

Form 5500-SFDepartment of the Treasury
Internal Revenue ServiceDepartment of Labor
Employee Benefits Security Administration
Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation**Short Form Annual Return/Report of Small Employee
Benefit Plan**This form is required to be filed under sections 104 and 4065 of the Employee Retirement
Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), and sections 6057(b) and 6058(a) of the Internal
Revenue Code (the Code).▶ **Complete all entries in accordance with the instructions to the Form 5500-SF.**OMB Nos. 1210-0110
1210-0089**2024****This Form is Open to
Public Inspection****Part I Annual Report Identification Information**For calendar plan year 2024 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2024 and ending 12/31/2024

- A** This return/report is for: a single-employer plan a multiple-employer plan (not multiemployer) (Pension Plan filers checking this box must attach Schedule MEP. Other plans must attach a list of participating employer information in accordance with the form instructions.)
- B** This return/report is the first return/report the final return/report
 an amended return/report a short plan year return/report (less than 12 months)
- C** Check box if filing under: Form 5558 automatic extension DFVC program
 special extension (enter description)
- D** If the plan is a collectively-bargained plan, check here ▶
- E** If this is a retroactively adopted plan permitted by SECURE Act section 201, check here ▶

Part II Basic Plan Information—enter all requested information

1a Name of plan <u>L.E.K. CONSULTING LLC RETIREMENT PLAN</u>	1b Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ <u>003</u>
	1c Effective date of plan <u>01/01/2016</u>
2a Plan sponsor's name (employer, if for a single-employer plan) Mailing address (include room, apt., suite no. and street, or P.O. Box) City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code (if foreign, see instructions) <u>L.E.K. CONSULTING LLC</u> <u>75 STATE STREET, 19TH FLOOR</u> <u>BOSTON, MA 02109</u>	2b Employer Identification Number (EIN) <u>04-3313799</u>
	2c Sponsor's telephone number <u>617-951-9572</u>
	2d Business code (see instructions) <u>541600</u>
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
5a Total number of participants at the beginning of the plan year	5a <u>105</u>
b Total number of participants at the end of the plan year	5b <u>108</u>
c(1) Number of participants with account balances as of the beginning of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item)	5c(1)
c(2) Number of participants with account balances as of the end of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item)	5c(2)
d(1) Total number of active participants at the beginning of the plan year	5d(1) <u>97</u>
d(2) Total number of active participants at the end of the plan year	5d(2) <u>94</u>
e Number of participants who terminated employment during the plan year with accrued benefits that were less than 100% vested	5e <u>0</u>

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Under penalties of perjury and other penalties set forth in the instructions, I declare that I have examined this return/report, including, if applicable, a Schedule SB or Schedule MB completed and signed by an enrolled actuary, as well as the electronic version of this return/report, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete.

SIGN HERE	<u>Filed with authorized/valid electronic signature.</u>	<u>10/13/2025</u>	<u>ANDREW PANTUOSCO</u>
	Signature of plan administrator	Date	Enter name of individual signing as plan administrator
SIGN HERE			
	Signature of employer/plan sponsor	Date	Enter name of individual signing as employer or plan sponsor

- 6a** Were all of the plan's assets during the plan year invested in eligible assets? (See instructions.) Yes No
- b** Are you claiming a waiver of the annual examination and report of an independent qualified public accountant (IQPA) under 29 CFR 2520.104-46? (See instructions on waiver eligibility and conditions.) Yes No
- If you answered "No" to either line 6a or line 6b, the plan cannot use Form 5500-SF and must instead use Form 5500.**
- c** If the plan is a defined benefit plan, is it covered under the PBGC insurance program (see ERISA section 4021)? Yes No Not determined
- If "Yes" is checked, enter the My PAA confirmation number from the PBGC premium filing for this plan year: 546612. (See instructions.)

Part III Financial Information			
7 Plan Assets and Liabilities		(a) Beginning of Year	(b) End of Year
a Total plan assets	7a	27106204	33189386
b Total plan liabilities	7b		
c Net plan assets (subtract line 7b from line 7a)	7c	27106204	33189386
8 Income, Expenses, and Transfers for this Plan Year		(a) Amount	(b) Total
a Contributions received or receivable from:			
(1) Employers	8a(1)	4772500	
(2) Participants	8a(2)		
(3) Others (including rollovers)	8a(3)		
b Other income (loss)	8b	3103864	
c Total income (add lines 8a(1), 8a(2), 8a(3), and 8b)	8c		7876364
d Benefits paid (including direct rollovers and insurance premiums to provide benefits)	8d	1793182	
e Certain deemed and/or corrective distributions (see instructions) .	8e		
f Administrative service providers (salaries, fees, commissions)	8f		
g Other expenses	8g		
h Total expenses (add lines 8d, 8e, 8f, and 8g)	8h		1793182
i Net income (loss) (subtract line 8h from line 8c)	8i		6083182
j Transfers to (from) the plan (see instructions)	8j		

Part IV Plan Characteristics	
9a	If the plan provides pension benefits, enter the applicable pension feature codes from the List of Plan Characteristic Codes in the instructions: <u>1C</u>
b	If the plan provides welfare benefits, enter the applicable welfare feature codes from the List of Plan Characteristic Codes in the instructions:

Part V Compliance Questions				
10 During the plan year:		Yes	No	Amount
a Was there a failure to transmit to the plan any participant contributions within the time period described in 29 CFR 2510.3-102? Continue to answer "Yes" for any prior year failures until fully corrected. (See instructions and DOL's Voluntary Fiduciary Correction Program)	10a		X	
b Were there any nonexempt transactions with any party-in-interest? (Do not include transactions reported on line 10a.)	10b		X	
c Was the plan covered by a fidelity bond?	10c	X		1000000
d Did the plan have a loss, whether or not reimbursed by the plan's fidelity bond, that was caused by fraud or dishonesty?	10d		X	
e Were any fees or commissions paid to any brokers, agents, or other persons by an insurance carrier, insurance service, or other organization that provides some or all of the benefits under the plan? (See instructions.)	10e		X	
f Has the plan failed to provide any benefit when due under the plan?	10f		X	
g Did the plan have any participant loans? (If "Yes," enter amount as of year-end.)	10g		X	
h If this is an individual account plan, was there a blackout period? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-3.)	10h			
i If 10h was answered "Yes," check the box if you either provided the required notice or one of the exceptions to providing the notice applied under 29 CFR 2520.101-3	10i			

Part VI Pension Funding Compliance

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

a Enter the unpaid minimum required contributions for all years from Schedule SB (Form 5500) line 40 **11a** 0

b PBGC missed contribution reporting requirements. If the plan is covered by PBGC and the amount reported on line 11a is greater than \$0, has PBGC been notified as required by ERISA sections 4043(c)(5) and/or 303(k)(4)? Check the applicable box:
 Yes.
 No. Reporting was waived under 29 CFR 4043.25(c)(2) because contributions equal to or exceeding the unpaid minimum required contribution were made by the 30th day after the due date.
 No. The 30-day period referenced in 29 CFR 4043.25(c)(2) has not yet ended, and the sponsor intends to make a contribution equal to or exceeding the unpaid minimum required contribution by the 30th day after the due date.
 No. Other. Provide explanation _____

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

a If a waiver of the minimum funding standard for a prior year is being amortized in this plan year, see instructions, and enter the date of the letter ruling granting the waiver. Month Day Year

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

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

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

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

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

Part VII Plan Terminations and Transfers of Assets

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

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

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

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

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

Part VIII IRS Compliance Questions

14a Does the plan satisfy the coverage and nondiscrimination tests of Code sections 410(b) and 401(a)(4) by combining this plan with any other plans under the permissive aggregation rules? Yes No

14b If this is a Code section 401(k) plan, check all boxes that apply to indicate how the plan is intended to satisfy the nondiscrimination requirements for employee deferrals and employer matching contributions (as applicable) under Code sections 401(k)(3) and 401(m)(2).
 Design-based safe harbor method
 "Prior year" ADP test
 "Current year" ADP test
 N/A

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

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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C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 or 5500-SF <u>L.E.K. CONSULTING LLC</u>	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) <u>04-3313799</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>27106204</u>
	b Actuarial value	2b	<u>27106204</u>
3	Funding target/participant count breakdown	(1) Number of participants	(2) Vested Funding Target
	a For retired participants and beneficiaries receiving payment	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
	b For terminated vested participants	<u>14</u>	<u>3826855</u>
	c For active participants	<u>97</u>	<u>22280372</u>
	d Total	<u>111</u>	<u>26107227</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>4.95 %</u>
6	Target normal cost		
	a Present value of current plan year accruals	6a	<u>3874092</u>
	b Expected plan-related expenses	6b	<u>0</u>
	c Target normal cost	6c	<u>3874092</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>10/10/2025</u> Date
	<u>DANIEL BALSAM</u> Type or print name of actuary	<u>23-06747</u> Most recent enrollment number
	<u>FIDELITY INVESTMENTS</u> Firm name	<u>212-335-5327</u> Telephone number (including area code)
	<u>640 FIFTH AVENUE IN2 NEW YORK CITY, NY 10019</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 %	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 62
23 Mortality table(s) (see instructions)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Prescribed - combined	<input 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	3874092	
b Excess assets, if applicable, but not greater than line 31a	31b	852359	
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	3021733	
	Carryover balance	Prefunding balance	Total balance
35 Balances elected for use to offset funding requirement			0
36 Additional cash requirement (line 34 minus line 35)	36	3021733	
37 Contributions allocated toward minimum required contribution for current year adjusted to valuation date (line 19c)	37	4546803	
38 Present value of excess contributions for current year (see instructions)			
a Total (excess, if any, of line 37 over line 36)	38a	1525070	
b Portion included in line 38a attributable to use of prefunding and funding standard carryover balances.....	38b	0	
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

Actuarial Assumptions and Methods

ERISA Interest Rates as required by IRC Section 430 based on plan sponsor election of the look-back month for the segment rates:

“Minimum” means for the purpose of calculating the PPA funding liability and normal cost for the minimum required contribution.

“Maximum” means for the purpose of calculating the PPA funding liability and normal cost for the maximum tax-deductible contribution.

Purpose	2024 Plan Year		2023 Plan Year	
	Minimum	Maximum	Minimum	Maximum
Interest rate type	Stabilized	Non-Stabilized	Stabilized	Non-Stabilized
Segment rates or full yield curve	Segment	Segment	Segment	Segment
Look-back months	4	4	4	4
First five years	4.75%	3.62%	4.75%	1.41%
Next 15 years	4.87%	4.46%	5.00%	3.09%
Over 20 years	5.59%	4.52%	5.74%	3.58%
Applicable law for the segment rates corridor	ARPA	Not Applicable	ARPA	Not Applicable

Interest Crediting Rate: 4.46% (previously 3.09%). This was updated to reflect market conditions for the 2024 plan year.

Administrative Expenses: No administrative expenses are included in the development of the Target Normal Cost.

Mortality:

Pre-Retirement: IRS 2024 Small Plan Combined Static Mortality Table (previously IRS 2023 Small Plan Combined Static Mortality Table).

Post-Retirement: IRS 2024 Small Plan Combined Static Mortality Table (previously IRS 2023 Small Plan Combined Static Mortality Table).

Actuarial Assumptions and Methods (continued)

Retirement Rates:

Active Employees: 100% at age 62.

Terminated Employees: Immediate

Termination Rates: The Small Plan Termination Table from the 2003 study of pension plan turnover experience conducted by the Society of Actuaries. This is based on an expectation of future termination experience. Sample rates shown below.

<u>Age</u>	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>Rate</u>
25	18.5%	45	6.2%
30	12.2%	50	5.6%
35	8.8%	55	2.9%
40	7.0%	60	2.2%

Marital Status: Marital status is not applicable in the valuation due to the death benefit being 100% of the vested accrued benefit and the assumed form of payment being a lump sum.

Maximum Benefit: \$275,000 for 2024. No future increases in the IRC Section 415 limit have been reflected.

Maximum Salary: \$345,000 for 2024. No future increases in the salary limit have been reflected.

Form of Payment: It has been assumed benefits will be paid as a lump sum. To the extent optional forms of payment are elected and conversions are determined on an actuarial basis, which differs from the basis funded in the valuation, gains or losses will occur. These gains or losses will be recognized through the routine application of the actuarial cost method.

Actuarial Value of Plan Assets for Funding Purposes: The actuarial value of assets is equal to the market value of assets (including discounted employer contributions receivable) on the valuation date.

Actuarial Assumptions and Methods (continued)

Shortfall Amortization Charge for ERISA Funding Purposes: Per IRC Section 430(c), the shortfall amortization charge for any plan year is the aggregate total (not less than zero) of the shortfall amortization installments for such plan year with respect to any shortfall amortization base which has not been fully amortized. The shortfall amortization installments are the amounts necessary to amortize the shortfall amortization base of the plan for any plan year in level annual installments over the 15-year period beginning with such plan year.

Actuarial Cost Method: The unit credit cost method is used for ERISA Funding Target (FT). Under this method, accrued pension benefits are determined for all eligible active participants. These benefits reflect service, salary and negotiated benefit increases to date. The liability is then equal to the present value of all benefits for inactive participants plus the PVAB for active participants.

The normal cost is determined on an individual basis for all active participants and is equal to the present value of the difference between the current accrued benefit and the anticipated accrued benefit one year later, with the accrued benefit based upon earnings, or negotiated benefit increases, to date in both cases. The target normal cost is equal to the sum of the individual normal costs plus assumed administrative expenses expected to be paid from the trust.

The projected unit credit method is used for IRS maximum deductible limit cushion amount. Under this method, accrued pension benefits are determined for all eligible active participants reflecting service to date and anticipated salary and negotiated benefit increases to the assumed retirement age. This liability for active participants is then added to the present value of all benefits for inactive participants to determine the total liability under this method.

Disclosure of Reliance on Models

ProVal valuation software was used to develop the liabilities, financial results, and contribution calculations for the plan year. ProVal, developed by Winklevoss Technologies, has been reviewed by experts at Fidelity Workplace Investing, LLC and deemed appropriate to use for this purpose. Participant data, assumptions, methods and plan provisions for this Plan were entered and programmed into ProVal and reviewed for completeness.

**SCHEDULE SB
(Form 5500)**

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Internal Revenue Service

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Actuarial Information**

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2	Assets:			
	a Market value	2a	27,106,204	
	b Actuarial value	2b	27,106,204	
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	0	0	0
	b For terminated vested participants	14	3,826,855	3,826,855
	c For active participants	97	22,280,372	22,426,990
	d Total	111	26,107,227	26,253,845
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	4.95%	
6	Target normal cost			
	a Present value of current plan year accruals	6a	3,874,092	
	b Expected plan-related expenses	6b	0	
	c Target normal cost	6c	3,874,092	

Statement by Enrolled Actuary
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SIGN HERE	<u>Daniel Balsam</u> <u>(DSB)</u>	<u>10/10/2025</u>
	Signature of actuary	Date
<u>DANIEL BALSAM</u>	Type or print name of actuary	<u>2306747</u>
<u>FIDELITY INVESTMENTS</u>	Firm name	Most recent enrollment number
<u>640 FIFTH AVENUE IN2</u>	<u>NEW YORK CITY NY 10019</u>	<u>212-335-5327</u>
<u>NEW YORK CITY NY 10019</u>		Telephone number (including area code)
Address of the firm		

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b Applicable month (enter code).....				21b 4
22 Weighted average retirement age				22 62
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Part VI Miscellaneous Items

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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
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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	3,874,092	
b Excess assets, if applicable, but not greater than line 31a	31b	852,359	
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	3,021,733	
	Carryover balance	Prefunding balance	Total balance
35 Balances elected for use to offset funding requirement			0
36 Additional cash requirement (line 34 minus line 35).....	36	3,021,733	
37 Contributions allocated toward minimum required contribution for current year adjusted to valuation date (line 19c).....	37	4,546,803	
38 Present value of excess contributions for current year (see instructions)			
a Total (excess, if any, of line 37 over line 36)	38a	1,525,070	
b Portion included in line 38a attributable to use of prefunding and funding standard carryover balances	38b	0	
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. 2019 2020 2021

Assumed Retirement Age - 100% of the participants are assumed to retire at the date the plan's normal retirement age is attained, which is defined as:

Attainment of age 62

Participants who have passed their Normal Retirement Date as defined above are assumed to retire on first day of the year following the valuation date.

The weighted average retirement age is 62.

Plan Provisions

Name of Plan: L.E.K. Consulting LLC Retirement Plan.

Employer Identification Number / Plan Number: 04-3313799 / 003.

Effective Date: January 1, 2016. Most recently amended effective June 4, 2022.

Eligibility: All employees not excluded by class are eligible to enter on the January 1 coincident with or following becoming an eligible employee of the Plan.

Eligible Employee: Any employee who is a Managing Director. Effective January 1, 2021, the COO and Principals are not Eligible Employees.

Normal Retirement Age: All participants are eligible to retire with their full retirement benefit on attainment of age 62.

Normal Retirement Benefit: Actuarial equivalence of the Deemed Account Balance. See Cash Balance for more details.

Normal Form of Benefit: A benefit payable for the life of the participant.

Accrued Benefit: The accumulated Cash Balance described below.

Termination Benefit: Upon termination for any reason other than death or retirement, a participant shall be entitled to a portion of the actuarial equivalent of his accrued benefit.

Vesting: All participants are 100% vested in their Accrued Benefit at all times.

Top-Heavy Status: A plan is top-heavy if over 60% of the value of all accrued benefits in all of the employer's plans are for the benefit of key employees. A key employee is generally an officer or owner of the company. This plan is currently not top-heavy.

Death Benefit: Actuarial Equivalent of the accrued benefit earned to date of death.

Plan Provisions (continued)

Cash Balance: The Deemed Account Balance is the sum of Deemed Plan Year Allocations and Deemed Investment Experience.

For each year of plan participation, the Deemed Plan Year Allocation is based on employment type and, if applicable, member base salary in the following manner:

Beginning with the 2022 plan year, allocations for Managing Directors are based on base salary as follows:

Member Base Salary as of January 1	Deemed Plan Year Allocation
\$100,000 - \$399,999	\$10,000
\$400,000 - \$449,999	\$20,000
\$450,000 - \$499,999	\$40,000
\$500,000 or greater	\$100,000

No Deemed Plan Year Allocation will be credited for participants who terminate during the plan year with less than 1,000 hours. Participants who terminate during the plan year with 1,000 or more hours will be credited with a Deemed Plan Year Allocation, prorated by the ratio of months in which the participant is credited with at least one hour of service over 12 total months.

The Deemed Investment Experience is credited daily based on the actual rate of return of the Trust.

Change in Actuarial Assumptions

Interest Crediting Rate: 4.46% (previously 3.09%). This was updated to reflect market conditions for the 2024 plan year.