

## **SUMMARY ANNUAL REPORT**

### **For Dechert-Hampe & Company Employees Savings and Profit Sharing Plan**

This is a summary of the annual report for Dechert-Hampe & Company Employees Savings and Profit Sharing Plan, EIN 36-2550118, Plan No. 003, for period January 1, 2023 through December 31, 2023. The annual report has been filed with the Employee Benefits Security Administration, as required under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).

#### **Basic Financial Statement**

Plan expenses were \$146,970. These expenses included \$27,689 in administrative expenses, and \$119,281 in benefits paid to participants and beneficiaries. A total of 27 persons were participants in or beneficiaries of the plan at the end of the plan year, although not all of these persons had yet earned the right to receive benefits.

The value of plan assets, after subtracting liabilities of the plan, was \$10,462,284 as of December 31, 2023, compared to \$8,726,762 as of January 1, 2023. During the plan year the plan experienced an increase in its net assets of \$1,735,522. This increase includes unrealized appreciation and depreciation in the value of plan assets; that is, the difference between the value of the plan's assets at the end of the year and the value of the assets at the beginning of the year or the cost of assets acquired during the year. The plan had total income of \$1,882,492, including employer contributions of \$81,924, employee contributions of \$258,873, and earnings from investments of \$1,541,695.

#### **Your Rights To Additional Information**

You have the right to receive a copy of the full annual report, or any part thereof, on request. To obtain a copy of the full annual report, or any part thereof, write or call the office of Dechert-Hampe & Company in care of Benjamin F Ball Jr. who is a Trustee at 27261 Las Ramblas, Mission Viejo, CA 92691, or by telephone at (949) 429-1999. There is no charge to cover copying costs.

You also have the legally protected right to examine the annual report at the main office of the plan (Dechert-Hampe & Company, 27261 Las Ramblas, Mission Viejo, CA 92691) and at the U.S. Department of Labor in Washington, D.C., or to obtain a copy from the U.S. Department of Labor upon payment of copying costs. Requests to the Department should be addressed to: Public Disclosure Room, Room N-1513, Employee Benefits Security Administration, U.S. Department of Labor, 200 Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20210.

#### **Small Plan Audit Waiver**

The plan has met the requirements to waive the annual examination and report of an independent qualified public accountant. As of the end of the plan year, the following regulated financial institution(s) held or issued plan assets that qualified under the waiver:

Matrix Trust Company	\$8,943,609
Charles Schwab & Company	\$1,431,251

You have the right, upon request of the Plan Administrator and without charge, to examine or receive copies of statements from the regulated financial institutions describing the qualifying plan assets. If you are unable to examine or obtain these documents, contact an Employee Benefits Security Administration (EBSA) Regional Office for assistance. Information about contacting EBSA regional offices can be found on the Internet at <http://www.dol.gov/ebsa>.