		
	(F) Charges for risks or other contingencies	9c(1)(F)		
	(G) Other retention charges	9c(1)(G)		
	(H) Total retention		9c(1)(H)	0
	(2) Dividends or retroactive rate refunds. (These amounts were <input type="checkbox"/> paid in cash, or <input type="checkbox"/> credited.)		9c(2)	
d	Status of policyholder reserves at end of year: (1) Amount held to provide benefits after retirement		9d(1)	
	(2) Claim reserves		9d(2)	
	(3) Other reserves		9d(3)	
e	Dividends or retroactive rate refunds due. (Do not include amount entered in line 9c(2).)		9e	

10 Nonexperience-rated contracts:

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

Specify nature of costs.

Part IV Provision of Information

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

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

SCHEDULE SB (Form 5500) <small>Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service</small> <small>Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration</small> <small>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation</small>	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.	<small>OMB No. 1210-0110</small> 2024 This Form is Open to Public Inspection
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▶ **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.

A Name of plan <u>RETIREMENT PLAN FOR EMPLOYEES OF THE O'CONNELL COMPANIES, INC.</u>	B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶	<u>017</u>
C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 or 5500-SF <u>THE OCONNELL COMPANIES, INC.</u>	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) <u>04-2669288</u>	
E Type of plan: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Single <input type="checkbox"/> Multiple-A <input type="checkbox"/> Multiple-B	F 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		
1	Enter the valuation date: Month <u>01</u> Day <u>01</u> Year <u>2024</u>		
2	Assets:		
	a Market value	2a	<u>61149930</u>
	b Actuarial value	2b	<u>65003531</u>
3	Funding target/participant count breakdown	(1) Number of participants	(2) Vested Funding Target
	a For retired participants and beneficiaries receiving payment	<u>163</u>	<u>32651555</u>
	b For terminated vested participants	<u>93</u>	<u>7012329</u>
	c For active participants	<u>156</u>	<u>20263662</u>
	d Total	<u>412</u>	<u>59927546</u>
4	If the plan is in at-risk status, check the box and complete lines (a) and (b)..... <input type="checkbox"/>		
	a Funding target disregarding prescribed at-risk assumptions	4a	
	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	4b	
5	Effective interest rate	5	<u>5.17 %</u>
6	Target normal cost		
	a Present value of current plan year accruals	6a	<u>2124524</u>
	b Expected plan-related expenses	6b	<u>200000</u>
	c Target normal cost	6c	<u>1973987</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.

SIGN HERE		
	Signature of actuary	<u>08/29/2025</u> Date
	<u>HENRY P. NEARING</u> Type or print name of actuary	<u>23-07257</u> Most recent enrollment number
	<u>SEGAL</u> Firm name	<u>860-678-3036</u> Telephone number (including area code)
	<u>30 WATERSIDE DRIVE, SUITE 300 FARMINGTON, CT 06032</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

Part V Assumptions Used to Determine Funding Target and Target Normal Cost			
21 Discount rate:			
a Segment rates:	1st segment: 4.75 %	2nd segment: 4.87 %	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A, full yield curve used
b Applicable month (enter code)			21b 4
22 Weighted average retirement age			22 64
23 Mortality table(s) (see instructions) <input type="checkbox"/> Prescribed - combined <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Prescribed - separate <input type="checkbox"/> 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..... <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No			
25 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			
26 Demographic and benefit information			
a 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 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			
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 0
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	1973987	
b Excess assets, if applicable, but not greater than line 31a	31b	441289	
32 Amortization installments:	Outstanding Balance	Installment	
a Net shortfall amortization installment	0	0	
b Waiver amortization installment.....	0	0	
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	1532698	
	Carryover balance	Prefunding balance	Total balance
35 Balances elected for use to offset funding requirement	0	1532698	1532698
36 Additional cash requirement (line 34 minus line 35)			36 0
37 Contributions allocated toward minimum required contribution for current year adjusted to valuation date (line 19c)			37 0
38 Present value of excess contributions for current year (see instructions)			
a Total (excess, if any, of line 37 over line 36)	38a	0	
b Portion included in line 38a attributable to use of prefunding and funding standard carryover balances.....	38b		
39 Unpaid minimum required contribution for current year (excess, if any, of line 36 over line 37)	39	0	
40 Unpaid minimum required contributions for all years	40	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. <input type="checkbox"/> 2019 <input type="checkbox"/> 2020 <input type="checkbox"/> 2021			

SCHEDULE C (Form 5500) <small>Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service</small> <small>Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration</small> <small>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation</small>	Service Provider Information This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA). ▶ File as an attachment to Form 5500.	<small>OMB No. 1210-0110</small> 2024 This Form is Open to Public Inspection.
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C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 THE OCONNELL COMPANIES, INC.	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 04-2669288	

Part I Service Provider Information (see instructions)

You must complete this Part, in accordance with the instructions, to report the information required for **each person** who received, directly or indirectly, \$5,000 or more in total compensation (i.e., money or anything else of monetary value) in connection with services rendered to the plan or the person's position with the plan during the plan year. If a person received **only** eligible indirect compensation for which the plan received the required disclosures, you are required to answer line 1 but are not required to include that person when completing the remainder of this Part.

1 Information on Persons Receiving Only Eligible Indirect Compensation

a Check "Yes" or "No" to indicate whether you are excluding a person from the remainder of this Part because they received only eligible indirect compensation for which the plan received the required disclosures (see instructions for definitions and conditions)..... Yes No

b If you answered line 1a "Yes," enter the name and EIN or address of each person providing the required disclosures for the service providers who received only eligible indirect compensation. Complete as many entries as needed (see instructions).

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation

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2. Information on Other Service Providers Receiving Direct or Indirect Compensation. Except for those persons for whom you answered "Yes" to line 1a above, complete as many entries as needed to list each person receiving, directly or indirectly, \$5,000 or more in total compensation (i.e., money or anything else of value) in connection with services rendered to the plan or their position with the plan during the plan year. (See instructions).

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

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13-1835864

(b) Service Code(s)	(c) Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest	(d) Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-.	(e) Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor)	(f) Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures?	(g) Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-.	(h) Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount?
11 50 17 15	NONE	51700	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>		Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

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

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36-4001764

(b) Service Code(s)	(c) Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest	(d) Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-.	(e) Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor)	(f) Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures?	(g) Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-.	(h) Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount?
28 51	NONE	34272	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>		Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

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

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04-2713795

(b) Service Code(s)	(c) Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest	(d) Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-.	(e) Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor)	(f) Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures?	(g) Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-.	(h) Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount?
10 50	NONE	12900	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>		Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

Part I Service Provider Information (continued)

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

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

Part II Service Providers Who Fail or Refuse to Provide Information

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

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

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

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

Explanation:

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

Explanation:

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

Explanation:

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

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c Position:	
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Explanation:

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

A Name of plan <u>RETIREMENT PLAN FOR EMPLOYEES OF THE O'CONNELL COMPANIES, INC.</u>	B Three-digit plan number (PN)	<u>017</u>
C Plan or DFE sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 <u>THE OCONNELL COMPANIES, INC.</u>	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) <u>04-2669288</u>	

Part I	Information on interests in MTIAs, CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs (to be completed by plans and DFEs) (Complete as many entries as needed to report all interests in DFEs)
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a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: <u>SEPARATE ACCOUNT 174</u>		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <u>AETNA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY</u>		
c EIN-PN <u>06-6033492-012</u>	d Entity code <u>P</u>	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <u>536779</u>
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):		
c EIN-PN	d Entity code	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):		
c EIN-PN	d Entity code	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):		
c EIN-PN	d Entity code	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):		
c EIN-PN	d Entity code	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):		
c EIN-PN	d Entity code	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):		
c EIN-PN	d Entity code	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)

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

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

c EIN-PN

d Entity code

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

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

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

c EIN-PN

d Entity code

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

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

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

c EIN-PN

d Entity code

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

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

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

c EIN-PN

d Entity code

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

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

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c EIN-PN

d Entity code

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

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

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

c EIN-PN

d Entity code

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

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

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

c EIN-PN

d Entity code

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

SCHEDULE H (Form 5500) <small>Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service</small> <small>Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration</small> <small>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation</small>	Financial Information This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), and section 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code). ► File as an attachment to Form 5500.	<small>OMB No. 1210-0110</small> 2024 This Form is Open to Public Inspection
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For calendar plan year 2024 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2024 and ending 12/31/2024	
A Name of plan RETIREMENT PLAN FOR EMPLOYEES OF THE O'CONNELL COMPANIES, INC.	B Three-digit plan number (PN) 017
C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 THE OCONNELL COMPANIES, INC.	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 04-2669288

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

		(a) Beginning of Year	(b) End of Year
a Total noninterest-bearing cash	1a		
b Receivables (less allowance for doubtful accounts):			
(1) Employer contributions	1b(1)		
(2) Participant contributions	1b(2)	3188	8726
(3) Other	1b(3)		
c General investments:			
(1) Interest-bearing cash (include money market accounts & certificates of deposit)	1c(1)		
(2) U.S. Government securities	1c(2)		
(3) Corporate debt instruments (other than employer securities):			
(A) Preferred	1c(3)(A)		
(B) All other	1c(3)(B)		
(4) Corporate stocks (other than employer securities):			
(A) Preferred	1c(4)(A)		
(B) Common	1c(4)(B)		
(5) Partnership/joint venture interests	1c(5)		
(6) Real estate (other than employer real property)	1c(6)		
(7) Loans (other than to participants)	1c(7)		
(8) Participant loans	1c(8)		
(9) Value of interest in common/collective trusts	1c(9)		
(10) Value of interest in pooled separate accounts	1c(10)	498350	536779
(11) Value of interest in master trust investment accounts	1c(11)		
(12) Value of interest in 103-12 investment entities	1c(12)		
(13) Value of interest in registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds)	1c(13)	58524983	58451502
(14) Value of funds held in insurance company general account (unallocated contracts).....	1c(14)	2126596	1415569
(15) Other.....	1c(15)		

1d Employer-related investments:		(a) Beginning of Year	(b) End of Year
(1) Employer securities.....	1d(1)		
(2) Employer real property.....	1d(2)		
e Buildings and other property used in plan operation.....	1e		
f Total assets (add all amounts in lines 1a through 1e).....	1f	61153117	60412576
Liabilities			
g Benefit claims payable.....	1g		
h Operating payables.....	1h	8441	0
i Acquisition indebtedness.....	1i		
j Other liabilities.....	1j		
k Total liabilities (add all amounts in lines 1g through 1j).....	1k	8441	0
Net Assets			
l Net assets (subtract line 1k from line 1f).....	1l	61144676	60412576

Part II Income and Expense Statement

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

Income		(a) Amount	(b) Total
a Contributions:			
(1) Received or receivable in cash from: (A) Employers.....	2a(1)(A)		
(B) Participants.....	2a(1)(B)	391955	
(C) Others (including rollovers).....	2a(1)(C)		
(2) Noncash contributions.....	2a(2)		
(3) Total contributions. Add lines 2a(1)(A) , (B) , (C) , and line 2a(2)	2a(3)		391955
b Earnings on investments:			
(1) Interest:			
(A) Interest-bearing cash (including money market accounts and certificates of deposit).....	2b(1)(A)		
(B) U.S. Government securities.....	2b(1)(B)		
(C) Corporate debt instruments.....	2b(1)(C)		
(D) Loans (other than to participants).....	2b(1)(D)		
(E) Participant loans.....	2b(1)(E)		
(F) Other.....	2b(1)(F)	62765	
(G) Total interest. Add lines 2b(1)(A) through (F)	2b(1)(G)		62765
(2) Dividends:			
(A) Preferred stock.....	2b(2)(A)		
(B) Common stock.....	2b(2)(B)		
(C) Registered investment company shares (e.g. mutual funds).....	2b(2)(C)		
(D) Total dividends. Add lines 2b(2)(A) , (B) , and (C)	2b(2)(D)		0
(3) Rents.....	2b(3)		
(4) Net gain (loss) on sale of assets:			
(A) Aggregate proceeds.....	2b(4)(A)		
(B) Aggregate carrying amount (see instructions).....	2b(4)(B)		
(C) Subtract line 2b(4)(B) from line 2b(4)(A) and enter result.....	2b(4)(C)		
(5) Unrealized appreciation (depreciation) of assets:			
(A) Real estate.....	2b(5)(A)		
(B) Other.....	2b(5)(B)		
(C) Total unrealized appreciation of assets. Add lines 2b(5)(A) and (B)	2b(5)(C)		

		(a) Amount	(b) Total
(6) Net investment gain (loss) from common/collective trusts	2b(6)		
(7) Net investment gain (loss) from pooled separate accounts	2b(7)		18019
(8) Net investment gain (loss) from master trust investment accounts	2b(8)		
(9) Net investment gain (loss) from 103-12 investment entities	2b(9)		
(10) Net investment gain (loss) from registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds)	2b(10)		2424774
c Other income	2c		
d Total income. Add all income amounts in column (b) and enter total	2d		2897513

Expenses

e Benefit payment and payments to provide benefits:			
(1) Directly to participants or beneficiaries, including direct rollovers	2e(1)	3447110	
(2) To insurance carriers for the provision of benefits	2e(2)		
(3) Other	2e(3)		
(4) Total benefit payments. Add lines 2e(1) through (3)	2e(4)		3447110
f Corrective distributions (see instructions)	2f		
g Certain deemed distributions of participant loans (see instructions)	2g		
h Interest expense	2h		
i Administrative expenses:			
(1) Salaries and allowances	2i(1)		
(2) Contract administrator fees	2i(2)		
(3) Recordkeeping fees	2i(3)		
(4) IQPA audit fees	2i(4)	12900	
(5) Investment advisory and investment management fees	2i(5)	34272	
(6) Bank or trust company trustee/custodial fees	2i(6)	43231	
(7) Actuarial fees	2i(7)	51700	
(8) Legal fees	2i(8)		
(9) Valuation/appraisal fees	2i(9)		
(10) Other trustee fees and expenses	2i(10)		
(11) Other expenses	2i(11)	40400	
(12) Total administrative expenses. Add lines 2i(1) through (11)	2i(12)		182503
j Total expenses. Add all expense amounts in column (b) and enter total	2j		3629613

Net Income and Reconciliation

k Net income (loss). Subtract line 2j from line 2d	2k		-732100
l Transfers of assets:			
(1) To this plan	2l(1)		
(2) From this plan	2l(2)		

Part III Accountant's Opinion

3 Complete lines 3a through 3c if the opinion of an independent qualified public accountant is attached to this Form 5500. Complete line 3d if an opinion is not attached.

a The attached opinion of an independent qualified public accountant for this plan is (see instructions):

(1) Unmodified (2) Qualified (3) Disclaimer (4) Adverse

b Check the appropriate box(es) to indicate whether the IQPA performed an ERISA section 103(a)(3)(C) audit. Check both boxes (1) and (2) if the audit was performed pursuant to both 29 CFR 2520.103-8 and 29 CFR 2520.103-12(d). Check box (3) if pursuant to neither.

(1) DOL Regulation 2520.103-8 (2) DOL Regulation 2520.103-12(d) (3) neither DOL Regulation 2520.103-8 nor DOL Regulation 2520.103-12(d).

c Enter the name and EIN of the accountant (or accounting firm) below:

(1) Name: MEYERS BROTHERS KALICKA, PC

(2) EIN: 04-2713795

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

(1) This form is filed for a CCT, PSA, DCG or MTIA. (2) It will be attached to the next Form 5500 pursuant to 29 CFR 2520.104-50.

Part IV Compliance Questions

4 CCTs and PSAs do not complete Part IV. MTIAs, 103-12 IEs, and GIAs do not complete lines 4a, 4e, 4f, 4g, 4h, 4k, 4m, 4n, or 5. 103-12 IEs also do not complete lines 4j and 4l. MTIAs also do not complete line 4l. DCGs do not complete lines 4e, 4f, 4k, 4l, and 5, and DCGs generally complete the rest of Part IV collectively for all plans in the DCG, except as otherwise provided (see instructions).

During the plan year:

	Yes	No	Amount
a Was there a failure to transmit to the plan any participant contributions within the time period described in 29 CFR 2510.3-102? Continue to answer "Yes" for any prior year failures until fully corrected. (See instructions and DOL's Voluntary Fiduciary Correction Program.)		X	
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	
c Were any leases to which the plan was a party in default or classified during the year as uncollectible? (Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part II if "Yes" is checked.)		X	
d Were there any nonexempt transactions with any party-in-interest? (Do not include transactions reported on line 4a. Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part III if "Yes" is checked.)		X	
e Was this plan covered by a fidelity bond?	X		2000000
f Did the plan have a loss, whether or not reimbursed by the plan's fidelity bond, that was caused by fraud or dishonesty?		X	
g Did the plan hold any assets whose current value was neither readily determinable on an established market nor set by an independent third party appraiser?		X	
h Did the plan receive any noncash contributions whose value was neither readily determinable on an established market nor set by an independent third party appraiser?		X	
i Did the plan have assets held for investment? (Attach schedule(s) of assets if "Yes" is checked, and see instructions for format requirements.)	X		
j Were any plan transactions or series of transactions in excess of 5% of the current value of plan assets? (Attach schedule of transactions if "Yes" is checked and see instructions for format requirements.)		X	
k Were all the plan assets either distributed to participants or beneficiaries, transferred to another plan, or brought under the control of the PBGC?		X	
l Has the plan failed to provide any benefit when due under the plan?		X	
m If this is an individual account plan, was there a blackout period? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-3.)			
n If 4m was answered "Yes," check the "Yes" box if you either provided the required notice or one of the exceptions to providing the notice applied under 29 CFR 2520.101-3.			

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

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

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

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

If "Yes" is checked, enter the My PAA confirmation number from the PBGC premium filing for this plan year 541080.

SCHEDULE R (Form 5500) <small>Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service</small> <small>Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration</small> <small>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation</small>	Retirement Plan Information This schedule is required to be filed under sections 104 and 4065 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) and section 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code). ▶ File as an attachment to Form 5500.	<small>OMB No. 1210-0110</small> 2024 This Form is Open to Public Inspection.
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For calendar plan year 2024 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2024 and ending 12/31/2024

A Name of plan <u>RETIREMENT PLAN FOR EMPLOYEES OF THE O'CONNELL COMPANIES, INC.</u>	B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶	<u>017</u>
C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 <u>THE OCONNELL COMPANIES, INC.</u>	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) <u>04-2669288</u>	

Part I	Distributions
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All references to distributions relate only to payments of benefits during the plan year.

1 Total value of distributions paid in property other than in cash or the forms of property specified in the instructions.....	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): 06-6033492

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

3 Number of participants (living or deceased) whose benefits were distributed in a single sum, during the plan year	3	10
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Part II	Funding Information (If the plan is not subject to the minimum funding requirements of section 412 of the Internal Revenue Code or ERISA section 302, skip this Part.)
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4 Is the plan administrator making an election under Code section 412(d)(2) or ERISA section 302(d)(2)? Yes No N/A
If the plan is a defined benefit plan, go to line 8.

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

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

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

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

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

Part III	Amendments
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9 If this is a defined benefit pension plan, were any amendments adopted during this plan year that increased or decreased the value of benefits? If yes, check the appropriate box. If no, check the "No" box..... Increase Decrease Both No

Part IV	ESOPs (see instructions). If this is not a plan described under section 409(a) or 4975(e)(7) of the Internal Revenue Code, skip this Part.
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10 Were unallocated employer securities or proceeds from the sale of unallocated securities used to repay any exempt loan? Yes No

11 a Does the ESOP hold any preferred stock? Yes No

b If the ESOP has an outstanding exempt loan with the employer as lender, is such loan part of a "back-to-back" loan? (See instructions for definition of "back-to-back" loan.) Yes No

12 Does the ESOP hold any stock that is not readily tradable on an established securities market? Yes No

Part V Additional Information for Multiemployer Defined Benefit Pension Plans

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

a Name of contributing employer _____

b EIN _____ **c** Dollar amount contributed by employer _____

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

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

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

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

a Name of contributing employer _____

b EIN _____ **c** Dollar amount contributed by employer _____

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

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

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

a Name of contributing employer _____

b EIN _____ **c** Dollar amount contributed by employer _____

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

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

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

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

14 Enter the number of deferred vested and retired participants (inactive participants), as of the beginning of the plan year, whose contributing employer is no longer making contributions to the plan for:

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

18 If any liabilities to participants or their beneficiaries under the plan as of the end of the plan year consist (in whole or in part) of liabilities to such participants and beneficiaries under two or more pension plans as of immediately before such plan year, check box and see instructions regarding supplemental information to be included as an attachment

19 If the total number of participants is 1,000 or more, complete lines (a) and (b):

a Enter the percentage of plan assets held as:
 Public Equity: _____% Private Equity: _____% Investment-Grade Debt and Interest Rate Hedging Assets: _____%
 High-Yield Debt: _____% Real Assets: _____% Cash or Cash Equivalents: _____% Other: _____%

b Provide the average duration of the Investment-Grade Debt and Interest Rate Hedging Assets:
 0-5 years 5-10 years 10-15 years 15 years or more

20 PBGC missed contribution reporting requirements. If this is a multiemployer plan or a single-employer plan that is not covered by PBGC, skip line 20.

a Is the amount of unpaid minimum required contributions for all years from Schedule SB (Form 5500) line 40 greater than zero? Yes No

b If line 20a is "Yes," has PBGC been notified as required by ERISA sections 4043(c)(5) and/or 303(k)(4)? Check the applicable box:
 Yes.
 No. Reporting was waived under 29 CFR 4043.25(c)(2) because contributions equal to or exceeding the unpaid minimum required contribution were made by the 30th day after the due date.
 No. The 30-day period referenced in 29 CFR 4043.25(c)(2) has not yet ended, and the sponsor intends to make a contribution equal to or exceeding the unpaid minimum required contribution by the 30th day after the due date.
 No. Other. Provide explanation: _____

Part VII IRS Compliance Questions

21a Does the plan satisfy the coverage and nondiscrimination tests of Code sections 410(b) and 401(a)(4) by combining this plan with any other plans under the permissive aggregation rules? Yes No

21b If this is a Code section 401(k) plan, check all boxes that apply to indicate how the plan is intended to satisfy the nondiscrimination requirements for employee deferrals and employer matching contributions (as applicable) under Code sections 401(k)(3) and 401(m)(2).
 Design-based safe harbor method
 "Prior year" ADP test
 "Current year" ADP test
 N/A

22 If the plan sponsor is an adopter of a pre-approved plan that received a favorable IRS Opinion Letter, enter the date of the Opinion Letter ___/___/____ (MM/DD/YYYY) and the Opinion Letter serial number _____.

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Other supplemental schedules required by Section 2520.103-10 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA have been omitted because they are not applicable.

* Refers to Form 5500, Annual Return of Employee Benefit Plan, Schedule H, Line 4i



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CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS
AND BUSINESS STRATEGISTS

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Administrative Committee of
The Retirement Plan for Employees
of The O'Connell Companies, Inc.

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

We have performed audits of the accompanying financial statements of The Retirement Plan for Employees of The O'Connell Companies, 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 and accumulated Plan benefits as of December 31, 2024 and 2023, and the related statements of changes in net assets available for benefits and 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 Retirement Plan for Employees of The O'Connell Companies, Inc.'s financial statements performed in accordance with ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) pursuant to 29 CFR 2520.103-8 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. As permitted by ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C), our audits need not extend to any statements or information related to assets held for investment of the Plan (investment information) by a bank or similar institution or insurance carrier that is regulated, supervised, and subject to periodic examination by a state or federal agency, provided that the statements or information regarding assets so held are prepared and certified to by the bank or similar institution or insurance carrier in accordance with 29 CFR 2520.103-5 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA (qualified institution).

Management has obtained certifications from 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 the procedures performed as described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section –

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

Basis for Opinion

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

Responsibilities of Management

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

In preparing the financial statements, management is required to evaluate whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about of The Retirement Plan for Employees of The O'Connell Companies, Inc.'s ability to continue as a going concern for one year after the date the financial statements are available to be issued.

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

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

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

In performing an audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of The Retirement Plan for Employees of The O'Connell Companies, Inc.'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 of The Retirement Plan for Employees of The O'Connell Companies, Inc.'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 certifications, comparing the certified investment information with the related information presented and disclosed in the financial statements, and reading the disclosures relating to the certified investment information to assess whether they are in accordance with the presentation and disclosure requirements of accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Accordingly, the objective of an ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit is not to express an opinion about whether the financial statements as a whole are presented fairly, in all material respects, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

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

Supplemental Schedule Required by ERISA

The supplemental Schedule of Assets Held (At End of Year) as of December 31, 2024 is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the financial statements but are supplementary information required by the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements. The information included in the supplemental schedule, other than that agreed to or derived from the certified investment information, has been subjected to auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards. For information included in the supplemental schedule that agreed to or is derived from the certified investment information, we compared such information to the related certified investment information.

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

In our opinion –

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

Myra Beathel Holick, P.C.

Holyoke, Massachusetts
September 24, 2025

**THE RETIREMENT PLAN FOR EMPLOYEES OF
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**STATEMENTS OF NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS
AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2024 AND 2023**

ASSETS

	2024	2023
Investments		
Unallocated insurance contract, at contract value	\$ 1,415,569	\$ 2,126,596
Pooled separate investment accounts and mutual funds, at fair value	<u>58,988,281</u>	<u>59,023,333</u>
Total investments	60,403,850	61,149,929
Contributions receivable - employee	<u>8,726</u>	<u>3,188</u>
Total assets	60,412,576	61,153,117

LIABILITIES

Accrued expenses	<u>-</u>	<u>(8,441)</u>
Net assets available for benefits	<u>\$ 60,412,576</u>	<u>\$ 61,144,676</u>

**STATEMENTS OF ACCUMULATED PLAN BENEFITS
AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2024 AND 2023**

	2024	2023
Actuarial present value of accumulated plan benefits		
Vested benefits		
Participants currently receiving payments	\$ 30,308,225	\$ 28,007,408
Terminated vested participants	3,814,482	3,713,730
Active participants	<u>16,390,441</u>	<u>17,258,181</u>
	50,513,148	48,979,319
Nonvested benefits	<u>67,001</u>	<u>100,405</u>
Total actuarial present value of accumulated plan benefits	<u>\$ 50,580,149</u>	<u>\$ 49,079,724</u>

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

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**STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS
FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2024 AND 2023**

	2024	2023
Additions to net assets attributed to:		
Interest and dividends	\$ 2,214,524	\$ 2,034,136
Net appreciation the fair value of investments	291,034	4,548,117
Contributions from employees	<u>391,955</u>	<u>406,113</u>
Total additions	<u>2,897,513</u>	<u>6,988,366</u>
Deductions from net assets attributed to:		
Benefits paid	3,447,110	3,177,875
Administrative expenses and investment management fees	<u>182,503</u>	<u>257,691</u>
Total deductions	<u>3,629,613</u>	<u>3,435,566</u>
Net (decrease) increase	(732,100)	3,552,800
Net assets available for benefits, beginning of year	<u>61,144,676</u>	<u>57,591,876</u>
Net assets available for benefits, end of year	<u>\$ 60,412,576</u>	<u>\$ 61,144,676</u>

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**STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN ACCUMULATED PLAN BENEFITS
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	2024	2023
Actuarial present value of accumulated plan benefits		
Beginning of year	<u>\$ 49,079,724</u>	<u>\$ 46,697,448</u>
Increase (decrease) during the year attributable to:		
Benefits accumulated and actuarial experience	1,969,946	2,197,935
Interest due to the decrease in the discount period	3,533,740	3,362,216
Benefits paid	(3,447,110)	(3,177,875)
Change in actuarial assumptions (Note 2)	<u>(556,151)</u>	<u>-</u>
Net increase	<u>1,500,425</u>	<u>2,382,276</u>
Actuarial present value of accumulated plan benefits		
End of year	<u>\$ 50,580,149</u>	<u>\$ 49,079,724</u>

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

**THE RETIREMENT PLAN FOR EMPLOYEES OF
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**NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
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1. DESCRIPTION OF THE PLAN:

General

The Retirement Plan for Employees of The O'Connell Companies, Inc. (the "Plan") is a contributory defined benefit plan covering salaried persons employed by The O'Connell Companies, Inc. (the "Company") and certain subsidiaries and is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA). The Plan was established to provide retirement pensions for its participants and is maintained for the sole and exclusive benefit of these participants and their beneficiaries. The Plan agreement provides the basis for the determination of eligibility, employee contributions, vesting, benefits and all other questions of fact. The Plan administrator has the power to interpret the Plan as well as decide any disputes arising thereunder. The Plan administrator's determination shall be conclusive and binding on all persons. Participants should refer to the Plan document for a more complete description of the Plan's provisions.

Eligibility

All full-time non-union salaried employees are eligible for participation if they have completed one year of service and agree to make employee contributions. Effective January 1, 2021, the Plan was closed to those employees hired after December 31, 2020.

Vesting

Participants vest in their accrued pension benefits provided by employer contributions according to the following schedule:

<u>Years of Service</u>	<u>Vesting Percentage</u>
Less than 1	0%
1 but less than 2	10%
2 but less than 3	20%
3 but less than 4	30%
4 but less than 5	40%
5 but less than 6	60%
6 but less than 7	80%
7 or more	100%

All employee contributions are immediately fully vested.

Pension benefits

Participating employees are entitled to annual pension benefits beginning at normal retirement age (65) equal to 1% of their final five year average annual compensation up to \$7,800 and 1¼% of such compensation in excess of \$7,800 for each year of credited service. The Plan permits early retirement at ages 55 through 64. The benefit formula provides for a life annuity benefit with a modified cash refund death benefit. However, each participant married at retirement who does not elect otherwise will receive a joint annuity in a reduced amount providing for a 50% continuation to a surviving spouse. If participants terminate before rendering seven years of service, they will be entitled to receive, on their normal retirement date, the accrued pension provided by their contributions and their vested portion of the employer contributions with the remainder being forfeited. Participants may elect to receive their contributions plus interest as a lump-sum distribution, at any time after termination, however, if they are less than 50% vested, their portion of the employer contributions will be forfeited.

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1. DESCRIPTION OF THE PLAN: (CONTINUED)

Death benefits

If a participating employee dies, a death benefit equal to their contributions plus interest is paid to the beneficiary. If a participating employee dies who is vested in an accrued pension benefit provided by employer's contributions and has been married for one year, a pension benefit is payable to the surviving spouse.

Plan termination

Although it has not expressed an intention to do so, the Company has the right under the Plan to discontinue its contributions at any time and to terminate the Plan subject to the provisions set forth in ERISA. Upon the termination or partial termination of the Plan, the available Plan assets will be used to purchase annuities to provide for the exclusive benefit of participants and their beneficiaries in the order of priorities as stated below:

- A. Accrued benefit attributable to participant contributions taking into account those paid out before termination.
- B. With respect to participants or beneficiaries who have been receiving (or who were eligible to elect to receive) Plan benefits in the form of periodic payments during the entire three year period ending on the Plan termination date, the amount of accrued benefit based on the Plan provisions which were in effect during the five year period ending on the Plan termination date and under which such benefit would be the least, but, for participants or beneficiaries who have been receiving benefits during such three year period, not more than the lowest benefit in pay status during such period.
- C. Other vested benefits that are or would be guaranteed by the Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation (PBGC) (a U.S. Government agency) if such guaranteed amounts are determined without regard to provisions of Sections 4022 (b)(5) and (6) of ERISA.
- D. All other vested benefits as to which an allocation has not been made pursuant to the above priorities.
- E. All other nonvested benefits under the Plan.

Any Plan assets remaining after satisfaction of all liabilities of the Plan to participants, beneficiaries, and other parties will be distributed on a pro rata basis to the employer and participants in accordance with Section 4044(d)(3) of ERISA, provided the Company obtains the consent of the Internal Revenue Service.

Should the Plan terminate at some future time, its net assets generally will not be available on a pro rata basis to provide participants' benefits. Whether a particular participant's accumulated Plan benefits will be paid depends on both the priority of those benefits and the level of benefits guaranteed by the PBGC at that time. Some benefits may be fully or partially provided for by the then existing assets and the PBGC guaranty while other benefits may not be provided for at all.

Generally, the PBGC guarantees most vested normal age retirement benefits, early retirement benefits and certain disability and survivors pension. However, the PBGC does not guarantee all types of benefits under the Plan and the amount of the benefit protection is subject to certain limitations.

Basis of presentation

The financial statements and supplemental schedule for the Plan have been prepared under the accrual method of accounting.

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**NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
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2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES:

Investment valuation and income recognition

Investments held by the Plan are stated at fair value, except for the Insurance Company Contract which is stated at contract value. Fair value is defined as 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 6 for a discussion of the Insurance Company Contract.

All assets are valued as of the last business day of the year according to the following methods:

- A. Insurance Company Contract - Valued at contract value plus interest earned as of the last day of the year. In addition, contract service fees are deducted from the general account on a monthly basis based on the fee schedule of the insurance company. The average annual effective interest rates for the years ended December 31, 2024 and 2023 were 4.31% and 4.29%, respectively.
- B. Pooled separate accounts and mutual funds - Valued at fair value on the last business day of the year, based on quoted market values of the underlying investments. Net appreciation in the fair value of pooled separate accounts and mutual funds was \$291,034 and \$4,548,117 in 2024 and 2023, respectively.
- C. Money Market Funds - Valued at fair value as of the last day of the year, including interest accruing to that time.

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.

The Plan presents in the statements of changes in net assets available for benefits, the net appreciation (depreciation) in the fair value of its investments which consists of the realized gains or (losses) and the unrealized appreciation (depreciation) on those investments.

Use of estimates

The preparation of the Plan's financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America and Department of Labor rules and regulations for reporting and disclosure under ERISA require the Plan administrator to make significant estimates and assumptions that affect reported amounts of assets and liabilities and changes therein and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements. Accordingly, actual results could differ from those estimates.

Risks and uncertainties

The Plan provides for various investment options in any combination of a pooled separate account, mutual funds, fixed income securities, and other investment securities and instruments. Investment securities are exposed to various risks, such as interest rate, market, and credit risks. Due to the level of risk associated with certain investment securities, it is at least reasonably possible that changes in the values of investment securities will occur in the near term and that such changes could materially affect the amounts reported in the statements of net assets available for benefits.

Plan contributions and the actuarial present value of accumulated plan benefits are prepared 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 estimation and assumptions process, it is at least reasonably possible that changes in these estimates and assumptions in the near term would be material to the financial statements.

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2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES: (CONTINUED)

Administrative expenses and investment management fees

Administrative costs and expenses are paid by the Plan. Certain miscellaneous expenses are paid by the Company.

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 that participating employees have rendered. Accumulated plan benefits include benefits expected to be paid to (a) retired or terminated participants or their beneficiaries; (b) beneficiaries of participants who have died, and (c) active participants or their beneficiaries. The accumulated plan benefits for active participants are based on their highest consecutive five year average compensation within their last ten years of employment. Benefits payable under all circumstances - retirement, death and termination of employment - are included, to the extent they are deemed attributable to employee service rendered, to the valuation date.

The actuarial present value of accumulated plan benefits is determined by the Plan's actuary and is the amount that results from applying actuarial assumptions to adjust the accumulated plan benefits to reflect the time value of money (through discounts for interest) and the probability of payment (by means of decrements such as for death, disability, withdrawal or retirement) between the valuation date and the expected date of payment. The actuarial valuations for the Plan years ended December 31, 2024 and 2023 were performed by the Plan's actuary as of January 1, 2025 and January 1, 2024, respectively.

The more significant assumptions underlying the actuarial computations are as follows:

Mortality	PRI 2012 Table with Scale MP-2021 (prior year was MP-2021) generational projection, updated for the current year valuation.
Investment return rate	The average rate is 7.20% in 2024 and 2023
Discount rate for benefit obligation	5.73% in 2024 and 5.24% in 2023
Retirement	Normal retirement age for active participants

January 1, 2024 and 2023	
Age	Rates
60	5%
61	15%
62	30%
63	20%
64	20%
65	35%
66	10%
67	10%
68	10%
69	50%
70	100%

Normal retirement age 60 for terminated vested participants

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2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES: (CONTINUED)

Actuarial present value of accumulated plan benefits (continued)

Turnover

All employees who do not meet membership requirements under the Plan are excluded from funding. In addition, terminations from service prior to retirement are discounted in advance, in accordance with the following scale based on attained ages:

Age	Annual Termination Rates		
	<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>	
	Males/Females	Males	Females
20	20%	15.0%	26.25%
25	15%	12.0%	21.75%
30	10%	9.0%	17.63%
35	10%	6.88%	14.13%
40	10%	5.13%	10.75%
45	10%	3.25%	7.50%
50	5%	.60%	1.70%
55	5%	.60%	1.70%
60	0%	0%	0%

Funding Method

Unit Credit Actuarial Cost Method.

Spouses' Benefits

95% of all participants are assumed to be married. Wives are assumed to be two years younger than their husbands.

Maximum Benefits

\$275,000 in 2024 and \$265,000 in 2023

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

Payment of benefits

Benefit payments to participants are recorded upon distribution.

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3. FUNDING POLICY:

As a condition to participation, eligible employees are required to contribute 1¼% of their base compensation up to \$7,800 and 2½% of such compensation in excess of \$7,800. The Company contributes such amounts as are necessary on an actuarial basis to provide the fund with sufficient assets to meet the benefits to be paid to Plan members. For the 2024 and 2023 Plan year, the minimum required funding contribution was \$1,532,698 and \$1,729,188, respectively. The Company elected to use their pre-funded balance towards the Plan's minimum contribution requirements, therefore, no employer payments were made to the Plan in 2024 and 2023. The Plan was closed to new hires as of December 31, 2020. The Plan meets the ERISA minimum funding requirements. Present employees (including terminated employees with vested benefits) accumulated contributions at December 31, 2024 (the most recent actuarial valuation date) were approximately \$5,146,000 including interest credited at rates ranging from 1.04% to 11.00%.

4. INFORMATION CERTIFIED BY TRUSTEE:

As of and for the years ended December 31, 2024 and 2023, the Plan administrator has elected the method of compliance permitted by 29 CFR 2520.103-8 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974. Accordingly, Aetna Life Insurance Company ("Aetna"), the trustee of a portion of the Plan assets, certified to the Plan Administrator, the current value and physical custody of certain investments and investment transactions as it relates to Aetna as of and for the years ended December 31, 2024 and 2023, included in the Statements of Net Assets Available for Benefits, certain investment income and net appreciation (depreciation) included in the Statements of Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits, information contained in Notes 5 and 6 concerning the amount of annuity allocations and certain information in the supplemental Schedule of Assets Held (at End of Year).

Information included in the Statements of Net Assets and Statements of Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits which was certified by Aetna is detailed as follows:

	2024	2023
Unallocated insurance contract	\$ 1,415,569	\$ 2,126,596
Pooled separate investment account	536,779	498,350
Interest and dividends	99,969	109,123
Depreciation in the fair value of investments	(19,185)	(135)

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5. FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS:

The Plan follows established guidelines for a fair value hierarchy that prioritizes the inputs used to measure fair value. An asset or liability's classification within the hierarchy is determined based on the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement. This hierarchy prioritizes the inputs into three broad levels as follows:

- Level 1 Quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities. Market price is generally obtained from exchange or dealer markets.
- Level 2 Inputs other than Level 1 that are observable, either directly or indirectly, such as quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities; quoted prices in markets that are not active; or other inputs that are observable or can be corroborated by observable market data for substantially the full term of the assets or liabilities. Inputs are obtained from various sources including market participants, dealers and brokers.
- Level 3 Unobservable inputs that are supported by little or no market activity as they trade infrequently or not at all and that are significant to the fair value of the assets or liabilities.

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

Mutual funds and Money Market fund - Valued at the daily closing price at year end as reported by the fund. Mutual funds held by the Plan are open-end mutual funds that are registered with the Securities Exchange Commission (SEC). These funds are valued at the closing price recorded on the active market in which these individual securities are traded.

Pooled separate account - A certain fund of the Plan is a pooled separate account that invests directly in designated mutual funds or, in some cases, collective investment trusts. The separate account owns and holds the underlying mutual fund or collective trust shares which are valued at the daily closing price as reported by the fund. Plans and participants hold "units of participation" in the separate account. The "accumulation unit value" (AUV) is the value of each unit in the separate account and the separate account is valued daily as the number of accumulation units held multiplied by the AUV. The AUV is first established when a new fund starts (typically the beginning AUV is \$10.00) and is then determined daily based on the net asset value of the shares of the underlying fund, the fund's dividends and the contract's separate account charges.

The preceding methods described may produce a fair value calculation that may not be indicative of net realizable value or reflective of future fair values. Furthermore, although the Plan believes its valuation methods are appropriate and consistent with other market participants, the use of different methodologies or assumptions to determine the fair value of certain financial instruments could result in a different fair value measurement at the reporting date.

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5. FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS: (CONTINUED)

The following table sets forth by level, within the fair value hierarchy, the Plan's assets at fair value:

Fair Value Measurements at December 31, 2024				
	Total Fair Value	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3
Investments at fair value:				
Mutual funds	\$ 58,396,099	\$ 58,396,099	\$ -	\$ -
Money market fund	55,403	55,403	-	-
Total investments in fair value hierarchy	58,451,502	\$ 58,451,502	\$ -	\$ -
Investments measured at net asset value:				
Pooled separate account	536,779			
Total investments at fair value	\$ 58,988,281			

Fair Value Measurements at December 31, 2023				
	Total Fair Value	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3
Investments at fair value:				
Mutual funds	\$ 58,342,736	\$ 58,342,736	\$ -	\$ -
Money market fund	182,247	182,247	-	-
Total investments in fair value hierarchy	58,524,983	\$ 58,524,983	\$ -	\$ -
Investments measured at net asset value:				
Pooled separate account	498,350			
Total investments at fair value	\$ 59,023,333			

The following table summarizes investments measured at fair value based on NAV per share as of December 31:

	2024	2023	Unfunded Commitment	Redemption Frequency	Redemption Notice Period
Pooled separate account	\$ <u>536,779</u>	\$ <u>498,350</u>	N/A	Daily	None

The pooled separate account (Aetna separate account 174) invests in one or more publicly traded mutual funds or cash equivalents and are valued daily using the quoted market prices of the underlying investments.

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6. CONTRACT WITH INSURANCE COMPANY:

The Company has a group annuity contract with the Aetna under which the Plan deposits funds to the regular account as required by the terms of the contract. Aetna maintains amounts for payment of retiree benefits in the regular account and a portion of the separate accounts which includes annuity allocations of \$1,259,916 and \$1,324,604 at December 31, 2024 and 2023, respectively. The annuity allocation is the amount required by Aetna to provide for the purchase of annuities in the event of discontinuance of the contract and to provide for any other benefits guaranteed by Aetna. The annuity allocation is determined by Aetna.

7. TAX STATUS:

The Internal Revenue Service has determined and informed the Company by a letter dated September 17, 2014, that the Plan and the trust established under the Plan are designed in accordance with the applicable sections of the Internal Revenue Code. The Plan has been amended since receiving this determination letter. However, the Plan management and the Plan's legal counsel believe that the Plan is currently designed and being operated in compliance with the applicable requirements of the Internal Revenue Code.

Plan management is required to evaluate tax positions taken by the Plan and recognize a tax liability (or asset) if the Plan has taken an uncertain position that more-likely-than-not would not be sustained upon examination by the Internal Revenue Service. The Plan administrator has analyzed the tax positions taken by the Plan and has concluded that as of December 31, 2024, 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. The Plan is subject to routine audits by taxing jurisdictions; however, there are currently no audits for any tax periods in progress. The Plan administrator believes the Plan is no longer subject to income tax examinations for years prior to 2021.

8. RELATED PARTY AND PARTIES-IN-INTEREST TRANSACTIONS:

Several members of the Administrative Committee that oversee the Plan are also participants in the Plan. In addition, Aetna and Vanguard Institutional Asset Management manage the Plan's investments. Aetna is a trustee as defined by the Plan and, therefore, these transactions qualify as party-in-interest transactions. Fees paid by the Plan to the trustee for the asset management and disbursement services amounted to \$43,231 and \$42,308 for the years ended December 31, 2024 and 2023, respectively.

Certain Plan investments are shares of funds managed by the Vanguard Group of Investment Companies. Fees paid by the Plan for investment management services were included as a reduction of the return earned on each fund and are reported in both net appreciation (depreciation) and interest and dividends in the statements of changes in net assets available for Plan benefits.

9. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS:

During January 2025, the mutual funds being held by Vanguard are being managed by US Bank (USB). USB will serve as the custodian and trustee.

Management has evaluated subsequent events through September 24, 2025, the date on which the financial statements were available to be issued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SCHEDULE

**THE RETIREMENT PLAN FOR EMPLOYEES OF
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**SCHEDULE H, LINE 4i - SCHEDULE OF ASSETS HELD (AT END OF YEAR)
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(a)	(b) Identity of issue, borrower lessor or similar party	(c) Description of investment	(d) Cost	(e) Current value
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Schedule SB, Line 26 – Schedule of Active Participant Data

Participants in active service by age and years of service

Years of Credited Service

Age	Less than 1	1 - 4	5 - 9	10 - 14	15 - 19	20 - 24	25 - 29	30 - 34	35 - 39	40 & Over
Under 25	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
25 - 29	—	10	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
30 - 34	—	5	7	3	—	—	—	—	—	—
35 - 39	—	5	9	3	2	—	—	—	—	—
40 - 44	—	3	5	2	3	1	—	—	—	—
45 - 49	—	5	5	2	1	4	1	—	—	—
50 - 54	—	6	8	4	4	1	2	—	—	—
55 - 59	—	5	1	6	4	2	1	1	—	—
60 - 64	—	5	8	5	6	—	—	—	3	—
65 - 69	—	1	1	1	1	1	1	—	—	—
70 & Over	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

Schedule SB, Part V – Actuarial Assumptions and Methods

Certain assumptions are prescribed as noted below. The other assumptions are estimates derived from historical and recent experience as well as market observations, combined with professional judgment about future expectations.

Interest for IRS funding purposes

The interest rates used for the 2024 plan year are the 24-month average corporate bond segment rates for September 2023 (a four-month lookback) subject to funding stabilization. Under stabilization, the interest rates used for funding purposes are calculated in the usual manner (24-month average corporate bond rates) but are then constrained to be within a corridor around a 25-year average of those same bond rates. Each of the three segments of the yield curve reflecting the 25-year average rates is constrained to be no less than 5%. For 2024, the stabilization corridor is 5%. It will remain at 5% through 2030 and then increase by 5% per year beginning in 2031 until it reaches 30% for 2035. The interest rate description above reflects that the plan sponsor elected to apply the ARPA provisions beginning with the 2022 plan year. The rates are as follows:

Assumption	Payments in the First 5 Years	Payments in Years 6 – 20	Payments Thereafter	Effective Interest Rate
Current Year, reflecting stabilization	4.75%	4.87%	5.59%	5.17%
Current Year, without stabilization	3.62%	4.46%	4.52%	4.45%
Prior Year, reflecting stabilization	4.75%	5.00%	5.74%	5.29%
Prior Year, without stabilization	1.41%	3.09%	3.58%	3.26%

Schedule SB, Part V – Actuarial Assumptions and Methods

Mortality Rates

Pri-2012 separate employee and annuitant healthy mortality tables, projected generationally using the Adjusted MP-2021 scale as described in the final IRS mortality regulations released in October 2023.

This assumption is one of the choices allowed by the regulations. The prior year assumption used RP-2006 separate employee and annuitant healthy mortality tables, projected through the valuation date plus a number of years that varies by age and sex per IRC 1.430(h)(3)-1(c)(3)(ii)(A) using scale MP-2021.

Salary Increases

3.00% for 2024 and 2025 and 2.50% thereafter. (Previously, 2.50% per year)

This assumption is based on historical and current data, adjusted to reflect estimated future experience as provided by the plan sponsor and professional judgment.

Benefit Election

Life annuity

This assumption is based on historical and current data, adjusted to reflect estimated future experience and professional judgment.

Schedule SB, Part V – Actuarial Assumptions and Methods

Sample Termination Rates

Age	Male	Female
20	15.00%	26.25%
25	12.00	21.75
30	9.00	17.63
35	6.88	14.13
40	5.13	10.75
45	3.25	7.50
50	0.60	1.70
55	0.60	1.70
60+	0.00	0.00

This assumption is based on historical and current data, adjusted to reflect estimated future experience and professional judgment.

Employee Contribution Interest Crediting Rate

3.00% per year

Retirement (From Active Status) Rates

Age	Rates
60	5%
61	15
62	30
63-64	20
65	35
66-68	10
69	50
70	100

This assumption is based on historical and current data, adjusted to reflect estimated future experience and professional judgment.

Schedule SB, Part V – Actuarial Assumptions and Methods

Description of Weighted Average Retirement Age

Age 64, determined as follows: The weighted average retirement age is calculated as the sum of the product of each potential past or future retirement age times the probability of surviving to that age and then retiring at that age, assuming no other decrements.

Retirement From Inactive Status

Age 60

Percent Married

95%. Spouse is assumed to be the opposite gender.

Age Difference

Male spouses are assumed to be two years older than female spouses.

Administrative Expenses

An expense assumption is required under the funding rules. Plan-related expenses of \$200,000 (previously, \$175,000) are expected to be paid by the plan during the year.

This assumption is based on recent historical data, adjusted to reflect estimated future experience and professional judgment.

Asset Method

As selected by the plan sponsor, assets are determined by averaging the market value as of the valuation date and the adjusted market values as of the preceding two years. The resulting value is limited to between 90% to 110% of market value of assets. The adjusted market values reflect cash flow and expected earnings to the valuation date. The expected earnings are based on an assumed rate of return of 6.55% for 2022 and 7.20% for 2023, not to exceed the applicable third segment rates of 5.92% for 2022 and 5.74% for 2023.

Funding Method

Funding method is unit credit actuarial cost method, as prescribed by law. The liability is measured on an accrual-to-date basis using mandated mortality tables and interest rates with no salary projection past the end of the year.

Schedule SB, Part V – Actuarial Assumptions and Methods

Actuarial Models

Segal valuation results are based on proprietary actuarial modeling software. The actuarial valuation models generate a comprehensive set of liability and cost calculations that are presented to meet regulatory, legislative and client requirements. Our Actuarial Technology and Systems unit, comprising both actuaries and programmers, is responsible for the initial development and maintenance of these models. The models have a modular structure that allows for a high degree of accuracy, flexibility and user control. The client team programs the assumptions and the plan provisions, validates the models, and reviews test lives and results, under the supervision of the responsible actuary.

SCHEDULE SB (Form 5500) <small>Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service</small> <small>Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration</small> <small>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation</small>	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.	<small>OMB No. 1210-0110</small> 2024 This Form is Open to Public Inspection
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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.

A Name of plan RETIREMENT PLAN FOR EMPLOYEES OF THE O'CONNELL COMPANIES, INC.	B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶	017
C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 or 5500-SF THE OCONNELL COMPANIES, INC.	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 04-2669288	
E Type of plan: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Single <input type="checkbox"/> Multiple-A <input type="checkbox"/> Multiple-B	F 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

1 Enter the valuation date: Month <u>01</u> Day <u>01</u> Year <u>2024</u>			
2 Assets:			
a Market value	2a	61,149,930	
b Actuarial value	2b	65,003,531	
3 Funding target/participant count breakdown	(1) Number of participants	(2) Vested Funding Target	(3) Total Funding Target
a For retired participants and beneficiaries receiving payment	163	32,651,555	32,651,555
b For terminated vested participants	93	7,012,329	7,012,329
c For active participants	156	20,263,662	20,478,430
d Total	412	59,927,546	60,142,314
4 If the plan is in at-risk status, check the box and complete lines (a) and (b)	<input type="checkbox"/>		
a Funding target disregarding prescribed at-risk assumptions	4a		
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	4b		
5 Effective interest rate	5	5.17%	
6 Target normal cost			
a Present value of current plan year accruals	6a	2,124,524	
b Expected plan-related expenses	6b	200,000	
c Target normal cost	6c	1,973,987	

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.

SIGN HERE	Henry P. Nearing Signature of actuary	<u>08/29/2025</u> Date <u>2307257</u> Most recent enrollment number <u>860-678-3036</u> Telephone number (including area code)
Henry P. Nearing Type or print name of actuary SEGAL Firm name 30 WATERSIDE DRIVE, SUITE 300 FARMINGTON CT 06032 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

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Part V Assumptions Used to Determine Funding Target and Target Normal Cost				
21 Discount rate:				
a Segment rates:	1st segment: 4.75%	2nd segment: 4.87%	3rd segment: 5.59%	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A, full yield curve used
b Applicable month (enter code).....				21b 4
22 Weighted average retirement age				22 64
23 Mortality table(s) (see instructions)	<input type="checkbox"/> Prescribed - combined <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Prescribed - separate <input type="checkbox"/> 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..... <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No				
25 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				
26 Demographic and benefit information				
a 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 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				
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 0
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 1,973,987
b Excess assets, if applicable, but not greater than line 31a				31b 441,289
32 Amortization installments:	Outstanding Balance		Installment	
a Net shortfall amortization installment	0		0	
b Waiver amortization installment	0		0	
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 1,532,698
	Carryover balance	Prefunding balance	Total balance	
35 Balances elected for use to offset funding requirement	0	1,532,698	1,532,698	
36 Additional cash requirement (line 34 minus line 35).....				36 0
37 Contributions allocated toward minimum required contribution for current year adjusted to valuation date (line 19c).....				37 0
38 Present value of excess contributions for current year (see instructions)				
a Total (excess, if any, of line 37 over line 36)				38a 0
b Portion included in line 38a attributable to use of prefunding and funding standard carryover balances				38b
39 Unpaid minimum required contribution for current year (excess, if any, of line 36 over line 37)				39 0
40 Unpaid minimum required contributions for all years				40 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. <input type="checkbox"/> 2019 <input type="checkbox"/> 2020 <input type="checkbox"/> 2021				

Schedule SB, Line 22 - Description of Weighted Average Retirement Age

Retirement Plan for Employees of the O'Connell Companies, Inc.
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<u>Age</u>	<u>Assumed rate of retirement</u>	<u>Assumed number retiring</u>	<u>Age times number retiring</u>
60	5.0%	5	300
61	15.0%	14	854
62	30.0%	24	1,488
63	20.0%	11	693
64	20.0%	9	576
65	35.0%	13	845
66	10.0%	2	132
67	10.0%	2	134
68	10.0%	2	136
69	50.0%	9	621
70	100.0%	9	630
			6,409
		Weighted Average Retirement Age:	64.09

Schedule SB, Part V – Plan Provisions

This subsection summarizes the major provisions of the Plan as included in the valuation. It is not intended to be, nor should it be interpreted as, a complete statement of all plan provisions.

Plan Status

Closed to new hires effective December 31, 2020

Normal Retirement

- Age Requirement: 65
- Service Requirement: None
- Amount: 1.0% times Final Average Salary up to \$7,800, plus 1.75% times Final Average Salary in excess of \$7,800, times years and completed months of benefit service.

Final Average Salary (FAS) is the five consecutive plan years that give the highest average out of the last ten plan years. For participants with fewer than five full years of pay, partial years are not pro-rated. Earnings used in the calculation of FAS are based upon base pay, which excludes overtime payments, shift premiums, bonuses, other extra compensation, or extra benefits of whatever nature, but will include cash-outs of unused, accrued vacation pay, as well as severance compensation paid solely on account of termination, as long as it is paid before the participant's date of termination.

Schedule SB, Part V – Plan Provisions

Early Retirement

- Age Requirement: 55
- Service Requirement: None
- Amount: Regular pension accrued, reduced

Age	Percentage Reduction
64	2.0%
63	4.0
62	6.0
61	8.0
60	10.0
59	36.3
58	40.5
57	44.2
56	47.7
55	50.8

Late Retirement

The greater of normal pension accrued to late retirement date, or items (a) + (b) – (c) where:

- a. The amount of normal pension accrued to normal retirement date
- b. The amount of normal pension accrued attributable to participant contributions actuarially increased to late retirement date
- c. The amount of normal pension accrued attributable to participant contributions at normal retirement date

Schedule SB, Part V – Plan Provisions

Vesting

- Age Requirement: Once participants attain age 55, they are 100% vested. Prior to age 55, vesting percentage is determined by service in the table below.
- Service Requirement:

Years of Participation	Vesting Percentage
Less than 1	0%
1 but less than 2	10
2 but less than 3	20
3 but less than 4	30
4 but less than 5	40
5 but less than 6	60
6 but less than 7	80
7 or more	100

If a participant terminates and takes a return of contributions with interest, the participant will forfeit the employer portion of the benefit if they are less than 50% vested.

- Amount: Normal pension accrued payable at age 65.

Pre-Retirement Death Benefits (Spouse's benefit 1)

- Age & Service Requirement: Age 40 with 10 years of service or age 55 and deceased while working
- Amount: 50% of benefit employee accrued up to the date of death, payable the first day of the month following the death of the employee.

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Pre-Retirement Death Benefits (Spouse's benefit 2)

- Age Requirement: None
- Service Requirement: Any vested interest in Employer benefit and not eligible for Spouse's benefit 1.
- Amount: 50% of vested benefit employee accrued up to the date of death, reduced for early retirement and the joint and survivor option, payable immediately.

Pre-Retirement Death Benefits (Death benefit)

Available if not eligible for Spouse's benefit 1 or 2

- Amount: Return of employee's contributions plus interest

Participation

- Service Requirement: Completion of one year of service (1,000 hours)
- Employee Contribution Requirement: 1.25% of earnings up to \$7,800 plus 2.5% of earnings greater than \$7,800

Plan was closed to new hires as of December 31, 2020

Eligible Employees

An employee who is not covered under the terms of a collective bargaining agreement, and is in Service and the Employer is not required to contribute to any private retirement plan for such person other than this Plan and is not a leased employee as defined in Section 414 of the Code.

Service

- Benefit: Period of employment while participating in a plan and member is contributing to the plan, measured in completed years and months.
- Vesting: On year of vesting service is credited for each calendar year in which at least 1,000 hours are worked. If an employee is eligible to join the plan but does not make the required contributions, that period of time is excluded for vesting service.

Schedule SB, Part V – Plan Provisions

Forms of Benefit

- Normal Form: If married, pension benefits are paid in the form of a joint and survivor annuity unless this form is rejected by employee and his or her spouse. If not rejected, the benefit amount otherwise payable is reduced to reflect the joint and survivor coverage. If rejected, or if not married, benefits are payable for the life of the employee without reduction or in any other available optional form elected by the employee in an actuarially equivalent amount.
- Optional Forms: 50%, 75%, or 100% joint and survivor, 10 or 15 year certain and life, Social Security adjustment option, lump sum if employer provided piece is less than \$20,000
- Actuarial Equivalence: 2% interest and the 1937 standard table with a 5-year setback for the member and no setback for the joint payee. For Social Security adjustment option or lump sum, 417(e) applies, with lookback month of November (published in December). For the lump sum and level income options, actuarial equivalence is based on 417(e) assumptions.

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Schedule SB, Line 24 – Justification for Changes in Actuarial Assumptions

Non-Prescribed Assumption Changes Since Prior Valuation

Assumption Type: Administrative Expense

Current Assumptions: \$200,000

Prior Assumptions: \$175,000

Reason for Change: Updated for future expectation based on recent experience

Assumption Type: Salary Scale

Current Assumptions: 3% for 2024 and 2025, then 2.50% thereafter

Prior Assumptions: 2.50%

- Reason for Change: Updated for future expectation based on recent experience