

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 06/01/2024 and ending 05/31/2025

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

Part II Basic Plan Information—enter all requested information

1a Name of plan: NATIONAL BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION REFEREES' PENSION PLAN
1b Three-digit plan number (PN): 001
1c Effective date of plan: 10/01/1968
2a Plan sponsor's name (employer, if for a single-employer plan): NBA SERVICES CORP.
2b Employer Identification Number (EIN): 26-3863272
2c Plan Sponsor's telephone number: 201-325-5555
2d Business code (see instructions): 711210

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 Anthony Auriemmo (plan administrator), Neil Aaron (employer/plan sponsor), and a row for DFE.

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| 3a Plan administrator's name and address <input type="checkbox"/> Same as Plan Sponsor ADVISORY COMMITTEE NATIONAL BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION 100 PLAZA DRIVE SECAUCUS, NJ 07094 | | 3b Administrator's EIN 12-2866975 | |
| | | 3c Administrator's telephone number 201-325-5555 | |
| 4 If the name and/or EIN of the plan sponsor or the plan name has changed since the last return/report filed for this plan, enter the plan sponsor's name, EIN, the plan name and the plan number from the last return/report: a Sponsor's name c Plan Name | | 4b EIN | |
| | | 4d PN | |
| 5 Total number of participants at the beginning of the plan year | 5 | | 47 |
| 6 Number of participants as of the end of the plan year unless otherwise stated (welfare plans complete only lines 6a(1), 6a(2), 6b, 6c, and 6d). | | | |
| 6a(1) Total number of active participants at the beginning of the plan year | 6a(1) | | 27 |
| 6a(2) Total number of active participants at the end of the plan year | 6a(2) | | 27 |
| b Retired or separated participants receiving benefits..... | 6b | | 6 |
| c Other retired or separated participants entitled to future benefits | 6c | | 11 |
| d Subtotal. Add lines 6a(2), 6b, and 6c..... | 6d | | 44 |
| e Deceased participants whose beneficiaries are receiving or are entitled to receive benefits. | 6e | | 2 |
| f Total. Add lines 6d and 6e | 6f | | 46 |
| g(1) Number of participants with account balances as of the beginning of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item) | 6g(1) | | |
| g(2) Number of participants with account balances as of the end of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item) | 6g(2) | | |
| h Number of participants who terminated employment during the plan year with accrued benefits that were less than 100% vested..... | 6h | | 0 |
| 7 Enter the total number of employers obligated to contribute to the plan (only multiemployer plans complete this item) | 7 | | |

8a If the plan provides pension benefits, enter the applicable pension feature codes from the List of Plan Characteristics Codes in the instructions:
1B 1I

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Receipt Confirmation Code _____

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| <p style="text-align: center;">SCHEDULE A (Form 5500)</p> <p style="font-size: small;">Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service</p> <hr/> <p style="font-size: x-small;">Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration</p> <hr/> <p style="font-size: x-small;">Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation</p> | <p>Insurance Information</p> <p>This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).</p> <p>▶ File as an attachment to Form 5500.</p> <p>▶ Insurance companies are required to provide the information pursuant to ERISA section 103(a)(2).</p> | <p>OMB No. 1210-0110</p> <hr/> <p style="font-size: large;">2024</p> <hr/> <p>This Form is Open to Public Inspection</p> |
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For calendar plan year 2024 or fiscal plan year beginning **06/01/2024** and ending **05/31/2025**

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| <p>A Name of plan NATIONAL BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION REFEREES' PENSION PLAN</p> | <p>B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶</p> | <p>001</p> |
| <p>C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 NBA SERVICES CORP.</p> | <p>D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 26-3863272</p> | |

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

1 Coverage Information:

(a) Name of insurance carrier
THE PRUDENTIAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF AMERICA

| (b) EIN | (c) NAIC code | (d) Contract or identification number | (e) Approximate number of persons covered at end of policy or contract year | Policy or contract year | |
|------------|---------------|---------------------------------------|---|-------------------------|------------|
| | | | | (f) From | (g) To |
| 22-1211670 | 68241 | 030270 | 46 | 06/01/2024 | 05/31/2025 |

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

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

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

| (b) Amount of sales and base commissions paid | Fees and other commissions paid | | (e) Organization code |
|---|---------------------------------|-------------|-----------------------|
| | (c) Amount | (d) Purpose | |
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(a) Name and address of the agent, broker, or other person to whom commissions or fees were paid

| (b) Amount of sales and base commissions paid | Fees and other commissions paid | | (e) Organization code |
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| | (c) Amount | (d) Purpose | |
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| (b) Amount of sales and base commissions paid | Fees and other commissions paid | | (e) Organization code |
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| | (c) Amount | (d) Purpose | |
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Part II Investment and Annuity Contract Information
 Where individual contracts are provided, the entire group of such individual contracts with each carrier may be treated as a unit for purposes of this report.

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| 4 Current value of plan's interest under this contract in the general account at year end | 4 | |
| 5 Current value of plan's interest under this contract in separate accounts at year end..... | 5 | 1395878 |

6 Contracts With Allocated Funds:

a State the basis of premium rates ▶

b Premiums paid to carrier **6b**

c Premiums due but unpaid at the end of the year **6c**

d If the carrier, service, or other organization incurred any specific costs in connection with the acquisition or retention of the contract or policy, enter amount. **6d**
 Specify nature of costs ▶

e Type of contract: (1) individual policies (2) group deferred annuity
 (3) other (specify) ▶

f If contract purchased, in whole or in part, to distribute benefits from a terminating plan, check here ▶

7 Contracts With Unallocated Funds (Do not include portions of these contracts maintained in separate accounts)

- a** Type of contract: (1) deposit administration (2) immediate participation guarantee
 (3) guaranteed investment (4) other ▶

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| b Balance at the end of the previous year | 7b | 0 |
| c Additions: (1) Contributions deposited during the year | 7c(1) | |
| | 7c(2) | |
| | 7c(3) | |
| | 7c(4) | |
| | 7c(5) | |
| (6) Total additions | 7c(6) | 0 |
| d Total of balance and additions (add lines 7b and 7c(6)) | 7d | 0 |
| e Deductions: (1) Disbursed from fund to pay benefits or purchase annuities during year | 7e(1) | |
| | 7e(2) | |
| | 7e(3) | |
| | 7e(4) | |
| | (5) Total deductions | |
| f Balance at the end of the current year (subtract line 7e(5) from line 7d)..... | 7f | 0 |

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

8 Benefit and contract type (check all applicable boxes)

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

9 Experience-rated contracts:

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

10 Nonexperience-rated contracts:

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

Specify nature of costs.

Part IV Provision of Information

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

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

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| SCHEDULE SB (Form 5500) <small>Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service</small> <small>Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration</small> <small>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation</small> | Single-Employer Defined Benefit Plan Actuarial Information This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) and section 6059 of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code). ▶ File as an attachment to Form 5500 or 5500-SF. | <small>OMB No. 1210-0110</small> 2024 This Form is Open to Public Inspection |
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▶ **Round off amounts to nearest dollar.**
 ▶ **Caution:** A penalty of \$1,000 will be assessed for late filing of this report unless reasonable cause is established.

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| A Name of plan <u>NATIONAL BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION REFEREES' PENSION PLAN</u> | B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ | <u>001</u> |
| C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 or 5500-SF <u>NBA SERVICES CORP.</u> | D Employer Identification Number (EIN) <u>26-3863272</u> | |
| E Type of plan: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Single <input type="checkbox"/> Multiple-A <input type="checkbox"/> Multiple-B | F Prior year plan size: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 100 or fewer <input type="checkbox"/> 101-500 <input type="checkbox"/> More than 500 | |

Part I Basic Information

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| 1 | Enter the valuation date: Month <u>06</u> Day <u>01</u> Year <u>2024</u> | | |
| 2 | Assets: | | |
| | a Market value | 2a | <u>35876949</u> |
| | b Actuarial value | 2b | <u>35649711</u> |
| 3 | Funding target/participant count breakdown | (1) Number of participants | (2) Vested Funding Target |
| | a For retired participants and beneficiaries receiving payment | <u>8</u> | <u>11689854</u> |
| | b For terminated vested participants | <u>12</u> | <u>7487429</u> |
| | c For active participants | <u>27</u> | <u>19656570</u> |
| | d Total | <u>47</u> | <u>38833853</u> |
| 4 | If the plan is in at-risk status, check the box and complete lines (a) and (b)..... <input type="checkbox"/> | | |
| | a Funding target disregarding prescribed at-risk assumptions | 4a | |
| | b Funding target reflecting at-risk assumptions, but disregarding transition rule for plans that have been in at-risk status for fewer than five consecutive years and disregarding loading factor | 4b | |
| 5 | Effective interest rate | 5 | <u>5.20 %</u> |
| 6 | Target normal cost | | |
| | a Present value of current plan year accruals | 6a | <u>0</u> |
| | b Expected plan-related expenses | 6b | <u>225000</u> |
| | c Target normal cost | 6c | <u>225000</u> |

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

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| SIGN HERE | | |
| | Signature of actuary | <u>02/09/2026</u> Date |
| | <u>AIDA DOMLIJA, FSA, MAAA</u> Type or print name of actuary | <u>23-06955</u> Most recent enrollment number |
| | <u>SEGAL</u> Firm name | <u>212-251-5000</u> Telephone number (including area code) |
| | <u>66 HUDSON BLVD E 20TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10001-2192</u> Address of the firm | |

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

| Part II Beginning of Year Carryover and Prefunding Balances | | (a) Carryover balance | (b) Prefunding balance |
|--|--|-----------------------|------------------------|
| 7 | Balance at beginning of prior year after applicable adjustments (line 13 from prior year) | 0 | 5708563 |
| 8 | Portion elected for use to offset prior year's funding requirement (line 35 from prior year) | 0 | 910449 |
| 9 | Amount remaining (line 7 minus line 8) | 0 | 4798114 |
| 10 | Interest on line 9 using prior year's actual return of <u>10.33</u> % | 0 | 495645 |
| 11 | Prior year's excess contributions to be added to prefunding balance: | | |
| a | Present value of excess contributions (line 38a from prior year) | | 0 |
| b(1) | Interest on the excess, if any, of line 38a over line 38b from prior year Schedule SB, using prior year's effective interest rate of <u>5.23</u> % | | 0 |
| b(2) | Interest on line 38b from prior year Schedule SB, using prior year's actual return | | 0 |
| c | Total available at beginning of current plan year to add to prefunding balance | | 0 |
| d | Portion of (c) to be added to prefunding balance | | 0 |
| 12 | Other reductions in balances due to elections or deemed elections | 0 | 1046115 |
| 13 | Balance at beginning of current year (line 9 + line 10 + line 11d – line 12) | 0 | 4247644 |

| Part III Funding Percentages | | | |
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| 14 | Funding target attainment percentage | 14 | 80.00 % |
| 15 | Adjusted funding target attainment percentage | 15 | 80.00 % |
| 16 | Prior year's funding percentage for purposes of determining whether carryover/prefunding balances may be used to reduce current year's funding requirement | 16 | 82.88 % |
| 17 | If the current value of the assets of the plan is less than 70 percent of the funding target, enter such percentage | 17 | % |

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

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| 19 | Discounted employer contributions – see instructions for small plan with a valuation date after the beginning of the year: | | |
| a | Contributions allocated toward unpaid minimum required contributions from prior years | 19a 0 | |
| b | Contributions made to avoid restrictions adjusted to valuation date | 19b 0 | |
| c | Contributions allocated toward minimum required contribution for current year adjusted to valuation date | 19c 0 | |
| 20 | Quarterly contributions and liquidity shortfalls: | | |
| a | Did the plan have a "funding shortfall" for the prior year? | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | |
| b | If line 20a is "Yes," were required quarterly installments for the current year made in a timely manner? | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | |
| c | If line 20a is "Yes," see instructions and complete the following table as applicable: | | |
| Liquidity shortfall as of end of quarter of this plan year | | | |
| (1) 1st | (2) 2nd | (3) 3rd | (4) 4th |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

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| Part V Assumptions Used to Determine Funding Target and Target Normal Cost | | | |
| 21 Discount rate: | | | |
| a Segment rates: | 1st segment: 4.75 % | 2nd segment: 5.05 % | <input type="checkbox"/> N/A, full yield curve used |
| b Applicable month (enter code) | | | 21b 4 |
| 22 Weighted average retirement age | | | 22 60 |
| 23 Mortality table(s) (see instructions) | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Prescribed - combined <input type="checkbox"/> Prescribed - separate <input type="checkbox"/> Substitute | | |

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

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| Part VII Reconciliation of Unpaid Minimum Required Contributions For Prior Years | | | |
| 28 Unpaid minimum required contributions for all prior years | | | 28 0 |
| 29 Discounted employer contributions allocated toward unpaid minimum required contributions from prior years (line 19a)..... | | | 29 0 |
| 30 Remaining amount of unpaid minimum required contributions (line 28 minus line 29)..... | | | 30 0 |

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| Part VIII Minimum Required Contribution For Current Year | | | |
| 31 Target normal cost and excess assets (see instructions): | | | |
| a Target normal cost (line 6c) | | | 31a 225000 |
| b Excess assets, if applicable, but not greater than line 31a | | | 31b 0 |
| 32 Amortization installments: | Outstanding Balance | | Installment |
| a Net shortfall amortization installment | 7850516 | | 835551 |
| b Waiver amortization installment..... | 0 | | 0 |
| 33 If a waiver has been approved for this plan year, enter the date of the ruling letter granting the approval (Month _____ Day _____ Year _____) and the waived amount | | | 33 |
| 34 Total funding requirement before reflecting carryover/prefunding balances (lines 31a - 31b + 32a + 32b - 33)..... | | | 34 1060551 |
| | Carryover balance | Prefunding balance | Total balance |
| 35 Balances elected for use to offset funding requirement | 0 | 1060551 | 1060551 |
| 36 Additional cash requirement (line 34 minus line 35) | | | 36 0 |
| 37 Contributions allocated toward minimum required contribution for current year adjusted to valuation date (line 19c) | | | 37 0 |
| 38 Present value of excess contributions for current year (see instructions) | | | |
| a Total (excess, if any, of line 37 over line 36) | | | 38a 0 |
| b Portion included in line 38a attributable to use of prefunding and funding standard carryover balances..... | | | 38b 0 |
| 39 Unpaid minimum required contribution for current year (excess, if any, of line 36 over line 37) | | | 39 0 |
| 40 Unpaid minimum required contributions for all years | | | 40 0 |

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| Part IX Pension Funding Relief Under the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (See Instructions) | | | |
| 41 If an election was made to use the extended amortization rule for a plan year beginning on or before December 31, 2021, check the box to indicate the first plan year for which the rule applies. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 2019 <input type="checkbox"/> 2020 <input type="checkbox"/> 2021 | | | |

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| SCHEDULE D (Form 5500) <small>Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service</small> <small>Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration</small> | DFE/Participating Plan Information This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA). ▶ File as an attachment to Form 5500. | OMB No. 1210-0110 <hr/> 2024 This Form is Open to Public Inspection. |
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For calendar plan year 2024 or fiscal plan year beginning 06/01/2024 and ending 05/31/2025

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| A Name of plan <u>NATIONAL BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION REFEREES' PENSION PLAN</u> | B Three-digit plan number (PN) | <u>001</u> |
| C Plan or DFE sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 <u>NBA SERVICES CORP.</u> | D Employer Identification Number (EIN) <u>26-3863272</u> | |

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| Part I | Information on interests in MTIAs, CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs (to be completed by plans and DFEs) (Complete as many entries as needed to report all interests in DFEs) |
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| a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: <u>PRUDENTIAL CORE CONSERV BOND</u> | | |
| b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <u>PRUDENTIAL TRUST COMPANY</u> | | |
| c EIN-PN <u>23-6994310-126</u> | d Entity code <u>C</u> | e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <u>8887340</u> |
| a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: <u>SHORT TERM</u> | | |
| b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <u>PRUDENTIAL INSURANCE CO.</u> | | |
| c EIN-PN <u>22-1211670-044</u> | d Entity code <u>P</u> | e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <u>1395878</u> |
| a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: <u>PRU CORE CONSERV INT BD FD</u> | | |
| b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <u>PRUDENTIAL TRUST COMPANY</u> | | |
| c EIN-PN <u>23-6994310-156</u> | d Entity code <u>C</u> | e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <u>2012779</u> |
| a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: <u>PRUDENTIAL CORE BOND FUND</u> | | |
| b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): <u>PRUDENTIAL TRUST COMPANY</u> | | |
| c EIN-PN <u>23-6994310-125</u> | d Entity code <u>C</u> | e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) <u>8903901</u> |
| a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: | | |
| b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): | | |
| c EIN-PN | d Entity code | e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) |
| a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: | | |
| b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): | | |
| c EIN-PN | d Entity code | e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) |
| a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: | | |
| b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): | | |
| c EIN-PN | d Entity code | e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) |

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

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

c EIN-PN

d Entity code

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

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

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

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d Entity code

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

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| SCHEDULE I (Form 5500) <small>Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service</small> <small>Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration</small> <small>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation</small> | Financial Information—Small Plan This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), and section 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code). ▶ File as an attachment to Form 5500. | <small>OMB No. 1210-0110</small> 2024 This Form is Open to Public Inspection |
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| A Name of plan NATIONAL BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION REFEREES' PENSION PLAN | B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 001 |
| C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 NBA SERVICES CORP. | D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 26-3863272 |

Complete Schedule I if the plan covered fewer than 100 participants as of the beginning of the plan year. You may also complete Schedule I if you are filing as a small plan under the 80-120 participant rule (see instructions). Complete Schedule H if reporting as a large plan or DFE.

Part I Small Plan Financial Information

Report below the current value of assets and liabilities, income, expenses, transfers and changes in net assets during the plan year. Combine the value of plan assets held in more than one trust. Do not enter the value of the portion of an insurance contract that guarantees during this plan year to pay a specific dollar benefit at a future date. 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.**

| | | (a) Beginning of Year | (b) End of Year |
|---|--------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| 1 Plan Assets and Liabilities: | | | |
| a Total plan assets | 1a | 35876949 | 33791196 |
| b Total plan liabilities | 1b | 55301 | 54054 |
| c Net plan assets (subtract line 1b from line 1a) | 1c | 35821648 | 33737142 |
| 2 Income, Expenses, and Transfers for this Plan Year: | | (a) Amount | (b) Total |
| a Contributions received or receivable: | | | |
| (1) Employers | 2a(1) | | |
| (2) Participants | 2a(2) | | |
| (3) Others (including rollovers) | 2a(3) | | |
| b Noncash contributions | 2b | | |
| c Other income | 2c | 2929661 | |
| d Total income (add lines 2a(1), 2a(2), 2a(3), 2b, and 2c) | 2d | | 2929661 |
| e Benefits paid (including direct rollovers) | 2e | 4554736 | |
| f Corrective distributions (see instructions) | 2f | | |
| g Certain deemed distributions of participant loans (see instructions) | 2g | | |
| h Administrative service providers (salaries, fees, and commissions) | 2h | 459431 | |
| i Other expenses | 2i | | |
| j Total expenses (add lines 2e, 2f, 2g, 2h, and 2i) | 2j | | 5014167 |
| k Net income (loss) (subtract line 2j from line 2d) | 2k | | -2084506 |
| l Transfers to (from) the plan (see instructions) | 2l | | |

3 Specific Assets: If the plan held assets at any time during the plan year in any of the following categories, check "Yes" and enter the current value of any assets remaining in the plan as of the end of the plan year. Allocate the value of the plan's interest in a commingled trust containing the assets of more than one plan on a line-by-line basis unless the trust meets one of the specific exceptions described in the instructions.

| | | Yes | No | Amount |
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| a Partnership/joint venture interests | 3a | | X | |
| b Employer real property | 3b | | X | |
| c Real estate (other than employer real property) | 3c | | X | |
| d Employer securities | 3d | | X | |
| e Participant loans | 3e | | X | |
| f Loans (other than to participants) | 3f | | X | |
| g Tangible personal property | 3g | | X | |

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| Part II | Compliance Questions |
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| | | Yes | No | Amount |
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| 4 During the plan year: | | | | |
| a Was there a failure to transmit to the plan any participant contributions within the time period described in 29 CFR 2510.3-102? Continue to answer "Yes" for any prior year failures until fully corrected. (See instructions and DOL's Voluntary Fiduciary Correction Program.) | 4a | | X | |
| b Were any loans by the plan or fixed income obligations due the plan in default as of the close of plan year or classified during the year as uncollectible? Disregard participant loans secured by the participant's account balance. | 4b | | X | |
| c Were any leases to which the plan was a party in default or classified during the year as uncollectible? | 4c | | X | |
| d Were there any nonexempt transactions with any party-in-interest? (Do not include transactions reported on line 4a.) | 4d | | X | |
| e Was the plan covered by a fidelity bond? | 4e | X | | 10000000 |
| f Did the plan have a loss, whether or not reimbursed by the plan's fidelity bond, that was caused by fraud or dishonesty? | 4f | | X | |
| g Did the plan hold any assets whose current value was neither readily determinable on an established market nor set by an independent third party appraiser? | 4g | | X | |
| h Did the plan receive any noncash contributions whose value was neither readily determinable on an established market nor set by an independent third party appraiser? | 4h | | X | |
| i Did the plan at any time hold 20% or more of its assets in any single security, debt, mortgage, parcel of real estate, or partnership/joint venture interest? | 4i | X | | 11831381 |
| j Were all the plan assets either distributed to participants or beneficiaries, transferred to another plan, or brought under the control of the PBGC? | 4j | | X | |
| k Are you claiming a waiver of the annual examination and report of an independent qualified public accountant (IQPA) under 29 CFR 2520.104-46? If "No," attach an IQPA's report or 2520.104-50 statement. (See instructions on waiver eligibility and conditions.) | 4k | X | | |
| l Has the plan failed to provide any benefit when due under the plan? | 4l | | X | |
| m If this is an individual account plan, was there a blackout period? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-3.) | 4m | | | |
| n If 4m was answered "Yes," check the "Yes" box if you either provided the required notice or one of the exceptions to providing the notice applied under 29 CFR 2520.101-3 | 4n | | | |

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

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

| 5b(1) Name of plan(s) | 5b(2) EIN(s) | 5b(3) PN(s) |
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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 566609.

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| SCHEDULE R (Form 5500) <small>Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service</small> <small>Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration</small> <small>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation</small> | Retirement Plan Information This schedule is required to be filed under sections 104 and 4065 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) and section 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code). ▶ File as an attachment to Form 5500. | <small>OMB No. 1210-0110</small> 2024 This Form is Open to Public Inspection. |
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| A Name of plan NATIONAL BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION REFEREES' PENSION PLAN | B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ | 001 |
| C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 NBA SERVICES CORP. | D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 26-3863272 | |

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

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| 1 Total value of distributions paid in property other than in cash or the forms of property specified in the instructions..... | 1 | 0 |
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2 Enter the EIN(s) of payor(s) who paid benefits on behalf of the plan to participants or beneficiaries during the year (if more than two, enter EINs of the two payors who paid the greatest dollar amounts of benefits):
EIN(s): 26-3863272

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

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| 3 Number of participants (living or deceased) whose benefits were distributed in a single sum, during the plan year | 3 | 1 |
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| Part II | Funding Information (If the plan is not subject to the minimum funding requirements of section 412 of the Internal Revenue Code or ERISA section 302, skip this Part.) |
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4 Is the plan administrator making an election under Code section 412(d)(2) or ERISA section 302(d)(2)? Yes No N/A
If the plan is a defined benefit plan, go to line 8.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Part V Additional Information for Multiemployer Defined Benefit Pension Plans

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

a Name of contributing employer _____

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

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

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

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

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

a Name of contributing employer _____

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

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

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:

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Part VII IRS Compliance Questions

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

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

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

Attachment to the 2024 Schedule SB of Form 5500
National Basketball Association Referees' Pension Plan
EIN: 26-3863272
PN: 001
Schedule SB, Line 26 – Schedule of Active Participant Data

Age vs Years of Credited Service

| Age | Total | Under 1 | 1 – 4 | 5 – 9 | 10 – 14 | 15 – 19 | 20 – 24 | 25 – 29 | 30 – 34 | 35 – 39 | 40 & Up |
|--------------|-----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| Under 25 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| 25 – 29 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| 30 – 34 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| 35 – 39 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| 40 – 44 | 1 | — | 1 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| 45 – 49 | 5 | — | 3 | 1 | 1 | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| 50 – 54 | 6 | — | 2 | 4 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |
| 55 – 59 | 9 | — | — | 2 | 2 | 5 | — | — | — | — | — |
| 60 – 64 | 3 | — | — | — | 2 | 1 | — | — | — | — | — |
| 65 – 69 | 2 | — | — | — | 1 | 1 | — | — | — | — | — |
| 70 & Up | 1 | — | — | — | — | 1 | — | — | — | — | — |
| Total | 27 | — | 6 | 7 | 6 | 8 | — | — | — | — | — |

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Schedule SB, Part V – Statement of Actuarial Assumptions/Methods

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

Interest for IRS funding purposes

The interest rates used for the 2024 plan year are the 24-month average corporate bond segment rates for February 2024 (a 4-month lookback) subject to funding stabilization. Under stabilization, the interest rates used for funding purposes are calculated in the usual manner (24-month average corporate bond rates) but are then constrained to be within a corridor around a 25-year average of those same bond rates. Each of the three segments of the yield curve reflecting the 25-year average rates is constrained to be no less than 5%. For 2024, the stabilization corridor is 5%. It will remain at 5% through 2030 and then increase by 5% per year beginning in 2031 until it reaches 30% for 2035. The interest rate description above reflects that the plan sponsor elected to apply the ARPA provisions beginning with the 2020 plan year. The rates are as follows:

| Assumption | Payments in the First 5 Years | Payments in Years 6 – 20 | Payments Thereafter | Effective Interest Rate |
|--|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Current Year, reflecting stabilization | 4.75% | 5.05% | 5.59% | 5.20% |
| Current Year, without stabilization | 4.52% | 5.05% | 5.04% | 5.01% |
| Prior Year, reflecting stabilization | 4.75% | 5.00% | 5.74% | 5.23% |
| Prior Year, without stabilization | 2.31% | 3.72% | 4.00% | 3.75% |

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Interest for PBGC premium purposes

Under the Alternative Method, the interest rates used to determine the PBGC variable-rate premium for the 2024 plan year are the same as those used for funding, without reflecting funding stabilization, as follows:

| Year | Method | Payments in the First 5 Years | Payments in Years 6 – 20 | Payments Thereafter |
|--------------|---------------|--|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Current Year | Alternative | 4.52% | 5.05% | 5.04% |
| Prior Year | Alternative | 2.31% | 3.72% | 4.00% |

These interest rates are based on the plan sponsor's election to change methods starting with the 2009 plan year (the plan sponsor currently has the option to change methods) and are subject to the constraints established by law.

Mortality Rates

Pri-2012 combined employee and annuitant healthy mortality tables projected through the valuation date plus a number of years that varies by age and sex per IRC 1.430(h)(3)-1(c)(3)(ii)(A) using the Adjusted MP-2021 scale as described in the final IRS mortality regulations released in October 2023.

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

Benefit Election

100% of participants are assumed to elect payment in the form of a lump sum. As prescribed by proposed regulations, lump sums are valued based on the interest rate implied by the funding yield curve and the 2024 mandated tables for lump-sum conversion.

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

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Sample Termination Rates

| Age | Rates |
|-----|-------|
| 20 | 7.70% |
| 25 | 7.48 |
| 30 | 6.99 |
| 35 | 6.03 |
| 40 | 4.79 |
| 45 | 3.28 |
| 50 | 0.95 |
| 55 | 0.00 |

Based on a review of the assumed rates compared to historical experience, in light of the plan provisions and professional judgment, these assumed rates reflect a reasonable expectation for the future.

Sample Disability Rates

| Age | Rates |
|-------|-------|
| 20-30 | 0.25% |
| 35 | 0.30 |
| 40 | 0.45 |
| 45 | 0.90 |
| 50 | 2.00 |
| 55 | 4.25 |
| 60 | 6.96 |

Disability rates are not applied after attainment of eligibility for Normal Retirement.

Based on a review of the assumed rates compared to historical experience, in light of the plan provisions and professional judgment, these assumed rates reflect a reasonable expectation for the future.

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Retirement (From Active Status) Rates

| Age | Rates |
|-------|-------|
| 58 | 50% |
| 59-64 | 20 |
| 65 | 100 |

Based on a review of the assumed rates compared to historical experience, in light of the plan provisions and professional judgment, these assumed rates reflect a reasonable expectation for the future.

Retirement From Inactive Status

The earlier of age 65 with no service requirement or age 58 with 10 years of service.

Retirement Age for LTD Participants

Age at disability plus 10 years, but not older than age 65.

Percent Married

80%. Spouse is assumed to be the opposite gender.

Age Difference

For inactive participants for whom a spouse's date of birth was not provided, and for active participants, it was assumed that husbands are three years older than their wives.

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Administrative Expenses

An expense assumption is required under the funding rules. A three-year average of actual expenses rounded to the nearest \$25,000 (\$225,000 for 2024) is expected to be paid by the plan during the year.

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

Asset Method

As selected by the plan sponsor, assets are determined by averaging the market value as of the valuation date and the adjusted market values as of the preceding two years. The resulting value is limited to between 90% to 110% of market value of assets. The adjusted market values reflect cash flow and expected earnings to the valuation date. The expected earnings are based on an assumed rate of return of 6.50% for 2022 and 6.00% for 2023, not to exceed the applicable third segment rates of 5.92% for 2022 and 5.74% for 2023.

Funding Method and Contribution Requirement

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

Plan sponsors are required under Internal Revenue Code Section 430 to make a minimum level of contributions to qualified pension plans. Available credit balances can be used to satisfy this required contribution. In general, the minimum required contribution is the sum of the target normal cost and an installment that amortizes the plan's funding shortfall, offset by any plan overfunding, if applicable. If all assumptions are met (including the investment earnings implicitly assumed by the interest rate), funding the plan at the minimum required contribution level is generally designed to achieve a 100% funded status within fifteen years. Once that is achieved, or for overfunded plans, the minimum required contribution will generally equal the target normal cost reduced by any overfunding.

Non-Prescribed Assumption Changes Since Prior Valuation

- None

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Actuarial Models

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

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| SCHEDULE SB (Form 5500) <small>Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service</small> <small>Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration</small> <small>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation</small> | Single-Employer Defined Benefit Plan Actuarial Information This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) and section 6059 of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code). ▶ File as an attachment to Form 5500 or 5500-SF. | <small>OMB No. 1210-0110</small> 2024 This Form is Open to Public Inspection |
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For calendar plan year 2024 or fiscal plan year beginning 06/01/2024 and ending 05/31/2025

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

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| A Name of plan NATIONAL BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION REFEREES' PENSION PLAN | B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ | 001 |
| C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 or 5500-SF NBA SERVICES CORP | D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 26-3863272 | |
| E Type of plan: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Single <input type="checkbox"/> Multiple-A <input type="checkbox"/> Multiple-B | F Prior year plan size: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 100 or fewer <input type="checkbox"/> 101-500 <input type="checkbox"/> More than 500 | |

Part I Basic Information

| | | | |
|----------|---|----------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1 | Enter the valuation date: Month <u>06</u> Day <u>01</u> Year <u>2024</u> | | |
| 2 | Assets: | | |
| | a Market value | 2a | 35,876,949 |
| | b Actuarial value | 2b | 35,649,711 |
| 3 | Funding target/participant count breakdown | (1) Number of participants | (2) Vested Funding Target |
| | a For retired participants and beneficiaries receiving payment | 8 | 11,689,854 |
| | b For terminated vested participants | 12 | 7,487,429 |
| | c For active participants | 27 | 19,656,570 |
| | d Total | 47 | 38,833,853 |
| 4 | If the plan is in at-risk status, check the box and complete lines (a) and (b) | | |
| | a Funding target disregarding prescribed at-risk assumptions | 4a | |
| | b Funding target reflecting at-risk assumptions, but disregarding transition rule for plans that have been in at-risk status for fewer than five consecutive years and disregarding loading factor | 4b | |
| 5 | Effective interest rate | 5 | 5.20% |
| 6 | Target normal cost | | |
| | a Present value of current plan year accruals | 6a | 0 |
| | b Expected plan-related expenses | 6b | 225,000 |
| | c Target normal cost | 6c | 225,000 |

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

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| SIGN HERE | Aida Domlija | 02/09/2026 |
| | Signature of actuary | Date |
| | AIDA DOMLIJA, FSA, MAAA | 2306955 |
| | Type or print name of actuary | Most recent enrollment number |
| | SEGAL | 212-251-5000 |
| | Firm name | Telephone number (including area code) |
| | 66 HUDSON BLVD E 20th FLOOR NEW YORK NY 10001-2192 | |
| | Address of the firm | |

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

| Part II | Beginning of Year Carryover and Prefunding Balances | |
|---|--|------------------------|
| | (a) Carryover balance | (b) Prefunding balance |
| 7 Balance at beginning of prior year after applicable adjustments (line 13 from prior year) | 0 | 5,708,563 |
| 8 Portion elected for use to offset prior year's funding requirement (line 35 from prior year) | 0 | 910,449 |
| 9 Amount remaining (line 7 minus line 8) | 0 | 4,798,114 |
| 10 Interest on line 9 using prior year's actual return of <u>10.33%</u> | 0 | 495,645 |
| 11 Prior year's excess contributions to be added to prefunding balance: | | |
| a Present value of excess contributions (line 38a from prior year) | | 0 |
| b(1) Interest on the excess, if any, of line 38a over line 38b from prior year Schedule SB, using prior year's effective interest rate of <u>5.23%</u> | | 0 |
| b(2) Interest on line 38b from prior year Schedule SB, using prior year's actual return | | 0 |
| c Total available at beginning of current plan year to add to prefunding balance | | 0 |
| d Portion of (c) to be added to prefunding balance | | 0 |
| 12 Other reductions in balances due to elections or deemed elections | 0 | 1,046,115 |
| 13 Balance at beginning of current year (line 9 + line 10 + line 11d - line 12) | 0 | 4,247,644 |

| Part III | Funding Percentages | |
|--|----------------------------|--------|
| 14 Funding target attainment percentage | 14 | 80.00% |
| 15 Adjusted funding target attainment percentage | 15 | 80.00% |
| 16 Prior year's funding percentage for purposes of determining whether carryover/prefunding balances may be used to reduce current year's funding requirement | 16 | 82.88% |
| 17 If the current value of the assets of the plan is less than 70 percent of the funding target, enter such percentage | 17 | % |

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

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| 19 Discounted employer contributions – see instructions for small plan with a valuation date after the beginning of the year: | |
| a Contributions allocated toward unpaid minimum required contributions from prior years. | 19a 0 |
| b Contributions made to avoid restrictions adjusted to valuation date | 19b 0 |
| c Contributions allocated toward minimum required contribution for current year adjusted to valuation date | 19c 0 |
| 20 Quarterly contributions and liquidity shortfalls: | |
| a Did the plan have a "funding shortfall" for the prior year? | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| b If line 20a is "Yes," were required quarterly installments for the current year made in a timely manner? | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| c If line 20a is "Yes," see instructions and complete the following table as applicable: | |
| Liquidity shortfall as of end of quarter of this plan year | |
| (1) 1st | (2) 2nd |
| 0 | 0 |
| (3) 3rd | (4) 4th |
| 0 | 0 |

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| Part V Assumptions Used to Determine Funding Target and Target Normal Cost | | | | |
| 21 Discount rate: | | | | |
| a Segment rates: | 1st segment: 4.75 % | 2nd segment: 5.05 % | 3rd segment: 5.59% | <input type="checkbox"/> N/A, full yield curve used |
| b Applicable month (enter code)..... | | | | 21b 4 |
| 22 Weighted average retirement age | | | | 22 60 |
| 23 Mortality table(s) (see instructions) | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Prescribed - combined <input type="checkbox"/> Prescribed - separate <input type="checkbox"/> Substitute | | | |

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

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| Part VII Reconciliation of Unpaid Minimum Required Contributions For Prior Years | | | | |
| 28 Unpaid minimum required contributions for all prior years | | | | 28 0 |
| 29 Discounted employer contributions allocated toward unpaid minimum required contributions from prior years (line 19a)..... | | | | 29 0 |
| 30 Remaining amount of unpaid minimum required contributions (line 28 minus line 29) | | | | 30 0 |

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|--|---------------------|--------------------|---------------|---------------------|
| Part VIII Minimum Required Contribution For Current Year | | | | |
| 31 Target normal cost and excess assets (see instructions): | | | | |
| a Target normal cost (line 6c)..... | | | | 31a 225,000 |
| b Excess assets, if applicable, but not greater than line 31a | | | | 31b 0 |
| 32 Amortization installments: | Outstanding Balance | | Installment | |
| a Net shortfall amortization installment | 7,850,516 | | 835,551 | |
| b Waiver amortization installment | 0 | | 0 | |
| 33 If a waiver has been approved for this plan year, enter the date of the ruling letter granting the approval (Month _____ Day _____ Year _____) and the waived amount | | | | 33 |
| 34 Total funding requirement before reflecting carryover/prefunding balances (lines 31a - 31b + 32a + 32b - 33).... | | | | 34 1,060,551 |
| | Carryover balance | Prefunding balance | Total balance | |
| 35 Balances elected for use to offset funding requirement | 0 | 1,060,551 | 1,060,551 | |
| 36 Additional cash requirement (line 34 minus line 35)..... | | | | 36 0 |
| 37 Contributions allocated toward minimum required contribution for current year adjusted to valuation date (line 19c)..... | | | | 37 0 |
| 38 Present value of excess contributions for current year (see instructions) | | | | |
| a Total (excess, if any, of line 37 over line 36) | | | | 38a 0 |
| b Portion included in line 38a attributable to use of prefunding and funding standard carryover balances | | | | 38b 0 |
| 39 Unpaid minimum required contribution for current year (excess, if any, of line 36 over line 37) | | | | 39 0 |
| 40 Unpaid minimum required contributions for all years | | | | 40 0 |

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| Part IX Pension Funding Relief Under the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (See Instructions) | | | | |
| 41 If an election was made to use the extended amortization rule for a plan year beginning on or before December 31, 2021, check the box to indicate the first plan year for which the rule applies. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 2019 <input type="checkbox"/> 2020 <input type="checkbox"/> 2021 | | | | |

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

| Age | Percent of Actives Assumed to Retire | Percent of Actives Assumed Not to Retire | Probability of Retirement | Age x Probability |
|-------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|---------------------------|-------------------|
| 58 | 50% | 50% | 50.00% | 29.00 |
| 59 | 20 | 80 | 10.00 | 5.90 |
| 60 | 20 | 80 | 8.00 | 4.80 |
| 61 | 20 | 80 | 6.40 | 3.90 |
| 62 | 20 | 80 | 5.12 | 3.17 |
| 63 | 20 | 80 | 4.10 | 2.58 |
| 64 | 20 | 80 | 3.28 | 2.10 |
| 65 | 100 | 0 | 13.10 | 8.52 |
| Weighted Average | | | | 60 |

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

Plan Status

FROZEN BENEFIT ACCRUALS EFFECTIVE AFTER THE 2009-2010 SEASON.

Normal Retirement

- Age Requirement: Earlier of age 65 with no service requirement or age 62 with 10 years of service.
- Amount: Annual benefit of \$4,032 per year of service.
 - Effective 6/1/2002: \$4,262
 - Effective 6/1/2003: \$4,516
 - Effective 6/1/2005: \$4,659
 - Effective 6/1/2006: \$4,807
 - Effective 6/1/2007: \$4,960
 - Effective 6/1/2008: \$5,117
 - Effective 6/1/2009: \$5,280
 - Effective 6/1/2010: \$6,336
- 1. The benefit is the greater of the above or the actuarial equivalent of the Referee's contribution account; plus the actuarial equivalent of the Referee's Employee Account. Participants must earn a year of service in the plan year preceding the benefit effective date in order to be eligible for the increased benefit amounts in effect 6/1/2006 through 6/1/2010.

Early Retirement

- Age Requirement: 45
- Service Requirement: 3 years of service
- Amount: Accrued benefit reduced actuarially from Normal Retirement Date.

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Deferred Retirement

- Amount: Effective June 1, 2010, accrued benefit at retirement increased actuarially using the greater of:
 1. 5% interest and the RP2000 Combined Mortality Table for males or
 2. A monthly increase of .41667%, for each year following the Referee's Normal Retirement Date.

For active participants who have attained age 62 and completed 10 years of service as of June 1, 2010 or have attained age 65 as of June 1, 2010: Accrued benefit at retirement increased by 5% for each year following the attainment of Age 58 until June 1, 2010.

Vesting

- Age Requirement: None
- Service Requirement: 3 years
- Amount: Accrued benefit
- Vesting Percentage: 100% after 3 years of service.

Pre-Retirement Death Benefits

- Age Requirement: None
- Service Requirement: 3 years
- Amount: Lump sum of 10 times annual accrued benefit, plus the actuarial equivalent of the Referee's employee account.

Spouse's Benefit

- Age Requirement: None
- Service Requirement: 3 years
- Amount: 50% of the benefit the retiree would have received had he retired the day before he died and elected the joint and survivor option payable at the employee's earliest retirement date. This benefit is applicable only if its actuarial equivalent is greater than the lump sum benefit described above.

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Forms of Benefit

- Normal Form: Life annuity with 120 monthly payments guaranteed for single participants or joint and 50% survivor annuity for married participants.
- Optional Forms: Additional forms of payment are available, all of which are actuarially equivalent:
 - Life annuity with 120 months certain (for married participants)
 - Straight life annuity
 - Lump sum payment
 - Periodic payments over a period of time not exceeding participant life expectancy
 - Joint, 75% and 100% survivor annuity (for married participants)
- Actuarial Equivalence: 1983 Group Annuity Mortality Table for males, 7% interest.
- For the lump sum and level income options, actuarial equivalence is based on 417(e) assumptions.

Plan Amendments

| Plan Amendment | Effective Date | Reflective in 2024 Actuarial Valuation |
|---|---|--|
| Plan Restatement | June 1, 2012, executed January 10, 2013 | Yes |
| Actuarial Equivalence on 415 Calculations (Plan Amendment #1) | June 1, 2012, executed January 14, 2014 | Yes |
| Plan Amendment #2 | June 1, 2013, executed May 29, 2014 | Yes |
| Plan Amendment #3 | June 26, 2013, executed December 23, 2014 | Yes |
| Plan Amendment #4 | June 1, 2014, executed May 26, 2015 | Yes |
| Plan Amendment #5 | October 1, 2015, executed November 30, 2015 | Yes |
| Plan Amendment #6 | June 1, 2016, executed May 24, 2017 | Yes |
| Plan Amendment #7 | June 1, 2017, executed May 31, 2018 | Yes |
| Plan Amendment #8 | June 25, 2020, executed November 6, 2020 | Yes |

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Schedule SB, Line 32 – Schedule of Amortization Bases

Schedule of Shortfall Amortization Bases as of June 1, 2024

| Year Established | Original Base | Present Value of Remaining Installments | Years Remaining | Shortfall Amortization Installment |
|------------------|---------------|---|-----------------|--|
| 2024 | \$1,362,602 | \$1,362,602 | 15 | \$125,102 |
| 2023 | 2,017,190 | 1,919,444 | 14 | 184,736 |
| 2022 | 2,075,546 | 1,891,782 | 13 | 191,804 |
| 2021 | 35,606 | 30,907 | 12 | 3,320 |
| 2020 | (654,480) | (536,297) | 11 | (61,447) |
| 2019 | 4,240,145 | 3,182,078 | 10 | 392,036 |
| Total | | \$7,850,516 | | \$835,551 |