Form 5500-SF

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Department of Labor
Employee Benefits Security Administration

Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation

Short Form Annual Return/Report of Small Employee Benefit Plan

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

▶ **Complete all entries in accordance with the instructions to the Form 5500-SF.**

OMB Nos. 1210-0110
1210-0089

2025

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Part I Annual Report Identification Information

For calendar plan year 2025 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2025 and ending 12/31/2025

A This return/report is for: [X] a single-employer plan [ ] a multiple-employer plan (not multiemployer) (Pension Plan filers checking this box must attach Schedule MEP. Other plans must attach a list of participating employer information in accordance with the form instructions.)

B This return/report is [ ] the first return/report [ ] the final return/report
[ ] an amended return/report [ ] a short plan year return/report (less than 12 months)

C Check box if filing under: [X] Form 5558 [ ] automatic extension [ ] DFVC program
[ ] special extension (enter description)

D If the plan is a collectively-bargained plan, check here ▶ [ ]

E If this is a retroactively adopted plan permitted by SECURE Act section 201, check here ▶ [ ]

Part II Basic Plan Information—enter all requested information

1a Name of plan
BUFFALO CRUSHED STONE, INC. RETIREMENT PLAN FOR HOURLY PAID EMPLOYEES

1b Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 003

1c Effective date of plan 12/14/1942

2a Plan sponsor's name (employer, if for a single-employer plan)
Mailing address (include room, apt., suite no. and street, or P.O. Box)
City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code (if foreign, see instructions)
NEW ENTERPRISE STONE & LIME CO., INC.

P.O. BOX 77
3912 BRUMBAUGH RD.
NEW ENTERPRISE, PA 16664

2b Employer Identification Number (EIN) 23-1374051

2c Sponsor's telephone number 814-766-2211

2d Business code (see instructions) 212310

3a Plan administrator's name and address [X] Same as Plan Sponsor.

3b Administrator's EIN

3c Administrator's telephone number

4 If the name and/or EIN of the plan sponsor or the plan name has changed since the last return/report filed for this plan, enter the plan sponsor's name, EIN, the plan name and the plan number from the last return/report.
a Sponsor's name
c Plan Name

4b EIN

4d PN

5a Total number of participants at the beginning of the plan year	**5a**	22
b Total number of participants at the end of the plan year	**5b**	22
c(1) Number of participants with account balances as of the beginning of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item)	**5c(1)**	
c(2) Number of participants with account balances as of the end of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item)	**5c(2)**	
d(1) Total number of active participants at the beginning of the plan year	**5d(1)**	11
d(2) Total number of active participants at the end of the plan year	**5d(2)**	11
e Number of participants who terminated employment during the plan year with accrued benefits that were less than 100% vested	**5e**	0

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

SIGN HERE	Filed with authorized/valid electronic signature.	10/05/2026	DANIEL KRAMER
	Signature of plan administrator	Date	Enter name of individual signing as plan administrator
SIGN HERE			
	Signature of employer/plan sponsor	Date	Enter name of individual signing as employer or plan sponsor

6a Were all of the plan's assets during the plan year invested in eligible assets? (See instructions.) [X] Yes [ ] No

b Are you claiming a waiver of the annual examination and report of an independent qualified public accountant (IQPA) under 29 CFR 2520.104-46? (See instructions on waiver eligibility and conditions.) [X] Yes [ ] No

If you answered "No" to either line 6a or line 6b, the plan cannot use Form 5500-SF and must instead use Form 5500.

c If the plan is a defined benefit plan, is it covered under the PBGC insurance program (see ERISA section 4021)? [X] Yes [ ] No [ ] Not determined

If "Yes" is checked, enter the My PAA confirmation number from the PBGC premium filing for this plan year 579476. (See instructions.)

Part III Financial Information

7 Plan Assets and Liabilities		(a) Beginning of Year	(b) End of Year
a Total plan assets	7a	957720	986002
b Total plan liabilities	7b		
c Net plan assets (subtract line 7b from line 7a)	7c	957720	986002
8 Income, Expenses, and Transfers for this Plan Year		**(a) Amount**	**(b) Total**
a Contributions received or receivable from: (1) Employers	8a(1)	0	
(2) Participants	8a(2)	0	
(3) Others (including rollovers)	8a(3)	0	
b Other income (loss)	8b	67166	
c Total income (add lines 8a(1), 8a(2), 8a(3), and 8b)	8c		67166
d Benefits paid (including direct rollovers and insurance premiums to provide benefits)	8d	10974	
e Certain deemed and/or corrective distributions (see instructions)	8e	0	
f Administrative service providers (salaries, fees, commissions)	8f	27910	
g Other expenses	8g		
h Total expenses (add lines 8d, 8e, 8f, and 8g)	8h		38884
i Net income (loss) (subtract line 8h from line 8c)	8i		28282
j Transfers to (from) the plan (see instructions)	8j		

Part IV Plan Characteristic Codes

9a If the plan provides pension benefits, enter the applicable pension feature codes from the List of Plan Characteristic Codes in the instructions:
1B 3H

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

Part V Compliance Questions

10 During the plan year:		Yes	No	Amount
a Was there a failure to transmit to the plan any participant contributions within the time period described in 29 CFR 2510.3-102? Continue to answer "Yes" for any prior year failures until fully corrected. (See instructions and DOL's Voluntary Fiduciary Correction Program)	10a		X	
b Were there any nonexempt transactions with any party-in-interest? (Do not include transactions reported on line 10a.)	10b		X	
c Was the plan covered by a fidelity bond?	10c	X		500000
d Did the plan have a loss, whether or not reimbursed by the plan's fidelity bond, that was caused by fraud or dishonesty?	10d		X	
e Were any fees or commissions paid to any brokers, agents, or other persons by an insurance carrier, insurance service, or other organization that provides some or all of the benefits under the plan? (See instructions.)	10e		X	
f Has the plan failed to provide any benefit when due under the plan?	10f		X	
g Did the plan have any participant loans? (If "Yes," enter amount as of year-end.)	10g		X	
h If this is an individual account plan, was there a blackout period? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-3.)	10h			
i If 10h was answered "Yes," check the box if you either provided the required notice or one of the exceptions to providing the notice applied under 29 CFR 2520.101-3	10i			

Part VI Pension Funding Compliance

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

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

b **PBGC missed contribution reporting requirements.** If the plan is covered by PBGC and the amount reported on line 11a is greater than $0, has PBGC been notified as required by ERISA sections 4043(c)(5) and/or 303(k)(4)? Check the applicable box:

- [ ] Yes.
- [ ] No. Reporting was waived under 29 CFR 4043.25(c)(2) because contributions equal to or exceeding the unpaid minimum required contribution were made by the 30th day after the due date.
- [ ] No. The 30-day period referenced in 29 CFR 4043.25(c)(2) has not yet ended, and the sponsor intends to make a contribution equal to or exceeding the unpaid minimum required contribution by the 30th day after the due date.
- [ ] No. Other. Provide explanation _____

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

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

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

b Enter the minimum required contribution for this plan year	**12b**	
c Enter the amount contributed by the employer to the plan for this plan year	**12c**	
d Subtract the amount in line 12c from the amount in line 12b. Enter the result (enter a minus sign to the left of a negative amount)	**12d**	
e Will the minimum funding amount reported on line 12d be met by the funding deadline?		[ ] Yes [ ] No [ ] N/A

Part VII Plan Terminations and Transfers of Assets

13a Has a resolution to terminate the plan been adopted in any plan year?		[ ] Yes [X] No
a If "Yes," enter the amount of any plan assets that reverted to the employer this year	**13a**	
b Were all the plan assets distributed to participants or beneficiaries, transferred to another plan, or brought under the control of the PBGC?		[ ] Yes [X] No

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

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

Part VIII IRS Compliance Questions

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

14b If this is a Code section 401(k) plan, check all boxes that apply to indicate how the plan is intended to satisfy the nondiscrimination requirements for employee deferrals and employer matching contributions (as applicable) under Code sections 401(k)(3) and 401(m)(2).

- [ ] Design-based safe harbor method
- [ ] "Prior year" ADP test
- [ ] "Current year" ADP test
- [X] N/A

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

SCHEDULE SB (Form 5500)

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B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 003

C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 or 5500-SF
NEW ENTERPRISE STONE & LIME CO., INC.

D Employer Identification Number (EIN)
23-1374051

E Type of plan: [X] Single [ ] Multiple-A [ ] Multiple-B

F Prior year plan size: [X] 100 or fewer [ ] 101-500 [ ] More than 500

Part I Basic Information

1 Enter the valuation date: Month 01 Day 01 Year 2025

2 Assets:

a Market value	**2a**	957720
b Actuarial value	**2b**	957720

3 Funding target/participant count breakdown

	(1) Number of participants	(2) Vested Funding Target	(3) Total Funding Target
a For retired participants and beneficiaries receiving payment	1	110658	110658
b For terminated vested participants	10	355546	355546
c For active participants	11	382171	384720
d Total	22	848375	850924

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**	5.43 %
6 Target normal cost		
a Present value of current plan year accruals	**6a**	22063
b Expected plan-related expenses	**6b**	58888
c Target normal cost	**6c**	80951

Statement by Enrolled Actuary

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

SIGN HERE

Signature of actuary

10/05/2026
Date

TIMOTHY C. LAVENDER
Type or print name of actuary

26-06745
Most recent enrollment number

USI CONSULTING GROUP
Firm name

629-895-7822
Telephone number (including area code)

5301 VIRGINIA WAY, SUITE 400
BRENTWOOD, TN 37027
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	0
8	Portion elected for use to offset prior year's funding requirement (line 35 from prior year)	0	0
9	Amount remaining (line 7 minus line 8)	0	0
10	Interest on line 9 using prior year's actual return of 8.66 %	0	0
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 5.19 %		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	0
13	Balance at beginning of current year (line 9 + line 10 + line 11d – line 12)	0	0

Part III Funding Percentages

14	Funding target attainment percentage	14	112.55 %
15	Adjusted funding target attainment percentage	15	102.66 %
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	107.91 %
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
			Totals ► 18(b)	0	18(c) 0

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? ☐ Yes ☒ No

b If line 20a is "Yes," were required quarterly installments for the current year made in a timely manner? ☐ Yes ☐ 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

Part V Assumptions Used to Determine Funding Target and Target Normal Cost

21 Discount rate:

a Segment rates:	1st segment: 5.07 %	2nd segment: 5.31 %	3rd segment: 5.50 %	☐ N/A, full yield curve used

b Applicable month (enter code)	**21b**	4
22 Weighted average retirement age	**22**	63

23 Mortality table(s) (see instructions) ☐ Prescribed - combined ☒ Prescribed - separate ☐ Substitute

Part VI Miscellaneous Items

24 Has a change been made in the non-prescribed actuarial assumptions for the current plan year? If "Yes," see instructions regarding required attachment. ☐ Yes ☒ No

25 Has a method change been made for the current plan year? If "Yes," see instructions regarding required attachment. ☐ Yes ☒ 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. ☒ Yes ☐ No

b Is the plan required to provide a projection of expected benefit payments? If "Yes," see instructions regarding required attachment ☐ Yes ☒ No

27 If the plan is subject to alternative funding rules, enter applicable code and see instructions regarding attachment	**27**	

Part VII Reconciliation of Unpaid Minimum Required Contributions For Prior Years

28 Unpaid minimum required contributions for all prior years	**28**	0
29 Discounted employer contributions allocated toward unpaid minimum required contributions from prior years (line 19a)	**29**	0
30 Remaining amount of unpaid minimum required contributions (line 28 minus line 29)	**30**	0

Part VIII Minimum Required Contribution For Current Year

31 Target normal cost and excess assets (see instructions):

a Target normal cost (line 6c)	**31a**	80951
b Excess assets, if applicable, but not greater than line 31a	**31b**	80951

32 Amortization installments:	Outstanding Balance	Installment
a Net shortfall amortization installment	0	0
b Waiver amortization installment	0	0

33 If a waiver has been approved for this plan year, enter the date of the ruling letter granting the approval (Month _____ Day _____ Year _____)_and the waived amount	**33**	
34 Total funding requirement before reflecting carryover/prefunding balances (lines 31a - 31b + 32a + 32b - 33)	**34**	0

	Carryover balance	Prefunding balance	Total balance
35 Balances elected for use to offset funding requirement	0	0	0

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

Part IX Pension Funding Relief Under the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (See Instructions)

41 If an election was made to use the extended amortization rule for a plan year beginning on or before December 31, 2021, check the box to indicate the first plan year for which the rule applies. ☐ 2019 ☐ 2020 ☒ 2021

Buffalo Crushed Stone Pension Plan for Hourly Paid Employees
EIN: 23-1374051
PN: 003
Attachment to 2025 Form 5500,
Schedule SB, Line 26 - Schedule of Active Participant Data

	Years of Credited Service										
Attained Age	**Under 1**	**1 – 4**	**5 – 9**	**10 – 14**	**15 – 19**	**20 – 24**	**25 – 29**	**30 – 34**	**35 – 39**	**Over 39**	**Total**
Under 25											0
25 – 29											0
30 – 34			1								1
35 – 39											0
40 – 44		1		3	1						5
45 – 49				2	1						3
50 – 54											0
55 – 59				1							1
60 – 64				1							1
65 – 69											0
Over 69											0
Total	0	1	1	7	2	0	0	0	0	0	11

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Plan Year: 2025

Statement of Actuarial Assumptions and Methods

Minimum Funding Annual Interest Rates

24-month segment rates averaged through the end of August 2024 and published in September 2024 (as prescribed by IRC 430) and adjusted to reflect ARPA:

- Segment 1 (0 – 5 years) 5.07%
- Segment 2 (5 to 20 years) 5.31%
- Segment 3 (more than 20 years) 5.50%
- Effective Interest Rate 5.43%

Maximum Deductible Annual Interest Rates

24-month segment rates averaged through the end of August 2024 and published in September 2024 (as prescribed by IRC 430) as follows:

- Segment 1 (0 – 5 years) 5.07%
- Segment 2 (5 to 20 years) 5.33%
- Segment 3 (more than 20 years) 5.36%
- Effective Interest Rate 5.35%

Annual Expected Return on Assets

Interest Rate for developing Actuarial Value of Assets, limited to third segment rate: 5.59%

Rationale: as selected by the Plan Sponsor

PBGC and LDROM Annual Interest Rates

Segment rates in December 2024 and published in January 2025 using the Standard Method (as prescribed by IRC 430) as follows:

- Segment 1 (0 – 5 years) 4.65%
- Segment 2 (5 to 20 years) 5.28%
- Segment 3 (more than 20 years) 5.63%
- Effective Interest Rate 5.50%

ASC 960 Discount Rate

Discount Rate 6.75%
Rationale: as selected by the Plan Sponsor

Salary Scale

Not applicable

Mortality

Funding: Mortality as provided in Notice 2022-22 male and female, optional combined for small plans (as prescribed by IRC 430).

ASC 960-20: PRI-2012 Blue Collar Mortality Tables for Males and Females with Fully Generational Improvements using Scale MP2021.

Rationale: as selected by the Plan Sponsor to align with ASC 715 results.

Rates of Retirement

Actives are assumed to retire based on age as follows:

Age	Rates
55 - 59	3%
60 - 61	5%
62	30%
63 - 64	10%
65	100%

100% retirement rate at date of eligibility for unreduced benefits.

Terminated Vested participants and Deferred Beneficiaries are assumed to commence at Normal Retirement Date.

Rationale: as selected by Plan Sponsor to reasonably align with historical experience.

Weighted Average Retirement Age is 63. This is the average retirement age for someone eligible to retire at all ages using the assumed retirement rates and no other decrements.

Rates of Turnover

The D-3 Termination Table from the Actuary's Pension Handbook. Sample rates and ages as follows:

Age	Rates
20	7.00%
25	5.50%
30	5.00%
35	4.50%
40	4.00%
45	3.00%
50	1.50%
55	0.50%
60+	0.00%

Rationale: as selected by Plan Sponsor to reasonably align with historical experience.

Rates of Disability

The SOA 1987 Group LTD Table - Males, 6-month elimination

Age	Rates
20	0.0764%
25	0.0854%
30	0.0986%
35	0.1242%
40	0.1760%
45	0.2944%
50	0.5396%
55	0.9770%
60	1.4774%

Rationale – as selected by the plan sponsor to reasonably recognize liabilities for subsidized disability benefits.

Assumptions Made In Valuing Spouse's Benefit

All employees included in the valuation are assumed to be married. This percentage is used as the probability that survivor benefits will be payable due to preretirement deaths. The wife is assumed to be the same age as the husband.

Optional Form Selection

All employees are assumed to elect a 10-year certain and continuous annuity upon retirement.

Standing Elections

The client has not signed an election that provides for the automatic use of the Carryover Balance and/or Prefunding Balance if necessary to meet the minimum funding requirement.

Asset Method

Funding: Market Value of Assets plus interest adjusted accrued but unpaid contributions as of the valuation date.

ASC 960-20: Market Value of Assets plus, any contributions for prior plan years that will be made in this plan year.

Funding Method

Pure Unit Credit

The actuarial liabilities shown in this report are determined using software purchased from an outside vendor which was developed for this purpose. Certain information is entered into this model in order to generate the liabilities. These inputs include economic and non-economic assumptions, plan provisions, and census information. We rely on the coding within the software to value the liabilities using the actuarial methods and assumptions selected. Both the input to and the output from the model is checked for accuracy and reviewed for reasonableness.

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

Employees Valued	Only participants as of the valuation date were valued.
Changes in Assumptions and Methods since the Last Actuarial Valuation	The interest rates used for determining the funding target were 4.75%, 4.87% and 5.59%. These rates were updated to the rates required for the current plan year. The mortality table for the funding target was changed as required under PPA '06.
Justification for Changes in Actuarial Assumptions	The only assumption changes were to prescribed actuarial assumptions or as a result of At-Risk status. Therefore, the plan did not need IRS approval to change assumptions and there is no need to disclose any "Change in Actuarial Assumptions."

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E Type of plan: [X] Single [ ] Multiple-A [ ] Multiple-B

F Prior year plan size: [X] 100 or fewer [ ] 101-500 [ ] More than 500

Part I Basic Information

1 Enter the valuation date: Month 01 Day 01 Year 2025

2 Assets:

a Market value	**2a**	957,720
b Actuarial value	**2b**	957,720

3 Funding target/participant count breakdown

	(1) Number of participants	(2) Vested Funding Target	(3) Total Funding Target
a For retired participants and beneficiaries receiving payment	1	110,658	110,658
b For terminated vested participants	10	355,546	355,546
c For active participants	11	382,171	384,720
d Total	22	848,375	850,924

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**	5.43%
6 Target normal cost		
a Present value of current plan year accruals	**6a**	22,063
b Expected plan-related expenses	**6b**	58,888
c Target normal cost	**6c**	80,951

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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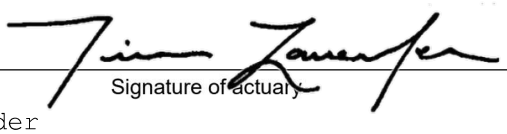

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10/05/2026
Date

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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	0
8	Portion elected for use to offset prior year's funding requirement (line 35 from prior year)	0	0
9	Amount remaining (line 7 minus line 8)	0	0
10	Interest on line 9 using prior year's actual return of 8.66%	0	0
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 5.19%		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	0
13	Balance at beginning of current year (line 9 + line 10 + line 11d – line 12)	0	0

Part III Funding Percentages

14	Funding target attainment percentage	14	112.55%
15	Adjusted funding target attainment percentage	15	102.66%
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	107.91%
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
			Totals ► 18(b)	0	18(c) 0

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? [ ] Yes [X] No

b If line 20a is "Yes," were required quarterly installments for the current year made in a timely manner? [ ] Yes [ ] 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

Part V Assumptions Used to Determine Funding Target and Target Normal Cost

21 Discount rate:

	1st segment:	2nd segment:	3rd segment:	
a Segment rates:	5.07 %	5.31 %	5.50%	☐ N/A, full yield curve used

b Applicable month (enter code)	**21b**	4
22 Weighted average retirement age	**22**	63

23 Mortality table(s) (see instructions) ☐ Prescribed - combined ☒ Prescribed - separate ☐ Substitute

Part VI Miscellaneous Items

24 Has a change been made in the non-prescribed actuarial assumptions for the current plan year? If "Yes," see instructions regarding required attachment. ☐ Yes ☒ No

25 Has a method change been made for the current plan year? If "Yes," see instructions regarding required attachment. ☐ Yes ☒ 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. ☒ Yes ☐ No

b Is the plan required to provide a projection of expected benefit payments? If "Yes," see instructions regarding required attachment ☐ Yes ☒ No

27 If the plan is subject to alternative funding rules, enter applicable code and see instructions regarding attachment	**27**	

Part VII Reconciliation of Unpaid Minimum Required Contributions For Prior Years

28 Unpaid minimum required contributions for all prior years	**28**	0
29 Discounted employer contributions allocated toward unpaid minimum required contributions from prior years (line 19a)	**29**	0
30 Remaining amount of unpaid minimum required contributions (line 28 minus line 29)	**30**	0

Part VIII Minimum Required Contribution For Current Year

31 Target normal cost and excess assets (see instructions):

a Target normal cost (line 6c)	**31a**	80,951
b Excess assets, if applicable, but not greater than line 31a	**31b**	80,951

32 Amortization installments:	Outstanding Balance	Installment
a Net shortfall amortization installment	0	0
b Waiver amortization installment	0	0

33 If a waiver has been approved for this plan year, enter the date of the ruling letter granting the approval (Month _____ Day _____ Year _____) and the waived amount	**33**	
34 Total funding requirement before reflecting carryover/prefunding balances (lines 31a - 31b + 32a + 32b - 33)	**34**	0

	Carryover balance	Prefunding balance	Total balance
35 Balances elected for use to offset funding requirement	0	0	0

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

Part IX Pension Funding Relief Under the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (See Instructions)

41 If an election was made to use the extended amortization rule for a plan year beginning on or before December 31, 2021, check the box to indicate the first plan year for which the rule applies. ☐ 2019 ☐ 2020 ☒ 2021

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Attachment to 2025 Form 5500,
Schedule SB, Line 22 - Description of Weighted Average Retirement Age

Age	Rate	Lx	Rate * Lx	Age * Rate * Lx
55	1.000	0.03	0.030	1.650
56	0.970	0.03	0.029	1.630
57	0.941	0.03	0.028	1.609
58	0.913	0.03	0.027	1.589
59	0.886	0.03	0.027	1.568
60	0.859	0.05	0.043	2.577
61	0.816	0.05	0.041	2.489
62	0.775	0.30	0.233	14.415
63	0.543	0.10	0.054	3.421
64	0.489	0.10	0.049	3.130
65	0.440	1.00	0.440	28.600
				62.677
				63.000

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Summary of Principal Plan Provisions

Plan Sponsor	New Enterprise Stone & Lime Co., Inc.
EIN/PN	23-1374051/003
Effective Date	December 14, 1942; amended and restated January 1, 2017, amended for Class 5 freeze effective October 1, 2018.
Plan Year	The 12-month period beginning each January 1.
Participation	An eligible employee shall become a participant on the first day of the month following the date on which he is first employed by the employer in an eligible class of employees. Class 1: Certain employees (Plants 50, 81, 83 and 83) who are covered by an agreement between the employer and Locals 17, 17A and 17B of the International Union of Operating Engineers. No employee in class 1 not already a participant on December 31st, 1993, shall become a participant thereafter. Class 2: Certain employees (Plants 50, 81, 83 and 83) who are covered by an agreement between the employer and Locals 449 affiliated with the International Teamsters, Chauffeurs, Warehousemen and Helpers of America. Class 3: Certain employees (Plant 21) who are covered by an agreement between the employer and Locals 17, 17A and 17B of the International Union of Operating Engineers. No employee in class 3 not already a participant in the plan on December 31st, 1988, shall become a participant thereafter. Class 4: Certain employees (Plants 36 and 37) who are covered by an agreement between the employer and Locals 17, 17A and 17B of the International Union of Operating Engineers. Class 5: Certain employees (Plants 82, 21, 51, 81 and 52) who are covered by an agreement between the employer and Local D328 of the International Brotherhood of Boilermakers, Iron Ship Builders, Blacksmiths, Forgers and Helpers. No employee in class 5 not already a participant in the plan on October 1st, 2018, shall become a participant thereafter.

Class 6: Certain employees (Plant 38) who are covered by an agreement between the employer and Local D328 of the International Brotherhood of Boilermakers, Iron Ship Builders, Blacksmiths, Forgers and Helpers. No employee in class 6 not already a participant in the plan on December 31st, 2002, shall become a participant thereafter.

Class 7: All hourly employees employed as clerks or testers at any of the facilities described in the classes above who are not included in any of the bargaining units described above. No employee in class 7 not already a participant in the plan on December 31st, 1997, shall become a participant thereafter.

Vesting Service

Vesting service is granted prior to January 1st, 1976, based on the plan provisions in effect at that time. Vesting service is granted after January 1st, 1976, for each calendar year in which the employee works 1,000 or more hours of service.

Credited Service

Credited service is granted prior to January 1st, 1987, based on the plan provisions in effect at that time. Credited service is granted after January 1st, 1987, for each calendar year in which the employee works 1,000 or more hours of service. In the participant's first year of participation, a partial year of benefit service will be granted by dividing the number of hours of service completed by the participant during such year by 1,000. Notwithstanding the above, no employee in class 1 will be credited with benefit service after December 31st, 1993, no employee in class 3 will be credited with benefit service after December 31st, 1988, no employee in class 5 will be credited with benefit service after October 1st, 2018, no employee in class 6 will be credited with benefit service after December 31st, 2002, and no employee in class 7 will be credited with benefit service after December 31st, 1997.

Accrued Benefit

The participant's accrued benefit is determined by adding his past service accrued benefit to the future service accruals using the following schedule for future service accruals:

Class	Monthly Retirement	Period of Service
1	$12.00	January 1, 1979 - December 31, 1993
2	$16.00	January 1, 1998 and later
3	$12.00	January 1, 1979 - December 31, 1988
4	$16.00	January 1, 1992 and later
5	$16.00	January 1, 1993 - October 1, 2018
6	$17.50	January 1, 1995 - December 31, 2002
7	$16.00	January 1, 1993 - December 31, 1997

Normal Retirement Benefit

Eligibility:

A participant is eligible for normal retirement after the earlier of:

(a) Attainment of age 65, or the fifth anniversary of participation, if later; or

(b) Attainment of age 62 and 25 years of Credited Service.

Monthly Benefit:

The Accrued Benefit

In the case of a participant who retires on or after his normal retirement date and who has completed at least 20 years of credited service, his accrued benefit will not be less than the amounts shown below:

Class	Minimum Monthly Retirement Benefit
1	$125
2	$875
3	$350
4	$800
5	$1,190
6	$600
7	$600

Early Retirement Benefit	Eligibility: Commencement before normal retirement and on or after the attainment of age 55 and 15 years of vesting service or the attainment of age 52 and completion of 25 years of participation in the plan.. Monthly Benefit: The Accrued Benefit at early retirement reduced 5/12 of 1% for each month that retirement precedes his normal retirement date.
Termination Benefit	Eligibility: Upon termination of employment prior to retirement after completion of at least five Years of Vesting Service. Monthly Benefit: Accrued benefit payable at normal retirement and determined as of the participant's termination date. If the present value of the pension does not exceed $3,500, a lump sum payment is automatic as soon as administratively possible after termination of employment.
Disability Benefit	Eligibility: After six months of permanent and total disability for those with 10 years of credited service. Monthly Benefit: Accrued benefit to date and continues until the earliest of recovery, death or normal retirement.
Death Benefit	Eligibility: Death while eligible for normal, early, or deferred vested benefits, with a surviving spouse. Monthly Benefit: Pre-retirement spouse benefit payable at the participant's earliest retirement date. The amount of survivor benefit would be the benefit payable under a 50% joint and survivor pension option for the first ten years and then 50% of such amount after ten years. The benefit payable is based upon the pension accrued to the date of death and reduced for early commencement of benefits, if applicable.

Schedule SB, Part V – Summary of Plan Provisions

Forms of Payment	Unmarried participants receive a life annuity. Married participants receive a 50% joint and survivor annuity. Other available optional payment forms are the 10 or 15 year certain and continuous annuity, and the 50%, 75%, or 100% joint and survivor annuities. A partial lump sum is also available for participants listed in Appendices C, D, E, and F of the legal plan document.
Benefits Available As Lump Sums	This plan pays only small benefit amounts (lump sum less than $3,500) and partial lump sums to certain participants listed in Appendices C, D, E, and F of the legal plan document.
Maximum Benefit Limit	The Internal Revenue Code Section 415 Maximum Benefit payable as a life annuity at Social Security Normal Retirement Age.
Plan Compensation Limit	The Section 401(a)(17) Maximum Compensation that can be recognized for benefit calculation purposes.
Changes in Plan Provisions	The automatic changes, if any, in the plan compensation limit and maximum benefit limit were recognized as amendments for funding purposes.