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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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:
- [ ] 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. . . . . ▶ [ ]

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
BERNSTEIN LITOWITZ BERGER & GROSSMANN LLP 401(K) PLAN

1b Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 003

1c Effective date of plan 10/01/1987

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)
BERNSTEIN LITOWITZ BERGER & GROSSMANN LLP

1251 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS
44TH FLOOR
NEW YORK, NY 10020

2b Employer Identification Number (EIN)
13-3165559

2c Plan Sponsor's telephone number
212-554-1400

2d Business code (see instructions)
541110

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.

SIGN HERE	Filed with authorized/valid electronic signature.	10/14/2026	REID HOROVITZ
	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
SIGN HERE			
	Signature of DFE	Date	Enter name of individual signing as DFE

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:	**4b**	EIN
a	Sponsor's name	**4d**	PN
c	Plan Name		

5	Total number of participants at the beginning of the plan year	**5**	270
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**).		
a(1)	Total number of active participants at the beginning of the plan year	**6a(1)**	181
a(2)	Total number of active participants at the end of the plan year	**6a(2)**	172
b	Retired or separated participants receiving benefits	**6b**	0
c	Other retired or separated participants entitled to future benefits	**6c**	83
d	Subtotal. Add lines **6a(2)**, **6b**, and **6c**.	**6d**	255
e	Deceased participants whose beneficiaries are receiving or are entitled to receive benefits.	**6e**	0
f	Total. Add lines **6d** and **6e**.	**6f**	255
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)**	251
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)**	235
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 Characteristic Codes in the instructions:

2E 2F 2G 2J 3D

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

9a Plan funding arrangement (check all that apply)		**9b** Plan benefit arrangement (check all that apply)	
(1)	[X] Insurance	**(1)**	[X] Insurance
(2)	[ ] Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts	**(2)**	[ ] Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts
(3)	[X] Trust	**(3)**	[X] Trust
(4)	[ ] General assets of the sponsor	**(4)**	[ ] General assets of the sponsor

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

a Pension Schedules

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

b General Schedules

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

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 2025 Form M-1 annual report. If the plan was not required to file the 2025 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_____

SCHEDULE A
(Form 5500)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Department of Labor
Employee Benefits Security Administration

Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation

Insurance 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.**

▶ Insurance companies are required to provide the information pursuant to ERISA section 103(a)(2).

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B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 003

C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500
BERNSTEIN LITOWITZ BERGER & GROSSMANN LLP

D Employer Identification Number (EIN)
13-3165559

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
EMPOWER LIFE & ANNUITY INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW YORK

(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
93-1225432	60214	590326-01	7	01/01/2025	12/31/2025

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.

(a) Total amount of commissions paid	(b) Total amount of fees paid

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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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.

4	Current value of plan's interest under this contract in the general account at year end	4	272204
5	Current value of plan's interest under this contract in separate accounts at year end	5	0

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 ▶ GROUP ANNUITY CONTRACT

b	Balance at the end of the previous year			7b	456666
c	Additions: (1) Contributions deposited during the year	7c(1)	18852		
	(2) Dividends and credits	7c(2)	0		
	(3) Interest credited during the year	7c(3)	5561		
	(4) Transferred from separate account	7c(4)	201451		
	(5) Other (specify below)	7c(5)	0		
	▶				
	(6)Total additions			7c(6)	225864
d	Total of balance and additions (add lines **7b** and **7c(6)**).			7d	682530
e	Deductions:				
	(1) Disbursed from fund to pay benefits or purchase annuities during year	7e(1)	374815		
	(2) Administration charge made by carrier	7e(2)	5		
	(3) Transferred to separate account	7e(3)	35506		
	(4) Other (specify below)	7e(4)	0		
	▶				
	(5) Total deductions			7e(5)	410326
f	Balance at the end of the current year (subtract line **7e(5)** from line **7d**)			7f	272204

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:				
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 ☐ paid in cash, or ☐ 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:				
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. ▶

SCHEDULE C (Form 5500)	Service Provider Information	OMB No. 1210-0110
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13-3165559

Part I Service Provider Information (see instructions)

You must complete this Part, in accordance with the instructions, to report the information required for **each person** who received, directly or indirectly, $5,000 or more in total compensation (i.e., money or anything else of monetary value) in connection with services rendered to the plan or the person's position with the plan during the plan year. If a person received **only** eligible indirect compensation for which the plan received the required disclosures, you are required to answer line 1 but are not required to include that person when completing the remainder of this Part.

1 Information on Persons Receiving Only Eligible Indirect Compensation

a Check "Yes" or "No" to indicate whether you are excluding a person from the remainder of this Part because they received only eligible indirect compensation for which the plan received the required disclosures (see instructions for definitions and conditions).. . . . . [X] Yes [ ] No

b If you answered line 1a "Yes," enter the name and EIN or address of each person providing the required disclosures for the service providers who received only eligible indirect compensation. Complete as many entries as needed (see instructions).

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation

EMPOWER RETIREMENT

93-1225432

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2. Information on Other Service Providers Receiving Direct or Indirect Compensation. Except for those persons for whom you answered "Yes" to line 1a above, complete as many entries as needed to list each person receiving, directly or indirectly, $5,000 or more in total compensation (i.e., money or anything else of value) in connection with services rendered to the plan or their position with the plan during the plan year. (See instructions).

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

ALLIANCE BERNSTEIN L.P.

501 COMMERCE ST
NASHVILLE, TN 37302

(b) Service Code(s)	(c) Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest	(d) Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-.	(e) Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor)	(f) Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures?	(g) Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-.	(h) Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount?
27	INVESTMENT ADVISOR	71408	Yes [ ] No [X]	Yes [ ] No [ ]		Yes [ ] No [ ]

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

EMPOWER LIFE & ANNUITY INSURANCE

8515 EAST ORCHARD ROAD
GREENWOOD VILLAGE, CO 80111

(b) Service Code(s)	(c) Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest	(d) Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-.	(e) Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor)	(f) Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures?	(g) Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-.	(h) Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount?
64	RECORDKEEPER	34240	Yes [X] No [ ]	Yes [X] No [ ]	0	Yes [X] No [ ]

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

PASI, LLC

10 TALCOTT NOTCH RD STE 200
FARMINGTON, CT 06032

(b) Service Code(s)	(c) Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest	(d) Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-.	(e) Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor)	(f) Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures?	(g) Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-.	(h) Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount?
13	CONTRACT ADMIN	2660	Yes [ ] No [X]	Yes [ ] No [ ]		Yes [ ] No [ ]

2. Information on Other Service Providers Receiving Direct or Indirect Compensation. Except for those persons for whom you answered "Yes" to line 1a above, complete as many entries as needed to list each person receiving, directly or indirectly, $5,000 or more in total compensation (i.e., money or anything else of value) in connection with services rendered to the plan or their position with the plan during the plan year. (See instructions).

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

THE RETIREMENT PLAN COMPANY, LLC

P O BOX 306462
NASHVILLE, TN 37230-6462

(b) Service Code(s)	(c) Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest	(d) Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-.	(e) Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor)	(f) Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures?	(g) Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-.	(h) Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount?
99	OTHER	1140	Yes [ ] No [X]	Yes [ ] No [ ]		Yes [ ] No [ ]

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

ASSOCIATED PENSION CONSULTANTS INC

401 BROADHOLLOW RD STE 403
MELVILLE, NY 11747

(b) Service Code(s)	(c) Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest	(d) Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0-.	(e) Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor)	(f) Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures?	(g) Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0-.	(h) Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount?
13	CONTRACT ADMIN	300	Yes [ ] No [X]	Yes [ ] No [ ]		Yes [ ] No [ ]

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

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			Yes [ ] No [ ]	Yes [ ] No [ ]		Yes [ ] No [ ]

Part I Service Provider Information (continued)

3. If you reported on line 2 receipt of indirect compensation, other than eligible indirect compensation, by a service provider, and the service provider is a fiduciary or provides contract administrator, consulting, custodial, investment advisory, investment management, broker, or recordkeeping services, answer the following questions for (a) each source from whom the service provider received $1,000 or more in indirect compensation and (b) each source for whom the service provider gave you a formula used to determine the indirect compensation instead of an amount or estimated amount of the indirect compensation. Complete as many entries as needed to report the required information for each source.

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

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Part II Service Providers Who Fail or Refuse to Provide Information

4 Provide, to the extent possible, the following information for each service provider who failed or refused to provide the information necessary to complete this Schedule.

(a) Enter name and EIN or address of service provider (see instructions)	**(b)** Nature of Service Code(s)	**(c)** Describe the information that the service provider failed or refused to provide

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Part III Termination Information on Accountants and Enrolled Actuaries (see instructions)

(complete as many entries as needed)

a Name: ANCHIN BLOCK & ANCHIN LLP
b EIN: 13-0436940
c Position: AUDITOR
d Address: 3 TIMES SQUARE, 24TH FLOOR
NEW YORK, NY 10036
e Telephone: 212-840-3456

Explanation: ANCHIN, BLOCK & ANCHIN MERGED WITH BAKER TILLY US, LLP 7-1-2026

a Name:
b EIN:
c Position:
d Address:
e Telephone:

Explanation:

a Name:
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Explanation:

SCHEDULE D (Form 5500)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Department of Labor
Employee Benefits Security Administration

DFE/Participating Plan Information

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BERNSTEIN LITOWITZ BERGER & GROSSMANN LLP

D Employer Identification Number (EIN)
13-3165559

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)

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: AB US LARGE CAP GROWTH CIT W SERIES

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

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)
38-4116831-509	C	718024

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: AB MULTI-MGR RET TRUST 2055 W-SERIE

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

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)
38-4116852-547	C	2392087

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: AB MULTI-MGR RET TRUST 2035 W-SERIE

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

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)
38-4116848-543	C	4571547

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: AB MULTI-MGR RET TRUST 2025 W-SERIE

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

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)
38-4116846-541	C	1305937

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: AB US SMALL & MID CAP GR W SERIES C

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

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)
38-4116871-536	C	108068

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: AB GLBL COR EQ CIT W SERIES FEE CL

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

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)
38-4139849-627	C	165719

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: AB MULTI-MGR RET TRUST 2040 W-SERIE

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

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)
38-4116849-544	C	6179771

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: AB MULTI-MGR RET TRUST 2050 W-SERIE

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

c EIN-PN 38-4116851-546	**d** Entity code C	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 2136948

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: AB MULTI-MGR RET TRUST 2030 W-SERIE

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

c EIN-PN 38-4116847-542	**d** Entity code C	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 2404768

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: PGIM TOTAL RETURN FUND CIT FEE CLAS

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

c EIN-PN 38-4097323-471	**d** Entity code C	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 140436

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: AB US SMALL & MID CAP VAL W SERIES

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

c EIN-PN 38-4116868-532	**d** Entity code C	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 71557

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: AB MULTI-MGR RET TRUST 2060 W-SERIE

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

c EIN-PN 38-4116853-548	**d** Entity code C	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 928823

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: AB MULTI-MGR RET TRUST 2020 W-SERIE

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

c EIN-PN 38-4116845-540	**d** Entity code C	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 629322

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: AB MULTI-MGR RET TRUST 2045 W-SERIE

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

c EIN-PN 38-4116850-545	**d** Entity code C	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 6490076

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: AB MULTI-MGR RET ALLOC TRUST W-SERI

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

c EIN-PN 38-4116842-000	**d** Entity code C	**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 856228

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)

Part II **Information on Participating Plans (to be completed by DFEs, other than DCGs)**
(Complete as many entries as needed to report all participating plans. DCGs must report each participating plan using Schedule DCG.)

a Plan name

b Name of plan sponsor | **c** EIN-PN

a Plan name

b Name of plan sponsor | **c** EIN-PN

a Plan name

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a Plan name

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SCHEDULE H (Form 5500)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Department of Labor
Employee Benefits Security Administration

Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation

Financial Information

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.**

OMB No. 1210-0110

2025

This Form is Open to Public Inspection

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

A Name of plan
BERNSTEIN LITOWITZ BERGER & GROSSMANN LLP 401(K) PLAN

B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 003

C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500
BERNSTEIN LITOWITZ BERGER & GROSSMANN LLP

D Employer Identification Number (EIN)
13-3165559

Part I Asset and Liability Statement

1 Current value of plan assets and liabilities at the beginning and end of the plan year. Combine the value of plan assets held in more than one trust. Report the value of the plan's interest in a commingled fund containing the assets of more than one plan on a line-by-line basis unless the value is reportable on lines 1c(9) through 1c(14). Do not enter the value of that portion of an insurance contract which guarantees, during this plan year, to pay a specific dollar benefit at a future date. **Round off amounts to the nearest dollar.** MTIAs, CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs do not complete lines 1b(1), 1b(2), 1c(8), 1g, 1h, and 1i. CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs also do not complete lines 1d and 1e. See instructions.

Assets		(a) Beginning of Year	(b) End of Year
a Total noninterest-bearing cash	1a		
b Receivables (less allowance for doubtful accounts):			
(1) Employer contributions	1b(1)		
(2) Participant contributions	1b(2)	0	0
(3) Other	1b(3)		
c General investments:			
(1) Interest-bearing cash (include money market accounts & certificates of deposit)	1c(1)		
(2) U.S. Government securities	1c(2)		
(3) Corporate debt instruments (other than employer securities):			
(A) Preferred	1c(3)(A)		
(B) All other	1c(3)(B)		
(4) Corporate stocks (other than employer securities):			
(A) Preferred	1c(4)(A)		
(B) Common	1c(4)(B)		
(5) Partnership/joint venture interests	1c(5)		
(6) Real estate (other than employer real property)	1c(6)		
(7) Loans (other than to participants)	1c(7)		
(8) Participant loans	1c(8)	136939	169522
(9) Value of interest in common/collective trusts	1c(9)	25645498	29099311
(10) Value of interest in pooled separate accounts	1c(10)		
(11) Value of interest in master trust investment accounts	1c(11)		
(12) Value of interest in 103-12 investment entities	1c(12)		
(13) Value of interest in registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds)	1c(13)	8543977	11804530
(14) Value of funds held in insurance company general account (unallocated contracts)	1c(14)	456666	272204
(15) Other	1c(15)		

		(a) Beginning of Year	(b) End of Year
1d Employer-related investments:			
(1) Employer securities	1d(1)		
(2) Employer real property	1d(2)		
1e Buildings and other property used in plan operation	1e		
1f Total assets (add all amounts in lines 1a through 1e)	1f	34783080	41345567
Liabilities			
1g Benefit claims payable	1g		
1h Operating payables	1h		
1i Acquisition indebtedness	1i		
1j Other liabilities	1j	210336	249
1k Total liabilities (add all amounts in lines 1g through1j)	1k	210336	249
Net Assets			
1l Net assets (subtract line 1k from line 1f)	1l	34572744	41345318

Part II Income and Expense Statement

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

Income		(a) Amount	(b) Total
a Contributions:			
(1) Received or receivable in cash from: **(A)** Employers	2a(1)(A)		
(B) Participants	2a(1)(B)	2507951	
(C) Others (including rollovers)	2a(1)(C)	327356	
(2) Noncash contributions	2a(2)		
(3) Total contributions. Add lines **2a(1)(A), (B), (C),** and line **2a(2)**	2a(3)		2835307
b Earnings on investments:			
(1) Interest:			
(A) Interest-bearing cash (including money market accounts and certificates of deposit)	2b(1)(A)		
(B) U.S. Government securities	2b(1)(B)		
(C) Corporate debt instruments	2b(1)(C)		
(D) Loans (other than to participants)	2b(1)(D)		
(E) Participant loans	2b(1)(E)	11028	
(F) Other	2b(1)(F)		
(G) Total interest. Add lines **2b(1)(A)** through **(F)**	2b(1)(G)		11028
(2) Dividends: **(A)** Preferred stock	2b(2)(A)		
(B) Common stock	2b(2)(B)		
(C) Registered investment company shares (e.g. mutual funds)	2b(2)(C)	208396	
(D) Total dividends. Add lines **2b(2)(A)**, **(B)**, and **(C)**	2b(2)(D)		208396
(3) Rents	2b(3)		
(4) Net gain (loss) on sale of assets: **(A)** Aggregate proceeds	2b(4)(A)		
(B) Aggregate carrying amount (see instructions)	2b(4)(B)		
(C) Subtract line **2b(4)(B)** from line **2b(4)(A)** and enter result	2b(4)(C)		0
(5) Unrealized appreciation (depreciation) of assets: **(A)** Real estate	2b(5)(A)		
(B) Other	2b(5)(B)		
(C) Total unrealized appreciation of assets. Add lines **2b(5)(A)** and **(B)**	2b(5)(C)		0

		(a) Amount	(b) Total
(6) Net investment gain (loss) from common/collective trusts	2b(6)		4263744
(7) Net investment gain (loss) from pooled separate accounts	2b(7)		
(8) Net investment gain (loss) from master trust investment accounts	2b(8)		
(9) Net investment gain (loss) from 103-12 investment entities	2b(9)		
(10) Net investment gain (loss) from registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds)	2b(10)		1361739
c Other income	2c		27299
d Total income. Add all **income** amounts in column (b) and enter total	2d		8707513
Expenses			
e Benefit payment and payments to provide benefits:			
(1) Directly to participants or beneficiaries, including direct rollovers	2e(1)	1832167	
(2) To insurance carriers for the provision of benefits	2e(2)		
(3) Other	2e(3)		
(4) Total benefit payments. Add lines **2e(1)** through **(3)**	2e(4)		1832167
f Corrective distributions (see instructions)	2f		
g Certain deemed distributions of participant loans (see instructions)	2g		
h Interest expense	2h		
i Administrative expenses:			
(1) Salaries and allowances	2i(1)		
(2) Contract administrator fees	2i(2)	102772	
(3) Recordkeeping fees	2i(3)		
(4) IQPA audit fees	2i(4)		
(5) Investment advisory and investment management fees	2i(5)		
(6) Bank or trust company trustee/custodial fees	2i(6)		
(7) Actuarial fees	2i(7)		
(8) Legal fees	2i(8)		
(9) Valuation/appraisal fees	2i(9)		
(10) Other trustee fees and expenses	2i(10)		
(11) Other expenses	2i(11)		
(12) Total administrative expenses. Add lines **2i(1)** through **(11)**	2i(12)		102772
j Total expenses. Add all **expense** amounts in column (b) and enter total	2j		1934939
Net Income and Reconciliation			
k Net income (loss). Subtract line **2j** from line **2d**	2k		6772574
l Transfers of assets:			
(1) To this plan	2l(1)		
(2) From this plan	2l(2)		

Part III Accountant's Opinion

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

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

(1) [X] Unmodified **(2)** [ ] Qualified **(3)** [ ] Disclaimer **(4)** [ ] Adverse

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

(1) [X] DOL Regulation 2520.103-8 **(2)** [ ] DOL Regulation 2520.103-12(d) **(3)** [ ] neither DOL Regulation 2520.103-8 nor DOL Regulation 2520.103-12(d).

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

(1) Name: BAKER TILLY US,LLP **(2)** EIN: 30-1413443

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

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

Part IV Compliance Questions

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

During the plan year:

		Yes	No	Amount
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 the plan year or classified during the year as uncollectible? Disregard participant loans secured by participant's account balance. (Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part I if "Yes" is checked.)	**4b**		X	
c Were any leases to which the plan was a party in default or classified during the year as uncollectible? (Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part II if "Yes" is checked.)	**4c**		X	
d Were there any nonexempt transactions with any party-in-interest? (Do not include transactions reported on line 4a. Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part III if "Yes" is checked.)	**4d**		X	
e Was this plan covered by a fidelity bond?	**4e**	X		1000000
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 have assets held for investment? (Attach schedule(s) of assets if "Yes" is checked, and see instructions for format requirements.)	**4i**	X		
j Were any plan transactions or series of transactions in excess of 5% of the current value of plan assets? (Attach schedule of transactions if "Yes" is checked and see instructions for format requirements.)	**4j**		X	
k Were all the plan assets either distributed to participants or beneficiaries, transferred to another plan, or brought under the control of the PBGC?	**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**		X	
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 [X] 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)

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 _____.

SCHEDULE R (Form 5500)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Department of Labor
Employee Benefits Security Administration

Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation

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).

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2025

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A Name of plan
BERNSTEIN LITOWITZ BERGER & GROSSMANN LLP 401(K) PLAN

B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 003

C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500
BERNSTEIN LITOWITZ BERGER & GROSSMANN LLP

D Employer Identification Number (EIN)
13-3165559

Part I Distributions

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

1 Total value of distributions paid in property other than in cash or the forms of property specified in the instructions ..... | **1** | 0

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): 93-1225432

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

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

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.)

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.

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**

Part III Amendments

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**

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.

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):

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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): _____

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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): _____

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a Name of contributing employer

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

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(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) _____
(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify): _____

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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): _____

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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:

a The current plan year. Check the box to indicate the counting method used to determine the number of inactive participants: ☐ last contributing employer ☐ alternative ☐ reasonable approximation (see instructions for required attachment)	**14a**	
b The plan year immediately preceding the current plan year. ☐ 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. ☐ 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:

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:

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 06 / 30 / 2020 (MM/DD/YYYY) and the Opinion Letter serial number Q703912A .

BERNSTEIN LITOWITZ BERGER & GROSSMANN LLP 401(k) PLAN

Financial Statements

December 31, 2025

BERNSTEIN LITOWITZ BERGER & GROSSMANN LLP
401(k) PLAN

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Trustees of the
Bernstein Litowitz Berger & Grossmann LLP 401(k) Plan:

Scope and Nature of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) Audit of the 2025 Financial Statements

We have performed an audit of the accompanying financial statements of Bernstein Litowitz Berger & Grossmann LLP 401(k) Plan, an employee benefit plan subject to the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), as permitted by ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) (ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit). The financial statements comprise the statement of net assets available for benefits as of December 31, 2025, and the related statement of changes in net assets available for benefits for the year then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

Management, having determined it is permissible in the circumstances, has elected to have the audit of the 2025 Bernstein Litowitz Berger & Grossmann LLP 401(k) Plan's financial statements performed in accordance with ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) pursuant to 29 CFR 2520.103-8 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. As permitted by ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C), our audit need not extend to any statements or information related to assets held for investment of the plan (investment information) by a bank or similar institution or insurance carrier that is regulated, supervised, and subject to periodic examination by a state or federal agency, provided that the statements or information regarding assets so held are prepared and certified to by the bank or similar institution or insurance carrier in accordance with 29 CFR 2520.103-5 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA (qualified institution).

Management has obtained a certification from a qualified institution as of and for the year ended December 31, 2025, stating that the certified investment information, as described in Note 3 to the financial statements, is complete and accurate.

Opinion on the 2025 Financial Statements

In our opinion, based on our audit and on the procedures performed as described in the Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the 2025 Financial Statements section:

- the amounts and disclosures in the 2025 financial statements, other than those agreed to or derived from the certified investment information, are presented fairly, in all material respects, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.
- the information in the accompanying 2025 financial statements related to assets held by and certified to by a qualified institution agrees to, or is derived from, in all material respects, the information prepared and certified by an institution that management determined meets the requirements of ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C).

Baker Tilly Advisory Group, LP and Baker Tilly US, LLP, trading as Baker Tilly, are members of the global network of Baker Tilly International Ltd., the members of which are separate and independent legal entities. Baker Tilly US, LLP is a licensed CPA firm that provides assurance services to its clients. Baker Tilly Advisory Group, LP and its subsidiary entities provide tax and consulting services to their clients and are not licensed CPA firms.

Basis for Opinion on the 2025 Financial Statements

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the 2025 Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of Bernstein Litowitz Berger & Grossmann LLP 401(k) Plan and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit opinion.

Responsibilities of Management for the 2025 Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error. Management's election of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit does not affect management's responsibility for the financial statements.

In preparing the financial statements, management is required to evaluate whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about Bernstein Litowitz Berger & Grossmann LLP 401(k) Plan's ability to continue as a going concern for one year after the date the financial statements are available to be issued.

Management is also responsible for maintaining a current plan instrument, including all plan amendments, administering the plan, and determining that the plan's transactions that are presented and disclosed in the financial statements are in conformity with the plan's provisions, including maintaining sufficient records with respect to each of the participants, to determine the benefits due or which may become due to such participants.

Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the 2025 Financial Statements

Except as described in the Scope and Nature of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) Audit of the 2025 Financial Statements section of our report, our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditors' report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Misstatements are considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, they would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user based on the financial statements.

Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the 2025 Financial Statements (Continued)

In performing an audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of Bernstein Litowitz Berger & Grossmann LLP 401(k) Plan's internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statements.
- Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about Bernstein Litowitz Berger & Grossmann LLP 401(k) Plan's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

Our audit did not extend to the certified investment information, except for obtaining and reading the certification, comparing the certified investment information with the related information presented and disclosed in the 2025 financial statements, and reading the disclosures relating to the certified investment information to assess whether they are in accordance with the presentation and disclosure requirements of accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Accordingly, the objective of an ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit is not to express an opinion about whether the financial statements as a whole are presented fairly, in all material respects, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

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

Other Matters

2025 Supplemental Schedule Required by ERISA

The supplemental Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year) as of December 31, 2025, is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the financial statements but is supplementary information required by the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements. The information included in the supplemental schedule, other than that agreed to or derived from the certified investment information, has been subjected to auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards.

Other Matters (Continued)

2025 Supplemental Schedule Required by ERISA (Continued)

For information included in the supplemental schedule that agreed to or is derived from the certified investment information, we compared such information to the related certified investment information.

In forming our opinion on the supplemental schedule, we evaluated whether the supplemental schedule, other than the information agreed to or derived from the certified investment information, including its form and content, is presented in conformity with the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.

In our opinion

- the form and content of the supplemental schedule, other than the information in the supplemental schedule that agreed to or is derived from the certified investment information, is presented, in all material respects, in conformity with the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.
- the information in the supplemental schedule related to assets held by and certified to by a qualified institution agrees to, or is derived from, in all material respects, the information prepared and certified by an institution that management determined meet the requirements of ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C).

Auditor's Report on the 2024 Financial Statements

The financial statements of Bernstein Litowitz Berger & Grossmann LLP 401(k) Plan as of December 31, 2024, were audited by predecessor auditors. In accordance with ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) pursuant to 29 CFR 2520.103-8 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA, the prior year audit did not extend to any statements or information related to assets held for investment of the plan that were certified by a qualified institution. Their report dated October 6, 2025 indicated that in their opinion (a) the amounts and disclosures in the 2024 financial statements, other than those agreed to or derived from the certified investment information, were presented fairly, in all material respects, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, and (b) the information in the 2024 financial statements related to assets held by and certified to by a qualified institution agrees to, or is derived from, in all material respects, the information prepared and certified by an institution that management determined meets the requirements of ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C). Their report also indicated that the form and content of the 2024 supplemental schedule, other than the information in the 2024 supplemental schedule that agrees to or is derived from the certified investment information, was presented, in all material respects, in conformity with the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA, and the information in the 2024 supplemental schedule related to assets held by and certified to by a qualified institution agrees to, or is derived from, in all material respects, the information prepared and certified by an institution that management determined meets the requirements of ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C).



New York, New York
October 9, 2026

BERNSTEIN LITOWITZ BERGER & GROSSMANN LLP
401(k) PLAN

STATEMENTS OF NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS

	December 31,	
	2025	2024
Assets:		
Investments, at fair value	**$ 40,903,841**	$ 34,189,475
Fully benefit-responsive investment contract, at contract value	**272,204**	456,666
Receivables:		
Notes receivable from participants	**169,522**	136,939
Total Assets	**41,345,567**	34,783,080
Liabilities:		
Other liabilities	**249**	210,336
Total Liabilities	**249**	210,336
Net Assets Available for Benefits	**$ 41,345,318**	$ 34,572,744

See the accompanying Notes to the Financial Statements.

BERNSTEIN LITOWITZ BERGER & GROSSMANN LLP
401(k) PLAN
STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN
NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2025

Additions to Net Assets Attributed to:		
Investment Income:		
Net appreciation in fair value of investments	$ 5,652,782	
Interest income	208,396	
Total Investment Income		**$ 5,861,178**
Interest income on notes receivable from participants		**11,028**
Contributions:		
Participants	2,507,951	
Rollovers	327,356	
Total Contributions		**2,835,307**
Total Additions		**8,707,513**
Deductions from Net Assets Attributed to:		
Benefits paid to participants	1,832,167	
Administrative expenses	102,772	
Total Deductions		**1,934,939**
Net Increase in Net Assets for the Year		**6,772,574**
Net Assets Available for Benefits:		
Beginning of year		**34,572,744**
End of year		**$ 41,345,318**

See the accompanying Notes to the Financial Statements.

NOTE 1 - PLAN DESCRIPTION

The following description of the Bernstein Litowitz Berger & Grossmann LLP 401(k) Plan (the "Plan") provides only general information. Participants should refer to the plan document for a more complete description of the Plan's provisions.

General

The Plan is a defined contribution plan covering all eligible employees of Bernstein Litowitz Berger & Grossmann LLP (the "Firm") who have 6 months of service and are age 21 or older. All employees are eligible to participate in the Plan except for employees covered by a collective bargaining agreement, leased employees, non-resident aliens who receive no earned income, key employees and employees deemed short term hired for specific cases. The Plan is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 ("ERISA"). The Trustees are responsible for oversight of the Plan and determine the appropriateness of the Plan's investment offerings and monitor investment performance.

Contributions

Employees become eligible to participate in the Plan on the first day of each plan quarter coincident with or next following completion of six months of eligibility service and attainment of age 21, if later. Each year, participants may make pre-tax and Roth elective contributions up to 100% of compensation, as defined in the Plan. Participants who have attained age 50 before the end of the plan year are eligible to make catch-up contributions. Participants may also contribute amounts representing distributions from other qualified defined benefit or defined contribution plans (rollover). Participant contributions are subject to certain limitations. Participants direct the investment of contributions credited to their accounts into various investment options offered by the Plan.

Effective January 1, 2025, as required by the Setting Every Community Up for Retirement Enhancement Act of 2022 (SECURE 2.0), long-term, part-time employees who satisfy the applicable service requirements are eligible to make elective deferrals under the Plan. In addition, participants who attain ages 60 through 63 before the end of the taxable year are eligible to make catch-up contributions in excess of otherwise applicable limits. In 2025, the higher catch-up contribution limit is the greater of $10,000 or 150% of the regular catch-up contribution limit.

Effective in 2026, catch-up contributions made by certain higher compensated participants whose prior-year wages exceeded the applicable statutory threshold ($145,000, as indexed for inflation) are required to be made as Roth contributions.

NOTE 1 - PLAN DESCRIPTION (CONTINUED)

Participant Accounts

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

Vesting

Participants are vested immediately in their contributions and qualified non-elective employer contributions plus actual earnings thereon.

Notes Receivable from Participants

Participants may borrow from their accounts a minimum of $1,000 up to a maximum equal to the lesser of $50,000 or 50% of the vested portion of their account balance. Loan terms may not exceed five years unless the loan is for the purpose of acquiring a principal residence in which case the term of the loan may not exceed 20 years. The loans are secured by the vested balance in the participant's account and bear interest at a reasonable rate of interest as determined at the time of the loan application by the Firm. Loans outstanding during the year had interest rates which ranged from 4.75% to 10%. Principal and interest are paid ratably through weekly payroll deductions or directly from the borrower and credited to the borrower's account balance.

Payments of Benefits

Normal retirement age is 62. When a participant terminates employment or ceases to be an employee due to disability, they are entitled to receive his or her distribution under the Plan in a lump sum as soon as administratively feasible. A retired participant can elect to defer receipt of the distribution until April 1 of the calendar year following the participant attaining age 73. Upon death of the participant the distribution will be made in a lump sum no later than December 31 of the calendar year containing the fifth anniversary of the death unless elected differently by the beneficiary. Upon termination, if the participant's vested account is less than $1,000 the distribution shall be made in the form of a lump sum payment and if the vested balance is between $1,000 and $7,000, the distribution shall be made as a rollover to an individual retirement arrangement ("IRA") account. Under certain circumstances (hardship), and with approval of the Firm, a participant can elect at any time to receive a portion of his or her vested account balance subject to the provisions of the Plan. In-service withdrawals are permitted once a participant has attained age 59 ½.

NOTE 1 - PLAN DESCRIPTION (CONTINUED)

Payments of Benefits (Continued)

Effective December 17, 2025, the Plan implemented provisions under SECURE 2.0 permitting penalty-free withdrawals for participants who are victims of domestic abuse. Under these provisions, eligible participants may take a distribution of up to the lesser of $10,000 (as indexed) or 50% of the participant's vested account balance. Such distributions are not subject to the 10% early withdrawal penalty tax. Participants may elect to repay all or a portion of the distribution to the Plan within a three-year period following the date of receipt. Repayments are treated as rollover contributions and are not subject to otherwise applicable contribution limits.

Effective December 17, 2025, the Plan implemented provisions under SECURE 2.0 permitting special distribution and loan relief for participants affected by qualified federally declared disasters. Under these provisions, eligible participants may take disaster-related distributions of up to $22,000 per federally declared disaster, subject to applicable eligibility and timing requirements. Such distributions are exempt from the 10% early withdrawal penalty tax and may be included in taxable income ratably over a three-year period, unless the participant elects otherwise. Participants may repay all or a portion of a qualified disaster distribution to the Plan within a three-year period from the date of distribution. Repayments are treated as rollover contributions and are not subject to otherwise applicable contribution limits. In addition, the Plan may permit increased loan limits and extended repayment terms for participants impacted by qualified disasters, in accordance with applicable Internal Revenue Code ("IRC") and Plan provisions.

Effective for plan years beginning after December 31, 2023, the Plan implemented provisions under Section 325 of the SECURE 2.0 Act of 2022 eliminating required minimum distributions ("RMDs") for designated Roth accounts during the lifetime of the participant. Prior to the implementation of this provision, designated Roth accounts within the Plan were subject to RMD requirements. Under the updated rules, participants are no longer required to take minimum distributions from their Roth accounts while living, aligning the Plan's treatment of Roth accounts with that of Roth individual retirement accounts. This change does not apply to RMD requirements for non-Roth accounts, which remain subject to applicable IRC provisions. Beneficiary distribution requirements for Roth accounts continue to apply after the participant's death in accordance with the Plan and applicable regulations. The implementation of this provision did not have a material impact on the Plan's net assets available for benefits for the year.

NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of Accounting

The accompanying financial statements have been prepared on the accrual basis of accounting.

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and changes therein, and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Investment Valuation and Income Recognition

Investments are reported at fair value (except for the fully benefit-responsive investment contract, which is valued at contract value as described in Note 5). Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. The Plan's Trustees determine the Plan's valuation policies utilizing information provided by the investment advisers, custodians and insurance company. See Note 4 for discussion of fair value measurements.

Purchases and sales of securities are recorded on a trade date basis. Interest income is recorded on an accrual basis. Dividends are recorded on the ex-dividend date. Net appreciation (depreciation) in fair value of investments includes the Plan's gains and losses on investments bought and sold as well as held during the year.

Fully Benefit Responsive Investment Contract

Investment contracts held by a defined contribution plan are required to be reported at fair value. However, contract value is the relevant measurement attribute for that portion of the net assets available for benefits of a defined-contribution plan attributable to fully benefit-responsive investment contracts because contract value is the amount participants would receive if they were to initiate permitted transactions under the terms of the Plan. The statements of net assets available for benefits presents the investment contract at contract value. Contract value, as reported to the Plan by the custodian, represents contributions made under the contract, plus earnings, less participant withdrawals, and administrative expenses. Participants may ordinarily direct the withdrawal or transfer of all or a portion of their investment at contract value. The statement of changes in net assets available for benefits is prepared on a contract value basis.

NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Contributions

Contributions from Plan participants are recorded in the year in which the employee contributions are withheld from compensation.

Notes Receivable from Participants

Notes receivable from participants are measured at their unpaid principal balance plus any accrued but unpaid interest. Interest income is recorded on the accrual basis. Related fees are recorded as administrative expenses and are expensed when they are incurred. Delinquent notes receivable from participants are recorded as distributions based upon the terms of the Plan document.

Excess Contributions Payable

Amounts payable to participants for contributions in excess of amounts allowed by the Internal Revenue Service ("IRS") are recorded as a liability with a corresponding reduction to contributions. The Plan distributed the 2025 excess contributions to the applicable participants prior to March 15, 2026.

Payment of Benefits

Benefits are recorded when paid.

Expenses

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

NOTE 3 - CERTIFIED INVESTMENT INFORMATION

Certain information in the accompanying financial statements and ERISA-required supplemental schedule related to investments and notes receivable from participants held at December 31, 2025 and 2024, and net appreciation in fair value of investments, interest and dividends, and interest income on notes receivable from participants for the year ended December 31, 2025, was obtained by management and agreed to or derived from information certified as complete and accurate by Empower Trust Company, LLC and Empower Life & Annuity Insurance Company of New York ("Empower"), qualified institutions.

NOTE 4 - FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS (UNAUDITED)

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

The Plan also utilizes a practical expedient to estimate the fair value of investments that have calculated net asset value ("NAV") per share. Accordingly, the Plan estimates the fair value of an investment using the NAV of the investment (or its equivalent) without further adjustment unless the Plan determines that the NAV is deemed to be not reflective of fair value.

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

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

Level 2 Inputs to the valuation methodology include:

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

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

NOTE 4 - FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS (UNAUDITED) (CONTINUED)

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

The asset or liability's fair value measurement level within the fair value hierarchy is based on the lowest level of any input that is significant to the fair value measurement. Valuation techniques maximize the use of relevant observable inputs and minimize the use of unobservable inputs. In evaluating the level at which the Plan's investments have been classified, the Plan has assessed factors including, but not limited to price transparency, the ability to redeem at NAV at the year-end and the existence or absence of certain restrictions at year-end.

Following is a description of the valuation methodologies used for assets measured at fair value. There have been no changes in the methodologies used at December 31, 2025 and 2024.

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

Collective trust funds: Valued based on the NAV of the collective trusts. The NAV, as provided by the custodian is used as a practical expedient to estimate fair value. The NAV is based on the fair value of the underlying investments held by the funds less their liabilities. This practical expedient is not used when it is determined to be probable that the funds will sell the investment for an amount different than the reported NAV.

The collective trust funds' investment objectives are to invest in underlying funds to achieve the highest total return over time and diversify its investment asset mix based on the specific year of retirement included in its name. There are no unfunded commitments with respect to the collective trust funds. The funds generally provide for daily redemptions by the Plan at reported NAV per share, without any advance notification. The funds may, in their sole discretion, impose restrictions on issues and redemptions of units.

The preceding methods described may produce a fair value calculation that may not be indicative of net realizable value or reflective of future fair values. Furthermore, although the Plan believes its valuation methods are appropriate and consistent with other market participants, the use of different methodologies or assumptions to determine the fair value of certain financial instruments could result in a different fair value measurement at the reporting date.

NOTE 4 - FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS (UNAUDITED) (CONTINUED)

The following table sets forth by level, within the fair value hierarchy, the Plan's investments at fair value as of December 31, 2025 and 2024, excluding investments in collective trust funds. Classification within the fair value hierarchy table is based on the lowest level of any input that is significant to the fair value measurement.

2025	**Total**	**Level 1**
Mutual funds	**$ 11,804,530**	**$ 11,804,530**
Total investments in the fair value hierarchy	**11,804,530**	**11,804,530**
Investments measured at net asset value (a) - collective trust funds	**29,099,311**	**-**
Total investments at fair value	**$ 40,903,841**	**$ 11,804,530**

2024	Total	Level 1
Mutual funds	$ 8,543,977	$ 8,543,977
Total investments in the fair value hierarchy	8,543,977	8,543,977
Investments measured at net asset value (a) - collective trust funds	25,645,498	-
Total investments at fair value	$ 34,189,475	$ 8,543,977

(a) In accordance with Subtopic 820-10, certain investments that were measured at net asset value per share (or its equivalent) have not been classified in the fair value hierarchy. The fair value amounts presented in this table are intended to permit reconciliation of the fair value hierarchy to the line items presented in the statements of net assets available for benefits.

NOTE 5 - FULLY BENEFIT-RESPONSIVE INVESTMENT CONTRACT

The GIF ("Guaranteed Investment Fund") is a group annuity contract issued by Empower. The Plan holds a traditional investment contract. The GIF is a fully benefit-responsive investment contract. Empower maintains the contributions in a general account. The account is credited with earnings on the underlying investments and charged for participant withdrawals and administrative expenses. The contract issuer is contractually obligated to repay the principal to the Plan unless terminated under certain conditions by the Plan.

Contract value is the relevant measure for fully benefit-responsive investment contracts because this is the amount received by participants if they were to initiate permitted transactions under the terms of the Plan. Contract value represents contributions made under each contract, plus earnings, less participant withdrawals, and administrative expenses.

NOTE 5 - FULLY BENEFIT-RESPONSIVE INVESTMENT CONTRACT (CONTINUED)

Participants may ordinarily direct the withdrawal or transfer of all or a portion of their investment at contract value. The minimum crediting rate under the contract may not be less than zero percent. Such interest rates are reviewed on a quarterly basis for resetting.

As a result of current stable value product construction, no adjustments are required to mediate between the average earnings credit to the Plan and the average earnings credited to the participants. Empower believes there are no events that could limit the ability of the Plan to transact at contract value paid within 75 days or in rare circumstances, contract value paid over time.

There are no events that allow the issuer to terminate the contract, and which require the Plan to settle at an amount different than contract value paid either within 75 days or over-time. There are no reserves against contract value for credit risk of the contract issuer or otherwise.

NOTE 6 - PARTY-IN-INTEREST TRANSACTIONS

Effective January 1, 2025, the Plan Sponsor entered into an agreement with PASI, LLC under which PASI, LLC provides third-party administration services to the Plan. PASI, LLC is a service provider to the Plan, and therefore transactions with PASI, LLC qualify as party-in-interest transactions.

A Guaranteed Investment Fund account held at Empower Life & Annuity Insurance Company of New York includes unallocated accounts including funds earned by the Plan from the recordkeeper based on a percentage of the participant account balances to be utilized against future Plan expenses and are maintained in an account managed by the custodian. Accordingly, these transactions qualify as party-in-interest transactions.

The Plan invests in certain funds managed by AllianceBernstein L.P., which serves as investment manager and investment adviser to those funds. Transactions involving investments in and redemptions from these funds qualify as party-in-interest transactions.

NOTE 7 - PLAN TERMINATION

Although it has not expressed an intent to do so, the Firm has the right under the Plan to terminate the Plan subject to the provisions of ERISA and terms of the Plan. The Firm determines the date and manner in which participants' accounts will be distributed in accordance with ERISA.

NOTE 8 - TAX STATUS

The Firm has adopted a pre-approved plan document that has received an opinion letter from the IRS dated June 30, 2020, stating that the form of the pre-approved plan document was in compliance with the applicable requirements of the IRC. Although the Plan has been amended since adopting the pre-approved plan document, the Plan administrator believes the Plan is designed, and is currently being operated, in compliance with the applicable requirements of the IRC, and, therefore, believes that the Plan is qualified, and the related trust is tax-exempt.

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require plan management to evaluate tax positions taken by the Plan and recognize a tax liability (or asset) if the Plan has taken an uncertain position that more likely than not would not be sustained upon examination by the IRS. The Plan administrator has analyzed the tax positions taken by the Plan, and has concluded that as of December 31, 2025, there are no uncertain positions taken or expected to be taken that would require adjustment to or disclosure in the financial statements. The Plan is subject to routine audits by taxing jurisdictions; however, there are currently no audits for any tax periods in progress.

NOTE 9 - RISKS AND UNCERTAINTIES

The Plan invests in various investment securities. Investment securities are exposed to various risks such as interest rate, market, and credit risks. Due to the level of risk associated with certain investment securities, it is at least reasonably possible that changes in the values of investment securities will occur in the near term and that such changes could materially affect participants' account balances and the amounts reported in the statements of net assets available for benefits.

As of December 31, 2025 and 2024, the Plan had investments of $23,421,732 and $19,244,127, respectively, which were concentrated in one mutual fund and three common collective trust funds.

NOTE 10 - SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

Subsequent events have been evaluated through October 9, 2026 which is the date the financial statements were available to be issued.

BERNSTEIN LITOWITZ BERGER & GROSSMANN LLP
401(k) PLAN
EIN 13-3165559, PLAN NO. 003
FORM 5500
SCHEDULE H, LINE 4(i)
SCHEDULE OF ASSETS (HELD AT END OF YEAR)
DECEMBER 31, 2025

(a)	(b) Identity of Issue, Borrower, Lessor or Similar Party	(c) Description of Investment Including Maturity Date, Rate of Interest, Par or Maturity Value	(d) Cost	(e) Current Value
		Mutual Funds		
	American Funds	American Funds Capital World Bond R6	N/R	$ 72,421
	American Funds	American Funds EuroPacific Gr R6	N/R	46,860
	American Funds	American Funds New World R6	N/R	446,802
	BlackRock	BlackRock High Yield Bond Portfolio K	N/R	77,097
*	Great-West Life & Annuity	Empower International Value Instl	N/R	131,188
	Fidelity	Fidelity 500 Index	N/R	6,180,338
	Fidelity	Fidelity Extended Market Index	N/R	3,042,214
	Fidelity	Fidelity Global ex US Index	N/R	1,169,665
	Fidelity	Fidelity Inflation Protected Bond Index	N/R	250,786
	Fidelity	Fidelity Us Bond Index	N/R	8,897
	iShares	iShares Developed Real Estate Index K	N/R	72,205
	JP Morgan	JPMorgan Equity Income R6	N/R	306,057
		Total Mutual Funds, at Fair Value		11,804,530
		Collective Trust Funds		
*	Alliance Bernstein	Ab Glbl Cor Eq Cit W Series Fee Cl P1	N/R	165,719
*	Alliance Bernstein	Ab Multi-Mgr Ret Trust	N/R	856,228
*	Alliance Bernstein	Ab Multi-Mgr Ret Trust 2020 W-Series T	N/R	629,322
*	Alliance Bernstein	Ab Multi-Mgr Ret Trust 2025 W-Series T	N/R	1,305,937
*	Alliance Bernstein	Ab Multi-Mgr Ret Trust 2030 W-Series T	N/R	2,404,768
*	Alliance Bernstein	Ab Multi-Mgr Ret Trust 2035 W-Series T	N/R	4,571,547
*	Alliance Bernstein	Ab Multi-Mgr Ret Trust 2040 W-Series T	N/R	6,179,771
*	Alliance Bernstein	Ab Multi-Mgr Ret Trust 2045 W-Series T	N/R	6,490,076
*	Alliance Bernstein	Ab Multi-Mgr Ret Trust 2050 W-Series T	N/R	2,136,948
*	Alliance Bernstein	Ab Multi-Mgr Ret Trust 2055 W-Series T	N/R	2,392,087
*	Alliance Bernstein	Ab Multi-Mgr Ret Trust 2060 W-Series T	N/R	928,823
*	Alliance Bernstein	Ab US Large Cap Growth Cit W Series P1	N/R	718,024
*	Alliance Bernstein	Ab US Small & Mid Cap Gr W Series Cl P1	N/R	108,068
*	Alliance Bernstein	Ab US Small & Mid Cap Val W Series Cl P1	N/R	71,557
*	Alliance Bernstein	Pgim Total Return Fund Cit Fee Class R	N/R	140,436
		Total Collective Trust Funds, at Fair Value		29,099,311
		Total Investments, at Fair Value		**$ 40,903,841**
		Fully Benefit-Responsive Investment Contract		
*	Empower Life & Annuity Insurance Company	Guaranteed Interest Fund	N/R	**$ 272,204**
		Notes Receivable from Participants		
*	Notes receivable from participants (at 4.75% - 10% maturing 2026-2041)		-0-	**$ 169,522**

* Indicates Party-In-Interest to the Plan

N/R Historical cost information is not required by ERISA for participant-directed investments

See Independent Auditors' Report.

BERNSTEIN LITOWITZ BERGER & GROSSMANN LLP 401(k) PLAN

Financial Statements

December 31, 2025

BERNSTEIN LITOWITZ BERGER & GROSSMANN LLP
401(k) PLAN

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Trustees of the
Bernstein Litowitz Berger & Grossmann LLP 401(k) Plan:

Scope and Nature of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) Audit of the 2025 Financial Statements

We have performed an audit of the accompanying financial statements of Bernstein Litowitz Berger & Grossmann LLP 401(k) Plan, an employee benefit plan subject to the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), as permitted by ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) (ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit). The financial statements comprise the statement of net assets available for benefits as of December 31, 2025, and the related statement of changes in net assets available for benefits for the year then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

Management, having determined it is permissible in the circumstances, has elected to have the audit of the 2025 Bernstein Litowitz Berger & Grossmann LLP 401(k) Plan's financial statements performed in accordance with ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) pursuant to 29 CFR 2520.103-8 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. As permitted by ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C), our audit need not extend to any statements or information related to assets held for investment of the plan (investment information) by a bank or similar institution or insurance carrier that is regulated, supervised, and subject to periodic examination by a state or federal agency, provided that the statements or information regarding assets so held are prepared and certified to by the bank or similar institution or insurance carrier in accordance with 29 CFR 2520.103-5 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA (qualified institution).

Management has obtained a certification from a qualified institution as of and for the year ended December 31, 2025, stating that the certified investment information, as described in Note 3 to the financial statements, is complete and accurate.

Opinion on the 2025 Financial Statements

In our opinion, based on our audit and on the procedures performed as described in the Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the 2025 Financial Statements section:

- the amounts and disclosures in the 2025 financial statements, other than those agreed to or derived from the certified investment information, are presented fairly, in all material respects, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.
- the information in the accompanying 2025 financial statements related to assets held by and certified to by a qualified institution agrees to, or is derived from, in all material respects, the information prepared and certified by an institution that management determined meets the requirements of ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C).

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Basis for Opinion on the 2025 Financial Statements

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the 2025 Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of Bernstein Litowitz Berger & Grossmann LLP 401(k) Plan and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit opinion.

Responsibilities of Management for the 2025 Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error. Management's election of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit does not affect management's responsibility for the financial statements.

In preparing the financial statements, management is required to evaluate whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about Bernstein Litowitz Berger & Grossmann LLP 401(k) Plan's ability to continue as a going concern for one year after the date the financial statements are available to be issued.

Management is also responsible for maintaining a current plan instrument, including all plan amendments, administering the plan, and determining that the plan's transactions that are presented and disclosed in the financial statements are in conformity with the plan's provisions, including maintaining sufficient records with respect to each of the participants, to determine the benefits due or which may become due to such participants.

Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the 2025 Financial Statements

Except as described in the Scope and Nature of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) Audit of the 2025 Financial Statements section of our report, our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditors' report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Misstatements are considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, they would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user based on the financial statements.

Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the 2025 Financial Statements (Continued)

In performing an audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of Bernstein Litowitz Berger & Grossmann LLP 401(k) Plan's internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statements.
- Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about Bernstein Litowitz Berger & Grossmann LLP 401(k) Plan's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

Our audit did not extend to the certified investment information, except for obtaining and reading the certification, comparing the certified investment information with the related information presented and disclosed in the 2025 financial statements, and reading the disclosures relating to the certified investment information to assess whether they are in accordance with the presentation and disclosure requirements of accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Accordingly, the objective of an ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit is not to express an opinion about whether the financial statements as a whole are presented fairly, in all material respects, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

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

Other Matters

2025 Supplemental Schedule Required by ERISA

The supplemental Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year) as of December 31, 2025, is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the financial statements but is supplementary information required by the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements. The information included in the supplemental schedule, other than that agreed to or derived from the certified investment information, has been subjected to auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards.

Other Matters (Continued)

2025 Supplemental Schedule Required by ERISA (Continued)

For information included in the supplemental schedule that agreed to or is derived from the certified investment information, we compared such information to the related certified investment information.

In forming our opinion on the supplemental schedule, we evaluated whether the supplemental schedule, other than the information agreed to or derived from the certified investment information, including its form and content, is presented in conformity with the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.

In our opinion

- the form and content of the supplemental schedule, other than the information in the supplemental schedule that agreed to or is derived from the certified investment information, is presented, in all material respects, in conformity with the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.
- the information in the supplemental schedule related to assets held by and certified to by a qualified institution agrees to, or is derived from, in all material respects, the information prepared and certified by an institution that management determined meet the requirements of ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C).

Auditor's Report on the 2024 Financial Statements

The financial statements of Bernstein Litowitz Berger & Grossmann LLP 401(k) Plan as of December 31, 2024, were audited by predecessor auditors. In accordance with ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) pursuant to 29 CFR 2520.103-8 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA, the prior year audit did not extend to any statements or information related to assets held for investment of the plan that were certified by a qualified institution. Their report dated October 6, 2025 indicated that in their opinion (a) the amounts and disclosures in the 2024 financial statements, other than those agreed to or derived from the certified investment information, were presented fairly, in all material respects, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, and (b) the information in the 2024 financial statements related to assets held by and certified to by a qualified institution agrees to, or is derived from, in all material respects, the information prepared and certified by an institution that management determined meets the requirements of ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C). Their report also indicated that the form and content of the 2024 supplemental schedule, other than the information in the 2024 supplemental schedule that agrees to or is derived from the certified investment information, was presented, in all material respects, in conformity with the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA, and the information in the 2024 supplemental schedule related to assets held by and certified to by a qualified institution agrees to, or is derived from, in all material respects, the information prepared and certified by an institution that management determined meets the requirements of ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C).



New York, New York
October 9, 2026

BERNSTEIN LITOWITZ BERGER & GROSSMANN LLP
401(k) PLAN

STATEMENTS OF NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS

	December 31,	
	2025	2024
Assets:		
Investments, at fair value	**$ 40,903,841**	$ 34,189,475
Fully benefit-responsive investment contract, at contract value	**272,204**	456,666
Receivables:		
Notes receivable from participants	**169,522**	136,939
Total Assets	**41,345,567**	34,783,080
Liabilities:		
Other liabilities	**249**	210,336
Total Liabilities	**249**	210,336
Net Assets Available for Benefits	**$ 41,345,318**	$ 34,572,744

See the accompanying Notes to the Financial Statements.

BERNSTEIN LITOWITZ BERGER & GROSSMANN LLP
401(k) PLAN
STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN
NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2025

Additions to Net Assets Attributed to:		
Investment Income:		
Net appreciation in fair value of investments	$ 5,652,782	
Interest income	208,396	
Total Investment Income		**$ 5,861,178**
Interest income on notes receivable from participants		**11,028**
Contributions:		
Participants	2,507,951	
Rollovers	327,356	
Total Contributions		**2,835,307**
Total Additions		**8,707,513**
Deductions from Net Assets Attributed to:		
Benefits paid to participants	1,832,167	
Administrative expenses	102,772	
Total Deductions		**1,934,939**
Net Increase in Net Assets for the Year		**6,772,574**
Net Assets Available for Benefits:		
Beginning of year		**34,572,744**
End of year		**$ 41,345,318**

See the accompanying Notes to the Financial Statements.

NOTE 1 - PLAN DESCRIPTION

The following description of the Bernstein Litowitz Berger & Grossmann LLP 401(k) Plan (the "Plan") provides only general information. Participants should refer to the plan document for a more complete description of the Plan's provisions.

General

The Plan is a defined contribution plan covering all eligible employees of Bernstein Litowitz Berger & Grossmann LLP (the "Firm") who have 6 months of service and are age 21 or older. All employees are eligible to participate in the Plan except for employees covered by a collective bargaining agreement, leased employees, non-resident aliens who receive no earned income, key employees and employees deemed short term hired for specific cases. The Plan is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 ("ERISA"). The Trustees are responsible for oversight of the Plan and determine the appropriateness of the Plan's investment offerings and monitor investment performance.

Contributions

Employees become eligible to participate in the Plan on the first day of each plan quarter coincident with or next following completion of six months of eligibility service and attainment of age 21, if later. Each year, participants may make pre-tax and Roth elective contributions up to 100% of compensation, as defined in the Plan. Participants who have attained age 50 before the end of the plan year are eligible to make catch-up contributions. Participants may also contribute amounts representing distributions from other qualified defined benefit or defined contribution plans (rollover). Participant contributions are subject to certain limitations. Participants direct the investment of contributions credited to their accounts into various investment options offered by the Plan.

Effective January 1, 2025, as required by the Setting Every Community Up for Retirement Enhancement Act of 2022 (SECURE 2.0), long-term, part-time employees who satisfy the applicable service requirements are eligible to make elective deferrals under the Plan. In addition, participants who attain ages 60 through 63 before the end of the taxable year are eligible to make catch-up contributions in excess of otherwise applicable limits. In 2025, the higher catch-up contribution limit is the greater of $10,000 or 150% of the regular catch-up contribution limit.

Effective in 2026, catch-up contributions made by certain higher compensated participants whose prior-year wages exceeded the applicable statutory threshold ($145,000, as indexed for inflation) are required to be made as Roth contributions.

NOTE 1 - PLAN DESCRIPTION (CONTINUED)

Participant Accounts

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

Vesting

Participants are vested immediately in their contributions and qualified non-elective employer contributions plus actual earnings thereon.

Notes Receivable from Participants

Participants may borrow from their accounts a minimum of $1,000 up to a maximum equal to the lesser of $50,000 or 50% of the vested portion of their account balance. Loan terms may not exceed five years unless the loan is for the purpose of acquiring a principal residence in which case the term of the loan may not exceed 20 years. The loans are secured by the vested balance in the participant's account and bear interest at a reasonable rate of interest as determined at the time of the loan application by the Firm. Loans outstanding during the year had interest rates which ranged from 4.75% to 10%. Principal and interest are paid ratably through weekly payroll deductions or directly from the borrower and credited to the borrower's account balance.

Payments of Benefits

Normal retirement age is 62. When a participant terminates employment or ceases to be an employee due to disability, they are entitled to receive his or her distribution under the Plan in a lump sum as soon as administratively feasible. A retired participant can elect to defer receipt of the distribution until April 1 of the calendar year following the participant attaining age 73. Upon death of the participant the distribution will be made in a lump sum no later than December 31 of the calendar year containing the fifth anniversary of the death unless elected differently by the beneficiary. Upon termination, if the participant's vested account is less than $1,000 the distribution shall be made in the form of a lump sum payment and if the vested balance is between $1,000 and $7,000, the distribution shall be made as a rollover to an individual retirement arrangement ("IRA") account. Under certain circumstances (hardship), and with approval of the Firm, a participant can elect at any time to receive a portion of his or her vested account balance subject to the provisions of the Plan. In-service withdrawals are permitted once a participant has attained age 59 ½.

NOTE 1 - PLAN DESCRIPTION (CONTINUED)

Payments of Benefits (Continued)

Effective December 17, 2025, the Plan implemented provisions under SECURE 2.0 permitting penalty-free withdrawals for participants who are victims of domestic abuse. Under these provisions, eligible participants may take a distribution of up to the lesser of $10,000 (as indexed) or 50% of the participant's vested account balance. Such distributions are not subject to the 10% early withdrawal penalty tax. Participants may elect to repay all or a portion of the distribution to the Plan within a three-year period following the date of receipt. Repayments are treated as rollover contributions and are not subject to otherwise applicable contribution limits.

Effective December 17, 2025, the Plan implemented provisions under SECURE 2.0 permitting special distribution and loan relief for participants affected by qualified federally declared disasters. Under these provisions, eligible participants may take disaster-related distributions of up to $22,000 per federally declared disaster, subject to applicable eligibility and timing requirements. Such distributions are exempt from the 10% early withdrawal penalty tax and may be included in taxable income ratably over a three-year period, unless the participant elects otherwise. Participants may repay all or a portion of a qualified disaster distribution to the Plan within a three-year period from the date of distribution. Repayments are treated as rollover contributions and are not subject to otherwise applicable contribution limits. In addition, the Plan may permit increased loan limits and extended repayment terms for participants impacted by qualified disasters, in accordance with applicable Internal Revenue Code ("IRC") and Plan provisions.

Effective for plan years beginning after December 31, 2023, the Plan implemented provisions under Section 325 of the SECURE 2.0 Act of 2022 eliminating required minimum distributions ("RMDs") for designated Roth accounts during the lifetime of the participant. Prior to the implementation of this provision, designated Roth accounts within the Plan were subject to RMD requirements. Under the updated rules, participants are no longer required to take minimum distributions from their Roth accounts while living, aligning the Plan's treatment of Roth accounts with that of Roth individual retirement accounts. This change does not apply to RMD requirements for non-Roth accounts, which remain subject to applicable IRC provisions. Beneficiary distribution requirements for Roth accounts continue to apply after the participant's death in accordance with the Plan and applicable regulations. The implementation of this provision did not have a material impact on the Plan's net assets available for benefits for the year.

NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of Accounting

The accompanying financial statements have been prepared on the accrual basis of accounting.

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and changes therein, and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Investment Valuation and Income Recognition

Investments are reported at fair value (except for the fully benefit-responsive investment contract, which is valued at contract value as described in Note 5). Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. The Plan's Trustees determine the Plan's valuation policies utilizing information provided by the investment advisers, custodians and insurance company. See Note 4 for discussion of fair value measurements.

Purchases and sales of securities are recorded on a trade date basis. Interest income is recorded on an accrual basis. Dividends are recorded on the ex-dividend date. Net appreciation (depreciation) in fair value of investments includes the Plan's gains and losses on investments bought and sold as well as held during the year.

Fully Benefit Responsive Investment Contract

Investment contracts held by a defined contribution plan are required to be reported at fair value. However, contract value is the relevant measurement attribute for that portion of the net assets available for benefits of a defined-contribution plan attributable to fully benefit-responsive investment contracts because contract value is the amount participants would receive if they were to initiate permitted transactions under the terms of the Plan. The statements of net assets available for benefits presents the investment contract at contract value. Contract value, as reported to the Plan by the custodian, represents contributions made under the contract, plus earnings, less participant withdrawals, and administrative expenses. Participants may ordinarily direct the withdrawal or transfer of all or a portion of their investment at contract value. The statement of changes in net assets available for benefits is prepared on a contract value basis.

NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Contributions

Contributions from Plan participants are recorded in the year in which the employee contributions are withheld from compensation.

Notes Receivable from Participants

Notes receivable from participants are measured at their unpaid principal balance plus any accrued but unpaid interest. Interest income is recorded on the accrual basis. Related fees are recorded as administrative expenses and are expensed when they are incurred. Delinquent notes receivable from participants are recorded as distributions based upon the terms of the Plan document.

Excess Contributions Payable

Amounts payable to participants for contributions in excess of amounts allowed by the Internal Revenue Service ("IRS") are recorded as a liability with a corresponding reduction to contributions. The Plan distributed the 2025 excess contributions to the applicable participants prior to March 15, 2026.

Payment of Benefits

Benefits are recorded when paid.

Expenses

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

NOTE 3 - CERTIFIED INVESTMENT INFORMATION

Certain information in the accompanying financial statements and ERISA-required supplemental schedule related to investments and notes receivable from participants held at December 31, 2025 and 2024, and net appreciation in fair value of investments, interest and dividends, and interest income on notes receivable from participants for the year ended December 31, 2025, was obtained by management and agreed to or derived from information certified as complete and accurate by Empower Trust Company, LLC and Empower Life & Annuity Insurance Company of New York ("Empower"), qualified institutions.

NOTE 4 - FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS (UNAUDITED)

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

The Plan also utilizes a practical expedient to estimate the fair value of investments that have calculated net asset value ("NAV") per share. Accordingly, the Plan estimates the fair value of an investment using the NAV of the investment (or its equivalent) without further adjustment unless the Plan determines that the NAV is deemed to be not reflective of fair value.

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

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

Level 2 Inputs to the valuation methodology include:

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

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

NOTE 4 - FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS (UNAUDITED) (CONTINUED)

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

The asset or liability's fair value measurement level within the fair value hierarchy is based on the lowest level of any input that is significant to the fair value measurement. Valuation techniques maximize the use of relevant observable inputs and minimize the use of unobservable inputs. In evaluating the level at which the Plan's investments have been classified, the Plan has assessed factors including, but not limited to price transparency, the ability to redeem at NAV at the year-end and the existence or absence of certain restrictions at year-end.

Following is a description of the valuation methodologies used for assets measured at fair value. There have been no changes in the methodologies used at December 31, 2025 and 2024.

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

Collective trust funds: Valued based on the NAV of the collective trusts. The NAV, as provided by the custodian is used as a practical expedient to estimate fair value. The NAV is based on the fair value of the underlying investments held by the funds less their liabilities. This practical expedient is not used when it is determined to be probable that the funds will sell the investment for an amount different than the reported NAV.

The collective trust funds' investment objectives are to invest in underlying funds to achieve the highest total return over time and diversify its investment asset mix based on the specific year of retirement included in its name. There are no unfunded commitments with respect to the collective trust funds. The funds generally provide for daily redemptions by the Plan at reported NAV per share, without any advance notification. The funds may, in their sole discretion, impose restrictions on issues and redemptions of units.

The preceding methods described may produce a fair value calculation that may not be indicative of net realizable value or reflective of future fair values. Furthermore, although the Plan believes its valuation methods are appropriate and consistent with other market participants, the use of different methodologies or assumptions to determine the fair value of certain financial instruments could result in a different fair value measurement at the reporting date.

NOTE 4 - FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS (UNAUDITED) (CONTINUED)

The following table sets forth by level, within the fair value hierarchy, the Plan's investments at fair value as of December 31, 2025 and 2024, excluding investments in collective trust funds. Classification within the fair value hierarchy table is based on the lowest level of any input that is significant to the fair value measurement.

2025	**Total**	**Level 1**
Mutual funds	**$ 11,804,530**	**$ 11,804,530**
Total investments in the fair value hierarchy	**11,804,530**	**11,804,530**
Investments measured at net asset value (a) - collective trust funds	**29,099,311**	**-**
Total investments at fair value	**$ 40,903,841**	**$ 11,804,530**

2024	Total	Level 1
Mutual funds	$ 8,543,977	$ 8,543,977
Total investments in the fair value hierarchy	8,543,977	8,543,977
Investments measured at net asset value (a) - collective trust funds	25,645,498	-
Total investments at fair value	$ 34,189,475	$ 8,543,977

(a) In accordance with Subtopic 820-10, certain investments that were measured at net asset value per share (or its equivalent) have not been classified in the fair value hierarchy. The fair value amounts presented in this table are intended to permit reconciliation of the fair value hierarchy to the line items presented in the statements of net assets available for benefits.

NOTE 5 - FULLY BENEFIT-RESPONSIVE INVESTMENT CONTRACT

The GIF ("Guaranteed Investment Fund") is a group annuity contract issued by Empower. The Plan holds a traditional investment contract. The GIF is a fully benefit-responsive investment contract. Empower maintains the contributions in a general account. The account is credited with earnings on the underlying investments and charged for participant withdrawals and administrative expenses. The contract issuer is contractually obligated to repay the principal to the Plan unless terminated under certain conditions by the Plan.

Contract value is the relevant measure for fully benefit-responsive investment contracts because this is the amount received by participants if they were to initiate permitted transactions under the terms of the Plan. Contract value represents contributions made under each contract, plus earnings, less participant withdrawals, and administrative expenses.

NOTE 5 - FULLY BENEFIT-RESPONSIVE INVESTMENT CONTRACT (CONTINUED)

Participants may ordinarily direct the withdrawal or transfer of all or a portion of their investment at contract value. The minimum crediting rate under the contract may not be less than zero percent. Such interest rates are reviewed on a quarterly basis for resetting.

As a result of current stable value product construction, no adjustments are required to mediate between the average earnings credit to the Plan and the average earnings credited to the participants. Empower believes there are no events that could limit the ability of the Plan to transact at contract value paid within 75 days or in rare circumstances, contract value paid over time.

There are no events that allow the issuer to terminate the contract, and which require the Plan to settle at an amount different than contract value paid either within 75 days or over-time. There are no reserves against contract value for credit risk of the contract issuer or otherwise.

NOTE 6 - PARTY-IN-INTEREST TRANSACTIONS

Effective January 1, 2025, the Plan Sponsor entered into an agreement with PASI, LLC under which PASI, LLC provides third-party administration services to the Plan. PASI, LLC is a service provider to the Plan, and therefore transactions with PASI, LLC qualify as party-in-interest transactions.

A Guaranteed Investment Fund account held at Empower Life & Annuity Insurance Company of New York includes unallocated accounts including funds earned by the Plan from the recordkeeper based on a percentage of the participant account balances to be utilized against future Plan expenses and are maintained in an account managed by the custodian. Accordingly, these transactions qualify as party-in-interest transactions.

The Plan invests in certain funds managed by AllianceBernstein L.P., which serves as investment manager and investment adviser to those funds. Transactions involving investments in and redemptions from these funds qualify as party-in-interest transactions.

NOTE 7 - PLAN TERMINATION

Although it has not expressed an intent to do so, the Firm has the right under the Plan to terminate the Plan subject to the provisions of ERISA and terms of the Plan. The Firm determines the date and manner in which participants' accounts will be distributed in accordance with ERISA.

NOTE 8 - TAX STATUS

The Firm has adopted a pre-approved plan document that has received an opinion letter from the IRS dated June 30, 2020, stating that the form of the pre-approved plan document was in compliance with the applicable requirements of the IRC. Although the Plan has been amended since adopting the pre-approved plan document, the Plan administrator believes the Plan is designed, and is currently being operated, in compliance with the applicable requirements of the IRC, and, therefore, believes that the Plan is qualified, and the related trust is tax-exempt.

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require plan management to evaluate tax positions taken by the Plan and recognize a tax liability (or asset) if the Plan has taken an uncertain position that more likely than not would not be sustained upon examination by the IRS. The Plan administrator has analyzed the tax positions taken by the Plan, and has concluded that as of December 31, 2025, there are no uncertain positions taken or expected to be taken that would require adjustment to or disclosure in the financial statements. The Plan is subject to routine audits by taxing jurisdictions; however, there are currently no audits for any tax periods in progress.

NOTE 9 - RISKS AND UNCERTAINTIES

The Plan invests in various investment securities. Investment securities are exposed to various risks such as interest rate, market, and credit risks. Due to the level of risk associated with certain investment securities, it is at least reasonably possible that changes in the values of investment securities will occur in the near term and that such changes could materially affect participants' account balances and the amounts reported in the statements of net assets available for benefits.

As of December 31, 2025 and 2024, the Plan had investments of $23,421,732 and $19,244,127, respectively, which were concentrated in one mutual fund and three common collective trust funds.

NOTE 10 - SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

Subsequent events have been evaluated through October 9, 2026 which is the date the financial statements were available to be issued.

BERNSTEIN LITOWITZ BERGER & GROSSMANN LLP
401(k) PLAN
EIN 13-3165559, PLAN NO. 003
FORM 5500
SCHEDULE H, LINE 4(i)
SCHEDULE OF ASSETS (HELD AT END OF YEAR)
DECEMBER 31, 2025

(a)	(b) Identity of Issue, Borrower, Lessor or Similar Party	(c) Description of Investment Including Maturity Date, Rate of Interest, Par or Maturity Value	(d) Cost	(e) Current Value
		Mutual Funds		
	American Funds	American Funds Capital World Bond R6	N/R	$ 72,421
	American Funds	American Funds EuroPacific Gr R6	N/R	46,860
	American Funds	American Funds New World R6	N/R	446,802
	BlackRock	BlackRock High Yield Bond Portfolio K	N/R	77,097
*	Great-West Life & Annuity	Empower International Value Instl	N/R	131,188
	Fidelity	Fidelity 500 Index	N/R	6,180,338
	Fidelity	Fidelity Extended Market Index	N/R	3,042,214
	Fidelity	Fidelity Global ex US Index	N/R	1,169,665
	Fidelity	Fidelity Inflation Protected Bond Index	N/R	250,786
	Fidelity	Fidelity Us Bond Index	N/R	8,897
	iShares	iShares Developed Real Estate Index K	N/R	72,205
	JP Morgan	JPMorgan Equity Income R6	N/R	306,057
		Total Mutual Funds, at Fair Value		11,804,530
		Collective Trust Funds		
*	Alliance Bernstein	Ab Glbl Cor Eq Cit W Series Fee Cl P1	N/R	165,719
*	Alliance Bernstein	Ab Multi-Mgr Ret Trust	N/R	856,228
*	Alliance Bernstein	Ab Multi-Mgr Ret Trust 2020 W-Series T	N/R	629,322
*	Alliance Bernstein	Ab Multi-Mgr Ret Trust 2025 W-Series T	N/R	1,305,937
*	Alliance Bernstein	Ab Multi-Mgr Ret Trust 2030 W-Series T	N/R	2,404,768
*	Alliance Bernstein	Ab Multi-Mgr Ret Trust 2035 W-Series T	N/R	4,571,547
*	Alliance Bernstein	Ab Multi-Mgr Ret Trust 2040 W-Series T	N/R	6,179,771
*	Alliance Bernstein	Ab Multi-Mgr Ret Trust 2045 W-Series T	N/R	6,490,076
*	Alliance Bernstein	Ab Multi-Mgr Ret Trust 2050 W-Series T	N/R	2,136,948
*	Alliance Bernstein	Ab Multi-Mgr Ret Trust 2055 W-Series T	N/R	2,392,087
*	Alliance Bernstein	Ab Multi-Mgr Ret Trust 2060 W-Series T	N/R	928,823
*	Alliance Bernstein	Ab US Large Cap Growth Cit W Series P1	N/R	718,024
*	Alliance Bernstein	Ab US Small & Mid Cap Gr W Series Cl P1	N/R	108,068
*	Alliance Bernstein	Ab US Small & Mid Cap Val W Series Cl P1	N/R	71,557
*	Alliance Bernstein	Pgim Total Return Fund Cit Fee Class R	N/R	140,436
		Total Collective Trust Funds, at Fair Value		29,099,311
		Total Investments, at Fair Value		**$ 40,903,841**
		Fully Benefit-Responsive Investment Contract		
*	Empower Life & Annuity Insurance Company	Guaranteed Interest Fund	N/R	**$ 272,204**
		Notes Receivable from Participants		
*	Notes receivable from participants (at 4.75% - 10% maturing 2026-2041)		-0-	**$ 169,522**

* Indicates Party-In-Interest to the Plan

N/R Historical cost information is not required by ERISA for participant-directed investments

See Independent Auditors' Report.

BERNSTEIN LITOWITZ BERGER & GROSSMANN LLP 401(k) PLAN

Financial Statements

December 31, 2025

BERNSTEIN LITOWITZ BERGER & GROSSMANN LLP
401(k) PLAN

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Trustees of the
Bernstein Litowitz Berger & Grossmann LLP 401(k) Plan:

Scope and Nature of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) Audit of the 2025 Financial Statements

We have performed an audit of the accompanying financial statements of Bernstein Litowitz Berger & Grossmann LLP 401(k) Plan, an employee benefit plan subject to the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), as permitted by ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) (ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit). The financial statements comprise the statement of net assets available for benefits as of December 31, 2025, and the related statement of changes in net assets available for benefits for the year then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

Management, having determined it is permissible in the circumstances, has elected to have the audit of the 2025 Bernstein Litowitz Berger & Grossmann LLP 401(k) Plan's financial statements performed in accordance with ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) pursuant to 29 CFR 2520.103-8 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. As permitted by ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C), our audit need not extend to any statements or information related to assets held for investment of the plan (investment information) by a bank or similar institution or insurance carrier that is regulated, supervised, and subject to periodic examination by a state or federal agency, provided that the statements or information regarding assets so held are prepared and certified to by the bank or similar institution or insurance carrier in accordance with 29 CFR 2520.103-5 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA (qualified institution).

Management has obtained a certification from a qualified institution as of and for the year ended December 31, 2025, stating that the certified investment information, as described in Note 3 to the financial statements, is complete and accurate.

Opinion on the 2025 Financial Statements

In our opinion, based on our audit and on the procedures performed as described in the Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the 2025 Financial Statements section:

- the amounts and disclosures in the 2025 financial statements, other than those agreed to or derived from the certified investment information, are presented fairly, in all material respects, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.
- the information in the accompanying 2025 financial statements related to assets held by and certified to by a qualified institution agrees to, or is derived from, in all material respects, the information prepared and certified by an institution that management determined meets the requirements of ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C).

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Basis for Opinion on the 2025 Financial Statements

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the 2025 Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of Bernstein Litowitz Berger & Grossmann LLP 401(k) Plan and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit opinion.

Responsibilities of Management for the 2025 Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error. Management's election of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit does not affect management's responsibility for the financial statements.

In preparing the financial statements, management is required to evaluate whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about Bernstein Litowitz Berger & Grossmann LLP 401(k) Plan's ability to continue as a going concern for one year after the date the financial statements are available to be issued.

Management is also responsible for maintaining a current plan instrument, including all plan amendments, administering the plan, and determining that the plan's transactions that are presented and disclosed in the financial statements are in conformity with the plan's provisions, including maintaining sufficient records with respect to each of the participants, to determine the benefits due or which may become due to such participants.

Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the 2025 Financial Statements

Except as described in the Scope and Nature of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) Audit of the 2025 Financial Statements section of our report, our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditors' report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Misstatements are considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, they would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user based on the financial statements.

Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the 2025 Financial Statements (Continued)

In performing an audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of Bernstein Litowitz Berger & Grossmann LLP 401(k) Plan's internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statements.
- Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about Bernstein Litowitz Berger & Grossmann LLP 401(k) Plan's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

Our audit did not extend to the certified investment information, except for obtaining and reading the certification, comparing the certified investment information with the related information presented and disclosed in the 2025 financial statements, and reading the disclosures relating to the certified investment information to assess whether they are in accordance with the presentation and disclosure requirements of accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Accordingly, the objective of an ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit is not to express an opinion about whether the financial statements as a whole are presented fairly, in all material respects, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

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

Other Matters

2025 Supplemental Schedule Required by ERISA

The supplemental Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year) as of December 31, 2025, is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the financial statements but is supplementary information required by the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements. The information included in the supplemental schedule, other than that agreed to or derived from the certified investment information, has been subjected to auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards.

Other Matters (Continued)

2025 Supplemental Schedule Required by ERISA (Continued)

For information included in the supplemental schedule that agreed to or is derived from the certified investment information, we compared such information to the related certified investment information.

In forming our opinion on the supplemental schedule, we evaluated whether the supplemental schedule, other than the information agreed to or derived from the certified investment information, including its form and content, is presented in conformity with the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.

In our opinion

- the form and content of the supplemental schedule, other than the information in the supplemental schedule that agreed to or is derived from the certified investment information, is presented, in all material respects, in conformity with the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.
- the information in the supplemental schedule related to assets held by and certified to by a qualified institution agrees to, or is derived from, in all material respects, the information prepared and certified by an institution that management determined meet the requirements of ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C).

Auditor's Report on the 2024 Financial Statements

The financial statements of Bernstein Litowitz Berger & Grossmann LLP 401(k) Plan as of December 31, 2024, were audited by predecessor auditors. In accordance with ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) pursuant to 29 CFR 2520.103-8 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA, the prior year audit did not extend to any statements or information related to assets held for investment of the plan that were certified by a qualified institution. Their report dated October 6, 2025 indicated that in their opinion (a) the amounts and disclosures in the 2024 financial statements, other than those agreed to or derived from the certified investment information, were presented fairly, in all material respects, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, and (b) the information in the 2024 financial statements related to assets held by and certified to by a qualified institution agrees to, or is derived from, in all material respects, the information prepared and certified by an institution that management determined meets the requirements of ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C). Their report also indicated that the form and content of the 2024 supplemental schedule, other than the information in the 2024 supplemental schedule that agrees to or is derived from the certified investment information, was presented, in all material respects, in conformity with the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA, and the information in the 2024 supplemental schedule related to assets held by and certified to by a qualified institution agrees to, or is derived from, in all material respects, the information prepared and certified by an institution that management determined meets the requirements of ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C).



New York, New York
October 9, 2026

BERNSTEIN LITOWITZ BERGER & GROSSMANN LLP
401(k) PLAN

STATEMENTS OF NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS

	December 31,	
	2025	2024
Assets:		
Investments, at fair value	**$ 40,903,841**	$ 34,189,475
Fully benefit-responsive investment contract, at contract value	**272,204**	456,666
Receivables:		
Notes receivable from participants	**169,522**	136,939
Total Assets	**41,345,567**	34,783,080
Liabilities:		
Other liabilities	**249**	210,336
Total Liabilities	**249**	210,336
Net Assets Available for Benefits	**$ 41,345,318**	$ 34,572,744

See the accompanying Notes to the Financial Statements.

BERNSTEIN LITOWITZ BERGER & GROSSMANN LLP
401(k) PLAN
STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN
NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS
YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2025

Additions to Net Assets Attributed to:		
Investment Income:		
Net appreciation in fair value of investments	$ 5,652,782	
Interest income	208,396	
Total Investment Income		**$ 5,861,178**
Interest income on notes receivable from participants		**11,028**
Contributions:		
Participants	2,507,951	
Rollovers	327,356	
Total Contributions		**2,835,307**
Total Additions		**8,707,513**
Deductions from Net Assets Attributed to:		
Benefits paid to participants	1,832,167	
Administrative expenses	102,772	
Total Deductions		**1,934,939**
Net Increase in Net Assets for the Year		**6,772,574**
Net Assets Available for Benefits:		
Beginning of year		**34,572,744**
End of year		**$ 41,345,318**

See the accompanying Notes to the Financial Statements.

NOTE 1 - PLAN DESCRIPTION

The following description of the Bernstein Litowitz Berger & Grossmann LLP 401(k) Plan (the "Plan") provides only general information. Participants should refer to the plan document for a more complete description of the Plan's provisions.

General

The Plan is a defined contribution plan covering all eligible employees of Bernstein Litowitz Berger & Grossmann LLP (the "Firm") who have 6 months of service and are age 21 or older. All employees are eligible to participate in the Plan except for employees covered by a collective bargaining agreement, leased employees, non-resident aliens who receive no earned income, key employees and employees deemed short term hired for specific cases. The Plan is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 ("ERISA"). The Trustees are responsible for oversight of the Plan and determine the appropriateness of the Plan's investment offerings and monitor investment performance.

Contributions

Employees become eligible to participate in the Plan on the first day of each plan quarter coincident with or next following completion of six months of eligibility service and attainment of age 21, if later. Each year, participants may make pre-tax and Roth elective contributions up to 100% of compensation, as defined in the Plan. Participants who have attained age 50 before the end of the plan year are eligible to make catch-up contributions. Participants may also contribute amounts representing distributions from other qualified defined benefit or defined contribution plans (rollover). Participant contributions are subject to certain limitations. Participants direct the investment of contributions credited to their accounts into various investment options offered by the Plan.

Effective January 1, 2025, as required by the Setting Every Community Up for Retirement Enhancement Act of 2022 (SECURE 2.0), long-term, part-time employees who satisfy the applicable service requirements are eligible to make elective deferrals under the Plan. In addition, participants who attain ages 60 through 63 before the end of the taxable year are eligible to make catch-up contributions in excess of otherwise applicable limits. In 2025, the higher catch-up contribution limit is the greater of $10,000 or 150% of the regular catch-up contribution limit.

Effective in 2026, catch-up contributions made by certain higher compensated participants whose prior-year wages exceeded the applicable statutory threshold ($145,000, as indexed for inflation) are required to be made as Roth contributions.

NOTE 1 - PLAN DESCRIPTION (CONTINUED)

Participant Accounts

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

Vesting

Participants are vested immediately in their contributions and qualified non-elective employer contributions plus actual earnings thereon.

Notes Receivable from Participants

Participants may borrow from their accounts a minimum of $1,000 up to a maximum equal to the lesser of $50,000 or 50% of the vested portion of their account balance. Loan terms may not exceed five years unless the loan is for the purpose of acquiring a principal residence in which case the term of the loan may not exceed 20 years. The loans are secured by the vested balance in the participant's account and bear interest at a reasonable rate of interest as determined at the time of the loan application by the Firm. Loans outstanding during the year had interest rates which ranged from 4.75% to 10%. Principal and interest are paid ratably through weekly payroll deductions or directly from the borrower and credited to the borrower's account balance.

Payments of Benefits

Normal retirement age is 62. When a participant terminates employment or ceases to be an employee due to disability, they are entitled to receive his or her distribution under the Plan in a lump sum as soon as administratively feasible. A retired participant can elect to defer receipt of the distribution until April 1 of the calendar year following the participant attaining age 73. Upon death of the participant the distribution will be made in a lump sum no later than December 31 of the calendar year containing the fifth anniversary of the death unless elected differently by the beneficiary. Upon termination, if the participant's vested account is less than $1,000 the distribution shall be made in the form of a lump sum payment and if the vested balance is between $1,000 and $7,000, the distribution shall be made as a rollover to an individual retirement arrangement ("IRA") account. Under certain circumstances (hardship), and with approval of the Firm, a participant can elect at any time to receive a portion of his or her vested account balance subject to the provisions of the Plan. In-service withdrawals are permitted once a participant has attained age 59 ½.

NOTE 1 - PLAN DESCRIPTION (CONTINUED)

Payments of Benefits (Continued)

Effective December 17, 2025, the Plan implemented provisions under SECURE 2.0 permitting penalty-free withdrawals for participants who are victims of domestic abuse. Under these provisions, eligible participants may take a distribution of up to the lesser of $10,000 (as indexed) or 50% of the participant's vested account balance. Such distributions are not subject to the 10% early withdrawal penalty tax. Participants may elect to repay all or a portion of the distribution to the Plan within a three-year period following the date of receipt. Repayments are treated as rollover contributions and are not subject to otherwise applicable contribution limits.

Effective December 17, 2025, the Plan implemented provisions under SECURE 2.0 permitting special distribution and loan relief for participants affected by qualified federally declared disasters. Under these provisions, eligible participants may take disaster-related distributions of up to $22,000 per federally declared disaster, subject to applicable eligibility and timing requirements. Such distributions are exempt from the 10% early withdrawal penalty tax and may be included in taxable income ratably over a three-year period, unless the participant elects otherwise. Participants may repay all or a portion of a qualified disaster distribution to the Plan within a three-year period from the date of distribution. Repayments are treated as rollover contributions and are not subject to otherwise applicable contribution limits. In addition, the Plan may permit increased loan limits and extended repayment terms for participants impacted by qualified disasters, in accordance with applicable Internal Revenue Code ("IRC") and Plan provisions.

Effective for plan years beginning after December 31, 2023, the Plan implemented provisions under Section 325 of the SECURE 2.0 Act of 2022 eliminating required minimum distributions ("RMDs") for designated Roth accounts during the lifetime of the participant. Prior to the implementation of this provision, designated Roth accounts within the Plan were subject to RMD requirements. Under the updated rules, participants are no longer required to take minimum distributions from their Roth accounts while living, aligning the Plan's treatment of Roth accounts with that of Roth individual retirement accounts. This change does not apply to RMD requirements for non-Roth accounts, which remain subject to applicable IRC provisions. Beneficiary distribution requirements for Roth accounts continue to apply after the participant's death in accordance with the Plan and applicable regulations. The implementation of this provision did not have a material impact on the Plan's net assets available for benefits for the year.

NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of Accounting

The accompanying financial statements have been prepared on the accrual basis of accounting.

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and changes therein, and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Investment Valuation and Income Recognition

Investments are reported at fair value (except for the fully benefit-responsive investment contract, which is valued at contract value as described in Note 5). Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. The Plan's Trustees determine the Plan's valuation policies utilizing information provided by the investment advisers, custodians and insurance company. See Note 4 for discussion of fair value measurements.

Purchases and sales of securities are recorded on a trade date basis. Interest income is recorded on an accrual basis. Dividends are recorded on the ex-dividend date. Net appreciation (depreciation) in fair value of investments includes the Plan's gains and losses on investments bought and sold as well as held during the year.

Fully Benefit Responsive Investment Contract

Investment contracts held by a defined contribution plan are required to be reported at fair value. However, contract value is the relevant measurement attribute for that portion of the net assets available for benefits of a defined-contribution plan attributable to fully benefit-responsive investment contracts because contract value is the amount participants would receive if they were to initiate permitted transactions under the terms of the Plan. The statements of net assets available for benefits presents the investment contract at contract value. Contract value, as reported to the Plan by the custodian, represents contributions made under the contract, plus earnings, less participant withdrawals, and administrative expenses. Participants may ordinarily direct the withdrawal or transfer of all or a portion of their investment at contract value. The statement of changes in net assets available for benefits is prepared on a contract value basis.

NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Contributions

Contributions from Plan participants are recorded in the year in which the employee contributions are withheld from compensation.

Notes Receivable from Participants

Notes receivable from participants are measured at their unpaid principal balance plus any accrued but unpaid interest. Interest income is recorded on the accrual basis. Related fees are recorded as administrative expenses and are expensed when they are incurred. Delinquent notes receivable from participants are recorded as distributions based upon the terms of the Plan document.

Excess Contributions Payable

Amounts payable to participants for contributions in excess of amounts allowed by the Internal Revenue Service ("IRS") are recorded as a liability with a corresponding reduction to contributions. The Plan distributed the 2025 excess contributions to the applicable participants prior to March 15, 2026.

Payment of Benefits

Benefits are recorded when paid.

Expenses

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

NOTE 3 - CERTIFIED INVESTMENT INFORMATION

Certain information in the accompanying financial statements and ERISA-required supplemental schedule related to investments and notes receivable from participants held at December 31, 2025 and 2024, and net appreciation in fair value of investments, interest and dividends, and interest income on notes receivable from participants for the year ended December 31, 2025, was obtained by management and agreed to or derived from information certified as complete and accurate by Empower Trust Company, LLC and Empower Life & Annuity Insurance Company of New York ("Empower"), qualified institutions.

NOTE 4 - FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS (UNAUDITED)

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

The Plan also utilizes a practical expedient to estimate the fair value of investments that have calculated net asset value ("NAV") per share. Accordingly, the Plan estimates the fair value of an investment using the NAV of the investment (or its equivalent) without further adjustment unless the Plan determines that the NAV is deemed to be not reflective of fair value.

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

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

Level 2 Inputs to the valuation methodology include:

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

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

NOTE 4 - FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS (UNAUDITED) (CONTINUED)

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

The asset or liability's fair value measurement level within the fair value hierarchy is based on the lowest level of any input that is significant to the fair value measurement. Valuation techniques maximize the use of relevant observable inputs and minimize the use of unobservable inputs. In evaluating the level at which the Plan's investments have been classified, the Plan has assessed factors including, but not limited to price transparency, the ability to redeem at NAV at the year-end and the existence or absence of certain restrictions at year-end.

Following is a description of the valuation methodologies used for assets measured at fair value. There have been no changes in the methodologies used at December 31, 2025 and 2024.

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

Collective trust funds: Valued based on the NAV of the collective trusts. The NAV, as provided by the custodian is used as a practical expedient to estimate fair value. The NAV is based on the fair value of the underlying investments held by the funds less their liabilities. This practical expedient is not used when it is determined to be probable that the funds will sell the investment for an amount different than the reported NAV.

The collective trust funds' investment objectives are to invest in underlying funds to achieve the highest total return over time and diversify its investment asset mix based on the specific year of retirement included in its name. There are no unfunded commitments with respect to the collective trust funds. The funds generally provide for daily redemptions by the Plan at reported NAV per share, without any advance notification. The funds may, in their sole discretion, impose restrictions on issues and redemptions of units.

The preceding methods described may produce a fair value calculation that may not be indicative of net realizable value or reflective of future fair values. Furthermore, although the Plan believes its valuation methods are appropriate and consistent with other market participants, the use of different methodologies or assumptions to determine the fair value of certain financial instruments could result in a different fair value measurement at the reporting date.

NOTE 4 - FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS (UNAUDITED) (CONTINUED)

The following table sets forth by level, within the fair value hierarchy, the Plan's investments at fair value as of December 31, 2025 and 2024, excluding investments in collective trust funds. Classification within the fair value hierarchy table is based on the lowest level of any input that is significant to the fair value measurement.

2025	**Total**	**Level 1**
Mutual funds	**$ 11,804,530**	**$ 11,804,530**
Total investments in the fair value hierarchy	**11,804,530**	**11,804,530**
Investments measured at net asset value (a) - collective trust funds	**29,099,311**	**-**
Total investments at fair value	**$ 40,903,841**	**$ 11,804,530**

2024	Total	Level 1
Mutual funds	$ 8,543,977	$ 8,543,977
Total investments in the fair value hierarchy	8,543,977	8,543,977
Investments measured at net asset value (a) - collective trust funds	25,645,498	-
Total investments at fair value	$ 34,189,475	$ 8,543,977

(a) In accordance with Subtopic 820-10, certain investments that were measured at net asset value per share (or its equivalent) have not been classified in the fair value hierarchy. The fair value amounts presented in this table are intended to permit reconciliation of the fair value hierarchy to the line items presented in the statements of net assets available for benefits.

NOTE 5 - FULLY BENEFIT-RESPONSIVE INVESTMENT CONTRACT

The GIF ("Guaranteed Investment Fund") is a group annuity contract issued by Empower. The Plan holds a traditional investment contract. The GIF is a fully benefit-responsive investment contract. Empower maintains the contributions in a general account. The account is credited with earnings on the underlying investments and charged for participant withdrawals and administrative expenses. The contract issuer is contractually obligated to repay the principal to the Plan unless terminated under certain conditions by the Plan.

Contract value is the relevant measure for fully benefit-responsive investment contracts because this is the amount received by participants if they were to initiate permitted transactions under the terms of the Plan. Contract value represents contributions made under each contract, plus earnings, less participant withdrawals, and administrative expenses.

NOTE 5 - FULLY BENEFIT-RESPONSIVE INVESTMENT CONTRACT (CONTINUED)

Participants may ordinarily direct the withdrawal or transfer of all or a portion of their investment at contract value. The minimum crediting rate under the contract may not be less than zero percent. Such interest rates are reviewed on a quarterly basis for resetting.

As a result of current stable value product construction, no adjustments are required to mediate between the average earnings credit to the Plan and the average earnings credited to the participants. Empower believes there are no events that could limit the ability of the Plan to transact at contract value paid within 75 days or in rare circumstances, contract value paid over time.

There are no events that allow the issuer to terminate the contract, and which require the Plan to settle at an amount different than contract value paid either within 75 days or over-time. There are no reserves against contract value for credit risk of the contract issuer or otherwise.

NOTE 6 - PARTY-IN-INTEREST TRANSACTIONS

Effective January 1, 2025, the Plan Sponsor entered into an agreement with PASI, LLC under which PASI, LLC provides third-party administration services to the Plan. PASI, LLC is a service provider to the Plan, and therefore transactions with PASI, LLC qualify as party-in-interest transactions.

A Guaranteed Investment Fund account held at Empower Life & Annuity Insurance Company of New York includes unallocated accounts including funds earned by the Plan from the recordkeeper based on a percentage of the participant account balances to be utilized against future Plan expenses and are maintained in an account managed by the custodian. Accordingly, these transactions qualify as party-in-interest transactions.

The Plan invests in certain funds managed by AllianceBernstein L.P., which serves as investment manager and investment adviser to those funds. Transactions involving investments in and redemptions from these funds qualify as party-in-interest transactions.

NOTE 7 - PLAN TERMINATION

Although it has not expressed an intent to do so, the Firm has the right under the Plan to terminate the Plan subject to the provisions of ERISA and terms of the Plan. The Firm determines the date and manner in which participants' accounts will be distributed in accordance with ERISA.

NOTE 8 - TAX STATUS

The Firm has adopted a pre-approved plan document that has received an opinion letter from the IRS dated June 30, 2020, stating that the form of the pre-approved plan document was in compliance with the applicable requirements of the IRC. Although the Plan has been amended since adopting the pre-approved plan document, the Plan administrator believes the Plan is designed, and is currently being operated, in compliance with the applicable requirements of the IRC, and, therefore, believes that the Plan is qualified, and the related trust is tax-exempt.

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require plan management to evaluate tax positions taken by the Plan and recognize a tax liability (or asset) if the Plan has taken an uncertain position that more likely than not would not be sustained upon examination by the IRS. The Plan administrator has analyzed the tax positions taken by the Plan, and has concluded that as of December 31, 2025, there are no uncertain positions taken or expected to be taken that would require adjustment to or disclosure in the financial statements. The Plan is subject to routine audits by taxing jurisdictions; however, there are currently no audits for any tax periods in progress.

NOTE 9 - RISKS AND UNCERTAINTIES

The Plan invests in various investment securities. Investment securities are exposed to various risks such as interest rate, market, and credit risks. Due to the level of risk associated with certain investment securities, it is at least reasonably possible that changes in the values of investment securities will occur in the near term and that such changes could materially affect participants' account balances and the amounts reported in the statements of net assets available for benefits.

As of December 31, 2025 and 2024, the Plan had investments of $23,421,732 and $19,244,127, respectively, which were concentrated in one mutual fund and three common collective trust funds.

NOTE 10 - SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

Subsequent events have been evaluated through October 9, 2026 which is the date the financial statements were available to be issued.

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401(k) PLAN
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FORM 5500
SCHEDULE H, LINE 4(i)
SCHEDULE OF ASSETS (HELD AT END OF YEAR)
DECEMBER 31, 2025

(a)	(b) Identity of Issue, Borrower, Lessor or Similar Party	(c) Description of Investment Including Maturity Date, Rate of Interest, Par or Maturity Value	(d) Cost	(e) Current Value
		Mutual Funds		
	American Funds	American Funds Capital World Bond R6	N/R	$ 72,421
	American Funds	American Funds EuroPacific Gr R6	N/R	46,860
	American Funds	American Funds New World R6	N/R	446,802
	BlackRock	BlackRock High Yield Bond Portfolio K	N/R	77,097
*	Great-West Life & Annuity	Empower International Value Instl	N/R	131,188
	Fidelity	Fidelity 500 Index	N/R	6,180,338
	Fidelity	Fidelity Extended Market Index	N/R	3,042,214
	Fidelity	Fidelity Global ex US Index	N/R	1,169,665
	Fidelity	Fidelity Inflation Protected Bond Index	N/R	250,786
	Fidelity	Fidelity Us Bond Index	N/R	8,897
	iShares	iShares Developed Real Estate Index K	N/R	72,205
	JP Morgan	JPMorgan Equity Income R6	N/R	306,057
		Total Mutual Funds, at Fair Value		11,804,530
		Collective Trust Funds		
*	Alliance Bernstein	Ab Glbl Cor Eq Cit W Series Fee Cl P1	N/R	165,719
*	Alliance Bernstein	Ab Multi-Mgr Ret Trust	N/R	856,228
*	Alliance Bernstein	Ab Multi-Mgr Ret Trust 2020 W-Series T	N/R	629,322
*	Alliance Bernstein	Ab Multi-Mgr Ret Trust 2025 W-Series T	N/R	1,305,937
*	Alliance Bernstein	Ab Multi-Mgr Ret Trust 2030 W-Series T	N/R	2,404,768
*	Alliance Bernstein	Ab Multi-Mgr Ret Trust 2035 W-Series T	N/R	4,571,547
*	Alliance Bernstein	Ab Multi-Mgr Ret Trust 2040 W-Series T	N/R	6,179,771
*	Alliance Bernstein	Ab Multi-Mgr Ret Trust 2045 W-Series T	N/R	6,490,076
*	Alliance Bernstein	Ab Multi-Mgr Ret Trust 2050 W-Series T	N/R	2,136,948
*	Alliance Bernstein	Ab Multi-Mgr Ret Trust 2055 W-Series T	N/R	2,392,087
*	Alliance Bernstein	Ab Multi-Mgr Ret Trust 2060 W-Series T	N/R	928,823
*	Alliance Bernstein	Ab US Large Cap Growth Cit W Series P1	N/R	718,024
*	Alliance Bernstein	Ab US Small & Mid Cap Gr W Series Cl P1	N/R	108,068
*	Alliance Bernstein	Ab US Small & Mid Cap Val W Series Cl P1	N/R	71,557
*	Alliance Bernstein	Pgim Total Return Fund Cit Fee Class R	N/R	140,436
		Total Collective Trust Funds, at Fair Value		29,099,311
		Total Investments, at Fair Value		**$ 40,903,841**
		Fully Benefit-Responsive Investment Contract		
*	Empower Life & Annuity Insurance Company	Guaranteed Interest Fund	N/R	**$ 272,204**
		Notes Receivable from Participants		
*	Notes receivable from participants (at 4.75% - 10% maturing 2026-2041)		-0-	**$ 169,522**

* Indicates Party-In-Interest to the Plan

N/R Historical cost information is not required by ERISA for participant-directed investments

See Independent Auditors' Report.