

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

Part II Basic Plan Information—enter all requested information

1a Name of plan: PARADIES LAGARDERE 401(K) PLAN
1b Three-digit plan number (PN): 001
1c Effective date of plan: 07/01/1978
2a Plan sponsor's name (employer, if for a single-employer plan): THE PARADIES SHOPS, LLC
2b Employer Identification Number (EIN): 58-0839094
2c Plan Sponsor's telephone number: 404-344-7905
2d Business code (see instructions): 453220

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.

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

<b>3a</b> Plan administrator's name and address <input type="checkbox"/> Same as Plan Sponsor  THE PARADIES SHOPS, LLC  2849 PACES FERRY ROAD SE ATLANTA, GA 30339		<b>3b</b> Administrator's EIN 58-0839094	
		<b>3c</b> Administrator's telephone number 404-344-7905	
<b>4</b> If the name and/or EIN of the plan sponsor or the plan name has changed since the last return/report filed for this plan, enter the plan sponsor's name, EIN, the plan name and the plan number from the last return/report: <b>a</b> Sponsor's name <b>c</b> Plan Name		<b>4b</b> EIN	
		<b>4d</b> PN	
<b>5</b> Total number of participants at the beginning of the plan year	<b>5</b>	8449	
<b>6</b> Number of participants as of the end of the plan year unless otherwise stated (welfare plans complete only lines <b>6a(1)</b> , <b>6a(2)</b> , <b>6b</b> , <b>6c</b> , and <b>6d</b> ).			
<b>6a(1)</b> Total number of active participants at the beginning of the plan year .....	<b>6a(1)</b>	7876	
<b>6a(2)</b> Total number of active participants at the end of the plan year .....	<b>6a(2)</b>	7459	
<b>b</b> Retired or separated participants receiving benefits.....	<b>6b</b>	0	
<b>c</b> Other retired or separated participants entitled to future benefits .....	<b>6c</b>	651	
<b>d</b> Subtotal. Add lines <b>6a(2)</b> , <b>6b</b> , and <b>6c</b> .....	<b>6d</b>	8110	
<b>e</b> Deceased participants whose beneficiaries are receiving or are entitled to receive benefits. ....	<b>6e</b>	3	
<b>f</b> Total. Add lines <b>6d</b> and <b>6e</b> .....	<b>6f</b>	8113	
<b>g(1)</b> Number of participants with account balances as of the beginning of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item) .....	<b>6g(1)</b>	2279	
<b>g(2)</b> Number of participants with account balances as of the end of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item) .....	<b>6g(2)</b>	2499	
<b>h</b> Number of participants who terminated employment during the plan year with accrued benefits that were less than 100% vested.....	<b>6h</b>	101	
<b>7</b> Enter the total number of employers obligated to contribute to the plan (only multiemployer plans complete this item) .....	<b>7</b>		

**8a** If the plan provides pension benefits, enter the applicable pension feature codes from the List of Plan Characteristics Codes in the instructions:  
2E 2F 2G 2J 2K 3D

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

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

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

<b>a Pension Schedules</b>		<b>b General Schedules</b>	
(1) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>R</b> (Retirement Plan Information)	(1) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>H</b> (Financial Information)	(2) <input type="checkbox"/> <b>I</b> (Financial Information – Small Plan)	(3) <input type="checkbox"/> <b>A</b> (Insurance Information) – Number Attached <u>0</u>
(2) <input type="checkbox"/> <b>MB</b> (Multiemployer Defined Benefit Plan and Certain Money Purchase Plan Actuarial Information) - signed by the plan actuary	(4) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>C</b> (Service Provider Information)	(5) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>D</b> (DFE/Participating Plan Information)	(6) <input type="checkbox"/> <b>G</b> (Financial Transaction Schedules)
(3) <input type="checkbox"/> <b>SB</b> (Single-Employer Defined Benefit Plan Actuarial Information) - signed by the plan actuary			
(4) <input type="checkbox"/> <b>DCG</b> (Individual Plan Information) – Number Attached _____			
(5) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>MEP</b> (Multiple-Employer Retirement Plan Information)			

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

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

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

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

**11c** Enter the Receipt Confirmation Code for the 2024 Form M-1 annual report. If the plan was not required to file the 2024 Form M-1 annual report, enter the Receipt Confirmation Code for the most recent Form M-1 that was required to be filed under the Form M-1 filing requirements. (Failure to enter a valid Receipt Confirmation Code will subject the Form 5500 filing to rejection as incomplete.)

Receipt Confirmation Code \_\_\_\_\_

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

<b>A</b> Name of plan <b>PARADIES LAGARDERE 401(K) PLAN</b>	<b>B</b> Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶	<b>001</b>
<b>C</b> Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 <b>THE PARADIES SHOPS, LLC</b>	<b>D</b> Employer Identification Number (EIN) <b>58-0839094</b>	

**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)

USI CONSULTING GROUP

06-1053228

(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?
15 16 50 64	NONE	70630	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	0	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

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

MATRIX TRUST COMPANY

75-3182674

(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?
21 25 50	NONE	9779	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	0	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

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

(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?
			Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input 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.

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

<b>(a)</b> Enter name and EIN or address of service provider (see instructions)	<b>(b)</b> Nature of Service Code(s)	<b>(c)</b> 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)

<b>a</b> Name:	<b>b</b> EIN:
<b>c</b> Position:	
<b>d</b> Address:	<b>e</b> Telephone:

Explanation:

<b>a</b> Name:	<b>b</b> EIN:
<b>c</b> Position:	
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Explanation:

<b>SCHEDULE D</b> <b>(Form 5500)</b>  <small>Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service</small>  <small>Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration</small>	<b>DFE/Participating Plan Information</b>  This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).  <b>▶ File as an attachment to Form 5500.</b>	<small>OMB No. 1210-0110</small>  <b>2024</b>  <b>This Form is Open to Public Inspection.</b>
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<b>Part I</b>	<b>Information on interests in MTIAs, CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs (to be completed by plans and DFEs)</b> (Complete as many entries as needed to report all interests in DFEs)
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<b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: <u>PUTNAM STABLE VALUE FUND</u>		
<b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <u>PUTNAM FIDUCIARY TRUST COMPANY, LLC</u>		
<b>c</b> EIN-PN <u>04-3159710-202</u>	<b>d</b> Entity code <u>C</u>	<b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <u>724722</u>
<b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:		
<b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):		
<b>c</b> EIN-PN	<b>d</b> Entity code	<b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)
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**a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:

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<b>SCHEDULE H</b> <b>(Form 5500)</b>  <small>Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service</small>  <small>Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration</small>  <small>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation</small>	<b>Financial Information</b>  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).  ▶ <b>File as an attachment to Form 5500.</b>	OMB No. 1210-0110  <b>2024</b>  <b>This Form is Open to Public Inspection</b>
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<b>C</b> Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 <b>THE PARADIES SHOPS, LLC</b>	<b>D</b> Employer Identification Number (EIN) <b>58-0839094</b>

<b>Part I</b>	<b>Asset and Liability Statement</b>
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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
<b>a</b> Total noninterest-bearing cash .....	<b>1a</b>	52651	23176
<b>b</b> Receivables (less allowance for doubtful accounts):			
<b>(1)</b> Employer contributions .....	<b>1b(1)</b>	59111	4619
<b>(2)</b> Participant contributions .....	<b>1b(2)</b>	164538	10505
<b>(3)</b> Other .....	<b>1b(3)</b>	0	0
<b>c</b> General investments:			
<b>(1)</b> Interest-bearing cash (include money market accounts & certificates of deposit) .....	<b>1c(1)</b>		
<b>(2)</b> U.S. Government securities .....	<b>1c(2)</b>		
<b>(3)</b> Corporate debt instruments (other than employer securities):			
<b>(A)</b> Preferred .....	<b>1c(3)(A)</b>		
<b>(B)</b> All other .....	<b>1c(3)(B)</b>		
<b>(4)</b> Corporate stocks (other than employer securities):			
<b>(A)</b> Preferred .....	<b>1c(4)(A)</b>		
<b>(B)</b> Common .....	<b>1c(4)(B)</b>		
<b>(5)</b> Partnership/joint venture interests .....	<b>1c(5)</b>		
<b>(6)</b> Real estate (other than employer real property) .....	<b>1c(6)</b>		
<b>(7)</b> Loans (other than to participants) .....	<b>1c(7)</b>		
<b>(8)</b> Participant loans .....	<b>1c(8)</b>	644429	1015076
<b>(9)</b> Value of interest in common/collective trusts .....	<b>1c(9)</b>	449146	724722
<b>(10)</b> Value of interest in pooled separate accounts .....	<b>1c(10)</b>		
<b>(11)</b> Value of interest in master trust investment accounts .....	<b>1c(11)</b>		
<b>(12)</b> Value of interest in 103-12 investment entities .....	<b>1c(12)</b>		
<b>(13)</b> Value of interest in registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds) .....	<b>1c(13)</b>	55441979	64941421
<b>(14)</b> Value of funds held in insurance company general account (unallocated contracts) .....	<b>1c(14)</b>		
<b>(15)</b> Other .....	<b>1c(15)</b>		

<b>1d</b> Employer-related investments:		(a) Beginning of Year	(b) End of Year
(1) Employer securities.....	<b>1d(1)</b>		
(2) Employer real property.....	<b>1d(2)</b>		
<b>e</b> Buildings and other property used in plan operation.....	<b>1e</b>		
<b>f</b> Total assets (add all amounts in lines 1a through 1e).....	<b>1f</b>	56811854	66719519
<b>Liabilities</b>			
<b>g</b> Benefit claims payable.....	<b>1g</b>	44294	23176
<b>h</b> Operating payables.....	<b>1h</b>		
<b>i</b> Acquisition indebtedness.....	<b>1i</b>		
<b>j</b> Other liabilities.....	<b>1j</b>	791113	1078479
<b>k</b> Total liabilities (add all amounts in lines 1g through 1j).....	<b>1k</b>	835407	1101655
<b>Net Assets</b>			
<b>l</b> Net assets (subtract line 1k from line 1f).....	<b>1l</b>	55976447	65617864

**Part II Income and Expense Statement**

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

<b>Income</b>		(a) Amount	(b) Total
<b>a Contributions:</b>			
(1) Received or receivable in cash from: <b>(A)</b> Employers.....	<b>2a(1)(A)</b>	2043716	
<b>(B)</b> Participants.....	<b>2a(1)(B)</b>	5814372	
<b>(C)</b> Others (including rollovers).....	<b>2a(1)(C)</b>	2068019	
(2) Noncash contributions.....	<b>2a(2)</b>		
(3) Total contributions. Add lines <b>2a(1)(A)</b> , <b>(B)</b> , <b>(C)</b> , and line <b>2a(2)</b> .....	<b>2a(3)</b>		9926107
<b>b Earnings on investments:</b>			
<b>(1) Interest:</b>			
<b>(A)</b> Interest-bearing cash (including money market accounts and certificates of deposit).....	<b>2b(1)(A)</b>		
<b>(B)</b> U.S. Government securities.....	<b>2b(1)(B)</b>		
<b>(C)</b> Corporate debt instruments.....	<b>2b(1)(C)</b>		
<b>(D)</b> Loans (other than to participants).....	<b>2b(1)(D)</b>		
<b>(E)</b> Participant loans.....	<b>2b(1)(E)</b>	51399	
<b>(F)</b> Other.....	<b>2b(1)(F)</b>		
<b>(G)</b> Total interest. Add lines <b>2b(1)(A)</b> through <b>(F)</b> .....	<b>2b(1)(G)</b>		51399
<b>(2) Dividends:</b>			
<b>(A)</b> Preferred stock.....	<b>2b(2)(A)</b>		
<b>(B)</b> Common stock.....	<b>2b(2)(B)</b>		
<b>(C)</b> Registered investment company shares (e.g. mutual funds).....	<b>2b(2)(C)</b>	520204	
<b>(D)</b> Total dividends. Add lines <b>2b(2)(A)</b> , <b>(B)</b> , and <b>(C)</b> .....	<b>2b(2)(D)</b>		520204
(3) Rents.....	<b>2b(3)</b>		
<b>(4) Net gain (loss) on sale of assets:</b>			
<b>(A)</b> Aggregate proceeds.....	<b>2b(4)(A)</b>		
<b>(B)</b> Aggregate carrying amount (see instructions).....	<b>2b(4)(B)</b>		
<b>(C)</b> Subtract line <b>2b(4)(B)</b> from line <b>2b(4)(A)</b> and enter result.....	<b>2b(4)(C)</b>		
<b>(5) Unrealized appreciation (depreciation) of assets:</b>			
<b>(A)</b> Real estate.....	<b>2b(5)(A)</b>		
<b>(B)</b> Other.....	<b>2b(5)(B)</b>		
<b>(C)</b> Total unrealized appreciation of assets. Add lines <b>2b(5)(A)</b> and <b>(B)</b> .....	<b>2b(5)(C)</b>		0

		(a) Amount	(b) Total
(6) Net investment gain (loss) from common/collective trusts .....	<b>2b(6)</b>		
(7) Net investment gain (loss) from pooled separate accounts .....	<b>2b(7)</b>		
(8) Net investment gain (loss) from master trust investment accounts .....	<b>2b(8)</b>		
(9) Net investment gain (loss) from 103-12 investment entities .....	<b>2b(9)</b>		
(10) Net investment gain (loss) from registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds) .....	<b>2b(10)</b>		4978576
<b>c</b> Other income .....	<b>2c</b>		
<b>d</b> Total income. Add all <b>income</b> amounts in column (b) and enter total .....	<b>2d</b>		15476286

**Expenses**

<b>e</b> Benefit payment and payments to provide benefits:			
(1) Directly to participants or beneficiaries, including direct rollovers .....	<b>2e(1)</b>	5754460	
(2) To insurance carriers for the provision of benefits .....	<b>2e(2)</b>		
(3) Other .....	<b>2e(3)</b>		
(4) Total benefit payments. Add lines <b>2e(1)</b> through <b>(3)</b> .....	<b>2e(4)</b>		5754460
<b>f</b> Corrective distributions (see instructions) .....	<b>2f</b>		
<b>g</b> Certain deemed distributions of participant loans (see instructions) .....	<b>2g</b>		
<b>h</b> Interest expense .....	<b>2h</b>		
<b>i</b> Administrative expenses:			
(1) Salaries and allowances .....	<b>2i(1)</b>		
(2) Contract administrator fees .....	<b>2i(2)</b>		
(3) Recordkeeping fees .....	<b>2i(3)</b>	70630	
(4) IQPA audit fees .....	<b>2i(4)</b>		
(5) Investment advisory and investment management fees .....	<b>2i(5)</b>		
(6) Bank or trust company trustee/custodial fees .....	<b>2i(6)</b>	9779	
(7) Actuarial fees .....	<b>2i(7)</b>		
(8) Legal fees .....	<b>2i(8)</b>		
(9) Valuation/appraisal fees .....	<b>2i(9)</b>		
(10) Other trustee fees and expenses .....	<b>2i(10)</b>		
(11) Other expenses .....	<b>2i(11)</b>		
(12) Total administrative expenses. Add lines <b>2i(1)</b> through <b>(11)</b> .....	<b>2i(12)</b>		80409
<b>j</b> Total expenses. Add all <b>expense</b> amounts in column (b) and enter total .....	<b>2j</b>		5834869

**Net Income and Reconciliation**

<b>k</b> Net income (loss). Subtract line <b>2j</b> from line <b>2d</b> .....	<b>2k</b>		9641417
<b>l</b> Transfers of assets:			
(1) To this plan .....	<b>2l(1)</b>		
(2) From this plan .....	<b>2l(2)</b>		

**Part III Accountant's Opinion**

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

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

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

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

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

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

(1) Name: **CARR, RIGGS, & INGRAM, LLC**

(2) EIN: **72-1396621**

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

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

**Part IV Compliance Questions**

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

During the plan year:

	Yes	No	Amount
<b>a</b> Was there a failure to transmit to the plan any participant contributions within the time period described in 29 CFR 2510.3-102? Continue to answer "Yes" for any prior year failures until fully corrected. (See instructions and DOL's Voluntary Fiduciary Correction Program.)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	1448878
<b>b</b> Were any loans by the plan or fixed income obligations due the plan in default as of the close of the plan year or classified during the year as uncollectible? Disregard participant loans secured by participant's account balance. (Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part I if "Yes" is checked.)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
<b>c</b> Were any leases to which the plan was a party in default or classified during the year as uncollectible? (Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part II if "Yes" is checked.)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
<b>d</b> Were there any nonexempt transactions with any party-in-interest? (Do not include transactions reported on line 4a. Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part III if "Yes" is checked.)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
<b>e</b> Was this plan covered by a fidelity bond?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	500000
<b>f</b> Did the plan have a loss, whether or not reimbursed by the plan's fidelity bond, that was caused by fraud or dishonesty?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
<b>g</b> Did the plan hold any assets whose current value was neither readily determinable on an established market nor set by an independent third party appraiser?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
<b>h</b> Did the plan receive any noncash contributions whose value was neither readily determinable on an established market nor set by an independent third party appraiser?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
<b>i</b> Did the plan have assets held for investment? (Attach schedule(s) of assets if "Yes" is checked, and see instructions for format requirements.)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>j</b> Were any plan transactions or series of transactions in excess of 5% of the current value of plan assets? (Attach schedule of transactions if "Yes" is checked and see instructions for format requirements.)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
<b>k</b> Were all the plan assets either distributed to participants or beneficiaries, transferred to another plan, or brought under the control of the PBGC?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
<b>l</b> Has the plan failed to provide any benefit when due under the plan?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
<b>m</b> If this is an individual account plan, was there a blackout period? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-3.)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
<b>n</b> If 4m was answered "Yes," check the "Yes" box if you either provided the required notice or one of the exceptions to providing the notice applied under 29 CFR 2520.101-3.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

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

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

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

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

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

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

<b>A</b> Name of plan <b>PARADIES LAGARDERE 401(K) PLAN</b>	<b>B</b> Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶	<b>001</b>
<b>C</b> Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 <b>THE PARADIES SHOPS, LLC</b>	<b>D</b> Employer Identification Number (EIN) <b>58-0839094</b>	

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

<b>1</b> Total value of distributions paid in property other than in cash or the forms of property specified in the instructions.....	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>
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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): 75-3182674

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

**Part V Additional Information for Multiemployer Defined Benefit Pension Plans**

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

**a** Name of contributing employer \_\_\_\_\_

**b** EIN \_\_\_\_\_ **c** Dollar amount contributed by employer \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) \_\_\_\_\_

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

**a** Name of contributing employer \_\_\_\_\_

**b** EIN \_\_\_\_\_ **c** Dollar amount contributed by employer \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) \_\_\_\_\_

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

**a** Name of contributing employer \_\_\_\_\_

**b** EIN \_\_\_\_\_ **c** Dollar amount contributed by employer \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) \_\_\_\_\_

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

**a** Name of contributing employer \_\_\_\_\_

**b** EIN \_\_\_\_\_ **c** Dollar amount contributed by employer \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) \_\_\_\_\_

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

**a** Name of contributing employer \_\_\_\_\_

**b** EIN \_\_\_\_\_ **c** Dollar amount contributed by employer \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) \_\_\_\_\_

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

**a** Name of contributing employer \_\_\_\_\_

**b** EIN \_\_\_\_\_ **c** Dollar amount contributed by employer \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

**Part VII IRS Compliance Questions**

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

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

**22** If the plan sponsor is an adopter of a pre-approved plan that received a favorable IRS Opinion Letter, enter the date of the Opinion Letter 06 / 30 / 2020 (MM/DD/YYYY) and the Opinion Letter serial number Q702587A.

<b>SCHEDULE MEP (Form 5500)</b>  <small>Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration</small>	<b>MULTIPLE-EMPLOYER RETIREMENT PLAN INFORMATION</b>  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)  <b>▶ File as an attachment to Form 5500.</b>	OMB No. 1210-0110  <b>2024</b>  <b>This Form is Open to Public Inspection</b>
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For calendar plan year 2024 or fiscal plan year beginning **01/01/2024** and ending **12/31/2024**

<b>A</b> Name of plan <b>PARADIES LAGARDERE 401(K) PLAN</b>	<b>B</b> Three-digit Plan number (PN)..... ▶	<b>001</b>
<b>C</b> Plan administrator's name as shown on line 3a of Form 5500/Form 5500-SF <b>THE PARADIES SHOPS, LLC</b>	<b>D</b> Administrator's EIN <b>58-0839094</b>	

**Part I Type of Multiple-Employer Pension Plan.** All multiple-employer pension plans must complete.

**1 Check the appropriate box to indicate type of multiple-employer pension plan. (Only defined contribution plans may check lines 1a, 1b, and 1c. Defined benefit plans and defined contribution plans not checking lines 1a, 1b, or 1c should check line 1d. See Instructions).**

- a**  association retirement plan (See 29 CFR 2510.3-55) (Complete Part II)
- b**  professional employer organization plan (PEO Plan) (See 29 CFR 29 CFR 2510.3-55) (Complete Part II)
- c**  pooled employer plan (PEP) (See 29 CFR 2510.3-44) (Complete Parts II and III)
- d**  other multiple-employer pension plan (Describe) \_\_\_\_\_ (Complete Part II)

**Part II Participating Employer Information.**

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<b>2a</b> Name of Participating Employer <b>PARADIES-KNOXVILLE, LLC</b>	<b>2b</b> EIN <b>20-3248315</b>	<b>2c</b> Percentage of Total Contributions for the Plan Year <b>0.00</b>	<b>2d</b> Aggregate Account Balances Attributable to Participating Employer <b>51213</b>
<b>2a</b> Name of Participating Employer <b>PARADIES-BROWARD, LLC</b>	<b>2b</b> EIN <b>20-5619438</b>	<b>2c</b> Percentage of Total Contributions for the Plan Year <b>0.38</b>	<b>2d</b> Aggregate Account Balances Attributable to Participating Employer <b>337472</b>

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<b>2e</b> Does the plan include any individuals not participating through an employer or who are individual working owners?	<b>2e</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
<b>2f</b> If you answer "Yes" in line 2e, enter a good faith estimate of the percentage of total contributions made by all such individuals that are not listed on line 2a during the plan year.	<b>2f</b>	
<b>2g</b> If you answer "Yes" in Line 2e, enter the aggregate account balances for all such individuals that are not listed on line 2a.	<b>2g</b>	

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**Schedule MEP (2024)  
v. 240311**

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PARADIES-EL PASO, LLC	20-8042661	0.12	164122
PARADIES-SAVANNAH, LLC	26-0332438	0.30	121746
PARADIES-JFK, LLC	26-2361797	1.09	681220
PARADIES-MUSE, LLC	26-3085298	0.67	727784
TASTES ON THE FLY SAN FRANCISCO, LLC	27-1859310	0.04	3252
HBF SOTO JV, LLC	27-1900989	0.00	0
PARADIES-OC, LLC	27-3442832	0.17	122001
PARADIES-MADTOWN, LLC	30-0310168	0.13	210295
PARADIES-PLEASANT NEWS, LLC	32-0146561	0.00	0

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PARADIES-HUNTSVILLE, LLC	32-0313798	0.14	176226
PARADIES-METRO VENTURES, LLC	32-0313800	0.07	107722
PARADIES-MY REO, LLC	45-2568316	0.31	304131
PARADIES-SFO, LLC	45-3355999	0.21	70925
PARADIES-LONG BEACH, LLC	45-3751343	0.16	103573
DIA WINE BAR, LLC	45-4552410	0.00	0
PARADIES-DTW, LLC	45-5561085	0.00	168009
PARADIES-LONG BEACH II, LLC	46-0865936	0.87	268976
ABC WINE BAR, LLC	46-3002705	0.31	143922

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HBF APU JV, LLC	46-3966717	1.31	291908
PARADIES-ALBANY, LLC	46-4054311	0.21	312357
PARADIES-LOS ANGELES II, LLC	46-5034566	0.20	87530
PARADIES-BZB II, LLC	47-1219066	0.31	84148
ZPARADIES-HOU 2014, LLC	47-1816509	0.00	0
PARADIES-WICHITA, LLC	47-1839872	0.03	12861
PARADIES-PIT, LLC	47-4224827	0.00	0
RALEIGH DISTRIBUTION SERVICES, LLC	55-0891393	0.00	610
THE PARADIES SHOPS, LLC	58-0839094	42.28	31726145

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PARADIES, L.L.C.	58-2137509	0.00	0
PARADIES-PHOENIX JOINT VENTURE	58-2279042	0.00	0
PARADIES SHOPS, L.L.C.	58-2313624	1.49	1481178
PARADIES-TRIAD, L.L.C.	58-2350093	0.22	128493
TASTE, INC. (USA)	58-2679930	1.45	330276
PARADIES-KAMBERS, LLC	59-3768084	0.17	208537
PARADIES-TATERS II, LLC	61-1740523	0.02	26925
NGSI-ST. THOMAS, L.L.C.	74-2984456	0.00	0
TASTES ON THE FLY SFO INTERNATIONAL, LLC	81-1099648	0.00	0

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HBF APU II LLC	81-3247882	0.54	120646
PARADIES-SHELL FACTORY III, LLC	81-3537648	0.16	102652
DTW WINE BAR, LLC	82-0730758	0.00	0
DTW NORTH PARTNERS, LLC	82-3880878	0.38	111638
PARADIES LAGARDERE @ SFO 2018 F&B LLC	83-1272034	0.00	0
PARADIES LAGARDERE AT PVD, LLC	83-4706804	0.47	395121
AUS WINE BAR, LLC	84-2511735	0.00	53
PARADIES LAGARDERE AT OKC, LLC	84-4188289	0.06	5334
PARADIES LAGARDERE @ MYR (F&B), LLC	86-1271833	0.00	0

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PARADIES LAGARDERE TN EE RETAIL, LLC	87-4611060	0.10	26410
PARADIES LAGARDERE FL EE RETAIL, LLC	88-1218535	2.61	2313865
PARADIES LAGARDERE FL EE DINING, LLC	88-1239980	30.23	16463746
PARADIES LAGARDERE GA EE DINING, LLC	88-1266636	0.19	54555
PARADIES LAGARDERE GA EE RETAIL, LLC	88-1288352	0.34	417733
PARADIES LAGARDERE MI EE RETAIL, LLC	88-1329757	0.63	467419
PARADIES LAGARDERE MI EE DINING, LLC	88-1414947	0.43	59577
PARADIES LAGARDERE VA EE RETAIL, LLC	88-1567231	1.00	665615
PARADIES LAGARDERE VA EE DINING, LLC	88-1590387	0.67	276999

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PARADIES LAGARDERE WI EE RETAIL, LLC	88-1638859	0.18	195914
PARADIES LAGARDERE TX EE DINING, LLC	88-1837887	0.94	274572
PARADIES LAGARDERE TX EE RETAIL, LLC	88-1868694	0.65	629942
PARADIES LAGARDERE LA EE RETAIL, LLC	88-3807293	0.09	27368
PARADIES LAGARDERE PA EE RETAIL, LLC	88-3880161	0.11	47858
PARADIES LAGARDERE OH EE RETAIL, LLC	88-3901578	0.99	759610
PARADIES LAGARDERE CT EE RETAIL, LLC	88-3910697	0.36	685724
PARADIES LAGARDERE UT EE DINING, LLC	88-3918554	0.04	4267
PARADIES LAGARDERE UT EE RETAIL, LLC	88-3918615	0.20	190070

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PARADIES LAGARDERE CA EE RETAIL,LLC	88-3944784	0.15	298628
PARADIES LAGARDERE CA EE DINING,LLC	88-3944802	0.76	100589
PARADIES LAGARDERE KY EE RETAIL, LLC	88-3968461	0.34	376969
PARADIES LAGARDERE IL EE RETAIL, LLC	88-3990547	0.16	47603
PARADIES LAGARDERE AZ EE RETAIL, LLC	88-3990588	0.80	782686
PARADIES LAGARDERE MN EE DINING, LLC	88-4010633	0.00	0
HOJEIJ BRANDED FOODS, LLC	90-1138258	2.33	698577
PARADIES LAGARDERE PA EE DINING, LLC	92-0261383	0.22	113618
PARADIES LAGARDERE TN EE DINING LLC	92-2965769	0.00	0

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PARADIES LAGARDERE CT EE DINING, LLC	93-1823637	0.01	857
PARADIES LAGARDERE CO EE DINING	93-3565946	0.46	81633
PARADIES LAGARDERE NY EE DINING, LLC	93-3684926	0.48	161510
PARADIES LAGARDERE MA EE DINING, LLC	93-3786050	0.26	228125
D-LEW ENTERPRISES	94-3342136	0.00	0

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<b>Part III</b>	<b>Pooled Employer Plan Information</b>
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**Line 3.** All Pooled employer plans must answer all of the questions in Part III, in addition to completing all of Parts I and II.

**3a** Is the pooled plan provider (identified as the plan sponsor and administrator in Part II of the Form 5500) currently in compliance with the Form PR (Pooled Plan Provider Registration Statement) requirements? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2510.3-44).....  Yes  No

**3b** If line 3a is "Yes", enter the ACK ID for the most recent Form PR that was required to be filed under the Form PR filing requirements. (Failure to enter a valid ACK ID will subject the Form 5500 filing to rejection as incomplete.)

ACK ID \_\_\_\_\_

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**Paradies Lagardère 401(k) Plan**

**FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

**December 31, 2024 and 2023**

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*Note: Other schedules required by the Department of Labor’s Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) have been omitted because the conditions under which they are required are not present.*



# REPORT





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## **INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT**

To the Administrative and Investment Committee  
Paradies Lagardère 401(k) Plan

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

We have performed audits of the accompanying financial statements of Paradies Lagardère 401(k) Plan, an employee benefit plan subject to the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), as permitted by ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) [ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit]. The financial statements comprise the statements of net assets available for benefits as of December 31, 2024 and 2023 and the related statement of changes in net assets available for benefits for the year ended December 31, 2024, and the related notes to the financial statements.

Management, having determined it is permissible in the circumstances, has elected to have the audits of Paradies Lagardère 401(k) Plan'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 December 31, 2024 and 2023 and for the year ended December 31, 2024, stating that the certified investment information, as described in Note 3 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 Paradies Lagardère 401(k) Plan and to meet our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audits. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit opinion.

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

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the 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 Paradies Lagardère 401(k) Plan'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 Paradies Lagardère 401(k) Plan's internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statements.
- Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about Paradies Lagardère 401(k) Plan's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

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

#### **Other Matter—Supplemental Schedules Required by ERISA**

The supplemental schedules of Schedule H, Line 4i – Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year) as of December 31, 2024 and Schedule H, Line 4a – Schedule of Delinquent Participant Contributions for the year ended December 31, 2024, are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the financial statements but are supplementary information required by the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements. The information included in the supplemental schedules, other than that agreed to or derived from the certified investment information, has been subjected to auditing procedures applied in the audits of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards. For information included in the supplemental schedules that agreed to or is derived from the certified investment information, we compared such information to the related certified investment information.

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

*Carr, Riggs & Ingram, L.L.C.*

CARR, RIGGS & INGRAM, L.L.C.

Atlanta, Georgia  
October 14, 2025



# FINANCIAL STATEMENTS



**Paradies Lagardère 401(k) Plan  
Statements of Net Assets Available for Benefits**

<i>December 31,</i>	<b>2024</b>	<b>2023</b>
<b>Assets</b>		
Investments at fair value	\$ 65,666,143	\$ 55,891,125
Cash	<b>23,176</b>	52,651
Receivables		
Employer contribution	<b>4,619</b>	59,111
Participant contribution	<b>10,505</b>	164,538
Notes receivable from participants	<b>1,015,076</b>	644,429
<b>Total receivables</b>	<b>1,030,200</b>	868,078
<b>Total assets</b>	<b>66,719,519</b>	56,811,854
<b>Liabilities</b>		
Excess contributions payable	<b>1,078,479</b>	791,113
<b>Total liabilities</b>	<b>1,078,479</b>	791,113
<b>Net assets available for benefits</b>	<b>\$ 65,641,040</b>	<b>\$ 56,020,741</b>

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

**Paradies Lagardère 401(k) Plan**  
**Statement of Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits**

<i>For the year ended December 31,</i>	<i>2024</i>
<b>Additions</b>	
Investment income	
Net appreciation in value of investments	\$ 4,978,576
Interest and dividends	520,204
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Total investment income	5,498,780
Interest income on notes receivable from participants	51,399
Contributions	
Employee	5,814,372
Employer	2,043,716
Rollover	2,068,019
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Total contributions	9,926,107
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Total additions	15,476,286
<b>Deductions</b>	
Benefits paid to participants	5,775,578
Administrative expenses	80,409
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Total deductions	5,855,987
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Net increase	9,620,299
<b>Net Assets Available for Benefits</b>	
Beginning of year	56,020,741
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End of year	\$ 65,641,040
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## Paradies Lagardère 401(k) Plan Notes to Financial Statements

### **Note 1: DESCRIPTION OF PLAN**

The following description of the Paradies Lagardère 401(k) Plan (the Plan) provides only general information. Participants should refer to the Plan document for a more complete description of the Plan's provisions.

#### ***General***

The Plan is a multiple employer defined contribution retirement plan covering all eligible employees, as defined in the Plan document, employed by Paradies Lagardère (the Company, Sponsor, Employer, or Plan Administrator) or a related employer of the Company. Each related employer must execute a participation agreement in order to become a participating employer in the Plan. The Plan is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA). The Administrative and Investment Committee is responsible for oversight of the Plan and also determines the appropriateness of the Plan's investment offerings and monitors investment performance.

Some administrative functions are performed by employees of the Company. No compensation is remitted to the Company for these services.

Plan assets are held and managed by Matrix Trust Company, the trustee and the qualified institution for the Plan, which invests contributions and Plan earnings, makes investment transactions as directed by the Administrative and Investment Committee and provides certain recordkeeping services. USI Consulting Group (formerly known as Findley Davies) acts as the third-party administrator for the Plan, which performs certain plan administration and annual ERISA compliance testing.

#### ***Eligibility***

Employees may become a participant of the Plan when they have completed three months of service. Plan entry dates are the first day of the month following completion of the eligibility requirements.

#### ***Contributions***

Each year, participants may contribute up to 100 percent (%) of their pretax annual compensation, as defined in the Plan document. Participants who have attained age 50 before the end of the Plan year are eligible to make catch-up contributions. Participants may also contribute amounts representing distributions from other qualified plans (i.e. rollover contributions). Participants direct the investment of their contributions into various investment options offered by the Plan.

The Company also reserves the right to make discretionary matching contributions to eligible employees each year. The discretionary matching contribution rate is 50% of employee deferrals up to a maximum of 6% of compensation for the year ended December 31, 2024.

The Company also reserves the right to make a discretionary non-elective contribution to eligible employees each year. No such discretionary non-elective contributions were made for the year ended December 31, 2024.

Contributions are subject to certain Internal Revenue Service (IRS) limitations.

## Paradies Lagardère 401(k) Plan Notes to Financial Statements

### Note 1: DESCRIPTION OF PLAN (Continued)

#### ***Participant Accounts***

Each participant's account is credited with the participant's contributions and Company's discretionary matching and non-elective contributions and Plan earnings. Participant accounts are charged with an allocation of administrative expenses that are paid by the Plan. Allocations are based on participant earnings, account balances, or specific participant transactions, as defined. The benefit to which a participant is entitled is the benefit that can be provided from the participant's vested account.

#### ***Vesting***

Participants are immediately vested in their contributions and actual earnings thereon. Vesting in company discretionary matching contributions and discretionary non-elective contributions is ratably based on years of continuous service. Participants are vested in company discretionary matching contributions and discretionary non-elective contributions at a rate of 25% after year one, 50% after year two, and 100% after year three of service, as defined in the Plan document.

#### ***Notes Receivable from Participants***

Participants may borrow from their accounts a minimum of \$1,000 up to a maximum equal to the lesser of 50% of the participant's vested account balance or \$50,000, reduced by the excess of the participant's highest outstanding loan balance during the 12-month period ending on the date of the loan, over the participant's current outstanding participant loan balance, on the date of the loan. The note receivable is secured by vested funds in the participant's account and must be repaid over a period of up to five years from the date of the loan unless the proceeds of the loan are used to acquire a primary residence, at which point the loan may be repaid over a period to be determined by the Plan administrator. A participant may have only one loan outstanding at any given time. Principal and interest is paid ratably through payroll deductions.

#### ***Benefit Payments***

The participant's vested portion of his/her account balance will be available for distribution in the event of retirement, death, disability, termination of employment, or financial hardship subject to the Plan's provisions.

While employed, a participant who either reaches age 59½ or is considered totally disabled may withdraw all or part of his/her account balance. For benefits accrued prior to October 1, 2014, in-service distributions of employer contributions are permitted upon attainment of age 55 or 60 months of participation.

Participants may elect a lump sum payment, partial payment, direct rollover to a qualified plan, or any combination thereof of the vested interest in the participant's account.

#### ***Forfeitures***

At December 31, 2024 and 2023, forfeited nonvested accounts totaled \$213,420 and \$155,909, respectively. These accounts will be used to reduce future employer contributions or pay Plan expenses. In 2024, \$13,765 of forfeitures were used to pay Plan expenses. No forfeitures were used to reduce employer contributions.

## Paradies Lagardère 401(k) Plan Notes to Financial Statements

### Note 1: DESCRIPTION OF PLAN (Continued)

#### ***Revenue Sharing Account***

The Plan holds a revenue sharing account (Revenue Credit Account) which is credited by the Plan's trustee with the return of certain excess revenue generated by certain investments. The Revenue Credit Account may be used to pay reasonable Plan expenses or be allocated to participants. The Plan had Revenue Credit Account funds of \$158 and \$303 at December 31, 2024 or December 31, 2023, respectively. During the year ended December 31, 2024, the Plan Sponsor paid \$10,340 of Plan expenses out of the Revenue Credit Account.

#### ***Hardship Withdrawals***

As permitted by the Internal Revenue Code (IRC), and in accordance with the plan agreement, a participant may request a financial hardship withdrawal if they experience a severe financial hardship. The financial hardship withdrawal may not exceed the amount of the financial hardship or the value of the vested portion of the participant's balance, whichever is less.

### Note 2: SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### ***Basis of Accounting***

The accompanying financial statements have been prepared on the accrual basis of accounting in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (U.S. GAAP). The Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) provides authoritative guidance regarding U.S. GAAP through the Accounting Standards Codification (ASC) and related Accounting Standards Updates (ASUs).

#### ***Use of Estimates***

The preparation of U.S. GAAP financial statements requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and changes therein, and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

#### ***Investment Valuation and Income Recognition***

Investments generally are reported at fair value but may also be reported at net asset value (NAV). Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. See Note 4 for further discussion of fair value measurements and NAV. The Plan's Administrative and Investment Committee determines the Plan's valuation policies utilizing information provided by the investment advisers and trustee.

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. Net appreciation includes the Plan's gains and losses on investments bought and sold as well as held during the year.

## Paradies Lagardère 401(k) Plan Notes to Financial Statements

### Note 2: SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

#### ***Notes Receivable from Participants***

Notes receivable from participants are measured at their unpaid principal balance plus any accrued but unpaid interest. Interest income is recorded on the accrual basis. Related fees are recorded as administrative expenses and are expensed when they are incurred.

#### ***Excess Contributions Payable***

Amounts payable to participants for contributions in excess of amounts allowed by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) are recorded as a liability with a corresponding reduction to contributions. The Plan distributed the excess contribution amounts for both years to the applicable participants before the March 15 deadline.

#### ***Payment of Benefits***

Distributions to participants are recorded when paid.

#### ***Administrative Expenses***

Certain expenses of maintaining the Plan are paid by the Plan, unless otherwise paid by the Company. Expenses that are paid by the Company are excluded from these financial statements. Fees related to the administration of benefit payments and notes receivable from participants are charged directly to the participant's account and are included in administrative expenses. Investment related expenses are included in net appreciation of fair value of investments in the accompanying financial statements.

#### ***Risks and Uncertainties***

The Plan invests in various investment securities. Investment securities, in general, are exposed to various risks, such as interest rate, credit and overall market volatility. Due to the level of risk associated with certain investment securities, it is reasonably possible that changes in value of investment securities will occur in the near term and that these changes could materially affect amounts reported in the Plan's financial statements.

#### ***Subsequent Events***

Management has evaluated subsequent events through the date that the financial statements were available to be issued, October 14, 2025. See Note 8 for relevant disclosure. No subsequent events occurring after this date have been evaluated for inclusion in these financial statements.

## Paradies Lagardère 401(k) Plan Notes to Financial Statements

### Note 3: INFORMATION CERTIFIED BY QUALIFIED INSTITUTION

The Plan Administrator has elected the method of compliance, as permitted by 29 CFR 2520.103-8 of the DOL's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. The following financial information included in the Plan's financial statements was obtained by management and agreed to or derived from information certified as complete and accurate by Matrix Trust Company, the qualified institution:

- a) Total investments, at fair value, included in the statements of net assets available for benefits at December 31, 2024 and 2023.
- b) Notes receivable from participants, included in the statements of net assets available for benefits at December 31, 2024 and 2023.
- c) Investment income and interest income on notes receivable from participants, information included in the statement of changes in net assets available for benefits for the year ended December 31, 2024.
- d) All amounts included in Note 4, *Fair Value Measurements*.
- e) All information included in the supplemental schedule of assets (held at end of year) as of December 31, 2024.

### Note 4: FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS

Fair value is the exchange price that would be received for an asset or paid to transfer a liability (exit price) in the principal or most advantageous market for the asset or liability in an orderly transaction between market participants on the measurement date. There are three levels of inputs that may be used to measure fair values:

*Level 1:* Quoted prices (unadjusted) for identical assets or liabilities in active markets that the entity has the ability to access as of the measurement date.

*Level 2:* Significant other observable inputs other than Level 1 prices, such as:

- Quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities in active markets;
- Quoted prices for identical or similar assets or liabilities in inactive markets;
- Inputs, other than quoted prices, that are:
  - observable; or
  - can be corroborated by observable market data.

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

*Level 3:* Inputs to the valuation methodology are unobservable and significant to the fair value measurement.

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

## Paradies Lagardère 401(k) Plan Notes to Financial Statements

### Note 4: FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS (Continued)

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

*Mutual funds:* Valued at the daily closing price as reported by the fund. Mutual funds held by the Plan are open-end mutual funds that are registered with the SEC. These funds are required to publish their daily NAV and to transact at that price. The mutual funds held by the Plan are deemed to be actively traded.

*Common/collective trust:* The Putnam Stable Value Fund seeks the preservation of capital and the provision of a competitive level of income over time that is consistent with the preservation of capital; the fund seeks to maintain a stable value per unit. The fund is valued daily based upon the underlying investments held by the fund. There are no redemption restrictions or commitments associated with this fund.

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 Administrator believes its valuation methods are appropriate and consistent with other market participants, the use of different methodologies or assumptions to determine fair value of certain financial instruments could result in different fair value measurements at the reporting date.

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

Description	Quoted Prices in Active Markets for Identical Level 1	Significant Other Observable Inputs Level 2	Significant Unobservable Inputs Level 3	Total
<b>December 31, 2024</b>				
Mutual funds	\$ 64,941,421	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 64,941,421
Common/collective trust	-	724,722	-	724,722
<b>Total investments at fair value</b>	<b>\$ 64,941,421</b>	<b>\$ 724,722</b>	<b>\$ -</b>	<b>\$ 65,666,143</b>

Description	Quoted Prices in Active Markets for Identical Level 1	Significant Other Observable Inputs Level 2	Significant Unobservable Inputs Level 3	Total
<b>December 31, 2023</b>				
Mutual funds	\$ 55,441,979	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 55,441,979
Common/collective trust	-	449,146	-	449,146
<b>Total investments at fair value</b>	<b>\$ 55,441,979</b>	<b>\$ 449,146</b>	<b>\$ -</b>	<b>\$ 55,891,125</b>

## Paradies Lagardère 401(k) Plan Notes to Financial Statements

### **Note 5: TAX STATUS**

The Plan has adopted a prototype plan, which has received its most recent favorable opinion letter from the IRS, dated June 30, 2020, stating that the prototype plan and related trust are designed in accordance with applicable sections of the IRC. Although the prototype plan has been amended since receiving the opinion letter, the Plan administrator and the Plan's tax counsel believe that the Plan is designed, and is currently being operated, in compliance with the applicable requirements of the IRC and, therefore, believe that the Plan is qualified, and the related trust is tax-exempt.

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require plan management to evaluate tax positions taken by the Plan and recognize a tax liability if the Plan has taken an uncertain position that more likely than not would not be sustained upon examination. The Plan is subject to routine audits by taxing jurisdictions; however, there are currently no audits for any tax periods in progress.

### **Note 6: RELATED PARTY AND PARTY-IN-INTEREST TRANSACTIONS**

Certain Plan investments are managed by Matrix Trust. Matrix Trust is the trustee and record-keeper for the Plan and, therefore, these transactions qualify as party-in-interest transactions.

The Plan paid certain administrative expenses totaling \$10,340 to USI Consulting Group out of the Revenue Credit Account. These transactions qualify as party in interest transactions under ERISA.

### **Note 7: PLAN TERMINATION**

Although it has not expressed any intent 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 of ERISA. In the event of Plan termination, participants would become 100% vested in their employer contributions.

### **Note 8: PLAN COMPLIANCE**

For the years ended December 31, 2024 and 2023, the Company determined that certain participant contributions had not been remitted to the Plan in a timely manner, according to the Department of Labor regulations. Although these remittances were made, they fell outside the normal processing time the Company allows. Lost earnings for late remittances for the years ended December 31, 2024 and 2023 were open to be deposited to participant accounts.

## Paradies Lagardère 401(k) Plan Notes to Financial Statements

### Note 9: RECONCILIATION OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS TO FORM 5500

The following is a reconciliation of net assets available for benefits per the Plan's financial statements at December 31, 2024 and 2023 to the Plan's Form 5500:

<i>December 31,</i>	<b>2024</b>	2023
Net assets available for benefits per the financial statements	\$ <b>65,641,040</b>	\$ 56,020,741
Amounts allocated to withdrawing participants	<b>(23,176)</b>	(44,294)
Net assets available for benefits per the Form 5500	\$ <b>65,617,864</b>	\$ 55,976,447

The following is a reconciliation of benefits paid to participants per the financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2024, to Form 5500:

<i>December 31,</i>	2024
Benefits paid to participants per the financial statements	\$ 5,775,578
Add: amounts allocated to withdrawing participants at December 31, 2024	23,176
Less: amounts allocated to withdrawing participants at December 31, 2023	(44,294)
Benefits paid to participants per Form 5500	\$ 5,754,460

Amounts allocated to withdrawing participants are recorded on the Plan's Form 5500 for benefit claims that have been processed and approved for payment prior to year-end, but not yet paid as of that date.



# SUPPLEMENTAL SCHEDULES



**Paradies Lagardère 401(k) Plan**  
**EIN #58-0839094 Plan #001**  
**Schedule H, Line 4i – Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year)**  
**December 31, 2024**

(a)*	(b) Identity of issue, borrower, lessor, or similar party	(c) Description of investment	(d) Cost **	(e) Current value
	Vanguard Target Retirement 2030 Inv	Mutual fund	**	\$ 9,345,108
	Vanguard Target Retirement 2035 Inv	Mutual fund	**	9,261,239
	Vanguard Target Retirement 2025 Inv	Mutual fund	**	6,955,383
	Vanguard Target Retirement 2040 Inv	Mutual fund	**	6,543,685
	Vanguard Target Retirement 2045 Inv	Mutual fund	**	5,259,514
	Vanguard Target Retirement 2050 Inv	Mutual fund	**	4,923,233
	Fidelity Blue Chip Growth	Mutual fund	**	3,675,759
	Vanguard 500 Index Admiral	Mutual fund	**	3,184,611
	Vanguard Target Retirement 2020 Inv	Mutual fund	**	3,075,685
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	Vanguard Target Retirement 2060 Inv	Mutual fund	**	2,525,429
	Vanguard Target Retirement Income Inv	Mutual fund	**	1,873,328
	Dodge & Cox Stock CI I	Mutual fund	**	902,148
	Putnam Stable Value 25	Common/collective trust	**	724,722
	Vanguard Mid Cap Index Admiral	Mutual fund	**	703,134
	Dodge & Cox Income Fund X	Mutual fund	**	678,067
	Principal Midcap R-6	Mutual fund	**	595,488
	American Beacon Small Cap Value Instl	Mutual fund	**	490,629
	Vanguard Small Cap Index Admiral	Mutual fund	**	420,143
	Allspring Special Mid Cap Value Fund R6	Mutual fund	**	323,792
	Federated Hermes Instl High Yield Bond IS	Mutual fund	**	244,605
	DFA International Core Equity I	Mutual fund	**	217,217
	Vanguard Developed Markets Index Admiral	Mutual fund	**	208,381
	Fidelity International Growth	Mutual fund	**	206,661
	American Funds New World R6	Mutual fund	**	172,590
	American Century Small Cap Growth R6	Mutual fund	**	98,440
	Janus Henderson Developed World Bond I	Mutual fund	**	51,251
	Total investments			65,666,143
		Interest rates ranging		
*	Notes receivable from participants	from 4.25% to 10.50%		1,015,076
	<b>Total</b>			<b>\$ 66,681,219</b>

\* Denotes party-in-interest

\*\* Cost not required for participant directed

**Paradies Lagardère 401(k) Plan**

**EIN #58-0839094 Plan #001**

**Schedule H, Line 4a – Schedule of Delinquent Participant Contributions**

**December 31, 2024**

Participant Contributions Transferred Late to Plan		Total That Constitute Prohibited Nonexempt Transactions			Total Fully Corrected Under VFCP and Prohibited Transactions Exemption (PTE) 2002-51
Plan Year	Check Here If Late Participant Loan Repayments are Included	Contributions Not Corrected	Contributions Corrected Outside of Voluntary Fiduciary Correction Program (VFCP) *	Contributions Pending Correction in VFCP	
<b>2024</b>	<b>X</b>	\$ -	\$ <b>526,848</b>	\$ -	\$ -
2023	X	-	374,253	-	-
2022	X	-	547,777	-	-
		\$ -	\$ <b>1,448,878</b>	\$ -	\$ -

\* Contributions and related lost earnings have been remitted to the Plan.

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