

Form 5500

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration

Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation

Annual Return/Report of Employee Benefit Plan

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

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

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2024

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Part I Annual Report Identification Information

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

- A This return/report is for: [ ] a multiemployer plan [ ] a multiple-employer plan... [X] a single-employer plan [ ] a DFE... B This return/report is: [ ] the first return/report [ ] the final return/report [X] an amended return/report [ ] a short plan year return/report... 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... 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: EMERGING MARKETS EMPLOYEES' SAVINGS PLAN
1b Three-digit plan number (PN): 001
1c Effective date of plan: 01/01/2017
2a Plan sponsor's name (employer, if for a single-employer plan): EMERGENT HOLDINGS, INC.
2b Employer Identification Number (EIN): 81-3438452
2c Plan Sponsor's telephone number: 313-225-9000
2d Business code (see instructions): 524140

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, Date, and Name. Rows include plan administrator, employer/plan sponsor, and DFE.

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| <b>3a</b> Plan administrator's name and address <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Same as Plan Sponsor  |  | <b>3b</b> Administrator's EIN              |      |
|   |  | <b>3c</b> Administrator's telephone number |      |
|   |  |  |      |
| <b>4</b> If the name and/or EIN of the plan sponsor or the plan name has changed since the last return/report filed for this plan, enter the plan sponsor's name, EIN, the plan name and the plan number from the last return/report: |  | <b>4b</b> EIN                              |      |
| <b>a</b> Sponsor's name   |  |  |      |
| <b>c</b> Plan Name  |  | <b>4d</b> PN                               |      |
| <b>5</b> Total number of participants at the beginning of the plan year   |  | <b>5</b>                                   | 4489 |
| <b>6</b> Number of participants as of the end of the plan year unless otherwise stated (welfare plans complete only lines <b>6a(1)</b> , <b>6a(2)</b> , <b>6b</b> , <b>6c</b> , and <b>6d</b> ).                                      |  |  |      |
| <b>a(1)</b> Total number of active participants at the beginning of the plan year .....   |  | <b>6a(1)</b>                               | 3042 |
| <b>a(2)</b> Total number of active participants at the end of the plan year .....   |  | <b>6a(2)</b>                               | 2890 |
| <b>b</b> Retired or separated participants receiving benefits.....  |  | <b>6b</b>                                  | 19   |
| <b>c</b> Other retired or separated participants entitled to future benefits .....  |  | <b>6c</b>                                  | 1541 |
| <b>d</b> Subtotal. Add lines <b>6a(2)</b> , <b>6b</b> , and <b>6c</b> .....   |  | <b>6d</b>                                  | 4450 |
| <b>e</b> Deceased participants whose beneficiaries are receiving or are entitled to receive benefits. ....  |  | <b>6e</b>                                  | 9    |
| <b>f</b> Total. Add lines <b>6d</b> and <b>6e</b> .....   |  | <b>6f</b>                                  | 4459 |
| <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>                               | 3626 |
| <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>                               | 4424 |
| <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>                                  | 0    |
| <b>7</b> Enter the total number of employers obligated to contribute to the plan (only multiemployer plans complete this item) .....  |  | <b>7</b>                                   |      |

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

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

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| <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)

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

- b General Schedules**
- (1)  **H** (Financial Information)
  - (2)  **I** (Financial Information – Small Plan)
  - (3)  **A** (Insurance Information) – Number Attached 0
  - (4)  **C** (Service Provider Information)
  - (5)  **D** (DFE/Participating Plan Information)
  - (6)  **G** (Financial Transaction Schedules)

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

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

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

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

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

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

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| <b>SCHEDULE C</b><br><b>(Form 5500)</b><br><br><small>Department of the Treasury<br/>Internal Revenue Service</small><br><br><small>Department of Labor<br/>Employee Benefits Security Administration</small><br><br><small>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation</small> | <b>Service Provider Information</b><br><br>This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).<br><br><b>▶ File as an attachment to Form 5500.</b> | <small>OMB No. 1210-0110</small><br><br><b>2024</b><br><br><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**

|   |  |            |
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| <b>A</b> Name of plan<br><b>EMERGING MARKETS EMPLOYEES' SAVINGS 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<br><b>EMERGENT HOLDINGS, INC.</b> | <b>D</b> Employer Identification Number (EIN)<br><b>81-3438452</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)

| <b>(b)</b><br>Service Code(s) | <b>(c)</b><br>Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest | <b>(d)</b><br>Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-. | <b>(e)</b><br>Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor) | <b>(f)</b><br>Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures? | <b>(g)</b><br>Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-. | <b>(h)</b><br>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"/>  |

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

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

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

| <b>(b)</b><br>Service Code(s) | <b>(c)</b><br>Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest | <b>(d)</b><br>Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-. | <b>(e)</b><br>Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor) | <b>(f)</b><br>Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures? | <b>(g)</b><br>Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-. | <b>(h)</b><br>Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount? |
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|                               |  |   | 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.

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| <b>(a)</b> Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2             | <b>(b)</b> Service Codes<br>(see instructions)  | <b>(c)</b> Enter amount of 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. |  |
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| <b>(a)</b> Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2             | <b>(b)</b> Service Codes<br>(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>(a)</b> Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2             | <b>(b)</b> Service Codes<br>(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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**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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| <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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| <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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| <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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| <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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| <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)

|  |                                  |
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| <b>a</b> Name: GJC CPA'S & ADVISORS                                      | <b>b</b> EIN: 38-2029668         |
| <b>c</b> Position: ACCOUNTANT  |                                  |
| <b>d</b> Address: 1001 WOODWARD AVENUE<br>SUITE 850<br>DETROIT, MI 48226 | <b>e</b> Telephone: 313-965-2655 |

Explanation: BUSINESS DECISION

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

Explanation:

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

Explanation:

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

Explanation:

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

Explanation:

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| <b>SCHEDULE D</b><br><b>(Form 5500)</b><br><br><small>Department of the Treasury<br/>Internal Revenue Service</small><br><br><small>Department of Labor<br/>Employee Benefits Security Administration</small> | <b>DFE/Participating Plan Information</b><br><br>This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).<br><br><b>▶ File as an attachment to Form 5500.</b> | <small>OMB No. 1210-0110</small><br><br><b>2024</b><br><br><b>This Form is Open to Public Inspection.</b> |
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| For calendar plan year 2024 or fiscal plan year beginning <u>01/01/2024</u> and ending <u>12/31/2024</u> |  |
| <b>A</b> Name of plan<br><u>EMERGING MARKETS EMPLOYEES' SAVINGS PLAN</u>                                 | <b>B</b> Three-digit plan number (PN) <u>001</u>                   |
| <b>C</b> Plan or DFE sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500<br><u>EMERGENT HOLDINGS, INC.</u>   | <b>D</b> Employer Identification Number (EIN)<br><u>81-3438452</u> |

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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><br>(Complete as many entries as needed to report all interests in DFEs) |
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|   |                               |  |
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| <b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: <u>BCBSM 401(K) MASTER TRUST</u>             |                               |  |
| <b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <u>BLUE CROSS BLUE SHIELD OF MICHIGAN</u> |                               |  |
| <b>c</b> EIN-PN <u>38-2069753-096</u>   | <b>d</b> Entity code <u>M</u> | <b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <u>582823352</u> |
|   |                               |  |
| <b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:  |                               |  |
| <b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):   |                               |  |
| <b>c</b> EIN-PN   | <b>d</b> Entity code          | <b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)                  |
|   |                               |  |
| <b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:  |                               |  |
| <b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):   |                               |  |
| <b>c</b> EIN-PN   | <b>d</b> Entity code          | <b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)                  |
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| <b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:  |                               |  |
| <b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):   |                               |  |
| <b>c</b> EIN-PN   | <b>d</b> Entity code          | <b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)                  |
|   |                               |  |
| <b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:  |                               |  |
| <b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):   |                               |  |
| <b>c</b> EIN-PN   | <b>d</b> Entity code          | <b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)                  |
|   |                               |  |
| <b>a</b> Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:  |                               |  |
| <b>b</b> Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):   |                               |  |
| <b>c</b> EIN-PN   | <b>d</b> Entity code          | <b>e</b> Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)                  |
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| <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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| <b>SCHEDULE H</b><br><b>(Form 5500)</b><br><br><small>Department of the Treasury<br/>Internal Revenue Service</small><br><br><small>Department of Labor<br/>Employee Benefits Security Administration</small><br><br><small>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation</small> | <b>Financial Information</b><br><br>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).<br><br><b>▶ File as an attachment to Form 5500.</b> | <small>OMB No. 1210-0110</small><br><br><b>2024</b><br><br><b>This Form is Open to Public Inspection</b> |
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| <b>A</b> Name of plan<br><b>EMERGING MARKETS EMPLOYEES' SAVINGS 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<br><b>EMERGENT HOLDINGS, INC.</b>          | <b>D</b> Employer Identification Number (EIN)<br><b>81-3438452</b> |

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| <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.

| Assets   | (a) Beginning of Year | (b) End of Year |
|--|-----------------------|-----------------|
| <b>a</b> Total noninterest-bearing cash .....  | <b>1a</b>             |                 |
| <b>b</b> Receivables (less allowance for doubtful accounts):                                       |                       |                 |
| <b>(1)</b> Employer contributions .....  | <b>1b(1)</b>          |                 |
| <b>(2)</b> Participant contributions .....   | <b>1b(2)</b>          |                 |
| <b>(3)</b> Other .....   | <b>1b(3)</b>          |                 |
| <b>c</b> General investments:  |                       |                 |
| <b>(1)</b> Interest-bearing cash (include money market accounts & certificates of deposit) .....   | <b>1c(1)</b>          |                 |
| <b>(2)</b> U.S. Government securities .....  | <b>1c(2)</b>          |                 |
| <b>(3)</b> Corporate debt instruments (other than employer securities):                            |                       |                 |
| <b>(A)</b> Preferred .....   | <b>1c(3)(A)</b>       |                 |
| <b>(B)</b> All other .....   | <b>1c(3)(B)</b>       |                 |
| <b>(4)</b> Corporate stocks (other than employer securities):                                      |                       |                 |
| <b>(A)</b> Preferred .....   | <b>1c(4)(A)</b>       |                 |
| <b>(B)</b> Common .....  | <b>1c(4)(B)</b>       |                 |
| <b>(5)</b> Partnership/joint venture interests .....   | <b>1c(5)</b>          |                 |
| <b>(6)</b> Real estate (other than employer real property) .....                                   | <b>1c(6)</b>          |                 |
| <b>(7)</b> Loans (other than to participants) .....  | <b>1c(7)</b>          |                 |
| <b>(8)</b> Participant loans .....   | <b>1c(8)</b>          | 8776171         |
| <b>(9)</b> Value of interest in common/collective trusts .....                                     | <b>1c(9)</b>          |                 |
| <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>         | 582823352       |
| <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>         |                 |
| <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>    | 428879593             | 591599523       |
| <b>Liabilities</b>   |              |                       |                 |
| <b>g</b> Benefit claims payable.....                                     | <b>1g</b>    |                       |                 |
| <b>h</b> Operating payables.....   | <b>1h</b>    |                       |                 |
| <b>i</b> Acquisition indebtedness.....                                   | <b>1i</b>    |                       |                 |
| <b>j</b> Other liabilities.....  | <b>1j</b>    |                       |                 |
| <b>k</b> Total liabilities (add all amounts in lines 1g through 1j)..... | <b>1k</b>    | 0                     | 0               |
| <b>Net Assets</b>  |              |                       |                 |
| <b>l</b> Net assets (subtract line 1k from line 1f).....                 | <b>1l</b>    | 428879593             | 591599523       |

**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> | 17609453   |           |
| <b>(B)</b> Participants.....   | <b>2a(1)(B)</b> | 31302672   |           |
| <b>(C)</b> Others (including rollovers).....   | <b>2a(1)(C)</b> | 4405241    |           |
| (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>    |            | 53317366  |
| <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> | 630981     |           |
| <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> |            | 630981    |
| <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> |            |           |
| <b>(D)</b> Total dividends. Add lines <b>2b(2)(A)</b> , <b>(B)</b> , and <b>(C)</b> .....                  | <b>2b(2)(D)</b> |            | 0         |
| (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> |            |           |

|   |               | (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>  |            | 70650267  |
| (9) Net investment gain (loss) from 103-12 investment entities .....                            | <b>2b(9)</b>  |            |           |
| (10) Net investment gain (loss) from registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds) ..... | <b>2b(10)</b> |            |           |
| <b>c</b> Other income .....   | <b>2c</b>     |            |           |
| <b>d</b> Total income. Add all <b>income</b> amounts in column (b) and enter total.....         | <b>2d</b>     |            | 124598614 |

**Expenses**

|  |               |          |          |
|--|---------------|----------|----------|
| <b>e</b> Benefit payment and payments to provide benefits:                                 |               |          |          |
| (1) Directly to participants or beneficiaries, including direct rollovers.....             | <b>2e(1)</b>  | 58070686 |          |
| (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>  |          | 58070686 |
| <b>f</b> Corrective distributions (see instructions) .....                                 | <b>2f</b>     |          |          |
| <b>g</b> Certain deemed distributions of participant loans (see instructions).....         | <b>2g</b>     |          |          |
| <b>h</b> Interest expense.....   | <b>2h</b>     |          |          |
| <b>i</b> Administrative expenses:  |               |          |          |
| (1) Salaries and allowances .....  | <b>2i(1)</b>  |          |          |
| (2) Contract administrator fees .....  | <b>2i(2)</b>  |          |          |
| (3) Recordkeeping fees .....   | <b>2i(3)</b>  |          |          |
| (4) IQPA audit fees .....  | <b>2i(4)</b>  |          |          |
| (5) Investment advisory and investment management fees .....                               | <b>2i(5)</b>  | 229275   |          |
| (6) Bank or trust company trustee/custodial fees .....                                     | <b>2i(6)</b>  |          |          |
| (7) Actuarial fees .....   | <b>2i(7)</b>  |          |          |
| (8) Legal fees .....   | <b>2i(8)</b>  |          |          |
| (9) Valuation/appraisal fees .....   | <b>2i(9)</b>  |          |          |
| (10) Other trustee fees and expenses .....   | <b>2i(10)</b> |          |          |
| (11) Other expenses.....   | <b>2i(11)</b> |          |          |
| (12) Total administrative expenses. Add lines <b>2i(1)</b> through <b>(11)</b> .....       | <b>2i(12)</b> |          | 229275   |
| <b>j</b> Total expenses. Add all <b>expense</b> amounts in column (b) and enter total..... | <b>2j</b>     |          | 58299961 |

**Net Income and Reconciliation**

|   |              |  |          |
|---|--------------|--|----------|
| <b>k</b> Net income (loss). Subtract line <b>2j</b> from line <b>2d</b> ..... | <b>2k</b>    |  | 66298653 |
| <b>l</b> Transfers of assets:   |              |  |          |
| (1) To this plan.....   | <b>2l(1)</b> |  | 96421277 |
| (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: GRANT THORNTON LLP

(2) EIN: 36-6055558

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

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

**Part IV Compliance Questions**

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

During the plan year:

|  | Yes | No | Amount   |
|--|-----|----|----------|
| <b>a</b> Was there a failure to transmit to the plan any participant contributions within the time period described in 29 CFR 2510.3-102? Continue to answer "Yes" for any prior year failures until fully corrected. (See instructions and DOL's Voluntary Fiduciary Correction Program.)                 |     | X  |          |
| <b>b</b> Were any loans by the plan or fixed income obligations due the plan in default as of the close of the plan year or classified during the year as uncollectible? Disregard participant loans secured by participant's account balance. (Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part I if "Yes" is checked.) |     | X  |          |
| <b>c</b> Were any leases to which the plan was a party in default or classified during the year as uncollectible? (Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part II if "Yes" is checked.)   |     | X  |          |
| <b>d</b> Were there any nonexempt transactions with any party-in-interest? (Do not include transactions reported on line 4a. Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part III if "Yes" is checked.)  |     | X  |          |
| <b>e</b> Was this plan covered by a fidelity bond?   | X   |    | 40000000 |
| <b>f</b> Did the plan have a loss, whether or not reimbursed by the plan's fidelity bond, that was caused by fraud or dishonesty?  |     | X  |          |
| <b>g</b> Did the plan hold any assets whose current value was neither readily determinable on an established market nor set by an independent third party appraiser?   |     | X  |          |
| <b>h</b> Did the plan receive any noncash contributions whose value was neither readily determinable on an established market nor set by an independent third party appraiser?   |     | X  |          |
| <b>i</b> Did the plan have assets held for investment? (Attach schedule(s) of assets if "Yes" is checked, and see instructions for format requirements.)   | X   |    |          |
| <b>j</b> Were any plan transactions or series of transactions in excess of 5% of the current value of plan assets? (Attach schedule of transactions if "Yes" is checked and see instructions for format requirements.)   |     | X  |          |
| <b>k</b> Were all the plan assets either distributed to participants or beneficiaries, transferred to another plan, or brought under the control of the PBGC?  |     | X  |          |
| <b>l</b> Has the plan failed to provide any benefit when due under the plan?   |     | X  |          |
| <b>m</b> If this is an individual account plan, was there a blackout period? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-3.)   |     | X  |          |
| <b>n</b> If 4m was answered "Yes," check the "Yes" box if you either provided the required notice or one of the exceptions to providing the notice applied under 29 CFR 2520.101-3.  |     |    |          |

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

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

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

**5c** Was the plan a defined benefit plan covered under the PBGC insurance program at any time during this plan year? (See ERISA section 4021 and instructions.) .....  Yes  No  Not determined  
 If "Yes" is checked, enter the My PAA confirmation number from the PBGC premium filing for this plan year \_\_\_\_\_.

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|--|---|---|
| <b>SCHEDULE R</b><br><b>(Form 5500)</b><br><br><small>Department of the Treasury<br/>Internal Revenue Service</small><br><br><small>Department of Labor<br/>Employee Benefits Security Administration</small><br><br><small>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation</small> | <b>Retirement Plan Information</b><br><br>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).<br><br><b>▶ File as an attachment to Form 5500.</b> | <small>OMB No. 1210-0110</small><br><br><b>2024</b><br><br><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<br><u>EMERGING MARKETS EMPLOYEES' SAVINGS PLAN</u>                        | <b>B</b> Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶                            | <u>001</u> |
| <b>C</b> Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500<br><u>EMERGENT HOLDINGS, INC.</u> | <b>D</b> Employer Identification Number (EIN)<br><u>81-3438452</u> |            |

|               |                      |
|---------------|----------------------|
| <b>Part I</b> | <b>Distributions</b> |
|---------------|----------------------|

**All references to distributions relate only to payments of benefits during the plan year.**

**1** Total value of distributions paid in property other than in cash or the forms of property specified in the instructions..... 

|          |          |
|----------|----------|
| <b>1</b> | <u>0</u> |
|----------|----------|

**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): 04-6568107

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

**3** Number of participants (living or deceased) whose benefits were distributed in a single sum, during the plan year..... 

|          |  |
|----------|--|
| <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.) |
|----------------|---|

**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> |
|-----------------|-------------------|

**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. |
|----------------|---|

**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 Q702438A.

Financial Statements and Report of  
Independent Certified Public  
Accountants

**Emerging Markets Employees' Savings Plan**

December 31, 2024 and 2023

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**REPORT OF INDEPENDENT CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS**

Savings Plan Committee and Plan Participants  
Emerging Markets Employees' Savings Plan

**Opinion**

We have audited the financial statements of Emerging Markets Employees' Savings Plan (the "Plan"), an employee benefit plan subject to the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), which comprise the statement of net assets available for benefits as of December 31, 2024, and the related statement of changes in net assets available for benefits for the year then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the net assets available for benefits of the Plan as of December 31, 2024, and the changes in its net assets available for benefits for the year then ended, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

**Basis for opinion**

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

In preparing the financial statements, management is required to evaluate whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the Plan's ability to continue as a going concern 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**

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 US GAAS will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Misstatements are considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, they would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user based on the financial statements.

In performing an audit in accordance with US GAAS, we:

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

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

#### **Supplemental schedule required by ERISA**

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements as a whole. The supplemental schedule of assets held (at end of year) as of December 31, 2024 is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the financial statements but is supplementary information required by the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. Such supplementary 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 has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audits of the financial statements and certain additional procedures. These additional procedures included 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 US GAAS.

In forming our opinion on the supplemental schedule, we evaluated whether the supplemental schedule, including its form and content, is presented in conformity with the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.

In our opinion, the information in the accompanying supplemental schedule is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the financial statements as a whole, and the form and content are presented in conformity with the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.

**Other matter - auditor's report on the 2023 financial statements**

The financial statements of the Plan as of and for the year ended December 31, 2023 were audited by other auditors. Those auditors expressed an unmodified opinion on those 2023 financial statements in their report dated September 29, 2025. Their report also expressed their opinion that the information in the 2023 supplemental schedule was fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the financial statements as a whole, and the form and content was presented in conformity with the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.

*Grant Thornton LLP*

Southfield, Michigan  
November 4, 2025

Emerging Markets Employees' Savings Plan

STATEMENTS OF NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS

December 31,

|   | <u>2024</u>           | <u>2023</u>           |
|---|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| <b>ASSETS</b>   |                       |                       |
| Plan interest in Blue Cross Blue Shield of<br>Michigan 401(k) Master Trust investments (Note C) | \$ 582,823,352        | \$ 422,046,555        |
| Notes receivable from participants  | <u>8,776,171</u>      | <u>6,833,038</u>      |
| <b>NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS</b>  | <u>\$ 591,599,523</u> | <u>\$ 428,879,593</u> |

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

**Emerging Markets Employees' Savings Plan**

**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS**

**Year ended December 31, 2024**

**Additions**

|  |                    |
|--|--------------------|
| Plan interest in the Blue Cross Blue Shield of Michigan 401(k) |                    |
| Master Trust investment income (Note C)                        | \$ 70,650,267      |
| Contributions  |                    |
| Participant  | 31,302,672         |
| Employer   | 17,609,453         |
| Rollovers  | <u>4,405,241</u>   |
| Total contributions  | 53,317,366         |
| Interest income on notes receivable from participants          | <u>630,981</u>     |
| Total additions  | <u>124,598,614</u> |

**Deductions**

|  |                   |
|--|-------------------|
| Benefits paid                                  | 58,070,686        |
| Administrative expenses                        | <u>229,275</u>    |
| Total deductions                               | <u>58,299,961</u> |
| Net increase before transfers                  | 66,298,653        |
| Transfers from                                 |                   |
| AmeriTrust 401(k) Profit Sharing Plan (Note A) | 96,069,488        |
| Accident Fund Plan, net (Note F)               | <u>351,789</u>    |
| <b>NET INCREASE AFTER TRANSFERS</b>            | 162,719,930       |

**Net assets available for benefits**

|                   |                              |
|-------------------|------------------------------|
| Beginning of year | <u>428,879,593</u>           |
| End of year       | <u><u>\$ 591,599,523</u></u> |

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this financial statement.

## Emerging Markets Employees' Savings Plan

### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

December 31, 2024 and 2023

#### NOTE A - DESCRIPTION OF THE PLAN

The following description of the Emerging Markets Employees' Savings 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 defined contribution plan that covers employees of Emergent Holdings, Inc. (the "Corporation" or "Employer" or "Plan Sponsor") and certain of its wholly-owned subsidiaries not governed by a collective bargaining agreement. The Corporation and its Savings Plan Committee are responsible for the general administration of the Plan.

The Plan participates in the Blue Cross Blue Shield of Michigan 401(k) Master Trust (the "Master Trust"). The Master Trust is was established for the investment of assets of the Plan and other plans sponsored by the Corporation including the Blue Cross Blue Shield of Michigan Employees' Savings Plan ("Employees' Plan"), the Blue Cross Blue Shield of Michigan Represented Employees' Savings Plan ("Represented Employees' Plan) and Accident Fund Holdings, Inc. Represented Employees' Savings Plan ("Accident Fund Plan") (collectively "the Plans"). See Note C for details of the Plan's participation in the Master Trust. The assets of the Master Trust are held by Fidelity Management Trust Company ("Fidelity" or "Trustee"). Participants direct the investment of their contributions and Employer contributions into the various investment options offered by the Plan. The Plan is subject to the to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, as amended ("ERISA").

##### **Eligibility**

An employee may become a participant in the Plan immediately upon the employee's employment commencement date (as defined in the Plan document). A participant receives matching contributions from the Employer upon enrollment in the Plan (as defined in the plan document).

##### **Contributions and Vesting**

Eligible employees are automatically enrolled into the Plan after 90 days at a pre-tax deferral rate of 6% of adjusted Form W-2 compensation, as defined in the Plan document. Adjusted Form W-2 compensation will be referred to as eligible compensation hereafter. The employee can change their contribution rate or stop automatic contributions at any time. Beginning in 2024, participants can make Roth after-tax contributions. Participants who have attained age 50 before the close of the Plan year are eligible to make catch-up contributions in accordance with the limitations of the International Revenue Code (the "IRC"). Eligible employees can elect to contribute up to 50% of their eligible compensation on a pre-tax or Roth after-tax basis not to exceed the Internal Revenue Service ("IRS") limits.

The Plan also permits participants to contribute amounts representing distributions from other qualified defined benefit or contribution plans (rollover contributions). The rollover contributions include pre-tax contributions, and effective January 1, 2024 they can include Roth rollover contributions.

The Employer makes matching contributions equal to 50% of each participant's contribution on the first 10% of eligible compensation. The Employer does not match contributions on catch-up contributions. The Employer also makes a non-elective contribution equal to 3.5% of eligible compensation for a select group of participants. The Employer can also elect discretionary contributions. There were no discretionary contributions made for the year ended December 31, 2024.

All participant and Employer contributions are immediately 100% vested.

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***Participant Accounts***

Individual accounts are maintained for each participant. Each participant's account is credited with the participant's contributions, Employer contributions and allocations of Plan earnings or losses. Participant accounts are charged with withdrawals and applicable administrative expenses. 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.

***Payment of Benefits***

Generally, participants may elect to withdraw their total account balance in the form of a lump sum upon separation. However, participants receiving a distribution due to retirement or disability, as defined in the Plan document, may elect to have the value of their participant accounts distributed as an annuity or in installment payments over a period of 2 to 15 years. Participants who are age 59½ or older may also make an election to receive a lump-sum distribution of their total participant account balance. A participant who is terminated or a beneficiary who does not elect to receive an immediate distribution must receive, or begin to receive, a distribution no later than April 1 following the year the participant attains age 73.

The Plan also provides for early withdrawal of participant accounts in the event of a participant's financial hardship, as defined in the Plan document. The amount withdrawn for a financial hardship must not exceed the amount needed in the situation.

***Notes Receivable from Participants***

Participants may borrow from their individual account balance in the Plan a minimum of \$1,000 up to a maximum of the lesser of \$50,000, or 50% of their vested account balance, reduced by the outstanding balance of all other loans from the Plan on the date of origination. A participant may not have more than three loans outstanding at any given time. Loan terms range from 1 to 5 years or up to 15 years for the purchase of a principal residence. The loans are collateralized by the balance in the participant's account and bear interest at the prime lending rate plus 1% at the beginning of the month prior to the loan origination. The loans rates range from 2.10% to 9.50% as of December 31, 2024.

***Plan Merger***

Effective January 1, 2024, the AmeriTrust 401(k) Profit Sharing Plan (the "AmeriTrust Plan"), a defined contribution plan sponsored by AmeriTrust Group, Inc., merged \$96,069,488 into the Plan.

**NOTE B - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

***Basis of Accounting***

The financial statements have been prepared under the accrual method of accounting in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (U.S. GAAP).

***Use of Estimates***

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

**Emerging Markets Employees' Savings Plan**  
**NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - CONTINUED**  
**December 31, 2024 and 2023**

***Investment Valuation and Income Recognition***

The Master Trust's investments, except for its investments in synthetic investment contracts, are stated at fair value. Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date (an exit price). See Note D for a description of fair value measurements.

The synthetic investment contracts are stated at contract value, as more fully described in Note E. Contract value is the relevant measurement attribute for fully benefit-responsive investment contracts because contract value is the amount participants would receive if they were to initiate permitted transactions under the terms of the Plan.

Purchases and sales of Master Trust investments 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 and depreciation include the Master Trust's gains and losses on investments bought and sold, as well as those held during the year.

***Benefit Payments***

Benefits are recorded when paid.

***Notes Receivable from Participants***

Notes receivable from participants are recorded at the unpaid principal balance plus accrued interest but unpaid. Related fees are recorded as administrative expenses and are expensed as incurred. If a participant ceases to make loan repayments and the Plan administrator deems the participant loan to be in default, the participant note receivable balance is reduced and a benefit payment is recorded.

***Administrative Expenses***

Transaction fees initiated by individual participants, such as loan set-up, loan maintenance, and overnight express mail fees, are paid by the Plan and are charged to the participant's account. Certain direct costs and expenses incurred in connection with the operation of the Plan are paid by the Corporation.

***Reclassification of Prior Period Amounts***

Certain amounts in the prior period disclosures have been reclassified to conform to the current year's presentation. These reclassifications had no impact on previously reported net assets available for benefits or change in net assets available for benefits.

**NOTE C - MASTER TRUST**

The Plan's investments are held in the Master Trust. Each participating plan in the Master Trust has a divided interest in the Master Trust. The value of the Plan's interest in the Master Trust is determined based on the Plan's allocated portion of the net appreciation in fair value of investments of the Master Trust, along with the allocated portion of the Master Trust interest and dividend income and Master Trust related administrative expenses.

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**NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - CONTINUED**

**December 31, 2024 and 2023**

The following table presents the net assets of the Master Trust and the Plan's interest in the net assets of the Master Trust as of December 31, 2024 and 2023:

|  | 2024                           |  | 2023                           |  |
|--|--------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|--|
|  | Master Trust<br>Balances       | Plan's Interest in<br>Master Trust<br>Balances | Master Trust<br>Balances       | Plan's Interest in<br>Master Trust<br>Balances |
| Investments at fair value                |                                |  |                                |  |
| Registered investment companies          | \$ 1,285,524,143               | \$ 308,474,568                                 | \$ 1,058,475,185               | \$ 215,084,182                                 |
| Collective trust funds                   | 738,044,001                    | 254,739,889                                    | 618,457,282                    | 189,417,209                                    |
| Self-directed brokerage accounts         | 52,561,568                     | 6,260,822                                      | 42,704,343                     | 4,734,279                                      |
| <b>Total investments at fair value</b>   | <b>2,076,129,712</b>           | <b>569,475,279</b>                             | <b>1,719,636,810</b>           | <b>409,235,670</b>                             |
| Investment contracts at contract value   | 137,089,619                    | 13,348,073                                     | 142,280,415                    | 12,810,885                                     |
| <b>Total investments in Master Trust</b> | <b><u>\$ 2,213,219,331</u></b> | <b><u>\$ 582,823,352</u></b>                   | <b><u>\$ 1,861,917,225</u></b> | <b><u>\$ 422,046,555</u></b>                   |

The net appreciation in the fair value of investments and investment income for the Master Trust for the year ended December 31, 2024, were as follows:

|  |                              |
|--|------------------------------|
| Investment income                                  |                              |
| Net appreciation in fair value of investments      | \$ 202,693,107               |
| Interest and dividends                             | 72,088,704                   |
| <b>Net investment income from the Master Trust</b> | <b><u>\$ 274,781,811</u></b> |

**NOTE D - FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS**

The framework for measuring fair value provides for a fair value hierarchy that provides the inputs to the valuation techniques used to measure fair value. The hierarchy gives the highest priority to unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets and liabilities (level 1) and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (level 3).

The three levels of the fair value hierarchy are described as follows:

Level 1 - Inputs to the valuation methodology are unadjusted quoted market prices for identical assets and liabilities in active markets that the Plan has the ability to access

Level 2 - Inputs to the valuation methodology include

- Quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities in active markets
- Quoted prices for identical or similar assets or liabilities in inactive markets
- Inputs other than quoted prices that are observable for the asset or liability
- Inputs that are derived principally from or corroborated by observable market data by correctional or other means

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If the assets 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 both unobservable and significant to the fair value measurement

The assets 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.

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

***Registered Investment Companies***

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

***Collective Trust Funds***

Investments in collective trusts are valued at the NAV of units held by the Master Trust. The NAV, as provided by the Trustee, is used as a practical expedient to estimate fair value. The NAV is based on the value of the underlying assets owned by the fund, minus its liabilities, and then divided by the number of units outstanding.

***Self-Directed Brokerage Accounts***

Accounts primarily consist of mutual funds and common stocks that are valued on the basis of readily determinable prices in active markets.

The following tables present the Master Trust's investments by level within the fair value hierarchy as of December 31, 2024 and 2023.

| Description                                   | Fair Value as of December 31, 2024 |             |             |                        |
|---|------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|------------------------|
|   | Level 1                            | Level 2     | Level 3     | Total                  |
| Registered investment companies               | \$1,285,524,143                    | \$ -        | \$ -        | \$1,285,524,143        |
| Self-directed brokerage accounts              | 52,561,568                         | -           | -           | 52,561,568             |
| Total investments in the fair value hierarchy | <u>\$1,338,085,711</u>             | <u>\$ -</u> | <u>\$ -</u> | 1,338,085,711          |
| Investments measured at NAV <sup>(a)</sup>    |                                    |             |             | <u>738,044,001</u>     |
| Total investments, at fair value              |                                    |             |             | <u>\$2,076,129,712</u> |

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| Description                                   | Fair Value as of December 31, 2023 |             |             |                        |
|---|------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|------------------------|
|   | Level 1                            | Level 2     | Level 3     | Total                  |
| Registered investment companies               | \$1,058,475,185                    | \$ -        | \$ -        | \$1,058,475,185        |
| Self-directed brokerage accounts              | 42,704,343                         | -           | -           | 42,704,343             |
| Total investments in the fair value hierarchy | <u>\$1,101,179,528</u>             | <u>\$ -</u> | <u>\$ -</u> | 1,101,179,528          |
| Investments measured at NAV <sup>(a)</sup>    |                                    |             |             | <u>618,457,282</u>     |
| Total investments, at fair value              |                                    |             |             | <u>\$1,719,636,810</u> |

<sup>a)</sup> Investments measured at NAV per share (or its equivalent) were classified outside the fair value hierarchy as permitted under US GAAP.

Certain investments in the Master Trust that are valued using NAV as a practical expedient for fair value have redemption requirements. These investments have no unfunded commitments. The following table provides the redemption requirements for those investments as December 31, 2024 and 2023.

|                              | December 31, 2024 |                      |  |                          |
|------------------------------|-------------------|----------------------|--|--------------------------|
|                              | Fair Value        | Unfunded Commitments | Redemption Frequency (If Currently Eligible) | Redemption Notice Period |
| Collective investment trusts | \$ 738,044,001    | \$ -                 | Daily  | None <sup>(a)</sup>      |
|                              | December 31, 2023 |                      |  |                          |
|                              | Fair Value        | Unfunded Commitments | Redemption Frequency (If Currently Eligible) | Redemption Notice Period |
| Collective investment trusts | \$ 618,457,282    | \$ -                 | Daily  | None                     |

<sup>(a)</sup> A Plan directed redemption requires a 30-day notice period.

**NOTE E - INVESTMENT CONTRACTS**

The Master Trust holds a portfolio of synthetic investment contracts (the "Investment Contracts") held in a Fixed Income Fund (the "Fund"). These contracts meet the fully benefit-responsive investment contract criteria and therefore are reported at contract value. Contract value is the relevant measure for fully benefit-responsive investment contracts because this is the amount received by participants if they were to initiate permitted transactions under the terms of the Master Trust. Contract value represents contributions made under each contract, plus earnings, less participant withdrawals, and administrative expenses.

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Fidelity is responsible for the accounting, valuation, and safekeeping of the Investment Contracts. The Investment Contracts include wrapper contracts, which is an agreement for the wrap issuer, such as a bank or insurance company, to make payments to the Master Trust in certain circumstances. The wrapper contracts provide a guarantee that the credit rate will not fall below 0%. The wrapper contract typically incurs certain conditions and limitations on the underlying assets owned by the Master Trust.

Cash flow volatility (for example, timing of benefit payments) as well as asset underperformance can be passed through to the Plans through adjustments to future contract crediting rates. Formulas are provided in each contract that adjusts renewal crediting rates to recognize the difference between the fair value and the book value of the underlying assets. Crediting rates are reviewed monthly for resetting.

The Master Trust's ability to receive amounts due in accordance with fully benefit responsive investment contracts is dependent on the third-party issuer's ability to meet its financial obligations. The issuer's ability to meet its contractual obligations may be affected by future economic and regulatory developments. Certain events might limit the ability of the Master Trust to transact at contract value with the contract issuer. These events may be different under each contract. Examples of such events include the following:

- Failure of the Plans included in the Master Trust to qualify under Section 401(a) of the Internal Revenue Code or failure of the trust to be tax-exempt under Section 501(a) of the Internal Revenue Code
- Premature termination of the contracts
- Termination or merger of the Plans included in the Master Trust
- Changes to the Master Trusts prohibition on competing investment options
- Bankruptcy of the Plan Sponsor or other Plan Sponsor events (for example, divestitures or spinoffs of a subsidiary) that significantly affect the Master Trusts normal operations.

No events are probable of occurring that might limit the ability of the Master Trust to transact at contract value with the contract issuers and that also would limit the ability of participants to transact at contract value.

In addition, certain events allow the issuer to terminate the contracts with the Master Trust and settle at an amount different from contract value. Those events may be different under each contract. Examples of such events include the following:

- An uncured violation of the Master Trust's investment guidelines
- A breach of material obligation under the contract
- Material misrepresentation
- A material amendment to the agreements without the consent of the issuer.

**NOTE F - ASSET TRANSFERS**

When an employee's job classification changes, but the employee continues employment with the Corporation, a transfer occurs between plans sponsored by the Corporation, resulting in a change in eligibility of the employee between participating in this Plan and participating in the other plan sponsored by the Corporation. The net of these transfers is reported as transfers of net assets in the accompanying

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statement of changes in net assets available for benefits. For the year ended December 31, 2024, a net amount of \$351,789 was transferred to the Plan from the Accident Fund Plan.

**NOTE G - RISKS AND UNCERTAINTIES**

The Master Trust invests in various 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 the value of investment securities will occur in the near term and that such changes could materially affect the amounts reported in the financial statements.

**NOTE H - PLAN TERMINATION**

Although it is not expressed any intent to do so, the Corporation has the right, by action of its Board of Directors, to discontinue its contributions or terminate the Plan subject to the provisions of ERISA. Upon termination of the Plan, disbursements of participants' account balances would be made as of the date of termination in the same manner as described for retirement.

**NOTE I - RELATED PARTY AND PARTY-IN-INTEREST TRANSACTIONS**

Certain Master Trust investments are shares of registered investment companies or units of collective trust funds managed by the Trustee, or affiliates of the Trustee. Transactions involving these investments qualify as party-in-interest transactions; however, these transactions are exempt from the prohibited transaction rules.

Participants may also borrow from their individual account balances in the Plan. These transactions qualify as exempt party-in-interest transactions.

**NOTE J - TAX STATUS**

The Plan has adopted a non-standardized pre-approved profit sharing plan document. The plan as designed received a favorable opinion letter from the IRS dated June 30, 2020. The Plan has been amended since receiving the opinion letter. However, the Plan administrator believes that the Plan is currently designed and being operated in compliance with the applicable requirements of the IRC.

US GAAP requires management to evaluate tax positions taken by the Plan and recognize a tax liability (or asset) if the organization has taken an uncertain position that would not be sustained upon examination by the IRS. The Corporation and the Plans' tax counsel have analyzed the tax positions taken by the Plan and have concluded that as of December 31, 2024 and 2023, there are no uncertain tax positions taken or expected to be taken that would require recognition of a liability (or asset) or disclosure in the financial statements. As such, no reserve is required under US GAAP. The Plan is subject to audit by the IRS, including the periods presented in these financial statements; however, there are no current IRS audits for any tax periods in progress.

**NOTE K - SUBSEQUENT EVENTS**

The Plan Administrator has evaluated subsequent events through November 4, 2025, the date that the financial statements were available to be issued. The Plan Administrator is not aware of any subsequent events which would require disclosure in the financial statements.

SUPPLEMENTAL SCHEDULE

Emerging Markets Employees' Savings Plan

FORM 5500, SCHEDULE H, ITEM 4i - SCHEDULE OF ASSETS (HELD AT END OF YEAR)

December 31, 2024

EIN: 81-3438452, PLAN NUMBER#: 001

| (a) | (b) Identity of Issue,<br>Borrower, Lessor, or Similar<br>Party | (c) Description of Investment (Including Maturity<br>Date, Rate of Interest, Collateral, and Par or Maturity<br>Value) | (d)<br>Cost | (e)<br>Current Value |
|-----|---|--|-------------|----------------------|
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