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REGISTRATION STATEMENT
UNDER
THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933

ALEANNA, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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(State or other Jurisdiction of Incorporation Or Organization)	(Primary Standard Industrial Classification Code Number)	(I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

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Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, a smaller reporting company or an emerging growth company. See the definitions of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer," "smaller reporting company" and "emerging growth company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act.

Large accelerated filer <input type="checkbox"/>	Accelerated filer <input type="checkbox"/>
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If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 7(a)(2)(B) of the Securities Act.

The Registrant hereby amends this Registration Statement on such date or dates as may be necessary to delay its effective date until the registrant shall file a further amendment which specifically states that this Registration Statement shall thereafter become effective in accordance with Section 8(a) of the Securities Act of 1933 or until the registration statement shall become effective on such date as the Securities and Exchange Commission, acting pursuant to said Section 8(a), may determine.

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The information in this preliminary prospectus is not complete and may be changed. These securities may not be sold until the registration statement filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission is effective. This preliminary prospectus is not an offer to sell nor does it seek an offer to buy these securities in any jurisdiction where the offer or sale is not permitted.

SUBJECT TO COMPLETION, DATED JANUARY 13, 2025

PRELIMINARY PROSPECTUS



11,250,000 Shares of Class A Common Stock Issuable Upon Exercise of Warrants

This prospectus relates to the issuance by us of up to 11,250,000 shares of Class A common stock, par value \$0.0001 per share, of AleAnna, Inc. (the "Class A Common Stock") issuable upon exercise of an aggregate of 11,250,000 warrants (the "Public Warrants"), each of which is exercisable at a price per share of \$11.50 per share, issued as part of units in the initial public offering of Swiftmerge Acquisition Corp.

To the extent the Public Warrants are exercised for cash, we will receive cash proceeds from the exercise of the Public Warrants. See “*Description of Securities*.” We believe the likelihood that the holders of the Public Warrants will exercise their Public Warrants, and therefore the amount of cash proceeds that we would receive, is dependent upon the trading price of our Class A Common Stock. If the trading price for our Class A Common Stock is less than \$11.50 per share, we believe holders of our Public Warrants are unlikely to exercise their Public Warrants. Conversely, these holders are more likely to exercise their Public Warrants the higher the price of our Class A Common Stock is above \$11.50 per share. The closing price of our Class A Common Stock on The Nasdaq Capital Market (“Nasdaq”), on January 10, 2025 was below the Public Warrant exercise price of \$11.50 per share.

You should carefully read this prospectus and any applicable prospectus supplement before you invest in our securities. The sale or the possibility of sale of the Class A Common Stock being offered pursuant to this prospectus may negatively impact the market price of the Class A Common Stock and Public Warrants.

The Class A Common Stock being offered for sale in this prospectus represents approximately 14.5% of our total outstanding Class A Common Stock on a fully diluted basis (assuming the issuance of all shares of Class A Common Stock issuable upon exercise of the Public Warrants and upon exchange of all outstanding Class C HoldCo Units and Class C Common Stock (each as defined herein)), as of the date of this prospectus. The sale of all the securities being offered in this prospectus could result in a significant decline in the public trading price of our Class A Common Stock. See “*Risk Factors — Future resales of our Class A Common Stock may cause the market price of our Class A Common Stock to drop significantly, even if the Company’s business is doing well.*”

Our Class A Common Stock and the Public Warrants are listed on Nasdaq under the symbols "ANNA" and "ANNAW", respectively. On January 10, 2025, the last reported sales price of the Class A Common Stock was \$8.78 per share, and the last reported sales price of our Public Warrants was \$0.18 per Public Warrant. We are an "emerging growth company" and a "smaller reporting company" as defined under the U.S. federal securities laws and, as such, may elect to comply with certain reduced public company reporting requirements for this and future filings.

See "Risk Factors" beginning on page 7 to read about factors you should consider before investing in shares of our Class A Common Stock.

Neither the Securities and Exchange Commission nor any state securities commission has approved or disapproved of these securities or passed upon the accuracy or adequacy of this prospectus. Any representation to the contrary is a criminal offense.

The date of this prospectus is , 2025

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ABOUT THIS PROSPECTUS

This prospectus is part of a registration statement on Form S -1 that we filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC"). This prospectus relates to the issuance by us of shares of Class A Common Stock issuable upon the exercise of the Public Warrants.

We have not authorized anyone to provide you with any information or to make any representations other than those contained in this prospectus or any applicable prospectus supplement or any free writing prospectuses prepared by or on behalf of us or to which we have referred you. We do not take any responsibility for, or provide any assurance as to the reliability of, any other information that others may give you. We are not making an offer to sell these securities in any jurisdiction where the offer or sale is not permitted.

We may also provide a prospectus supplement or post -effective amendment to the registration statement to add information to, or update or change information contained in, this prospectus. You should read both this prospectus and any applicable prospectus supplement or post-effective amendment to the registration statement together with the additional information to which we refer you in the section of this prospectus titled "*Where You Can Find Additional Information*."

THE BUSINESS COMBINATION

On December 13, 2024 (the "Closing Date"), AleAnna, Inc. (f/k/a Swiftmerge Acquisition Corp.) ("AleAnna", the "Company" and, prior to the Closing Date, "Swiftmerge" or "SPAC") consummated the previously announced business combination pursuant to that certain Agreement and Plan of Merger (as amended by that certain First Amendment to the Merger Agreement, dated as of October 8, 2024, the "Merger Agreement"), dated June 4, 2024, by and among Swiftmerge Acquisition Corp., a Cayman Islands exempted company ("Swiftmerge"), Swiftmerge HoldCo LLC, a Delaware limited liability company and wholly-owned subsidiary of Swiftmerge ("HoldCo"), Swiftmerge Merger Sub LLC, a Delaware limited liability company and wholly-owned subsidiary of HoldCo ("Merger Sub") and AleAnna Energy, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("AleAnna Energy", and such merger, the "Merger"). The transactions contemplated by the Merger Agreement are collectively referred to herein as the "Business Combination."

Pursuant to the terms of the Merger Agreement, on December 13, 2024, the Company migrated to and domesticated as a Delaware corporation in accordance with Section 388 of the Delaware General Corporation Law, as amended, and the Companies Act (As Revised) of the Cayman Islands (the "Domestication") and changed its name to AleAnna, Inc.

References to "Swiftmerge," "SPAC," "we," "us," or "our," prior to the effective time of the Domestication refer to the Company when it was a Cayman Islands exempted company, and such references following the effective time of the Domestication and Merger refer to the Company in its current corporate form as a Delaware corporation called "AleAnna, Inc." or "AleAnna."

MARKET AND INDUSTRY DATA

This prospectus contains estimates, projections and other information concerning AleAnna's industry, including market size and growth of the markets in which it participates, that are based on industry publications and reports and forecasts prepared by its management. In some cases, AleAnna does not expressly refer to the sources from which these estimates and information are derived. While we are not aware of any misstatements regarding the market, industry or other data presented herein, such projections, assumptions and estimates of the future performance of the industry in which AleAnna operates and AleAnna's future performance are necessarily subject to a high degree of uncertainty and risk due to a variety of factors, including those described in the section titled "*Risk Factors*." These and other factors could cause results to differ materially from those expressed in these publications and reports.

Certain estimates of market opportunity, including internal estimates of the addressable market for AleAnna and forecasts of market growth, included in this prospectus may prove inaccurate. Market opportunity estimates and growth forecasts, whether obtained from third-party sources or developed internally, are subject to significant uncertainty and are based on assumptions and estimates that may prove to be inaccurate. The estimates and forecasts in this prospectus relating to the size of AleAnna's target market, market demand and adoption, capacity to address this demand, and pricing may prove to be inaccurate. The addressable market AleAnna estimates may not materialize for many years, if ever, and even if the markets in which it competes meet the size estimates in this prospectus, AleAnna's business could fail to successfully address or compete in such markets, if at all.

Certain monetary amounts, percentages and other figures included in this prospectus have been subject to rounding adjustments. Certain other amounts that appear in this prospectus may not sum due to rounding.

TRADEMARKS, SERVICE MARKS AND TRADE NAMES

This document contains references to trademarks and service marks belonging to other entities. Solely for convenience, trademarks and trade names referred to in this Registration Statement may appear without the ® or ™ symbols, but such references are not intended to indicate, in any way, that the applicable licensor will not assert, to the fullest extent under applicable law, its rights to these trademarks and trade names. We do not intend our use or display of other companies' trade names, trademarks or service marks to imply a relationship with, or endorsement or sponsorship of us by, any other companies.

CAUTIONARY NOTE REGARDING FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS

This prospectus contains forward-looking statements that involve substantial risks and uncertainties within the meaning of Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended. All statements other than statements of historical facts contained in this prospectus, including statements regarding the Company's future financial position, business strategy and plans and objectives of management for future operations, are forward-looking statements. In some cases, you can identify forward-looking statements by terminology such as "may," "will," "should," "expects," "plans," "anticipates," "could," "intends," "targets," "projects," "contemplates," "believes," "estimates," "predicts," "potential" or "continue" or the negative of these terms or other similar expressions. Forward-looking statements include, without limitation, the Company's expectations concerning the outlook for its business, market size, exploration and development plans, regulatory matters, competition and competitive position, operational performance, developments in the capital markets and expected future financial performance, as well as any information concerning possible or assumed future results of operations of the Company as set forth in the sections of this prospectus titled *"Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations,"* and *"Business."*

Forward-looking statements involve a number of risks, uncertainties and assumptions, and actual results or events may differ materially from those projected or implied in those statements. Important factors that could cause such differences include, but are not limited to:

- the Company's financial condition and results of operations;
- the development of our estimated proved undeveloped reserves;
- the Company's reserves estimates;
- the timing of acquisition, financing, construction and development of new projects;
- the Company's ability to raise financing in the future;
- changes in public acceptance and support of renewable energy development and projects;
- the Company's ability to obtain necessary regulatory and governmental permits and approvals;
- the effects of competition;
- the Company's ability to identify, acquire, develop and operate renewable natural gas facilities;
- governmental incentives for renewable energy generation;
- the demand for renewable energy not being sustained;
- political, economic and other uncertainties, including those related to the European Union's ("EU") clean energy transition;
- changes in environmental laws and regulations; and
- the other matters described in the section titled *"Risk Factors"* beginning on page 7.

Forward-looking statements set forth herein are based on information currently available as of the date a forward-looking statement is made and speak only as of the date of this prospectus. The Company does not undertake any obligation to revise forward-looking statements to reflect future events, changes in circumstances, or changes in beliefs. In the event that any forward-looking statement is updated, no inference should be made that the Company will make additional updates with respect to that statement, related matters, or any other forward-looking statements. Any corrections or revisions and other important assumptions and factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from forward-looking statements, including discussions of significant risk factors, may appear in the Company's public filings with the SEC, which are or will be (as appropriate) accessible at www.sec.gov, and which you are advised to consult. For additional information, please see the section titled *"Where You Can Find More Information"* on page 115.

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Market and industry data used throughout this prospectus, including statements regarding market size, is based on independent industry surveys and publications. These data involve a number of assumptions and limitations, and you are cautioned not to give undue weight to such estimates. While the Company is not aware of any misstatements regarding the industry data presented herein, its estimates involve risks and uncertainties and are subject to change based on various factors, including those discussed under the headings *"Risk Factors"* and *"Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations"* in this prospectus.

GLOSSARY OF SELECTED INDUSTRY TERMS

"Carbon Negative Renewable Natural Gas"	Renewable natural gas (RNG) is considered carbon negative if it captures more greenhouse gases than it emits. RNG produced from organic waste that would otherwise decay and create methane emissions are considered carbon negative as the methane emissions from the decay is captured and converted to a usable fuel source (RNG) which then displaces traditional fossil based natural gas (methane). The avoided emissions from natural decay and the substitution of fossil based natural gas results in a negative carbon life cycle score. In the U.S., the California Air Resources Board has given dairy and agricultural based carbon negative RNG projects a carbon intensity Score (gCO2e/MJ) of -250 (or lower). Such projects are similar to those pursued by AleAnna's Renewable Natural Gas business.
"Development"	drilling and other post-exploration activities aimed at the production of oil and gas.
"Development well"	a well drilled within the proved area of an oil or gas reservoir to the depth of a stratigraphic horizon known to be productive.
"ESG"	environmental, social and governance.
"Exploration"	oil and natural gas exploration that includes land surveys, geological and geophysical studies, seismic data gathering and analysis and well drilling.
"Exploratory well"	a well drilled to find a new field or new reservoir in a field previously found to be productive of oil or gas in another reservoir. Generally, an exploratory well is any well that is not a development well, an extension well, a service well or a stratigraphic test well.
"Extension well"	a well drilled to extend the limits of a known reservoir.
"Gas"	all references to "gas" in this prospectus refer to natural gas.
"Greenhouse gases (GHG)"	gases in the atmosphere, transparent to solar radiation, that trap infrared radiation emitted by the earth's surface. The greenhouse gases relevant within the Company's activities are carbon dioxide (CO ₂), methane (CH ₄) and nitrous oxide (N ₂ O). GHG emissions are commonly reported in CO ₂ equivalent (CO ₂ eq) according to Global Warming Potential values in line with IPCC AR4, 4 th Assessment Report.
"Gross"	"gross" natural gas and oil wells or "gross" acres equal the total number of wells or acres in which we have a working interest.
"G&A"	general and administrative.
"Hedging"	the use of derivative commodity and interest rate instruments to reduce financial exposure to commodity price and interest rate volatility.
"Hydrocarbons"	means oil, gas, condensate and other gaseous and liquid hydrocarbons or any combination thereof, and all minerals, products and substances extracted, separated, processed and produced therefrom or therewith.

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"LNG"	Liquefied Natural Gas obtained through the cooling of natural gas to minus 160 °C at normal pressure. The gas is liquefied to allow transportation from the place of extraction to the sites at which it is transformed back into its natural gaseous state and consumed. One tonne of LNG corresponds to 1,400 cubic meters of gas.
"Mcf"	thousand cubic feet.
"MMcf"	million cubic feet.
"Net"	"net" natural gas and oil wells or "net" acres equals the sum of our fractional ownership working interests we have in gross wells or acres.
"Net acres or Net wells"	the sum of the fractional working interest owned in gross acres or gross wells expressed in whole numbers and fractions of whole numbers.
"Possible reserves"	possible reserves are those additional reserves that are less certain to be recovered than probable reserves.
"Probable reserves"	probable reserves are those additional reserves that are less certain to be recovered than proved reserves but which, together with proved reserves, are as likely as not to be recovered.
"Productive well"	a well that is producing oil or gas or that is capable of production.
"Proved developed reserves"	proved reserves that can be expected to be recovered through existing wells with existing equipment and operating methods.
"Proved reserves"	proved oil and gas reserves are those quantities of oil and gas, which, by analysis of geoscience and engineering data, can be estimated with reasonable certainty to be economically producible, from a given date forward, from known reservoirs, and under existing economic conditions, operating methods, and government regulations, prior to the time at which contracts providing the right to operate expire, unless evidence indicates that renewal is reasonably certain, regardless of whether deterministic or probabilistic methods are used for the estimation. The project to extract the hydrocarbons must have commenced or the operator must be reasonably certain that it will commence the project within a reasonable time. Existing economic conditions include prices and costs at which economic producibility from a reservoir is to be determined. The price shall be the average price during the 12-month period prior to the ending date of the period covered by the report, determined as an unweighted arithmetic average of the first-day-of-the-month price for each month within such period, unless prices are defined by contractual arrangements, excluding escalations based upon future conditions. Reserves are classified as either developed or undeveloped. Proved developed oil and gas reserves are reserves that can be expected to be recovered through existing wells with existing equipment and operating methods or in which the cost of the required equipment is relatively minor compared to the cost of a new well, and through installed extraction equipment and infrastructure operational at the time of the reserves estimate if the extraction is by means not involving a well. Proved undeveloped oil and gas reserves are reserves of any category that are expected to be recovered from new wells on undrilled acreage, or from existing wells where a relatively major expenditure is required for recompletion.

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"Proved undeveloped reserves (PUDs)"	means proved reserves that are expected to be recovered from undrilled well locations on existing acreage or from existing wells where a relatively major expenditure is required for recompletion within the five year development window, according to the SEC or Society of Petroleum Engineers definition of PUD
"Reserves"	reserves are estimated remaining quantities of oil and gas and related substances anticipated to be economically producible, as of a given date, by application of development projects to known accumulations. In addition, there must exist, or there must be a reasonable expectation that there will exist, the produce or a revenue interest in the production, installed means of delivering oil and gas or related substances to market, and all permits and financing required to implement the project.
"Reservoir"	a porous and permeable underground formation containing a natural accumulation of producible natural gas and/or oil that is confined by impermeable rock or water barriers and is separate from other reservoirs.
"Service well"	well drilled or completed for the purpose of supporting production in an existing field. Specific purposes of service wells include, among other things, gas injection, water injection and salt-water disposal.
"Undeveloped acreage"	means acreage under lease on which wells have not been drilled or completed such that there is not production of commercial quantities of hydrocarbons;
"Unproved reserves"	reserves that are based on geoscience and/or engineering data similar to that used in estimates of proved reserves, but technical or other uncertainties preclude such reserves being classified as proved reserves. Unproved reserves may be further categorized as probable reserves and possible reserves.
"Working interest"	An interest that gives the owner the right to drill, produce and conduct operating activities on a property and receive a share of any production.
"/d"	Per day.
"/y"	Per year.
"10 ⁶ ft ³ "	Millions of cubic feet.

PROSPECTUS SUMMARY

Overview

AleAnna is a development-stage company focusing on the development and production of natural gas in Italy, focused on naturally occurring biogenic methane from conventional geological formations as well as carbon-negative renewable biomethane generated from farm wastes, particularly in the Po Valley of Northern Italy. As a development -stage company, AleAnna has not generated any revenue from its principal business activities to date. AleAnna is headquartered in Dallas, Texas, and has offices in Rome, Italy. Bluescape Resources Company LLC ("Bluescape") is the majority investor in AleAnna through a series of wholly-owned entities including Nautilus Resources LLC ("Nautilus"), which beneficially owns approximately 84.85% of AleAnna's voting power. The mailing address of AleAnna's principal executive office is 300 Crescent Court, Suite 1860, Dallas, TX 75201, and its telephone number is (469) 398-2200.

Recent Developments

On the Closing Date, AleAnna consummated the previously announced Business Combination pursuant to the Merger Agreement. Immediately prior to the closing of the Business Combination (the "Closing"), on December 13, 2024, as contemplated by the Merger Agreement, Swiftmerge became a Delaware corporation, upon which (i) Swiftmerge changed its name to "AleAnna, Inc."; (ii) each Class A ordinary share, par value \$0.0001 per share, of Swiftmerge ("Swiftmerge Class A Ordinary Shares") converted into one share of Class A Common Stock; (iii) each Class B ordinary share, par value \$0.0001 per share, of Swiftmerge ("Swiftmerge Class B Ordinary Shares") converted into one share of Class B common stock, par value \$0.0001 per share, of AleAnna ("Class B Common Stock"); (iv) each warrant to purchase Swiftmerge Class A Ordinary Shares converted on a one-to-one basis into a warrant to acquire shares of Class A Common Stock on the same terms and conditions as the converted warrants; and (v) a series of Class C common stock, par value \$0.0001 per share, of AleAnna ("Class C Common Stock") was authorized, each share of which has voting rights equal to a share of Class A Common Stock but which have no entitlement to earnings or distributions of AleAnna.

Following the Domestication, on December 13, 2024, pursuant to the Merger Agreement, (i) AleAnna contributed to Swiftmerge HoldCo LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("HoldCo") (1) all of its assets (excluding its interests in HoldCo), including, for the avoidance of doubt, the available cash, and (2) a number of shares of Class C Common Stock equal to the number of Class C units of HoldCo ("Class C HoldCo Units") designated to be issued to the equity holders of the AleAnna Energy, LLC ("AleAnna Energy") (collectively, the "AleAnna Energy Members"), and (ii) HoldCo issued to AleAnna a number of Class A units of HoldCo, which equaled the number of shares of Class A Common Stock issued and outstanding immediately after the Closing (the transactions described in clauses (i) and (ii) above, collectively, the "Pre-Closing Contribution").

Following the Pre-Closing Contribution, Merger Sub merged with and into AleAnna Energy (the "Merger"), with AleAnna Energy being the surviving company and a wholly-owned subsidiary of HoldCo.

The aggregate merger consideration issued to the AleAnna Energy Members immediately prior to the Closing was equal to 65,098,476 shares of a combination of (i) 39,104,076 shares of Class A Common Stock and (ii) 25,994,400 shares of Class C Common Stock (with one Class C HoldCo Unit to accompany each share of Class C Common Stock) (the "Merger Consideration").

On the Closing Date, each membership unit of AleAnna Energy issued and outstanding immediately prior to the Merger was cancelled and converted into and became the right to receive a portion of the Merger Consideration based on such unit holder's right to certain distributions upon a sale of AleAnna Energy in accordance with AleAnna Energy's operating agreement, as more particularly set forth in the Merger Agreement.

Prior to the extraordinary general meeting of Swiftmerge shareholders to approve the Business Combination and other related matters, holders of 1,158,556 Swiftmerge Class A Ordinary Shares sold in Swiftmerge's initial public offering properly exercised their right to have their shares redeemed for a pro rata portion of the trust account holding the proceeds from Swiftmerge's initial public offering, calculated as of two business days prior to the Closing. As a result, on December 13, 2024, prior to the Domestication, Swiftmerge redeemed 1,158,556 Swiftmerge Class A Ordinary Shares for \$11.39 per share (the "Public Share Redemptions").

As of the Closing Date, following the Public Share Redemptions, the forfeiture of 2,535,001 Swiftmerge Class A Ordinary Shares, 1,689,999 Swiftmerge Class B Ordinary Shares and 9,350,000 Swiftmerge Private Warrants by Swiftmerge Holdings, LP, a Delaware limited partnership (the "Sponsor"), certain qualified institutional buyers or institutional accredited investors and certain unaffiliated third-party investors, as applicable, and the consummation of the Merger, there were (i) 40,560,433 shares of Class A Common Stock issued and outstanding, (ii) 25,994,400 shares of Class C Common Stock issued and outstanding, and (iii) 11,250,000 Public Warrants to acquire 11,250,000 shares of Class A Common Stock outstanding following the Business Combination. The Class A Common Stock and Public Warrants commenced trading on Nasdaq under the symbols "ANNA" and "ANNAW," respectively, on December 16, 2024.

AleAnna is organized in an "Up-C" structure and the only direct assets of AleAnna consist of equity interests in HoldCo, whose only direct assets consist of equity interests in AleAnna Energy. Our business is conducted through AleAnna Energy and its subsidiaries.

Implications of Being an Emerging Growth Company and a Smaller Reporting Company

We qualify as an "emerging growth company" as defined in the Jumpstart Our Business Startups Act of 2012 (the "JOBS Act"). For so long as we remain an emerging growth company, we are permitted, and currently intend, to rely on the following provisions of the JOBS Act that contain exceptions from disclosure and other requirements that otherwise are applicable to public companies and file periodic reports with the SEC. These provisions include, but are not limited to:

- being permitted to present only two years of audited financial statements and selected financial data and only two years of related *"Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations"* in our periodic reports and registration statements, including this prospectus, subject to certain exceptions;
- not being required to comply with the auditor attestation requirements of Section 404(b) of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002 (the "Sarbanes-Oxley Act"), as amended;
- reduced disclosure obligations regarding executive compensation in our periodic reports, proxy statements, and registration statements, including in this prospectus;
- not being required to comply with any requirement that may be adopted by the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board regarding mandatory audit firm rotation or a supplement to the auditor's report providing additional information about the audit and the financial statements; and
- exemptions from the requirements of holding a nonbinding advisory vote on executive compensation and stockholder approval of any golden parachute payments not previously approved.

We will remain an emerging growth company until the earliest to occur of:

- December 14, 2026, which is the fifth anniversary of the effectiveness of Swiftmerge's registration statement on Form S-1;
- the last day of the fiscal year in which we have total annual gross revenue of at least \$1.235 billion, adjusted yearly for inflation;
- the date on which we are deemed to be a "large accelerated filer," as defined in the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"); and
- the date on which we have issued more than \$1 billion in non-convertible debt over a three-year period.

We have elected to take advantage of certain of the reduced disclosure obligations in this prospectus and may elect to take advantage of other reduced reporting requirements in our future filings with the SEC. As a result, the information that we provide to holders of our stockholders may be different than what you might receive from other public reporting companies in which you hold equity interests.

We have elected to avail ourselves of the provision of the JOBS Act that permits emerging growth companies to take advantage of an extended transition period to comply with new or revised accounting standards applicable to public companies. As a result, we will not be subject to new or revised accounting standards at the same time as other public companies that are not emerging growth companies.

We are also a "smaller reporting company" as defined under the Exchange Act. We may continue to be a smaller reporting company even after we are no longer an emerging growth company. We may take advantage of certain of the scaled disclosures available to smaller reporting companies until the fiscal year following the determination that (a) our voting and non-voting common stock held by non-affiliates is \$250 million or more measured on the last business day of our second fiscal quarter, or (b) (1) our annual revenues are \$100 million or more for the most recently completed fiscal year and (2) our voting and non-voting common stock held by non-affiliates is \$700 million or more measured on the last business day of our second fiscal quarter.

Summary of Risk Factors

The risk factors summarized below could materially harm our business, operating results and/or financial condition, impair our future prospects and/or cause the price of our ordinary shares to decline. These risks are discussed more fully following this summary. Material risks that may affect our business, operating results and financial condition include, but are not necessarily limited to, the following:

Risks Related to our Conventional Natural Gas Business and the Conventional Natural Gas Industry

- We currently have no producing properties and there is no assurance that we will be able to convert our exploration drilling to producing wells. If our assets are not commercially productive of natural gas, any funds spent on exploration and production may be lost.
- The development of our estimated proved undeveloped reserves ("PUDs") may take longer and may require higher levels of capital expenditures than we currently anticipate.
- While we have drilled and tested certain exploration wells, we have no history of converting the exploration wells to producing natural gas wells and there can be no assurance that we will successfully establish natural gas operations or profitably produce natural gas.
- Restrictions on drilling activities intended to protect the environment and the ecosystem may adversely affect our ability to conduct drilling activities areas where we operate.
- Drilling for and producing natural gas is a high-risk and costly activity with many uncertainties, including the risk that drilling will not result in commercially viable natural gas production or that we will not recover all or any portion of our investment in drilled wells.
- Our drilling locations are scheduled out over many years, making them susceptible to uncertainties that could materially alter the occurrence or timing of when they are drilled, if at all.
- The amount and timing of actual future natural gas production is difficult to predict and may vary significantly from our estimates, which may reduce our earnings.
- Unless we replace our reserves, our reserves and production will naturally decline, which would adversely affect our business, financial condition and results of operations.
- Our proved reserves are estimates that are based on many assumptions that may prove to be inaccurate. Any significant change in these underlying assumptions will greatly affect the quantities and present value of our reserves.
- Our operations have substantial capital requirements, and we may not be able to obtain needed capital or financing on satisfactory terms, or at all.

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Risks Related to our Renewable Natural Gas Business and the Renewable Natural Gas Industry

- Failure to protect our intellectual property, inability to enforce our intellectual property rights or loss of our intellectual property rights through costly litigation or administrative proceedings, could adversely affect our ability to compete and our business.
- Our strategic success and financial results depend on our ability to identify, acquire, develop and operate renewable natural gas facilities.
- Revenue from any plants we complete may be adversely affected if there is a decline in public acceptance or support of renewable energy, or regulatory agencies, local communities, or other third parties delay, prevent, or increase the cost of constructing and operating our facilities.
- A policy revision with respect to the Italian government sponsored renewable natural gas floor price and renewable natural gas capital expenditure reimbursements could have a material adverse effect on our long-term business prospects, financial condition and results of operations.
- The financial performance of our business depends upon tax and other governmental incentives for renewable energy generation, any of which could change at any time and such changes may negatively impact our growth strategy.

Risks Related to Foreign Operations and Regulatory Matters

- Our primary operations are in a foreign country and we are subject to political, economic and other uncertainties.
- All of our natural gas properties and renewable gas are located in the country of Italy, making us vulnerable to risks associated with operating in one geographic area.
- We may expand our operations globally, which would subject us to anti-corruption, anti-bribery, anti-money laundering, trade compliance, economic sanctions and similar laws, and non-compliance with such laws may subject us to criminal or civil liability and harm our business, financial condition and/or results of operations.
- Our results of operations, financial condition and cash flows could be adversely affected by changes in environmental laws and regulations.

Risks Related to our Organizational Structure, Class A Common Stock and Public Warrants

- AleAnna is a holding company and its organizational structure is commonly referred to as an umbrella partnership C corporation (or "Up-C") structure, it is dependent upon distributions from HoldCo to pay taxes, and cover its corporate and other overhead expenses.
- Our management team has limited recent experience in operating a public company.
- We are controlled by Nautilus, whose interests may conflict with ours and the interests of other stockholders.
- If our estimates or judgments relating to our critical accounting policies prove to be incorrect or financial reporting standards or interpretations change, our operating results could be adversely affected.
- AleAnna Energy has identified material weaknesses in its internal control over financial reporting. If we are unable to develop and maintain an effective system of internal control over financial reporting, we may not be able to accurately report our financial results in a timely manner, which may adversely affect investor confidence in us and materially and adversely affect our business and operating results, and we may face litigation as a result.
- The market price of our Class A Common Stock could be adversely affected by sales of substantial amounts of our Class A Common Stock in the public or private markets or the perception in the public markets that these sales may occur, including sales by the members of AleAnna Energy after the redemption of any Class C HoldCo Units, together with an equal number of our Class C Common Stock, in exchange for shares of our Class A Common Stock, or other large holders.

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Shares of our Class A Common Stock outstanding prior to exercise of the Public Warrants	40,560,433 shares
Shares of our Class A Common Stock that may be issued upon exercise of the Public Warrants	11,250,000 shares
Shares of our Class A Common Stock outstanding after the exercise of the Public Warrants (excluding shares of Class A Common Stock issuable upon exchange of Class C HoldCo Units and Class C Common Stock)	51,810,433 shares
Use of Proceeds	<p>We will receive up to an aggregate of approximately \$129.4 million, assuming the exercise in full of all of the Public Warrants for cash. However, the exercise price of the Public Warrants is \$11.50 per share, which exceeds \$8.78, the closing price of our Class A Common Stock on the Nasdaq on January 10, 2025. The likelihood that warrant holders will exercise the Public Warrants and any cash proceeds that we would receive is dependent upon the market price of our Class A Common Stock. If the market price for our Class A Common Stock is less than \$11.50 per share, we believe holders of Public Warrants will be unlikely to exercise their Public Warrants. Under certain circumstances, the Public Warrants may be exercised on a cashless basis. If the Public Warrants are exercised on a cashless basis, we will not receive any cash from these exercises. Unless we inform you otherwise, we expect to use any net proceeds from the exercise of the Public Warrants for general corporate purposes. See the section titled "Use of Proceeds" for more information.</p>
HoldCo Holder Redemption Right	<p>Pursuant to the A&R HoldCo LLC Agreement, holders of Class C HoldCo Units and Class C Common Stock, subject to certain timing procedures and other conditions set forth therein, have the right (the "HoldCo Holder Redemption Right") to exchange all or a portion of their Class C HoldCo Units, together with an equal number of shares of Class C Common Stock for shares of Class A Common Stock at an exchange ratio of one share of Class A Common Stock for each Class C HoldCo Unit exchanged, subject to conversion rate adjustments for stock splits, stock dividends and reclassifications and other similar transactions.</p>

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Mandatory Exchange	The Company, in its capacity as manager of HoldCo, has the right to require, (i) upon a change of control of HoldCo or (ii) in the discretion of the Company with the consent of at least fifty percent (50%) of the holders of Class C HoldCo Units, each other HoldCo unitholder to exchange all of its Class C HoldCo Units for shares of Class A Common Stock at an exchange ratio of one share of Class A Common Stock for each Class C HoldCo Unit exchanged, subject to conversion rate adjustments for stock splits, stock dividends and reclassifications and other similar transactions (a "Mandatory Exchange"). In connection with any exchange of Class C HoldCo Units pursuant to the HoldCo Holder Redemption Right or acquisition of Class C HoldCo Units pursuant to a Mandatory Exchange, the Company shall receive a number of Class A HoldCo Units equal to the number of shares of Class A Common Stock issued to the HoldCo unitholder, and a corresponding number of shares of Class C Common Stock held by the relevant HoldCo unitholder will be cancelled. As the Class C HoldCo Units are exchanged, holding other assumptions constant, the Company's ownership stake in HoldCo will be correspondingly increased, the number of shares of Class A Common Stock outstanding will be increased and the number of shares of Common Stock will be decreased.
Risk Factors	See the section titled "Risk Factors" and other information included in this prospectus for a discussion of factors that you should consider carefully before deciding to invest in our Class A Common Stock.
Ticker Symbol of Class A Common Stock and Public Warrants	"ANNA" and "ANNAW"

RISK FACTORS

Any investment in shares of our Class A Common Stock involves a high degree of risk. You should carefully consider all of the information contained in this prospectus and any subsequent prospectus supplement, including our financial statements and related notes thereto, before deciding whether to purchase shares of our Class A Common Stock. However, such risks and those discussed elsewhere in any subsequent prospectus supplement are not the only ones we face. Additional risks and uncertainties that we are unaware of, or that we currently believe are not material, may also become important factors that adversely affect us. If any of the risks described in any subsequent prospectus supplement or others not specified therein materialize, our business, financial condition and results of operations could be materially and adversely affected. In that case, you may lose all or part of your investment.

Risks Related to our Conventional Natural Gas Business and the Conventional Natural Gas Industry

We currently have no producing properties and there is no assurance that we will be able to convert our exploration drilling to producing wells. If our assets are not commercially productive of natural gas, any funds spent on exploration and production may be lost.

All of our properties are in the pre -production stage and there is no assurance that we will be able to obtain the requisite permits to begin producing the wells we have drilled to date. Many of our properties are not currently connected to midstream transportation, nor have we engaged service providers or contractors, necessary for the productive development of such assets and there is no assurance that we will be able to obtain the midstream transportation or services necessary at economic costs, if at all. We are dependent on establishing sufficient reserves for additional cash flow and a return of our investment. If our properties are not economic, all of the funds that we have invested, or will invest, will be lost.

The development of our estimated PUDs may take longer and may require higher levels of capital expenditures than we currently anticipate. Therefore, our estimated PUDs may not ultimately be developed or produced.

All of the reserves attributable to our properties are undeveloped. Development of proved undeveloped reserves may take longer and require higher levels of capital expenditures than we currently anticipate. Delays in the development of our reserves, increases in costs to drill and develop such reserves, or decreases in commodity prices will reduce the value of our estimated PUDs and future net revenues estimated for such reserves and may result in some projects becoming uneconomic. In addition, delays in the development of reserves could require us to reclassify our PUDs as unproved reserves.

While we have drilled and tested certain exploration and development wells, we have no history of converting the exploration and development wells to producing natural gas wells and there can be no assurance that we will successfully establish natural gas operations or profitably produce natural gas.

We have drilled and tested certain exploration and development wells, but we have not successfully converted an exploration well or development well to a producing natural gas well nor successfully produced hydrocarbons, or revenues from drilling operations. We expect to achieve first production of five drilled and tested wells in the Longanesi field in the first quarter of 2025 through use of a temporary processing skid, following the installation of the temporary processing facility. The permanent processing facility is expected to be constructed over the course of 2025 and commissioned in 2026. Natural gas exploration and production has a high degree of risk. The future development of a significant portion of our properties will require obtaining permits and may require additional financing. As a result, we are subject to all of the risks associated with establishing new drilling operations and business enterprises, including, among others:

- the need to obtain necessary environmental and other governmental approvals and permits, the timing and conditions of those approvals and permits, and litigation concerning those approvals and permits;
- the availability and cost of funds to finance the drilling and development of our properties;
- the timing and cost, which can be considerable, of the supporting infrastructure to our natural gas drilling and production operations;
- the ability to obtain midstream offtake capacity for our future natural gas production;

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- drainage resulting from the development of offsetting properties from other operators in the area;
- commodity prices and our ability to find suitable customers for our future production;
- inflation and potential increases in costs of labor, power, supplies, services and other support; and
- the availability and retention of executives overseeing our operations and of skilled labor and equipment to support our drilling operations.

There is no assurance that our drilling activities will result in the successful production of natural gas. Moreover, there is no assurance that even if we are able to successfully produce natural gas that such production would be economical for commercial production. Natural gas production is dependent upon a number of factors and significantly influenced by the technical skill of our operations personnel involved. The commercial viability of our possible future production is also dependent upon a number of factors which are beyond our control, including the quality of our natural gas, commodity prices, government policies and regulation, and environmental protection requirements. There is no certainty that the expenditures that have been made and may be made in the future by us related to the acquisition and development of our properties will result in commercially viable production and our past and future expenditures may be partially or entirely lost.

Since we are a development-stage company with limited operating history and minimal revenue generation related to the production of natural gas assets, investors have a very limited basis to evaluate our ability to operate profitably as an E&P business.

We are a development-stage company and have not generated any revenue from our principal business activities to date. We face many of the risks commonly encountered by other new businesses, including the lack of an established operating history, need for additional capital and personnel, and competition. There is no assurance that our business will be successful or that we can ever operate profitably. We may not be able to effectively manage the demands required, such that we may be unable to implement our business plan or achieve profitability.

Restrictions on drilling activities intended to protect the environment and the ecosystem may adversely affect our ability to conduct drilling activities areas where we operate.

Natural gas operations in our operating areas may be adversely affected by restrictions on drilling activities designed to protect the environment and the ecosystem. Such restrictions could prohibit drilling in certain areas, require the implementation of expensive mitigation measures or could result in limitations on our exploration and production activities that could have a material adverse impact on our ability to develop and produce our reserves or find new reserves on our undeveloped lands and permits.

In 2015, the Italian government published the Law 208/2015 which prohibited research, prospection and exploitation in waters within a 12-mile limit of the Italian Peninsula. Rockhopper Italia S.p.A., Rockhopper Mediterranean Ltd, and Rockhopper Exploration Plc (collectively, "Rockhopper"), was subsequently denied an application for an offshore production concession which had been pending since 2008. Rockhopper filed a request for arbitration to the International Center for the Settlement of the Investment Disputes (ICSID) against Italian Republic for the latter's alleged failure to fulfill the legislative and regulatory commitments made in relation to the investments in the Ombrina Mare oil and gas field located off the Italian coast in the Adriatic Sea (ICSID Case no. ARB/17/14). On August 23, 2022 Italy was ordered to pay compensation to Rockhopper for the breach of its obligations. The Italian Republic sought to annul the award, and the related proceeding is still pending at ICSID for the decision of the "ad hoc Committee". The Italian Republic also filed a request to continue the stay of the enforcement of the award. On April 24, 2023 the "ad hoc Committee" issued a decision on the provisional stay of enforcement of the award, providing that the provisional stay of enforcement is set to be lifted once Rockhopper puts in place relevant escrow arrangements. Similarly, our failure to obtain necessary government authorizations or the enactment of a legislative ban on exploration and production could result in indirect expropriation of our investment and assets.

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Drilling for and producing natural gas is a high-risk and costly activity with many uncertainties. Our future financial position, cash flows and results of operations depend on the success of our development and acquisition activities, which are subject to numerous risks beyond our control, including the risk that drilling will not result in commercially viable natural gas production or that we will not recover all or any portion of our investment in drilled wells.

Many factors may curtail, delay or cancel our scheduled drilling projects, or the development schedule, including the following:

- delays imposed by or resulting from compliance with regulatory requirements, including limitations resulting from permitting, emission of greenhouse gases ("GHGs"), and other limitations and regulatory requirements;
- intervention by local or federal governments or a foreign sovereign, such as appropriation of assets or technology or imposition of a ban on exploration or production activities;¹⁵
- shortages of or delays in obtaining equipment, rigs, materials or qualified personnel;
- supply chain disruptions or labor shortage impacts;
- equipment failures, accidents or other unexpected operational events;
- lack of available capacity on interconnecting transportation pipelines;
- adverse weather conditions, such as flooding, droughts, freeze-offs, landslides, blizzards and ice storms;
- exposure to acts of terrorism or military or other armed conflict or political instability in regions that affect our business or operations;
- issues related to compliance with environmental regulations;
- environmental hazards;
- declines in natural gas market prices;
- limited availability of financing at acceptable terms;
- ongoing litigation or adverse court rulings;
- public opposition to our operations;
- title, surface access, coal mining and right of way issues; and
- limitations in the market for natural gas.

In addition, we may become subject to additional laws or regulations issued by federal or state government bodies, which are subject to influence resulting from frequent changes in political party control or changes to political priorities or policies. We may need to adapt compliance strategies and operation to meet new regulatory requirements, which can be costly and time-consuming.

Any of these risks can cause a delay in our development program, or result in substantial financial losses, personal injury or loss of life, damage to or destruction of property, natural resources and equipment, pollution, environmental contamination or loss of wells and other regulatory penalties. Adjustments to our planned development schedule or the development schedule of non-operated wells in which we have a working interest could impact our future sales volume, operating revenues and expenses, per unit metrics and capital expenditures.

We are subject to risks associated with the operation of our wells.

Our business is and will be subject to all of the inherent hazards and risks normally incidental to drilling for, producing, transporting, storing, processing, gathering and compressing natural gas, such as fires, explosions, slips, landslides, blowouts, and well cratering; pipe and other equipment and system failures; delays imposed by, or resulting from, compliance with regulatory requirements; formations with abnormal or unexpected pressures; shortages of, or

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delays in, obtaining equipment and qualified personnel; adverse weather conditions, such as freeze offs of wells and pipelines due to cold weather; issues related to compliance with environmental regulations; environmental hazards, such as natural gas leaks, pipeline and tank ruptures, encountering naturally occurring radioactive materials, and unauthorized releases of toxic gases or other pollutants into the environment. We also may face various risks or threats in the future to the operation and security of our or third parties' facilities and infrastructure, such as processing plants, compressor stations and pipelines. Any of these risks could result in substantial losses due to personal injury and/or loss of life, severe damage to and destruction of property, equipment and natural resources, pollution or other environmental damage, loss of hydrocarbons, disruptions to our operations, regulatory investigations and penalties, suspension of our operations, repair and remediation costs, and loss of sensitive confidential information. Moreover, in the event that one or more of these hazards occur, there can be no assurance that a response will be adequate to limit or reduce damage. Although we maintain property insurance, there can be no assurance that such coverage will be adequate or will cover any particular incident in the event of a catastrophe or significant disruption of our business, or that we will be able to obtain sufficient insurance coverage in the future.

We have limited control over the activities on properties we do not operate.

Presently Società Padana Energia ("Padana") is the operator of the Longanesi field under a Unitized Operating Agreement and other companies in the future may operate some of the properties in which we have an interest. We may also enter into a future joint venture with respect to our properties. Except for mutually agreed governance provisions in the Unitized Operating Agreement, we have limited ability to influence or control the operation or future development of the Longanesi field and potential future non-operated properties including any properties that may be operated shared control joint ventures where we may share control with third parties, including compliance with environmental, safety and other regulations or the amount of capital expenditures that we are required to fund with respect to them. The failure of an operator of our wells or joint venture participant to adequately perform operations, an operator's breach of the applicable agreements or an operator's failure to act in ways that are in our best interest could reduce our production and revenues. Our dependence on the operator and other working interest owners, including a joint venture participant, for these projects and our limited ability to influence or control the operation and future development of these properties could materially adversely affect the realization of our targeted returns on capital in drilling or acquisition activities and lead to unexpected future costs.

Our drilling locations are scheduled out over many years, making them susceptible to uncertainties that could materially alter the occurrence or timing of when they are drilled, if at all.

Our management team has specifically identified and scheduled certain well locations as an estimation of our future multi-year drilling activities on our existing acreage. These well locations (prospects) represent a significant part of our business strategy. Our ability to drill and develop these locations depends on a number of uncertainties, including natural gas prices; the availability and cost of capital; drilling and production costs; the availability of drilling services and equipment; drilling results; topography; gathering system and pipeline transportation costs and constraints; regulatory approvals; and other factors. Because of these uncertain factors, we do not know if the drilling locations we have identified will ever be drilled or if we will be able to produce natural gas from these or any other drilling locations.

The amount and timing of actual future natural gas production is difficult to predict and may vary significantly from our estimates, which may reduce our earnings.

Because the rate of production from natural gas wells generally declines as reserves are depleted, our future success depends upon our ability to develop additional reserves that are economic and our failure to do so may reduce our earnings. Our drilling and subsequent maintenance of wells can involve significant risks, including those related to timing, cost overruns and operational efficiency, and these risks can be affected by the availability of capital, leases, rigs, equipment and a qualified work force, as well as weather conditions, natural gas price volatility, regulatory approvals, geology, equipment failure or accidents and other factors. Drilling for natural gas can be unprofitable, not only due to dry wells, but also as a result of productive wells that perform below expectations or that do not produce sufficient revenues to return a profit. Low natural gas prices may further limit the types of reserves that we can develop and produce economically.

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Except to the extent that we acquire additional properties containing proved reserves, conduct successful exploration and development activities or otherwise, our proved reserves will decline as reserves are produced. Our future natural gas production, therefore, is highly dependent upon our level of success in acquiring or finding additional reserves that are economically recoverable. We cannot be certain that we will be able to find or acquire and develop additional reserves at an acceptable cost. Without continued successful development or acquisition activities, together with efficient operation of existing wells, our reserves and production, together with associated revenues, will decline as a result of our current reserves being depleted by production.

Unless we replace our reserves, our reserves and production will naturally decline, which would adversely affect our business, financial condition and results of operations.

Unless we conduct successful development or acquire properties containing proved reserves, our proved reserves will decline as those reserves are produced. Producing natural gas reservoirs generally are characterized by declining production rates that vary depending upon reservoir characteristics and other factors. Our natural gas reserves and production, and therefore our cash flows and income, are highly dependent on our success in efficiently developing our current reserves and economically finding or acquiring additional recoverable reserves. We may not be able to develop, find or acquire additional reserves to replace our current and future production at acceptable costs. If we are unable to replace our current and future production, the value of our reserves will decrease, and our business, financial condition and results of operations will be adversely affected.

Our proved reserves are estimates that are based on many assumptions that may prove to be inaccurate. Any significant change in these underlying assumptions will greatly affect the quantities and present value of our reserves.

Reserve engineering is a subjective process involving estimates of underground accumulations of natural gas and assumptions concerning future prices, production levels and operating and development costs, some of which are beyond our control. These estimates and assumptions are inherently imprecise, and we may adjust our estimates of proved reserves based on changes in these estimates or assumptions. As a result, estimated quantities of proved reserves and projections of future production rates and the timing of development expenditures may prove to be inaccurate. Any significant variance from our assumptions could greatly affect our estimates of reserves, the economically recoverable quantities of natural gas, the classifications of reserves based on risk of recovery and estimates of future net cash flows. To the extent we experience a sustained period of reduced commodity prices, there is a risk that a portion of our proved reserves could be deemed uneconomic and no longer be classified as proved. Although we believe our estimates are reasonable, actual production, revenues and costs to develop reserves will likely vary from our estimates and these variances could be material. Numerous changes over time to the assumptions on which our reserve estimates are based, as described above, often result in the actual quantities of natural gas we ultimately recover being different from our reserve estimates.

The standardized measure of discounted future net cash flows from our proved reserves is not the same as the current market value of our estimated natural gas reserves.

You should not assume that the standardized measure of discounted future net cash flows from our proved reserves is the current market value of our estimated natural gas reserves. In accordance with SEC requirements, we based the discounted future net cash flows from our proved reserves on the twelve-month unweighted arithmetic average of the first-day-of-the-month price for the preceding 12 months without giving effect to derivative transactions. Actual future net cash flows from our reserves will be affected by factors such as the actual prices we receive for natural gas, the amount, timing and cost of actual production and changes in governmental regulations or taxation. The timing of both our production and our incurrence of expenses in connection with the development and production of natural gas properties will affect the timing and amount of actual future net revenues from proved reserves, and thus their actual present value. In addition, the 10% discount factor we use when calculating the standardized measure may not be the most appropriate discount factor based on interest rates in effect from time to time and risks associated with our operations or the natural gas industry in general.

Natural gas prices are affected by a number of factors beyond our control, including many of which that are unknown and cannot be anticipated, and we cannot predict with certainty future potential movements in the price for these commodities.

Our primary business involves the exploration, production and sale of natural gas. Consequently, our revenue, profitability, future rate of growth, liquidity and financial position depend upon the market prices for natural gas in Italy.

The prices for natural gas in Italy have historically been volatile and have been particularly volatile in recent years. We expect commodity price volatility to continue or increase in the future due to rising macroeconomic uncertainty and geopolitical tensions.

Commodity prices are affected by a number of factors beyond our control, which include:

- weather conditions and seasonal trends;
- global and regional supply of and demand for natural gas;
- regulatory constraints on pricing, prevailing prices in the areas in which we operate, and expectations about future commodity prices;
- new or continuing armed conflicts or hostilities, or acts of terrorism;
- national and worldwide economic and political conditions, particularly those in, or affecting, other countries which are significant producers of natural gas;
- new and competing exploratory finds of natural gas;
- changes in exports of natural gas producing countries, such as the United States and Russia;
- the effect of energy conservation efforts;
- the price, availability and consumer demand for alternative fuels;
- the availability, proximity, capacity and cost of pipelines, other transportation facilities, and gathering, processing and storage facilities and other factors that result in differentials to benchmark prices;
- technological advances affecting energy consumption and production;
- the actions of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries;
- the level and effect of trading in commodity futures markets, including commodity price speculators and others;
- the cost of exploring for, developing, producing and transporting natural gas;
- risks associated with drilling, completion and production operations; and
- governmental regulations, tariffs and taxes, including environmental and climate change regulation.

A prolonged period of low natural gas prices may have an adverse effect on our revenue, profitability, future rate of growth, liquidity and financial position.

Prolonged low, and/or significant or extended declines in, natural gas prices may adversely affect our revenues, operating income, cash flows, financial projections, and financial position, particularly if we are unable to control our development costs during periods of lower natural gas prices. Declines in prices could also adversely affect our drilling activities and the amount of natural gas that we can produce economically, which may result in our having to make significant downward adjustments to the value of our assets and could cause us to incur non-cash impairment charges to earnings. Reductions in cash flows from lower commodity prices may require us to incur debt or reduce our capital spending, which could reduce our production and our reserves, negatively affecting our future rate of growth.

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A financial crisis or deterioration in general economic, business or geopolitical conditions could materially adversely affect our operations and financial condition.

Concerns over global economic conditions, stock market volatility, energy costs, geopolitical issues (including continued hostilities between Russia and Ukraine as well as other conflicts, including in the Middle East), inflation and central bank interest rate increases in response thereto, the availability and cost of credit, and slowing of global economic growth and fears of a recession have contributed and may continue to contribute to increased economic uncertainty and diminished expectations for the global economy. Global economic conditions, geopolitical issues and inflation have constrained global and domestic supply chains, which may in the future impact our ability to develop our reserves in accordance with our drilling and completions schedule. Additionally, global economic conditions have a significant impact on commodity prices and any stagnation or deterioration in global economic conditions could result in decreased demand and, thus, lower prices for natural gas. Such uncertainty could also result in higher natural gas prices, which could potentially result in increased inflation worldwide and could negatively impact demand for natural gas.

Developments related to climate change may expedite a transition away from the use of carbon-intensive sources for energy generation and products derived from certain fossil fuels, which could have a material and adverse effect on us if we are not able to demonstrate that our products align with a low-carbon transition.

Governmental and regulatory bodies, investors, consumers, industry participants and other stakeholders have been increasingly focused on combating the effects of climate change. This focus, together with changes in consumer, industrial and commercial behavior, preferences and attitudes with respect to the generation and consumption of energy, and the use of products manufactured with, or powered by, fossil fuels, has led to, and in the long-term is anticipated to continue to result in, (i) the enactment of climate change-related regulations, policies and initiatives, (ii) technological advances with respect to the generation, transmission, storage and consumption of energy, and (iii) increased consumer, industrial and commercial demand for low-carbon energy sources and products manufactured with, or powered by, demonstrably low carbon-intensive sources. This has in turn led to increased scrutiny over the carbon-intensity of various fossil fuels, including the natural gas we intend to produce and sell. While the EU has identified natural gas as a critical bridging resource in its 2050 climate neutrality pledge, there is no guarantee that perspective will be maintained and if we are not able to demonstrate that our products align with a transition to a low-carbon economy, the demand and prices for our products could be negatively impacted depending on the pace of such transition and potential future demands for low-carbon products. Such developments may also adversely impact, among other things, the availability of third-party services and facilities that we rely on, which may increase our operational costs and adversely affect our ability to successfully carry out our business strategy. Climate change-related developments may also impact the market prices of, or our access to, raw materials such as energy and water and therefore result in increased costs to our business.

Further, there have been efforts in recent years to influence the investment community, including investment advisors, insurance companies, and certain sovereign wealth, pension and endowment funds and other groups, by promoting divestment of fossil fuel equities and pressuring lenders to limit funding and insurance underwriters to limit coverages to companies engaged in the extraction of fossil fuel reserves. Financial institutions may elect in the future to shift some or all of their investment into non-fossil fuel related sectors. There is also a risk that financial institutions may be required to adopt policies that have the effect of reducing the funding provided to the fossil fuel sector. Certain investment banks and asset managers based both domestically and internationally have announced that they are adopting climate change guidelines for their banking and investing activities. Institutional lenders who provide financing to energy companies have also become more attentive to sustainable lending practices, and some may elect not to provide traditional energy producers or companies that support such producers with funding. Ultimately, the foregoing factors could make it more difficult to secure funding for exploration and production activities or adversely impact the cost of capital for both us and our customers, and could thereby adversely affect the demand and price of our securities. Limitation of investments in and financings for energy companies could also result in the restriction, delay or cancellation of infrastructure projects and energy production activities.

Our operations have substantial capital requirements, and we may not be able to obtain needed capital or financing on satisfactory terms, or at all.

Our business is capital intensive. We make and expect to continue to make substantial capital expenditures for the development and acquisition of natural gas reserves, as well as related infrastructure. If these projects are undertaken, they may not be completed on schedule, at the budgeted cost or at all. To date, we have invested approximately

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\$227 million in the acquisition and initial development of our properties. While we expect to be able to fund our future growth primarily out of cash currently on AleAnna's balance sheet, from cash flow from the Longanesi, Trava, and Gradizza developments, and through recycling of cash flow from future developments, we have not generated any revenue from our principal business activities to date and do not have available commitments from debt financing sources. While we are exploring Resource Backed Loan ("RBL") financing products with several financial institutions, there is no guarantee that such financing will be available to us. We believe that the cash currently on AleAnna's balance sheet is sufficient, at a minimum, to both cover general and administrative expenses through at least year-end 2025 and also complete the steps necessary to begin producing the Longanesi field in the first quarter of 2025. If the start of production on the Longanesi field is delayed as a result of unforeseen circumstances, we will be required to curtail discretionary development efforts on Gradizza, Trava, renewable natural gas asset acquisitions, and other conventional prospects. In the scenario where Longanesi is not online in first quarter of 2025, even after meeting our capital expenditure commitments to Longanesi, we believe will have sufficient liquidity through at least year-end 2025. However, in such scenario, the unavailability of cash flow from Longanesi, and the delay in development of Gradizza, Trava, renewable natural gas asset acquisitions, and other conventional prospects may lead to a deteriorated financial condition, destruction of potential value due to delay of our discretionary developments, and our results of operations may be adversely affected.

The actual amount and timing of our future capital expenditures may differ materially from our estimates as a result of, among other things, natural gas prices, actual drilling results, the availability of drilling rigs and other services and equipment, and regulatory, technological and competitive developments.

Our cash flows from operations and access to capital are subject to a number of variables, including:

- our level of proved reserves and production;
- the level of hydrocarbons we are able to produce from existing wells;
- our access to, and the cost of accessing, end markets for our production;
- the prices at which our production is sold;
- our ability to acquire, locate and produce new reserves;
- the levels of our operating expenses; and
- our ability to access the public or private debt and equity capital and lending markets.

If we are unable to obtain the capital necessary for our planned capital budget or our operations, we could be required to curtail our operations and the development of our properties, which in turn could lead to a decline in our reserves and production, and could adversely affect our business, results of operations and financial position.

Derivative transactions may limit our potential gains and involve other risks.

To manage our exposure to price risk, we may in the future enter into derivative arrangements, utilizing commodity derivatives with respect to a portion of our future production. Such hedges are designed to lock in prices in order to limit volatility and increase the predictability of cash flow. These transactions may be required to the extent we utilize RBL financing in the future and such limit our potential gains if natural gas prices rise above the price established by the hedge, and we may be required to post cash collateral or letters of credit with our hedge counterparties to the extent our liability under the derivative contract exceeds specified thresholds, which would negatively impact our liquidity. Derivative transactions may expose us to the risk of financial loss in certain circumstances, including instances in which our production is less than expected or an event materially impacts natural gas prices or the relationship between the hedged price index and the natural gas sales price.

We cannot be certain that any derivative transaction we may enter into will adequately protect us from declines in the prices of natural gas. Furthermore, where we choose not to engage in derivative transactions in the future, we may be more adversely affected by changes in natural gas prices than our competitors who engage in derivative transactions. Lower natural gas prices may also negatively impact our ability to enter into derivative contracts at favorable prices.

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Derivative transactions may also expose us to a risk of financial loss if a counterparty fails to perform under a derivative contract or enters bankruptcy or encounters some other similar proceeding or liquidity constraint. In this case, we may not be able to collect all or a significant portion of amounts owed to us by the distressed entity or entities. During periods of falling commodity prices our hedge receivable positions increase, which increases our exposure. If the creditworthiness of our counterparties deteriorates and results in their nonperformance, we could incur a significant loss.

Our business and prospects depend significantly on our ability to build our brand and we may not succeed in continuing to establish, maintain, and strengthen our brand, and our brand and reputation could be harmed by negative publicity regarding our company.

Our business and prospects are dependent on our ability to develop, maintain, and strengthen our brand. Promoting and positioning our brand will depend significantly on our ability to execute our business strategies and build market relationships. In addition, we expect that our ability to develop, maintain, and strengthen our brand will also depend heavily on the success of our branding efforts. To promote our brand, we need to incur increased expenses, such as the costs associated with attending trade conferences. Brand promotion activities may not yield increased revenue, and even if they do, the increased revenue may not offset the expenses we incur in building and maintaining our brand and reputation. If we fail to promote and maintain our brand successfully, or if we incur substantial expenses in an unsuccessful attempt to promote and maintain our brand, we may fail to build a market presence and we may fail to be viewed as an attractive investment platform in which case our business and financial condition may be adversely affected.

We also believe that the protection of our trademark rights is an important factor in protecting our brand and maintaining goodwill. We may be unable to obtain trademark protection for our technologies, logos, slogans and brands, and our existing trademark registrations and applications, and any trademarks that may be used in the future, may not provide us with competitive advantages or distinguish us from those of our competitors. Further, we may not timely or successfully register our trademarks. If we do not adequately protect our rights in our trademarks from infringement and unauthorized use, any goodwill that we have developed in those trademarks could be lost or impaired, which could harm our brand and our business.

Moreover, any negative publicity relating to our employees, current or future partners, our technology, our natural gas, or customers who use our technology or natural gas, or others associated with these parties may also tarnish our own reputation simply by association and may reduce the value of our brand. Additionally, if safety or other incidents or defects in our natural gas pipeline occur or are perceived to have occurred, whether or not such incidents or defects are our fault, we could be subject to adverse publicity, which could be particularly harmful to our business given our limited operating history. Given the popularity of social media, any negative publicity about our products, whether true or not, could quickly proliferate and harm customer and community perceptions and confidence in our brand. Other businesses, including our competitors, may also be incentivized to fund negative campaigns against our company to damage our brand and reputation to further their own purposes. Future customers of our products and services may have similar sensitivities and may be subject to similar public opinion and perception risks. Damage to our brand and reputation may result in difficulty attracting and retaining investors, reduced demand for our products and increased risk of losing market share to our competitors. Any efforts to restore the value of our brand and rebuild our reputation may be costly and may not be successful, and our inability to develop and maintain a strong brand could have an adverse effect on our business, prospects, financial condition, and operating results.

Cyber incidents targeting our digital work environment or other technologies or energy infrastructure may adversely impact our operations.

The natural gas industry has become increasingly dependent upon digital technologies, including information systems, infrastructure and cloud applications, and the maintenance of our financial and other records has long been dependent upon such technologies. We may depend on this technology to record and store data, estimate quantities of natural gas reserves, analyze and share operating data and communicate internally and externally. Computers and mobile devices control nearly all of the natural gas distribution systems globally, which will be necessary to transport our products to market.

Energy assets might be specific targets of cyber or other security or physical threats, and the continuing armed conflict between Russia and Ukraine and associated economic sanctions on Russia may have increased the likelihood of such threats. We can provide no assurance that we will not suffer such attacks in the future. Deliberate attacks on,

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or unintentional events affecting, our digital work environment or other technologies and infrastructure, the systems or infrastructure of third parties or the cloud could lead to corruption or loss of our proprietary data and potentially sensitive data, delays in production or delivery of natural gas, difficulty in completing and settling transactions, challenges in maintaining our books and records, communication interruptions, environmental damage, personal injury, property damage, other operational disruptions and third-party liability. Further, as cyber incidents continue to evolve and cyber attackers become more sophisticated, we may be required to expend additional resources to continue to modify or enhance our protective measures or to investigate and remediate any vulnerability to cyber incidents. The cost to remedy an unintended dissemination of sensitive information or data may be significant. Furthermore, the continuing and evolving threat of cyber-attacks has resulted in increased regulatory focus on prevention. To the extent we face increased regulatory requirements, we may be required to expend significant additional resources to meet such requirements.

The unavailability or high cost of additional drilling rigs, completion services, equipment, supplies, personnel, and oilfield services could adversely affect our ability to execute our exploration and development plans within our budget and on a timely basis.

The demand for qualified and experienced field personnel to drill wells and conduct field operations, geologists, geophysicists, engineers, and other professionals in the natural gas industry can fluctuate significantly, often in correlation with natural gas and oil prices, causing periodic shortages or higher costs. We cannot predict whether these conditions will exist in the future and, if so, what their timing and duration will be. Such shortages could delay or cause us to incur significant expenditures that are not provided for in our capital budget, which could materially adversely affect our business, results of operations, cash flows and financial position.

The loss of key personnel could adversely affect our ability to execute our strategic, operational and financial plans.

Our operations are dependent upon key management and technical personnel, and one or more of these individuals could leave our employment. The unexpected loss of the services of one or more of these individuals could have a detrimental effect on us. In addition, the success of our operations will depend, in part, on our ability to identify, attract, develop and retain experienced personnel. There is competition within our industry for experienced technical personnel and certain other professionals, which could increase the costs associated with identifying, attracting and retaining such personnel. If we cannot identify, attract, develop and retain our technical and professional personnel or attract additional experienced technical and professional personnel, our ability to compete in our industry could be harmed.

We will depend on state-owned midstream providers for midstream services, and our failure to obtain and maintain access to the necessary infrastructure to successfully deliver natural gas to market on acceptable terms may adversely affect our earnings, cash flows and results of operations.

Our delivery of natural gas depends upon the availability, proximity and capacity of pipelines, other transportation facilities and gathering and facilities that are state-owned. To the extent these services are delayed or unavailable, we would be unable to realize revenue from wells served by such state-owned infrastructure until suitable arrangements are made to market our production. Access to midstream assets may be unavailable due to market conditions, regulatory constraints or mechanical or other reasons. Further, changes in the Italian Transmission Operator's Network may have an adverse effect on us. In addition, due to regulatory and economic constraints, construction of new pipelines and building of such infrastructure may occur more slowly. A lack of access to needed infrastructure, or an extended interruption of access to or service from state-owned pipelines and facilities for any reason, including vandalism, terroristic acts, sabotage or cyber-attacks on such pipelines and facilities or service interruptions due to gas quality, could result in adverse consequences to us, such as delays in producing and selling our natural gas.

Unexpected increases in fees related to transportation facilities and providers may negatively impact our financial position or projections.

A significant increase in transportation fees and fuel prices may adversely affect our transportation costs and business. Transportation providers (rail and truck) in some circumstances have limited ability to provide additional resources in times of peak demand. Moreover, the ability of our transportation providers to maintain a staff of qualified

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personnel is critical to the success of our business. Regulatory requirements and an improvement in the economy could require us to pay higher transportation fees as our transportation providers seek to pass on additional labor costs associated with attracting and retaining personnel.

Risks Related to our Renewable Natural Gas Business and the Renewable Natural Gas Industry

Failure to protect our intellectual property, inability to enforce our intellectual property rights or loss of our intellectual property rights through costly litigation or administrative proceedings, could adversely affect our ability to compete and our business.

Our success depends in large part on our ability to protect proprietary intellectual property rights for commercially important trade secrets and know-how related to our business including our proprietary seismic imaging and interpretation techniques and our renewable natural gas acquisition pipeline and our ability to defend and enforce intellectual property rights and preserve confidentiality. We must also operate without infringing, misappropriating, or violating the valid and enforceable patents and other intellectual property rights of third parties. We rely on various intellectual property rights, including trade secrets, as well as confidentiality provisions and contractual arrangements, and other forms of statutory protection to protect our proprietary rights. We will be able to protect our proprietary rights from unauthorized use by third parties only to the extent that our proprietary trade secrets, know-how, and technologies are covered by valid and enforceable patents or are effectively maintained as trade secrets. If we do not protect and enforce our intellectual property rights adequately and successfully, our competitive position may suffer, which could have a material adverse effect on our business, prospects, financial condition, and operating results.

Our strategic success and financial results depend on our ability to identify, acquire, develop and operate renewable natural gas plants.

Our renewable natural gas business strategy includes growth primarily through the acquisition and expansion of existing renewable natural gas plants. In particular, we intend to develop and grow our renewable natural gas business through the acquisition of operational anaerobic digestors and their conversion to biomethane plants. This strategy depends on our ability to successfully identify and evaluate acquisition opportunities and complete acquisitions on favorable terms. However, we cannot assure you that we will be able to successfully identify new opportunities or consummate the acquisition of existing renewable natural gas plants, on favorable terms or at all. In addition, we will compete with other companies and private equity sponsors for these opportunities, which may increase our costs or cause us to refrain from making acquisitions at all. If we are unable to successfully identify and consummate future project opportunities or acquisitions of existing plants it will impede our ability to execute our growth strategy.

Our ability to acquire, develop and operate renewable natural gas plants, is subject to various risks, including:

- regulatory changes that affect the value of renewable natural gas, including revisions to government sponsored price floors and any potential inability to qualify or potential disqualification from such programs, which could have a significant effect on the financial performance of the number of potential plants with attractive economics;
- changes in energy commodity prices, such as natural gas and wholesale electricity prices, which could have a significant effect on our revenues and expenses;
- changes in pipeline gas quality standards or other regulatory changes that may limit our ability to transport renewable natural gas on pipelines for delivery to third parties or increase the costs of processing renewable natural gas to allow for such deliveries;
- changes in the broader waste collection industry, including changes affecting the waste collection and biogas potential of the farming industry, which could limit the renewable natural gas resource that we currently target for our plants;
- substantial construction risks, including the risk of delay, that may arise due to forces outside of our control, including those related to engineering and environmental problems, inclement weather and labor disruptions;

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- In order to construct new commercial and modify existing production facilities, we typically face a potentially lengthy and variable design, fabrication, and construction development cycle that requires resource commitments and may create fluctuations in whether and when revenue is recognized;
- operating risks and the effect of disruptions on our business, including the effects of weather conditions, catastrophic events such as fires, explosions, earthquakes, droughts and acts of terrorism, and other force majeure events on us, our customers, suppliers, distributors and subcontractors;
- accidents involving personal injury or the loss of life, as a result of work conditions including, but not limited to, hazardous worksite site conditions and gas exposure;
- the ability to obtain financing for a project on acceptable terms or at all and the need for substantially more capital than initially budgeted to complete plants and exposure to liabilities as a result of unforeseen environmental, construction, technological or other complications;
- failures or delays in obtaining desired or necessary land rights, including ownership, leases, easements, zoning rights and building permits;
- a decrease in the availability, pricing and timeliness of delivery of raw materials and components necessary for the operation of plants;
- obtaining and keeping in good standing permits, authorizations and consents from governmental organizations;
- unknown regulatory changes for renewable natural gas which may increase the transportation cost for delivering under contracts in place;
- the consent and authorization of local utilities or other energy development off-takers to ensure successful interconnection to energy grids to enable power and gas sales; and
- difficulties in identifying, obtaining and permitting suitable sites for new plants.

Any of these factors could prevent us from acquiring, developing, or operating plants, or otherwise adversely affect our business, financial condition and results of operations.

Acquiring existing plants involves numerous risks.

The acquisition of existing renewable natural gas plants involves numerous risks, many of which may be indiscernible through the due diligence process, including exposure to previously existing liabilities and unanticipated costs associated with the pre-acquisition period; difficulty in integrating the acquired plants into our existing business; and, if the plants are in new markets, the risks of entering markets where we have limited experience, less knowledge of differences in market terms for gas rights agreements and off-take arrangements. While we perform due diligence on prospective acquisitions, we may not be able to discover all potential operational deficiencies in such plants. A failure to achieve the financial returns we expect when we acquire renewable natural gas plants could have a material adverse effect on our ability to implement our growth strategy and, ultimately, our business, financial condition, and results of operations. Risks related to acquiring existing plants, include:

- the purchase price we pay could significantly deplete our cash reserves;
- the acquired companies or assets may not produce as planned or may entail significant unexpected or unbudgeted costs;
- we may have difficulty integrating the operations and personnel of the acquired companies;
- key personnel and customers of the acquired companies may terminate their relationships with the acquired companies as a result of or following the acquisition;
- we may experience additional financial and accounting challenges and complexities in areas such as joint venture accounting, tax planning, and financial reporting;

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- we may incur additional costs and expenses related to complying with additional laws, rules or regulations in new jurisdictions;
- we may assume or be held liable for risks and liabilities (including for environmental -related costs) as a result of our acquisitions, some of which we may not discover during our due diligence or adequately adjust for in our acquisition arrangements;
- our ongoing business and management's attention may be disrupted or diverted by transition or integration issues and the complexity of managing geographically diverse enterprises;
- we may incur one-time write-offs or restructuring charges in connection with an acquisition;
- we may acquire goodwill and other intangible assets that are subject to amortization or impairment tests, which could result in future charges to earnings; and
- we may not be able to realize the expected cash flows or other financial benefits we anticipated.

Revenue from any renewable natural gas plants we complete may be adversely affected if there is a decline in public acceptance or support of renewable energy, or regulatory agencies, local communities, or other third parties delay, prevent, or increase the cost of constructing and operating our plants.

Certain persons, associations and groups could oppose renewable energy plants in general or our plants specifically, citing, for example, misuse of water resources, landscape degradation, land use, food scarcity or price increase and harm to the environment. Moreover, regulation may restrict the development of renewable energy plants in certain areas. Biogas production activities (both conventional natural gas and renewable natural gas) are subject to several environmental laws and regulations. The main environmental legislation governing environmental matters for our renewable natural gas developments is the Consolidated Environmental Act issued by Legislative Decree 152/2006.

We are also subject to authorization and permitting procedures which are outlined in Legislative Decree No. 28/2011, which offers three main pathways to permitting:

1. **Notification:** Used for minor modifications to existing renewable natural gas plants.
2. **Simplified Authorization Procedure (S.A.P.):** Applicable to:
 - New plants with a production capacity under 500 standard cubic meters/hour.
 - Converting existing power plants to biomethane production.
 - Expanding existing renewable natural gas plants within certain limits.
3. **Sole Authorization (S.A.):** Required for projects outside the scope of S.A.P.

For S.A., applications are submitted to regional authorities, followed by a service conference involving relevant public bodies. The process typically concludes within 90 days, unless extended for assessments or document reviews. Under S.A.P., applications go to municipalities, with a decision required within 30 days; otherwise, approval is automatic. Recent legislative updates, like Law No. 95 of July 26, 2023, simplify authorization for biomethane projects, focusing on plants up to 500 smc/h, to facilitate faster connection to the national grid. These changes aim to streamline renewable natural gas development across Italy while ensuring environmental compliance.

Thus, in order to develop a renewable energy project, we are typically required to obtain, among other things, environmental impact permits or other authorizations and building permits, which in turn require environmental impact studies to be undertaken and public hearings and comment periods to be held during which any person, association or group may oppose a project. Any such opposition may be taken into account by government officials responsible for granting the relevant permits, which could result in the permits being delayed or not being granted or being granted solely on the condition that we carry out certain corrective measures to the proposed project. Opposition to our plants' requests for permits or successful challenges or appeals to permits issued for our plants could adversely affect our operating plans.

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As a result, we cannot guarantee that the renewable energy plants we currently plan to develop or, to the extent applicable, are developing, will ultimately be authorized or accepted by the local authorities or the local population. For example, the local population could oppose the construction of a renewable energy plant or infrastructure at the local government level, which could in turn lead to the imposition of more restrictive requirements. This type of negative response may lead to legal, public relations or other challenges that could impede our ability to meet our construction targets, achieve commercial operations for a project on schedule, address the changing needs of our plants over time or generate revenues.

If a significant portion of the local population were to mobilize against a renewable energy plant, it may become difficult, or impossible, for us to obtain or retain the required building permits and authorizations. Moreover, such challenges could result in the cancellation or modification of existing authorizations including, adoption of additional mitigation requirements or even, in extreme cases, the dismantling of existing renewable energy plants.

Authorization for the use, construction, and operation of systems and associated transmission facilities on state and local lands will also require the assessment and evaluation of private rights-of-way, and other easements; environmental, agricultural, cultural, recreational, and aesthetic impacts; and the likely mitigation of adverse effects to these and other resources and uses. The inability to obtain the required permits and other state and local approvals, and any excessive delays in obtaining such permits and approvals due, for example, to litigation or third-party appeals, could potentially prevent us from successfully constructing and operating such plants in a timely manner and could result in the potential forfeiture of any deposit we have made with respect to a given project. Moreover, project approvals subject to project modifications and conditions, including mitigation requirements and costs, could affect the financial success of a given project. Changing regulatory requirements and the discovery of unknown site conditions could also adversely affect the financial success of a given project.

A decrease in acceptance of renewable energy plants by local populations, an increase in the number of legal challenges, or an unfavorable outcome of such legal challenges could adversely affect our business, financial condition and results of operations. We may also be subject to labor unavailability due to multiple simultaneous plants in a geographic region. If we are unable to grow and manage the capacity that we expect from our plants in our anticipated timeframes, it could adversely affect our business, financial condition and results of operations.

We may not be fully reimbursed for a portion of our renewable natural gas construction costs or may only receive payment on a delayed basis.

Under a recently implemented Italian renewable natural gas subsidy regime, we expect to be reimbursed for a portion of our capital expenditures related to our renewable natural gas development facilities. Such capital expenditure reimbursements are expected to reduce the amount of equity capital required as we grow our renewable natural gas asset portfolio. We expect to continue incurring significant acquisition and construction costs related to our renewable natural gas business. If policy is altered and such capital expenditure reimbursement subsidies are not available to us, if the timing of such reimbursements is delayed beyond our expectations, or if such expenditures are not reimbursable as we expect, it could significantly affect our cash flows and our development plan.

A prolonged environment of reduced demand for renewable natural gas or renewable electricity could have a material adverse effect on our long-term business prospects, financial condition and results of operations.

Long-term renewable natural gas and renewable electricity prices may fluctuate substantially due to factors outside of our control. The price of electricity can vary significantly for many reasons.

Demand can vary significantly for many reasons, including increases and decreases in generation capacity in our markets; changes in power transmission or fuel transportation capacity constraints or inefficiencies; power supply disruptions; weather conditions; seasonal fluctuations; changes in the demand for power or in patterns of power usage, including the potential development of demand-side management tools and practices; development of new fuels or new technologies for the production of power; and governmental regulations. Further, the amount of power consumed by the electric utility industry is affected primarily by the overall demand for electricity, environmental and other governmental regulations and the price and availability of fuels such as nuclear, coal, natural gas and oil, as well as sources of renewable energy. Slow growth or a long-term reduction in overall demand for energy could have a material adverse effect on our business strategy and could, in turn, have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition and results of operations.

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A policy revision with respect to the Italian government sponsored renewable natural gas floor price and renewable natural gas capital expenditure reimbursements could have a material adverse effect on our long-term business prospects, financial condition and results of operations.

A decline in prices for certain fuels or reduced Italian governmental incentives for renewable energy sources, or renewable natural gas specifically, could also make renewable natural gas less cost-competitive on an overall basis. If the price of alternative energy sources falls, including crude oil, any revenues that we generate from renewable natural gas could decline and we may be unable to produce products that are a commercially viable alternative to alternative energy sources. Further, throughout the central and southern EU (but primarily focused in Italy and Germany), member states' interest in creating new sources of renewable energy has supported the construction of nearly 10,000 AD's over the past 15 years. However, the Italian government's financial incentives and subsidies supporting these activities are set to expire in January 2025 absent additional government action, and are expected to be replaced by attractive biomethane incentives. Such incentives are designed to bring biomethane into the national pipeline transmission system in order to deliver the gas to higher efficiency, utility-scale, natural gas power generation stations. In order to continue biogas operations, the farms are forced to seek a new use for the product, which will be dominated by conversion to biomethane. To support this conversion, the Italian government has implemented a government-backed biomethane floor price through the end of 2039 of €124 per MWh, equivalent to \$39.30 per (10³ft³). If pricing of alternative energy sources becomes more favorable or the Italian government revises its energy policy to suspend or halt financial support of renewable natural gas, our business, financial condition and results of operations will be adversely affected.

We will face competition on the prices we receive for our renewable electricity and for rights to manage or develop renewable natural gas plants.

We will face competition from both conventional and renewable energy companies in connection with the prices that we can obtain for the renewable electricity we sell during the interim period before we complete the conversion of existing plants from electricity generation to renewable natural gas production and that we produce and sell into energy markets at market prices. The prices that these energy companies can offer are dependent on a variety of factors, including their fuel sources, transmission costs, capacity factor, technological advances and their operations and management. If these companies are able to offer their energy at lower prices, this will reduce the prices we are able to obtain in these markets, which could have a material adverse effect on our results of operations. Our competitors may also offer energy solutions at prices below cost, devote significant resources to competing with us or attempt to recruit our key personnel, any of which could improve their competitive positions. In addition, the technologies that we use may be rendered obsolete or uneconomic by technological advances, more efficient and cost-effective processes or entirely different approaches developed by one or more of our competitors or others. Moreover, if the demand for renewable energy increases, new companies may enter the market, and the influx of added competition could pose an increased risk to us.

In the renewable natural gas industry, we believe our primary competitors will be other renewable natural gas companies with existing plants and farm owners that either operate their own renewable natural gas plants or may do so in the future. Increased competition for such plants, equipment, and suppliers, may increase the price we pay for the acquisition costs for existing plants or the amount we have to pay farm owners in the form of equity interests or feedstock supply contracts, which may have a material adverse effect on our results of operations. We may also find ourselves competing more frequently with farm owners to the extent they decide to develop their own renewable natural gas plants, which would also reduce the number of opportunities for us to develop new renewable natural gas plants. While we anticipate receiving the subsidized floor price for our renewable natural gas, we may also compete with other renewable natural gas developers for production off-take agreements with existing and potential buyers of renewable natural gas.

Our renewable energy plants may not produce expected levels of output, and the amount of renewable natural gas actually produced at each of our plants will vary over time and, when a farm closes, eventually decline.

Farms contain organic material whose decomposition causes the generation of gas consisting primarily of methane, which renewable natural gas plants use to generate renewable natural gas or renewable electricity, and carbon dioxide. The estimation of renewable natural gas production volume is an inexact process and dependent on many site-specific conditions, including the estimated annual waste volume, composition of waste, regional climate and the capacity and construction of the farm. Production levels are subject to a number of additional risks, including illness and disease risks in the farm's agriculture producing the waste feedstock, a failure or wearing out of our or our farm owners' or operators' equipment; an inability to find suitable replacement equipment or parts; lower than expected supply or quality of the project's source of renewable natural gas and faster than expected diminishment of such

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renewable natural gas supply; or volume disruption in our fuel supply collection system. As a result, the amount of renewable natural gas actually produced by the farm sites from which our production facilities will collect renewable natural gas or the volume of electricity or renewable natural gas generated from those sites may in the future vary from our initial estimates, and those variations may be material.

In addition, the renewable natural gas available to our plants is dependent in part on the actions of other persons, such as farm operators. We may not be able to ensure the responsible management of the farm site by owners and operators, which may result in less feedstock to be used for the production of biomethane. Other events that can result in a reduction in renewable natural gas output include: extreme hot or cold temperatures or excessive rainfall; liquid levels within a farm increasing; oxidation within a farm, which can kill the anaerobic microbes that produce renewable natural gas; and the buildup of sludge. The occurrence of these or any other changes within any of the farms where our production facilities operate could lead to a reduction in the amount of renewable natural gas being available to operate our production facilities, which could have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition and results of operations.

We will be dependent on contractual arrangements with, and the cooperation of, farm site owners and operators for access to and operations on their sites.

While we expect to own the anaerobic digestors and upgrading units and underlying land on the farm sites in which our plants will operate, we will not own the entirety of farm sites and we may only own equipment and enter into surface or easement leases. Therefore, we may depend on contractual relationships with, and the cooperation of, the farm site owners and operators for our operations. We cannot guarantee that we will be able to renew any feedstock supply contracts that expire in the future on commercial terms that are attractive to us or at all, and any failure to do so, or any other disruption in the relationship with any of the farm operators from whose farm sites our plants reside on, may have a material adverse effect on our business operations, prospects, financial condition and operational results.

In addition, the ownership interests in the land subject to these easements, leases and rights -of-way may be subject to mortgages securing loans or other liens (such as tax liens) and other easements, lease rights and rights-of-way of third parties that were created prior to our plants' easements, leases and rights-of-way. As a result, certain of our plants' rights under these easements, leases or rights -of-way may be subject, and subordinate, to the rights of those third parties. In the event we do not own the land underlying our facilities, we may not be able to protect our operating plants against all risks of loss of our rights to use the land on which our plants are located, and any such loss or curtailment of our rights to use the land on which our plants are located and any increase in rent due on such lands could adversely affect our business, financial condition and results of operations.

The financial performance of our business depends upon tax and other governmental incentives for renewable energy generation, any of which could change at any time and such changes may negatively impact our growth strategy.

Our financial performance and growth strategy depend in part on government policies that support renewable generation and enhance the economic viability of owning renewable natural gas or renewable electric assets. If we are unable to utilize various government incentives to acquire additional renewable assets in the future, or the terms of such incentives are revised in a manner that is less favorable to us, we may suffer a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition, results of operations and cash flows.

We will rely on both pipeline and electrical interconnection and transmission facilities that we do not own or control and that are subject to transmission constraints within a number of our regions. If these facilities fail to provide us with adequate transmission capacity or have unplanned disruptions, we may be restricted in our ability to deliver electric power and renewable natural gas to our customers and we may either incur additional costs or forego revenues.

We depend on electric interconnection and transmission facilities and gas pipelines owned and operated by others to deliver the energy we generate at our plants to our customers. A failure or delay in the operation or development of these distribution channels or a significant increase in the costs charged by their owners and operators could result in the loss of revenues. Such failures or delays could limit the amount of energy our operating facilities deliver

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or delay the completion of our construction plants, which may also result in adverse consequences under our gas rights agreements and off-take agreements. Additionally, such failures, delays or increased costs could have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition and results of operations.

Increased attention to environmental, social, and governance ("ESG") matters may adversely impact our business.

Increased attention to climate change, circular economy, and other ESG matters, as well as investor and societal expectations regarding voluntary ESG disclosures and consumer expectations regarding sustainability may result in increased costs, reduced demand for our products, or other adverse impacts on our business, results of operations, and financial condition. For example, renewable natural gas faces competition from several other low-carbon energy technologies, such as solar or wind energy production, among others. Regulatory bodies may adopt rules that substantially favor certain energy alternatives over others, which may not always include renewable natural gas. Additionally, energy generation from the combustion of renewable natural gas results in GHG emissions. Fines, carbon taxes, or additional infrastructure to control methane emissions at both our conventional and renewable natural gas facilities may increase our costs. As such, certain consumers may elect not to consider renewable natural gas for their renewable energy or other ESG goals.

In addition, organizations that provide information to investors on corporate governance and related matters have developed ratings processes for evaluating companies on their approach to ESG matters. Such ratings are used by some investors to inform their investment and voting decisions. Unfavorable ESG ratings and activism around our operations could lead to negative investor sentiment toward us and the renewable natural gas industry and to the diversion of investment capital to other industries, which could have a negative impact on our stock price and our access to and costs of capital. Also, certain institutional lenders may decide not to provide funding to us based on ESG concerns, which could adversely affect our operations, financial condition and access to capital for potential growth plants.

Maintenance, expansion and refurbishment of renewable natural gas facilities involve significant risks that could result in unplanned outages or reduced output.

Our future facilities may require periodic upgrading and improvement. Any unexpected operational or mechanical failure, including failure associated with breakdowns and forced outages, could reduce our facilities' generating capacity below expected levels and reduce our revenue and cash flows. Unanticipated capital expenditures associated with maintaining, upgrading or repairing our facilities may also reduce profitability. If we make any major modifications to our facilities, such modifications could likely result in substantial additional capital expenditures. We may also choose to repower, refurbish or upgrade our facilities based on our assessment that such activity will provide adequate financial returns. Such facilities require time for development and capital expenditures before commencement of commercial operations, and key assumptions underpinning a decision to make such an investment may prove incorrect, including assumptions regarding construction costs, timing, available financing and future renewable natural gas and renewable electricity prices. This could have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition, results of operations and cash flows.

Risks Related to Foreign Operations and Regulatory Matters

Our primary operations are in another country and we are subject to political, economic and other uncertainties.

All of our natural gas assets and renewable gas assets are currently located in the country of Italy. Our operations in areas outside the United States are subject to various risks inherent in foreign operations. These risks may include, among other things:

- loss of revenue, property and equipment as a result of hazards such as expropriation, war, insurrection and other political risks;
- increases in taxes, including VAT taxes and potential future energy tax measures and governmental royalties;
- renegotiation of contracts with governmental entities;

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- failure of the government to provide necessary permits within the anticipated timeframe, or at all;
- changes in laws and policies governing operations of foreign-based companies; and
- currency restrictions and exchange rate fluctuations.

Our international operations may also be adversely affected by laws and policies of the United States affecting foreign trade and taxation.

Realization of any of these factors could have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition and results of operations.

We are subject to pricing restrictions enforced by the Italian Regulatory Authority for Energy, Networks and Environment with respect to the residential customers we intend to service.

AleAnna's gas and power businesses are subject to regulatory risks mainly in Italy's domestic market. The Italian Regulatory Authority for Energy, Networks and Environment (the "Authority") is entrusted with certain powers in the matter of natural gas and power pricing. Specifically, the Authority retains a surveillance power on pricing in the natural gas market in Italy and the power to establish selling tariffs for the supply of natural gas to residential and commercial users who are opting for adhering to regulated tariffs until the market is fully opened. Developments in the regulatory framework intended to increase the level of market liquidity or of deregulation or intended to reduce operators' ability to transfer to customers cost increases in raw materials may negatively affect future sales margins of gas and electricity, operating results, and cash flow.

All of our natural gas and renewable gas properties are located in country of Italy, making us vulnerable to risks associated with operating in one geographic area.

While we maintain access to acreage across Italy, all of our physical conventional natural gas assets, and most of our permits, are located in the Po Valley in Northern Italy and all of our current renewable natural gas assets are located in the region of Tuscany in Central Italy. As a result of this concentration, we may be disproportionately exposed to the impact of regional supply and demand factors, delays or interruptions of production from wells in this area caused by governmental regulation, appropriation and banning, processing or transportation capacity constraints, availability of equipment, facilities, personnel or services market limitations or interruption of the processing or transportation of natural gas. In addition, the effect of fluctuations on supply and demand may become more pronounced within specific geographic natural gas producing areas, which may cause these conditions to occur with greater frequency or magnify the effects of these conditions. We operate in geographic areas with a constantly evolving political landscape, to the extent regulatory regimes or prohibitions are implemented or return in the areas in which we operate, our business will be disproportionately affected due to our geographic concentration. Due to the concentrated nature of our portfolio of properties, a number of our properties could experience any of the same conditions at the same time, resulting in a relatively greater impact on our results of operations than they might have on other companies that have a more diversified portfolio of properties. Additionally, we do not hold title to our properties in Italy, but hold exploration permits and exploitation concessions granted by the Italian government. Under Italian law, each exploration permit is an exclusive right to explore for hydrocarbons and is subject to two renewals of three years each, being granted after the initial term of six years (article 6, paragraph 4, of Law 9/1991). To the extent we are unable to timely renew or obtain permits, our operations could be delayed or interrupted. Such delays or interruptions could have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition and results of operations.

We have less control over our investments in foreign properties than we would have over domestic investments.

Our exploration, development and production activities are subject to various political, economic and other uncertainties, including but not limited to changes, sometimes frequent or marked, in energy policies or the personnel administering them, expropriation of property, cancellation or modification of contract rights, changes in laws and policies governing operations of foreign-based companies, unilateral renegotiation of contracts by governmental entities, uncertainties as to whether the laws and regulations will be applicable in any particular circumstance, uncertainty as to whether we will be able to demonstrate to the satisfaction of the applicable governing authorities compliance with governmental or contractual requirements, redefinition of international boundaries or boundary

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disputes, foreign exchange restrictions, currency fluctuations, foreign currency availability, royalty and tax increases, changes to tax legislation or the imposition of new taxes, the imposition of production bonuses or other charges and other risks arising out of governmental sovereignty over the areas in which our operations are conducted.

Our operations require, and any future opportunistic acquisitions may require, protracted negotiations with host governments, local governments and communities, local competent authorities, national companies, and third parties. Host governments may also conduct audits of our operations, the results of which may have a significant negative impact on our reported earnings or cash flows. Host governments may seek to participate in natural gas projects in a manner that could be diluted to our interests. Host governments may also require us to hire a specified percentage of local citizens in our operations. In addition, if a dispute arises with respect to our foreign operations, we may be subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of foreign courts or may not be successful in subjecting foreign persons, especially foreign ministries and national companies, to the jurisdiction of the U.S.

We may expand our operations globally, which would subject us to additional anti-corruption, anti-bribery, anti-money laundering, trade compliance, economic sanctions and similar laws, and non-compliance with such laws may subject us to criminal or civil liability and harm our business, financial condition and/or results of operations. We may also be subject to governmental export and import controls that could impair our ability to compete in international markets or subject us to liability if we violate the controls.

If we expand our operations globally, we would be subject to the U.S. Foreign Corrupt Practices Act of 1977, as amended, U.S. domestic bribery laws, and other anti-corruption and anti-money laundering laws in the countries in which we would conduct business. Anti-corruption and anti-bribery laws have been enforced aggressively in recent years and are interpreted broadly to generally prohibit companies, their employees, and their third-party intermediaries from authorizing, offering, or providing, directly or indirectly, improper payments or benefits to recipients in the public or private sector. If we engage in international operations, sales and business with partners and third-party intermediaries to market our products, we may be required to obtain additional permits, licenses, and other regulatory approvals. In addition, we or our third-party intermediaries may have direct or indirect interactions with officials and employees of government agencies or state-owned or affiliated entities. If third-party intermediaries, or our employees, agents, representatives, contractors, or partners engage in violations while engaging in business on behalf of the Company, we may be subject to criminal or civil liability, even if we do not authorize such activities.

Our results of operations, financial condition and cash flows could be adversely affected by changes in currency exchange rates.

We are exposed to foreign currency risk from our foreign operations. A weakening U.S. dollar will have the effect of increasing costs, while a strengthening U.S. dollar will have the effect of reducing operating costs. The exchange rate between the Euro and the U.S. dollar has fluctuated widely in recent years in response to international political conditions, general economic conditions, the European sovereign debt crisis and other factors beyond our control. Our financial statements, presented in U.S. dollars, may be affected by foreign currency fluctuations through both translation risk and transaction risk.

We do not currently utilize derivative instruments to manage these foreign currency risks. As a result, our consolidated earnings and cash flows may be impacted by movements in the exchange rates.

Our results of operations, financial condition and cash flows could be adversely affected by changes in environmental laws and regulations.

Our operations must comply with intensive environmental laws and regulations. Increased regulation of environmental matters and the need to obtain stricter environmental local and governmental approvals and permits, might increase operational costs and timing and conditions of those approvals and permits.

Increased environmental standards, issues related to compliance with environmental regulations and decreased subsidies' programs may curtail, delay or cancel our scheduled projects, or the development schedule.

Our business is and will be subject to issues related to compliance with environmental regulations, to environmental hazards, such as biomethane plant leaks, pipeline and tank ruptures, and unauthorized releases of toxic gases or other pollutants into the environment. Any of these risks could result in substantial losses due to personal

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injury and/or loss of life, severe damage to and destruction of property, equipment and natural resources, pollution or other environmental damage, disruptions to our operations, regulatory investigations and penalties, suspension of our operations, repair and remediation costs.

Risks Relating to our Organizational Structure, our Class A Common Stock and Public Warrants

We are a holding company and our organizational structure is what is commonly referred to as an Up-C structure, whereby all of the equity interests in AleAnna Energy are held by HoldCo and our sole material asset is our equity interest in HoldCo and we are accordingly dependent upon distributions from HoldCo to pay taxes, and cover our corporate and other overhead expenses.

We are a holding company and have no material assets other than our equity interest in HoldCo. We have no independent means of generating revenue. To the extent that we need funds and HoldCo or its subsidiaries are restricted from making such distributions under applicable law or regulation or under the terms of any financing or other contractual arrangements, or are otherwise unable to provide such funds, it could materially adversely affect our liquidity and financial condition. If HoldCo does not distribute sufficient funds to us to pay our taxes or other liabilities, we may default on contractual obligations or have to borrow additional funds. In the event that we are required to borrow additional funds, it could adversely affect our liquidity and subject us to additional restrictions imposed by lenders.

We anticipate that the distributions received from HoldCo may, in certain periods, exceed its actual tax liabilities and other financial obligations. Our Board of Directors (the "Board"), in its sole discretion, will make any determination from time to time with respect to the use of any such excess cash so accumulated. We will have no obligation to distribute such cash (or other available cash other than any declared dividend) to our stockholders.

In addition, the up-C structure confers certain benefits upon the members of HoldCo that will not benefit the holders of our Class A Common Stock to the same extent as it will benefit the HoldCo members. If HoldCo makes distributions to us, the HoldCo members will be entitled to receive equivalent distributions from HoldCo on a pro rata basis. However, because we must pay taxes, amounts ultimately distributed as dividends, if any in the future, to holders of our Class A Common Stock are expected to be less on a per share basis than the amounts distributed by HoldCo to its members on a per unit basis. This and other aspects of the up-C structure may adversely impact the trading market for your Class A Common Stock.

If HoldCo were to become a publicly traded partnership taxable as a corporation for U.S. federal income tax purposes, we and HoldCo might be subject to potentially significant tax inefficiencies.

We intend to operate such that HoldCo does not become a publicly traded partnership taxable as a corporation for U.S. federal income tax purposes. A "publicly traded partnership" is a partnership the interests of which are traded on an established securities market or are readily tradable on a secondary market or the substantial equivalent thereof. Under certain circumstances, the exchange of units of Class C HoldCo Units pursuant to (i) a holder's right to exchange all or a portion of its Class C HoldCo Units, together with an equal number of Class C Common Stock, for shares of Class A Common Stock (the "HoldCo Holder Redemption Right") or (ii) the right of HoldCo upon a change of control of HoldCo or in the discretion of AleAnna with the consent of 50% of the holders of Class C HoldCo Units, to cause the exchange of all of the outstanding Class C HoldCo Units and an equal number of Class C Common Stock for shares of Class A Common Stock (a "Mandatory Exchange") or (iii) other transfers of Class C HoldCo Units could cause HoldCo to be treated as a publicly traded partnership. Applicable U.S. Treasury regulations provide for certain safe harbors from treatment as a publicly traded partnership, and we intend to operate such that redemptions or other transfers of Class C HoldCo Units qualify for one or more of such safe harbors. For example, we limited the number of holders of Class C HoldCo Units, and the limited liability company agreement of HoldCo (the "A&R HoldCo LLC Agreement"), provides for certain limitations on the ability of holders of Class C HoldCo Units to transfer their Class C HoldCo Units and provides us, as the manager of HoldCo, with the right to prohibit the exercise of a HoldCo Holder Redemption Right if it determines (based on the advice of counsel) there is a material risk that HoldCo would be a publicly traded partnership as a result of such exercise.

If HoldCo were to become a publicly traded partnership taxable as a corporation for U.S. federal income tax purposes, significant tax inefficiencies might result for us and for HoldCo, including as a result of our inability to file a consolidated U.S. federal income tax return with HoldCo.

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In certain circumstances, HoldCo is required to make tax distributions to the HoldCo unitholders, including us, and the tax distributions that HoldCo is required to make may be substantial. The HoldCo tax distribution requirement may complicate our ability to maintain our intended capital structure.

In certain circumstances, HoldCo may be required to make quarterly tax distributions to the HoldCo unitholders, including us. Such distributions are to be made pro rata and in an amount sufficient to cause each HoldCo unitholder to receive a distribution at least equal to such HoldCo unitholder's allocable share of net taxable income (in the case of each HoldCo unitholder other than us, taking into account prior normal operating pro rata distributions made to such HoldCo unitholders in such year and calculated under certain assumptions) multiplied by an assumed tax rate. The assumed tax rate for this purpose will be the combined maximum U.S. federal, state, and local rate of tax applicable to us for the applicable taxable year unless otherwise determined by HoldCo. As a result of certain assumptions in calculating the tax distribution payments, we may receive tax distributions from HoldCo in excess of its actual tax liability.

The receipt of such excess distributions would complicate our ability to maintain certain aspects of our capital structure. Such cash, if retained, could cause the value of a Class C HoldCo Unit to deviate from the value of a share of Class A Common Stock. If we retain such cash balances, the holders of Class C HoldCo Units would benefit from any value attributable to such accumulated cash balances as a result of their exercise of the HoldCo Holder Redemption Right or a Mandatory Exchange. We intend to take steps to eliminate any material cash balances. Such steps could include distributing such cash balances as dividends on our Class A Common Stock and reinvesting such cash balances in HoldCo for additional Class C HoldCo Units (with an accompanying stock dividend with respect to our Class A Common Stock or an adjustment to the one-to-one exchange ratio applicable to the exercise of the HoldCo Holder Redemption Right or a Mandatory Exchange).

The tax distributions to the HoldCo unitholders may be substantial and may, in the aggregate, exceed the amount of taxes that HoldCo would have paid if it were a similarly situated corporate taxpayer. Funds used by HoldCo to satisfy its tax distribution obligations will generally not be available for reinvestment in its business.

If we cannot meet the continued listing requirements of Nasdaq, Nasdaq may delist our securities.

As a public company, we are subject to the reporting requirements and the rules and regulations of the applicable listing standards of Nasdaq. If we fail to maintain compliance with the continued listing standards of Nasdaq, our securities may be delisted, which could negatively affect the market price and liquidity of our Class A Common Stock. In such case, we may seek to regain compliance by implementing a number of available options, including implementation of a reverse stock split to regain compliance with the Nasdaq's minimum bid price requirement.

Volatility in the stock market may prevent investors from selling their securities at or above the price they paid for the shares.

The stock market is known for its volatility, and the market price of our securities may fluctuate significantly due to a number of factors that are both under our control and beyond our control. These factors include, among others, variations in our operating results, changes in expectations of future financial performance or changes in estimates of securities analysts, changes in the operating and stock price performance of other companies that investors deem comparable to us, and news reports relating to trends in our markets or general economic conditions. As a result, investors might not be able to sell their shares at or above the price they paid, which may result in substantial losses to the investor.

Our management team has limited recent experience in operating a public company.

Our executive officers have limited recent experience in the management of a publicly traded company. Our management team may not successfully or effectively manage our operations to comply with the regulatory oversight and reporting obligations under federal securities laws. We may not have adequate personnel with the appropriate level of knowledge, experience, and training in the policies, practices or internal controls over financial reporting required of public companies in the United States. As a result, we may be required to pay higher outside legal, accounting or consulting costs than our competitors, and our management team may have to devote a higher proportion of their time to issues relating to compliance with the laws applicable to public companies, both of which might put us at a disadvantage relative to competitors.

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We are controlled by Nautilus, whose interests may conflict with ours and the interests of other stockholders.

Nautilus holds 84.85% of the voting power of AleAnna. Nautilus has the ability to determine all corporate actions requiring stockholder approval, including the election and removal of directors and the size of the Board, any amendment to our Certificate of Incorporation (the "Certificate of Incorporation") or our Bylaws (the "Bylaws"), or the approval of any merger or other significant corporate transaction, including a sale of substantially all of our assets. This could have the effect of delaying or preventing a change in control or otherwise discouraging a potential acquirer from attempting to obtain control of us, which could cause the market price of our Class A Common Stock to decline or prevent stockholders from realizing a premium over the market price for our Class A Common Stock. The interests of Nautilus may conflict with our interests as a company or the interests of our other stockholders.

We are a "controlled company" within the meaning of Nasdaq Capital Market rules and, as a result, qualify for exemptions from certain corporate governance requirements, and as a result, you will not have the same protections afforded to stockholders of companies that are not exempt from such corporate governance requirements.

Over 50% of our voting power for the election of directors is held by Nautilus. As a result, we are a controlled company within the meaning of Nasdaq Capital Market corporate governance standards. Under Nasdaq Capital Market rules, a controlled company may elect not to comply with certain Nasdaq corporate governance requirements, including the requirements that:

- a majority of the Board consist of independent directors under Nasdaq Capital Market rules;
- the nominating and governance committee be composed entirely of independent directors with a written charter addressing the committee's purpose and responsibilities; and
- the compensation committee be composed entirely of independent directors with a written charter addressing the committee's purpose and responsibilities.

These requirements will not apply to us as long as we remain a controlled company. We may utilize some or all of these exemptions. Accordingly, you may not have the same protections afforded to stockholders of companies that are subject to all of the corporate governance requirements of Nasdaq Capital Market.

The market price of our Class A Common Stock could be adversely affected by sales of substantial amounts of our Class A Common Stock in the public or private markets or the perception in the public markets that these sales may occur, including sales by the members of AleAnna Energy after the redemption of any Class C HoldCo Units, together with an equal number of our Class C Common Stock, in exchange for shares of our Class A Common Stock, or other large holders.

We have provided registration rights to certain large stockholders, including Nautilus, pursuant to the A&R Registration Rights Agreement (as defined herein). Sales of shares of our Class A Common Stock by Nautilus, including after the redemption of any Class C HoldCo Units, together with the cancellation of an equal number of our Class C Common Stock, for shares of our Class A Common Stock, or by other large holders of a substantial number of shares of our Class A Common Stock in the public markets following the business combination, or the perception that such sales might occur, could have a material adverse effect on the price of our Class A Common Stock or could impair our ability to obtain capital through an offering of equity securities in the future. Approximately 63,922,582 shares of Class A Common Stock are subject to registration rights in the Registration Rights Agreement.

Future sales and issuances of our Class A Common Stock could result in additional dilution of the percentage ownership of our stockholders and could cause our share price to fall.

We expect that additional capital may be needed in the future to pursue our growth plan. Particularly if natural gas prices negatively diverge from current levels or if our expectations around capital expenditure and operating costs are incorrect. To raise capital, we may sell shares of our Class A Common Stock, convertible securities or other equity securities in one or more transactions at prices and in a manner we determine from time to time. If we sell shares of our Class A Common Stock, convertible securities or other equity securities, investors may be materially diluted by subsequent sales. Such sales may also result in material dilution to our existing stockholders, and new investors could gain rights, preferences, and privileges senior to existing holders of our Class A Common Stock.

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If our estimates or judgments relating to our critical accounting policies prove to be incorrect or financial reporting standards or interpretations change, our operating results could be adversely affected.

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("GAAP") requires management to make estimates, judgments, and assumptions that affect the amounts reported in our financial statements and accompanying notes. We base our estimates on historical experience and on various other assumptions that we believe to be reasonable under the circumstances. The results of these estimates form the basis for making judgments about the carrying values of assets, liabilities, and equity as of the date of the financial statements, and the amount of revenue and expenses, during the periods presented, that are not readily apparent from other sources. Significant assumptions and estimates used in preparing our financial statements include those related to impairment of intangible and long-lived assets, and share-based compensation. Our operating results may be adversely affected if our assumptions change or if actual circumstances differ from those in our assumptions, which could cause our operating results to fall below the expectations of industry or financial analysts and investors, resulting in a decline in the trading price of our Class A Common Stock.

Additionally, we regularly monitor our compliance with applicable financial reporting standards and review new pronouncements and drafts thereof that are relevant to us. As a result of new standards, changes to existing standards, and changes in interpretation, we might be required to change our accounting policies, alter our operational policies, or implement new or enhance existing systems so that they reflect new or amended financial reporting standards, or we may be required to restate our published financial statements. Changes to existing standards or changes in their interpretation may have an adverse effect on our reputation, business, financial position, and profit, or cause an adverse deviation from our revenue and operating profit target, which may negatively impact our financial results.

We have previously identified material weaknesses in our internal control over financial reporting. If we are unable to develop and maintain an effective system of internal control over financial reporting, we may not be able to accurately report the Company's financial results in a timely manner, which may adversely affect investor confidence in us and materially and adversely affect our business and operating results, and we may face litigation as a result.

In connection with the preparation of AleAnna Energy's financial statements as of and for the years ended December 31, 2023 and 2022, management of AleAnna Energy noted a material weakness in its internal control over financial reporting as follows:

- AleAnna Energy's management did not maintain an effective control environment in accordance with the COSO framework as it did not maintain a sufficient complement of accounting and reporting resources commensurate with its financial reporting requirements. This material weakness contributed to the following material weaknesses:
 - AleAnna Energy's management did not design, implement, and operate controls over the selection and implementation of accounting policies to ensure amounts recorded and disclosed were fairly stated in accordance with GAAP; and
 - AleAnna Energy's management did not design or maintain appropriate account reconciliation controls to review the work of third-party consultants used to assist management in recording transactions.

In addition, Swiftmerge's management concluded that, as of December 31, 2023, Swiftmerge had material weaknesses in its internal control over financial reporting related to Swiftmerge's review controls over the recording of an unbilled amount due to a third-party service provider and interest income.

A material weakness is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over financial reporting such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of annual or interim financial statements will not be prevented, or detected and corrected, on a timely basis. Effective internal controls are necessary to provide reliable financial reports and prevent fraud, and material weaknesses could limit the ability to prevent or detect a misstatement of accounts or disclosures that could result in a material misstatement of annual or interim financial statements. AleAnna's management continues to evaluate steps to remediate the material weaknesses. We are in the early stages of designing and implementing a plan to remediate the material weaknesses identified. Our plan includes the below:

- Designing and implementing a risk assessment process supporting the identification of risks facing AleAnna.

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- Implementing controls to enhance our review of significant accounting transactions and other new technical accounting and financial reporting issues and preparing and reviewing accounting memoranda addressing these issues.
- Hiring additional experienced accounting, financial reporting and internal control personnel and changing roles and responsibilities of our personnel as we transition to being a public company and are required to comply with Section 404 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act.
- Implementing controls to enable an accurate and timely review of accounting records that support our accounting processes and maintain documents for internal accounting reviews.

We cannot assure you that these measures will remediate the material weaknesses described above. The implementation of these remediation measures is in the early stages and will require validation and testing of the design and operating effectiveness of our internal controls over a sustained period of financial reporting cycles and, as a result, the timing of when we will be able to remediate the material weaknesses is uncertain and we may not remediate these material weaknesses during the year ended December 31, 2024. If the steps we take do not remediate the material weaknesses in a timely manner, there could be a reasonable possibility that these control deficiencies or others may result in a material misstatement of our annual or interim financial statements that would not be prevented or detected on a timely basis. This, in turn, could jeopardize our ability to comply with our reporting obligations, limit our ability to access the capital markets and adversely impact our stock price.

As a result of becoming a public company, we are required to develop and maintain proper and effective internal control over financial reporting in order to comply with Section 404 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act. We may not complete our analysis of our internal control over financial reporting in a timely manner, or these internal controls may not be determined to be effective, which may adversely affect investor confidence in us and, as a result, the value of our Class A Common Stock. In addition, because of our status as an emerging growth company, you will not be able to depend on any attestation from our independent registered public accountants as to our internal control over financial reporting for the foreseeable future.

We are required by Section 404 of the Sarbanes -Oxley Act to furnish a report by management on, among other things, the effectiveness of our internal control over financial reporting in our second annual report following the completion of the Business Combination. The process of designing and implementing internal control over financial reporting required to comply with this requirement will be time-consuming, costly and complicated. If during the evaluation and testing process we identify one or more other material weaknesses in our internal control over financial reporting our management will be unable to assert that our internal control over financial reporting is effective. In addition, if we fail to achieve and maintain the adequacy of our internal controls, as such standards are modified, supplemented or amended from time to time, we may not be able to ensure that we can conclude on an ongoing basis that we have effective internal controls over financial reporting in accordance with Section 404 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act.

In addition, our independent registered public accounting firm will not be required to attest formally to the effectiveness of our internal control over financial reporting pursuant to Section 404 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act for as long as we qualify for scaled "smaller reporting company" disclosure under the Exchange Act. Accordingly, you will not be able to depend on any attestation concerning our internal control over financial reporting from our independent registered public accountants for the foreseeable future.

We cannot be certain as to the timing of completion of our evaluation, testing and any remediation actions or the impact of the same on our operations. If we are not able to implement the requirements of Section 404 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act in a timely manner or with adequate compliance. As a result, there could be a negative reaction in the financial markets due to a loss of confidence in the reliability of our financial statements. In addition, we may be required to incur costs in improving our internal control system and the hiring of additional personnel. Any such action could negatively affect our results of operations and cash flows.

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We do not have experience operating as a public company subject to U.S. federal securities laws and may not be able to adequately develop and implement the governance, compliance, risk management and control infrastructure and culture required for a public company, including compliance with the Sarbanes-Oxley Act.

We do not have experience operating as a public company subject to U.S. federal securities laws. Our officers and directors have limited recent experience in managing a public company subject to U.S. federal securities laws, which makes their ability to comply with applicable laws, rules and regulations uncertain. Our failure to comply with all applicable laws, rules and regulations could subject us to U.S. regulatory scrutiny or sanction, which could harm its reputation and share price.

AleAnna has not previously been required to prepare or file periodic or other reports with the SEC or to comply with the other requirements of U.S. federal securities laws. Additionally, AleAnna has not previously been required to establish and maintain the disclosure controls and procedures, and internal control over financial reporting applicable to a public company under U.S. federal securities laws, including the Sarbanes-Oxley Act. We may experience errors, mistakes and lapses in processes and controls, resulting in failure to meet requisite U.S. standards.

As a public company subject to U.S. federal securities laws, we will incur significant legal, accounting, insurance, compliance, and other expenses. Compliance with reporting, internal control over financial reporting and corporate governance obligations may require members of our management and our finance and accounting staff to divert time and resources from other responsibilities to ensure these new regulatory requirements are fulfilled.

If it fails to adequately implement the required governance and control framework, we may fail to comply with the applicable rules or requirements associated with being a public company subject to U.S. federal securities laws. Such failure could result in the loss of investor confidence, could harm our reputation, and cause the market price of our Class A Common Stock, and any other securities it may list in the future, to decline.

Due to inadequate governance and internal control policies, misstatements or omissions due to error or fraud may occur and may not be detected, which could result in failures to make required filings in a timely manner or result in making filings containing incorrect or misleading information. Any of these outcomes could result in SEC enforcement actions, monetary fines or other penalties, as well as damage to our reputation, business, financial condition, operating results and share price.

The JOBS Act permits “emerging growth companies” like us to take advantage of certain exemptions from various reporting requirements applicable to other public companies that are not emerging growth companies.

We qualify as an “emerging growth company” as defined in Section 2(a)(19) of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the “Securities Act”), as modified by the JOBS Act. As such, we take advantage of certain exemptions from various reporting requirements applicable to other public companies that are not emerging growth companies, including (i) the exemption from the auditor attestation requirements with respect to internal control over financial reporting under Section 404 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act, (ii) the exemptions from say-on-pay, say-on-frequency and say-on-golden parachute voting requirements and (iii) reduced disclosure obligations regarding executive compensation in our periodic reports and registration statements. As a result, our stockholders may not have access to certain information they deem important. We will remain an emerging growth company until the earliest of (i) the last day of the fiscal year (a) following the fifth anniversary of the closing of SPAC’s IPO, which is December 14, 2021, (b) in which we have total annual gross revenue of at least \$1.235 billion, or (c) in which we are deemed to be a large accelerated filer, which means the market value of our common equity that is held by non-affiliates exceeds \$700 million as of the end of the prior fiscal year’s second fiscal quarter; and (ii) the date on which we have issued more than \$1.00 billion in non-convertible debt securities during the prior three-year period. References herein to “emerging growth company” shall have the meaning associated with it in the JOBS Act.

In addition, Section 107 of the JOBS Act provides that an emerging growth company can take advantage of the exemption from complying with new or revised accounting standards provided in Section 7(a)(2)(B) of the Securities Act as long as we are an emerging growth company. An emerging growth company can therefore delay the adoption of certain accounting standards until those standards would otherwise apply to private companies. The JOBS Act provides that a company can elect to opt out of the extended transition period and comply with the requirements that apply to non-emerging growth companies, but any such election to opt out is irrevocable. We have elected not to irrevocably opt out of such extended transition period, which means that when a standard is issued or revised and it has different application dates for public or private companies, we may adopt the new or revised standard at the time public companies adopt the new or revised standard.

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Because we have no current plans to pay regular cash dividends on our Class A Common Stock, you may not receive any return on investment unless you sell your Class A Common Stock for a price greater than that which you paid for it.

We do not anticipate paying any regular cash dividends on our Class A Common. Any decision to declare and pay dividends in the future will be made at the discretion of our Board and will depend on, among other things, our results of operations, financial condition, cash requirements, contractual restrictions and other factors that our Board may deem relevant. In addition, our ability to pay dividends may in the future be limited by covenants of existing and any future outstanding indebtedness we or our subsidiaries incur. Therefore, any return on investment in our Class A Common Stock is solely dependent upon the appreciation of the price of our Class A Common Stock on the open market, which may not occur.

If securities or industry analysts do not publish or cease publishing research or reports about us, our business or our market, or if they change their recommendations regarding our Class A Common Stock adversely, the price and trading volume of our Class A Common Stock could decline.

The trading market for our shares of our Class A Common Stock will be influenced by the research and reports that industry or securities analysts may publish about us, our business, our market or our competitors. If any of the analysts who may cover us change their recommendation regarding our stock adversely, or provide more favorable relative recommendations about our competitors, the price of our shares of our Class A Common Stock would likely decline. If any analyst who may cover us were to cease their coverage or fail to regularly publish reports on us, we could lose visibility in the financial markets, which could cause our stock price or trading volume to decline.

Our Certificate of Incorporation designates the Court of Chancery of the State of Delaware as the exclusive forum for certain litigation that may be initiated by our shareholders, which could limit our shareholders' ability to obtain a favorable judicial forum for disputes with us.

Pursuant to our Certificate of Incorporation, unless we consent in writing to the selection of an alternative forum, the Court of Chancery of the State of Delaware will be the sole and exclusive forum for (i) any derivative action or proceeding brought on behalf of us, (ii) any action asserting a claim of breach of a fiduciary duty owed by any of our directors, officers, employees or agents to us or our stockholders, (iii) any action or proceeding asserting a claim against us arising pursuant to any provision of the Delaware General Corporation Law ("DGCL") or the Certificate of Incorporation or our Bylaws, (iv) any action to interpret, apply, enforce or determine the validity of the our Certificate of Incorporation or our Bylaws or (v) any action or proceeding asserting a claim against us governed by the internal affairs doctrine, in each case subject to said Court of Chancery having personal jurisdiction over the indispensable parties named as defendants therein. The forgoing provisions will not apply to any claims arising under the Exchange Act or the Securities Act and, unless we consent in writing to the selection of an alternative forum, the federal district courts of the United States of America will be the sole and exclusive forum for resolving any action asserting a claim arising under the Securities Act.

This choice of forum provision in our Certificate of Incorporation may limit a shareholder's ability to bring a claim in a judicial forum that it finds favorable for disputes with us or any of our directors, officers, or other employees, which may discourage lawsuits with respect to such claims. There is uncertainty as to whether a court would enforce such provisions, and the enforceability of similar choice of forum provisions in other companies' charter documents has been challenged in legal proceedings. It is possible that a court could find these types of provisions to be inapplicable or unenforceable, and if a court were to find the choice of forum provision contained in the Certificate of Incorporation to be inapplicable or unenforceable in an action, we may incur additional costs associated with resolving such action in other jurisdictions, which could harm our business, results of operations and financial condition. These exclusive-forum provisions may limit a shareholder's ability to bring a claim in a judicial forum that it finds favorable for disputes with us or our directors, officers, or other employees and this limitation may have the effect of discouraging lawsuits or make our securities less attractive to investors. Further, while the Delaware courts have determined that such choice of forum provisions are facially valid, a shareholder may nevertheless seek to bring such a claim arising under the Securities Act against our directors, officers, or other employees in a venue other than in the federal district courts of the United States of America. In such instance, we would expect to vigorously assert the validity and enforceability of the exclusive forum provisions of the Certificate of Incorporation. This may require significant additional costs associated with resolving such action in other jurisdictions and we cannot assure you that the provisions will be enforced by a court in those

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other jurisdictions. If a court were to find either exclusive-forum provision in our Certificate of Incorporation to be inapplicable or unenforceable in an action, it may incur further significant additional costs associated with resolving the dispute in other jurisdictions, all of which could harm our business.

The Company may redeem unexpired Public Warrants prior to their exercise at a time that is disadvantageous to the holder, thereby making the Public Warrants worthless.

We have the ability to redeem the outstanding Public Warrants at any time after they become exercisable and prior to their expiration, at a price of \$0.01 per Public Warrant, if, among other things, the last sales price of our Class A Common Stock equals or exceeds \$18.00 per share for a period of 20 trading days within any 30 trading day period (as adjusted for adjustments to the number of shares issuable upon exercise or the exercise price of a Public Warrant as described in the section titled "Description of Securities" in this Registration Statement on Form S-1). If and when the Public Warrants become redeemable by us, we may exercise our redemption right even if we are unable to register or qualify the underlying securities for sale under all applicable state securities laws. As a result, we may redeem the Public Warrants listed on Nasdaq as set forth above even if the holders are otherwise unable to exercise the Public Warrants. Redemption of the outstanding Public Warrants as described above could force holders to (i) exercise the Public Warrants and pay the exercise price therefor at a time when it may be disadvantageous for holders to do so, (ii) sell the Public Warrants at the then-current market price when holders might otherwise wish to hold the Public Warrants or (iii) accept the nominal redemption price which, at the time the outstanding Public Warrants are called for redemption, we expect would be substantially less than the market value of the Public Warrants.

We have the ability to require holders of the Public Warrants to exercise such Public Warrants on a cashless basis, which will cause holders to receive fewer shares of Class A Common Stock upon their exercise of the Public Warrants than they would have received had they been able to exercise their Public Warrants for cash.

If the Company calls the Public Warrants for redemption after the redemption criteria described elsewhere in this prospectus have been satisfied, we have the option to require any holder that wishes to exercise their Public Warrants to do so on a "cashless basis." If the Company's management chooses to require holders to exercise their Public Warrants on a cashless basis, the number of our Class A Common Stock received by a holder upon exercise will be fewer than it would have been had such holder exercised the Public Warrant for cash. This will have the effect of reducing the potential "upside" of the holder's investment in the Company.

The exclusive forum clause set forth in the warrant agreement governing the Public Warrants may have the effect of limiting an investor's rights to bring legal action against us and could limit the investor's ability to obtain a favorable judicial forum for disputes with us.

Our outstanding Public Warrants provide for investors to consent to exclusive forum to state or federal courts located in New York, New York. This exclusive forum may have the effect of limiting the ability of investors to bring a legal claim against us due to geographic limitations and may limit an investor's ability to bring a claim in a judicial forum that it finds favorable for disputes with us. Alternatively, if a court were to find this exclusive forum provision inapplicable to, or unenforceable in respect of, one or more of the specified types of actions or proceedings, we may incur additional costs associated with resolving such matters in other jurisdictions, which could adversely affect our business and financial condition. Notwithstanding the foregoing, nothing in the warrant limits or restricts the federal district court in which a holder of a warrant may bring a claim under the federal securities laws.

Our business and operations could be negatively affected if we become subject to any securities litigation or shareholder activism, which could cause us to incur significant expense, hinder execution of business and growth strategy and impact our stock price.

In the past, following periods of volatility in the market price of a company's securities, securities class action litigation has often been brought against that company. Shareholder activism, which could take many forms or arise in a variety of situations, has been increasing recently. Volatility in the stock price of our Class A Common Stock or other reasons may in the future cause it to become the target of securities litigation or shareholder activism. Securities litigation and shareholder activism, including potential proxy contests, could result in substantial costs and divert management's and the Board's attention and resources from our business. Additionally, such securities litigation and shareholder activism could give rise to perceived uncertainties as to our future, adversely affect our relationships with service providers and make it more difficult to attract and retain qualified personnel. Also, we may be required to incur

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significant legal fees and other expenses related to any securities litigation and activist shareholder matters. Further, our stock price could be subject to significant fluctuation or otherwise be adversely affected by the events, risks and uncertainties of any securities litigation and shareholder activism.

A substantial number of the Company's Class A Common Stock are restricted securities and as a result, there may be limited liquidity for our Class A Common Stock.

A substantial portion of our outstanding shares of Class A Common Stock currently constitute restricted securities and "control" securities for purposes of Rule 144 of the Securities Act or are otherwise subject to a contractual lockup. As a result, there may initially be limited liquidity in the trading market for our Class A Common Stock until these shares are sold pursuant to an effective registration statement under the Securities Act or the shares become available for resale without volume limitations or other restrictions under Rule 144 and are otherwise no longer subject to a lockup agreement. Even once these are no longer restricted or a registration statement for such shares has become effective, the liquidity for our Class A Common Stock may remain limited given the substantial holdings of such stockholders, which could make the price of our Class A Common Stock more volatile and may make it more difficult for investors to buy or sell large amounts of our Class A Common Stock.

Future resales of our Class A Common Stock may cause the market price of our Class A Common Stock to drop significantly, even if the Company's business is doing well.

AleAnna Energy's pre-Business Combination equity holders hold the substantial majority of our outstanding Class A Common Stock. The resale, or expected or potential resale, of a substantial number of our Class A Common Stock in the public market could adversely affect the market price for our Class A Common Stock and make it more difficult for you to sell your Class A Common Stock at times and prices that you feel are appropriate.

Further, sales of our Class A Common Stock upon expected expiration of resale restrictions could encourage short sales by market participants. Generally, short selling means selling a security, contract or commodity not owned by the seller. The seller is committed to eventually purchase the financial instrument previously sold. Short sales are used to capitalize on an expected decline in the security's price. As such, short sales of our Class A Common Stock could have a tendency to depress the price of our Class A Common Stock, which could further increase the potential for short sales.

If our existing shareholders sell or indicate an intention to sell substantial amounts of our Class A Common Stock in the public market, the trading price of our Class A Common Stock could decline. In addition, shares underlying any future outstanding options and restricted stock units will become eligible for sale if exercised or settled, as applicable, and to the extent permitted by the provisions of various vesting agreements and Rule 144 of the Securities Act. The Company may also issue shares in the ordinary course of its business, and cannot predict the size of future issuances or sales of our Class A Common Stock or the effect, if any, that future issuances and sales of our Class A Common Stock will have on the market price of our Class A Common Stock. Sales of substantial amounts of our Class A Common Stock, including issuances made in the ordinary course of the Company's business, or the perception that such sales could occur, may materially and adversely affect prevailing market prices of our Class A Common Stock. If these additional shares are sold, or if it is perceived that they will be sold in the public market, the trading price of our Class A Common Stock could decline.

Although Sponsor and certain other holders of our Class A Common Stock are subject to certain restrictions regarding the transfer of our Class A Common Stock, these shares may be sold after the expiration of their respective lock-ups. We intend to file one or more registration statements to provide for the resale of such shares from time to time. As restrictions on resale end and the registration statements are available for use, the market price of our Class A Common Stock could decline if the holders of currently restricted shares sell them or are perceived by the market as intending to sell them. In addition, registration rights we may grant in the future, including in the ordinary course of the Company's business, may further depress market prices if these registration rights are exercised or shares of our Class A Common Stock are sold under the registration statements, the presence of additional shares trading in the public market may also adversely affect the market price of our Class A Common Stock.

USE OF PROCEEDS

We may receive up to approximately \$129.4 million, assuming the exercise in full of all of the Public Warrants for cash. However, the exercise price of the Public Warrants is \$11.50 per share, which exceeds \$8.78, the closing price of our Class A Common Stock on the Nasdaq on January 10, 2025. Pursuant to the terms of the Public Warrants, no cashless exercise will be permitted unless the fair market value is equal to or higher than the warrant price. The likelihood that holders of Public Warrants will exercise their Public Warrants and the amount of any cash proceeds that we would receive is dependent upon the market price of our Class A Common Stock. If the market price for our Class A Common Stock is less than \$11.50 per share, we believe holders of Public Warrants will be unlikely to exercise their Public Warrants. Under certain circumstances, the Public Warrants may be exercised on a cashless basis. If the Public Warrants are exercised on a cashless basis, we will not receive any cash from these exercises. Unless we inform you otherwise in a prospectus supplement, we expect to use any net proceeds from the exercise of the Public Warrants for general corporate purposes.

We will not pay any brokers' or underwriters' discounts and commissions in connection with the registration and sale of the Class A Common Stock covered by this prospectus. We will bear all other costs, fees and expenses incurred in effecting the registration of such securities covered by this prospectus, including, without limitation, all registration and filing fees, Nasdaq listing fees, and fees of our counsel and our independent registered public accountants.

MARKET INFORMATION FOR COMMON STOCK AND DIVIDEND POLICY

Market Information

AleAnna's Class A Common Stock and Public Warrants are listed on Nasdaq, respectively, under the symbols "ANNA" and "ANNAW," respectively. Our Class A Common Stock and Public Warrants began public trading on December 16, 2024.

On January 10, 2025, the last sale price of the Class A Common Stock and the Public Warrants as reported on the Nasdaq were \$8.78 per share and \$0.18 per warrant, respectively.

As of January 13, 2025, there were (i) 40,560,433 shares of Class A Common Stock issued and outstanding and held of record by 41 holders, (ii) 25,994,400 shares of Class C Common Stock issued and outstanding and held of record by one holder, and (iii) 11,250,000 Public Warrants to acquire 11,250,000 shares of Class A Common Stock and held of record by one holder. There were no shares of Class B Common Stock outstanding. The number of record holders does not include The Depository Trust Company participants or beneficial owners holding shares or Warrants through banks, brokers, other financial institutions or other nominees.

Dividend Policy

We have not declared or paid any dividends on our Class A Common Stock. We currently do not anticipate paying cash dividends on our Class A Common Stock for the foreseeable future. Any decision to declare and pay dividends on our Class A Common Stock in the future will be made at the sole discretion of our Board and will depend on, among other things, our results of operations, cash requirements, financial condition, contractual restrictions, including those under any current or future debt instruments, and other factors that our board of directors may deem relevant.

UNAUDITED PRO FORMA CONDENSED COMBINED FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Introduction

The unaudited pro forma condensed combined balance sheet as of September 30, 2024 and the unaudited pro forma condensed combined statements of operations and comprehensive loss for the nine months ended September 30, 2024 and the year ended December 31, 2023 present the historical financial statements of SPAC and AleAnna Energy, adjusted to reflect the Business Combination. The unaudited condensed combined pro forma balance sheet as of September 30, 2024 gives pro forma effect to the Business Combination and related transactions as if they had occurred on September 30, 2024. The unaudited pro forma condensed combined statements of operations and comprehensive loss for the nine months ended September 30, 2024 and year ended December 31, 2023 give pro forma effect to the Business Combination and related transactions as if they had been consummated on January 1, 2023. The unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial information has been prepared in accordance with Regulation S-X, as amended.

SPAC was a blank check company whose purpose was to acquire, through a merger, share exchange, asset acquisition, stock purchase, reorganization or other similar business combination with one or more businesses. AleAnna Energy is a natural gas resource company focused on conventional and renewable natural gas production in Italy.

The Business Combination included, among other things:

- (i) SPAC undergoing the Domestication and changing its name to "AleAnna, Inc."; (ii) each Swiftmerge Class A Ordinary Share converting into one share of Class A Common Stock; (iii) each Swiftmerge Class B Ordinary Share converting into one share of Class B Common Stock in the Domestication and then each share of Class B Common Stock converting into one share of Class A Common Stock at the completion of the Business Combination; (iv) each warrant to purchase Swiftmerge Class A Ordinary Shares becoming exercisable by its terms to purchase an equal number of shares of Class A Common Stock; and (v) a series Class C Common Stock being authorized, each share of which will have voting rights equal to a share of Class A Common Stock but which shall have no entitlement to earnings or distributions of the Company;
- following the Domestication but prior to the Merger, (i) the Company contributed to HoldCo (a) all of its assets (excluding its interests in HoldCo), including, for the avoidance of doubt, the Available Cash (as defined herein), and (b) a number of shares of Class C Common Stock equal to the number of Class C HoldCo Units designated to be issued to the AleAnna Members, and (ii) HoldCo issued to the Company a number of Class A HoldCo Units which equaled the number of shares of Class A Common Stock issued and outstanding immediately after the Closing;
- following the Pre-Closing Contribution, Merger Sub merged with and into AleAnna Energy, with AleAnna Energy being the surviving company and a wholly-owned subsidiary of HoldCo. Each AleAnna Energy Member received its pro rata portion of 65,098,476 shares of (a) Class A Common Stock or (b) Class C Common Stock (with one Class C HoldCo Unit to accompany each share of Class C Common Stock) in the Merger, as determined by the AleAnna Energy Board. Nautilus, which owned approximately 97% of AleAnna Energy prior to the transaction, received 25,994,400 shares of Class C Common Stock and 25,994,400 Class C HoldCo Units in the Merger, as well as 37,134,194 shares of Class A Common Stock. The other AleAnna Energy Member, Bonanza Resources (Texas) Inc. received 1,969,882 shares of Class A Common Stock; and
- the common control reverse recapitalization between SPAC and AleAnna Energy.

The unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial information has been developed from and should be read in conjunction with:

- the notes accompanying the unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial statements;
- the historical audited and unaudited financial statements of SPAC included elsewhere in this Form S-1;
- the historical audited and unaudited financial statements of AleAnna Energy included elsewhere in this Form S-1;

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- the discussion of the financial condition and results of operations of SPAC and AleAnna Energy included elsewhere in this Form S-1; and
- other information contained in this Form S-1.

The Transactions were accomplished through an "Up-C" structure and the classification of consideration received by the AleAnna Energy Members, as the equityholders of AleAnna Energy immediately prior to the Closing, reflects such "Up-C" structure. Following the Closing, the AleAnna Energy Members hold 39,104,076 shares of Class A Common Stock, 25,994,400 Class C HoldCo Units that are exchangeable for an aggregate of 25,994,400 shares of Class A Common Stock and 25,994,400 shares of Class C Common Stock.

The estimated allocation of AleAnna Energy Member shares disclosed in Amendment No. 3 to the registration statement on Form S-4, filed with the SEC on November 14, 2024, was 54,028,594 Class C HoldCo Units and 11,069,882 shares of Class A Common Stock. Following that filing and prior to the Closing, the final share counts were determined, resulting in a revised allocation as noted above. Although this reallocation between Class C HoldCo Units and Class A Common Stock impacted the noncontrolling interest percentage held by AleAnna Energy Member Class C HoldCo unitholders, it did not change the total share counts or the overall diluted ownership percentage of AleAnna.

Due to the uncertainty of the amount and timing of future exchanges of Class C HoldCo Units, the unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial information assumes that no exchanges of Class C HoldCo Units have occurred and therefore, no increases in tax basis have been realized. Additionally, AleAnna Energy would recognize a full valuation allowance for any deferred tax asset realized based on AleAnna Energy's current assessment of the future realizability.

The following summarizes the Class A Common Stock outstanding as of December 13, 2024. The percentage of beneficial ownership is based on 66,554,833 shares of Company's Class A Common Stock and Class C Common Stock issued and outstanding as of December 13, 2024.

	Shares	%
SPAC Public Shareholders ⁽¹⁾	56,357	0.08%
AleAnna Energy Members and Affiliates ⁽²⁾	65,098,476	97.80%
Sponsor, Anchor Investors and NRA Parties ⁽³⁾	1,400,000	2.10%
Total Shares at Closing	66,554,833	100.00%

(1) SPAC Public Shareholders holding 1,158,556 Swiftmerge Class A Ordinary Shares exercised their Redemption Rights for an aggregate payment of approximately \$13.2 million (based on the per-share redemption price of approximately \$11.39 per share) from the Trust Account.

(2) Includes 25,994,400 shares of Class C Common Stock and 37,134,194 shares of Class A Common Stock issued to Nautilus Resources LLC and other entities controlled by the beneficial owner of Nautilus Resources LLC for their 247,824 AleAnna Energy Common Units and 105,711 Class 1 Preferred Units. Also includes 1,969,882 shares of Class A Common Stock issued to Bonanza Resources (Texas) Inc. for its 18,679 AleAnna Energy Common Units.

(3) Reflects forfeiture of an aggregate of 4,225,000 Swiftmerge Class A and Swiftmerge Class B Ordinary Shares held by Sponsor, certain qualified institutional buyers or institutional accredited investors (the "Anchor Investors") and certain unaffiliated third-party investors (the "NRA Parties") at closing. Sponsor, Anchor Investors and NRA Parties retained 1,400,000 shares of Class A Common Stock. Also reflects the surrender of 6,350,000 SPAC Private Warrants held by Sponsor and 3,000,000 SPAC Private Warrants held by Anchor Investors in connection with the completion of the Business Combination.

These unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial statements are for informational purposes only. They do not purport to indicate the results that would have been obtained had the Business Combination and related transactions actually been completed on the assumed date or for the period presented, or which may be realized in the future. The pro forma adjustments are based on the information currently available and the assumptions and estimates underlying the pro forma adjustments are described in the accompanying notes. Actual results may differ materially from the assumptions within the accompanying unaudited pro forma condensed consolidated combined financial information.

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UNAUDITED PRO FORMA CONDENSED COMBINED BALANCE SHEET
As of September 30, 2024

	Historical		Transaction Accounting Adjustments	Note 2	Pro Forma Combined			
	Swiftmerge	AleAnna Energy						
ASSETS								
Current Assets								
Cash	\$ 9,520	\$ 43,370,175	\$ (8,155,324)	(a)	\$ 35,224,371			
Prepaid expenses and other assets	22,543	2,760,106	(830,518)	(c)	1,952,131			
Total current assets	32,063	46,130,281	(8,985,842)		37,176,502			
Cash held in Trust Account	\$13,713,477	\$ —	\$ (13,713,477)	(a)	\$ —			
Natural gas and other properties, successful efforts method	—	30,912,739	—		30,912,739			
Renewable natural gas properties	—	9,525,352	—		9,525,352			
Value-added tax refund receivable	—	5,858,639	—		5,858,639			
Operating lease right-of-use assets	—	1,842,659	—		1,842,659			
Deferred tax assets	—	—	—	(b)	—			
Total assets	\$13,745,540	\$ 94,269,670	\$ (22,699,319)		\$ 85,315,891			
LIABILITIES, REDEEMABLE COMMON STOCK AND STOCKHOLDERS' (DEFICIT) EQUITY								
Current Liabilities								
Promissory note – related party	\$ 1,006,000	\$ —	\$ (1,006,000)	(a)	\$ —			
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	2,968,066	1,772,612	(3,819,127)	(a)	921,551			
Due to Sponsor and related party	266,800	—	(266,800)	(a)	—			
Lease liability, short term	—	166,293	—		166,293			
Contingent consideration, short term	—	14,572,288	—		14,572,288			
Derivative liability, at fair value	—	—	—		—			
Total current liabilities	\$ 4,240,866	\$ 16,511,193	\$ (5,091,927)		\$ 15,660,132			
Asset retirement obligation	\$ —	\$ 4,342,611	\$ —		\$ 4,342,611			
Lease liability, long term	—	1,748,995	—		1,748,995			
Contingent consideration, long term	—	12,215,323	—		12,215,323			
Total liabilities	\$ 4,240,866	\$ 34,818,122	\$ (5,091,927)		\$ 33,967,061			
AleAnna Energy's Temporary Equity (Class 1 Preferred Units)	\$ —	\$ 369,987,776	\$ (369,987,776)	(e)	\$ —			
Class A ordinary shares subject to possible redemption	13,613,477	—	(13,613,477)	(d), (e)	—			
Total Temporary Equity and Redeemable Common Stock	\$13,613,477	\$ 369,987,776	\$ (383,601,253)		\$ —			
Class A Common Stock	\$ 337	\$ —	\$ 3,719	(e)	\$ 4,056			
Class B Common Stock	225	—	(225)	(e)	—			
Class C Common Stock	—	—	2,599	(e)	2,599			
Additional paid-in capital	—	—	226,722,424	(e)	226,722,424			
Accumulated other comprehensive loss		(4,962,129)	—		(4,962,129)			
Accumulated deficit	(4,109,365)	(306,000,508)	119,636,379	(e)	(190,473,494)			

Noncontrolling interest	\$ —	\$ 426,409	\$ 19,628,965	(e), (f)	\$ 20,055,374
Total stockholders' equity (deficit)	(4,108,803)	(310,536,228)	365,993,861		51,348,830
Total Liabilities, Temporary Equity, Redeemable Common Stock and Stockholders' (Deficit) Equity	\$13,745,540	\$ 94,269,670	\$ 22,699,319		\$ 85,315,891

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UNAUDITED PRO FORMA CONDENSED COMBINED STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS
Nine Months Ended September 30, 2024

	Historical		Transaction Accounting Adjustments	Note 2	Pro Forma Combined
	Swiftmerge	AleAnna Energy			
Revenues	\$ —	\$ 648,328	\$ —		\$ 648,328
Cost of revenues	—	538,607	—		538,607
General and administrative	1,186,878	4,473,833	—		5,660,711
Depreciation		51,311			51,311
Accretion of asset retirement obligation	—	99,930	—		99,930
Increase in contingent consideration liability	—	304,929	—		304,929
Total operating expenses	\$ 1,186,878	\$ 5,468,610	\$ —		\$ 6,655,488
Loss from operations	\$ (1,186,878)	\$ (4,820,282)	\$ —		\$ (6,007,160)
Other income (expense):					
Gain on investments held in Trust Account	\$ 663,121	\$ —	\$ (663,121)	(g)	\$ —
Change in fair value of derivative liability	—	173,177	—		173,177
Interest and other income	—	1,325,660	—		1,325,660
Total other income (expense)	\$ 663,121	\$ 1,498,837	\$ (663,121)		\$ 1,498,837
Loss before provision for income taxes	\$ (523,757)	\$ (3,321,445)	\$ (663,121)		\$ (4,508,323)
Income tax expense	—	—	—		—
Net loss	\$ (523,757)	\$ (3,321,445)	\$ (663,121)		\$ (4,508,323)
Net loss attributable to noncontrolling interest	—	—	(1,760,821)	(h)	(1,760,821)
Net loss attributable to AleAnna, Inc.	\$ (523,757)	\$ (3,321,445)	\$ 1,097,700		\$ (2,747,502)
Weighted average Class A Common Stock outstanding, basic and diluted				(i)	40,560,433
Net loss per share of Class A Common Stock, basic and diluted				(i)	\$ (0.07)
Basic and diluted weighted average AleAnna Energy Common Units outstanding, basic and diluted			266,503		
Basic and diluted net loss per AleAnna Energy Common Unit		\$ (595.66)			
Basic and diluted weighted average shares outstanding, Class A redeemable ordinary shares		1,542,591			
Basic and diluted net loss per Class A redeemable ordinary shares	\$ (0.07)				
Basic and diluted weighted average shares outstanding, Class A non- redeemable ordinary shares	3,375,000				
Basic and diluted net loss per Class A non-redeemable ordinary shares	\$ (0.07)				
Basic and diluted weighted average shares outstanding, Class B ordinary shares	2,250,000				
Basic and diluted net loss per Class B ordinary shares	\$ (0.07)				

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UNAUDITED PRO FORMA CONDENSED COMBINED STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS
Year Ended December 31, 2023

	Historical		Transaction Accounting Adjustments	Note 2	Pro Forma Combined
	Swiftmerge	AleAnna Energy			
General and administrative	\$ 3,085,175	\$ 5,634,150	\$ 3,987,967	(j)	\$ 12,707,292
Accretion of asset retirement obligation	—	133,239	—		133,239
Increase in contingent consideration liability	—	866,519	—		866,519
Total operating expenses	\$ 3,085,175	\$ 6,633,908	\$ 3,987,967		\$ 13,707,050
Loss from operations	\$ (3,085,175)	\$(6,633,908)	\$ (3,987,967)		\$(13,707,050)
Other income (expense):					
Gain on investments held in Trust Account	\$ 6,501,789	\$ —	\$ (6,501,789)	(g)	\$ —
Other income and expenses	—	(102,041)	—		(102,041)
Change in fair value of derivative liability	—	708,869	—		708,869
Total other income (expense)	\$ 6,501,789	\$ 606,828	\$ (6,501,789)		\$ 606,828
Loss before provision for income taxes	\$ 3,416,614	\$(6,027,080)	\$(10,489,756)		\$(13,100,222)
Income tax expense	—	—	—		—
Net loss	\$ 3,416,614	\$(6,027,080)	\$(10,489,756)		\$(13,100,222)
Net loss attributable to noncontrolling interest	—	—	(5,116,569)	(h)	(5,116,569)
Net loss attributable to AleAnna, Inc.	\$ 3,416,614	\$(6,027,080)	\$ (5,373,187)		\$ (7,983,653)
Weighted average Class A Common Stock outstanding, basic and diluted				(i)	40,560,433
Net loss per share of Class A Common Stock, basic and diluted				(i)	\$ (0.20)
Basic and diluted weighted average AleAnna Energy Common Units outstanding, basic and diluted			266,503		
Basic and diluted net loss per AleAnna Energy Common Unit		\$ (222.31)			
Basic and diluted weighted average shares outstanding, Class A redeemable ordinary shares		10,232,877			
Basic and diluted net loss per Class A redeemable ordinary shares	\$ 0.22				
Basic and diluted weighted average shares outstanding, Class A non-redeemable ordinary shares		1,840,068			
Basic and diluted net loss per Class A non-redeemable ordinary shares	\$ 0.22				
Basic and diluted weighted average shares outstanding, Class B ordinary shares		3,784,932			
Basic and diluted net loss per Class B ordinary shares	\$ 0.22				

NOTES TO UNAUDITED PRO FORMA CONDENSED COMBINED FINANCIAL INFORMATION**Note 1 — Basis of Presentation**

The unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial information has been prepared to illustrate the estimated effect of the business combination.

The Business Combination has been accounted for as a common control transaction with respect to AleAnna Energy which is akin to a reverse recapitalization. This conclusion was based on the fact that Nautilus had a controlling financial interest in AleAnna Energy prior to the Business Combination and has a controlling financial interest in the Company, which includes AleAnna Energy as a wholly owned subsidiary. The net assets of SPAC are stated at their historical carrying amounts with no goodwill or intangible assets recognized in accordance with U.S. GAAP. The Business Combination with respect to AleAnna Energy will not be treated as a change in control primarily due to Nautilus receiving the controlling voting stake in the Company and the ability of Nautilus to nominate the full board of directors and management of the Company.

Under a reverse recapitalization, SPAC was treated as the "acquired" company for financial reporting purposes. Accordingly, for accounting purposes, the Business Combination was treated as the equivalent of AleAnna Energy issuing stock for the net assets of SPAC, accompanied by a recapitalization.

Note 2 — Transaction Accounting Adjustments

The transaction accounting adjustments included in the unaudited pro forma condensed combined balance sheet as of September 30, 2024 are as follows:

(a) **Cash.** Represents the impact of the business combination, accounted for as a common control reverse recapitalization, on the cash balance of AleAnna Energy.

The table below represents the Business Combination sources and uses of funds as of September 30, 2024, accounted for as a common control reverse recapitalization:

	Note
Cash balance of AleAnna Energy prior to Business Combination *	\$ 43,370,175
Cash balance of SPAC prior to Business Combination *	9,520
Total cash balance prior to Business Combination *	<u>43,379,695</u>
Transaction cash adjustments:	
Cash held in Trust Account at September 30, 2024	(1) 13,832,431
Payment to redeeming SPAC Public Shareholders	(2) (13,190,777)
Payment of transaction fees and expenses	(3) (6,554,078)
Payment of Director and Officer insurance premium	(4) (546,900)
Payment of Sponsor Note and other related party payables	(5) (1,696,000)
Total transaction cash adjustments	<u>(8,155,324)</u>
Pro forma cash balance	\$ 35,224,371

* Business Combination is accounted for as a common control reverse recapitalization for purposes of unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial information.

(1) Represents release of the restricted investments held in the Trust Account to fund the closing of the Business Combination, accounted for as a common control reverse acquisition.

(2) Represents the amount paid to SPAC Public Shareholders exercised their Redemption Rights, including payment of accrued interest.

(3) Reflects payment of remaining legal, audit, consulting and other transaction-related expenses in conjunction with the Closing.

(4) Represents a Directors & Officers liability insurance policy entered into in connection with the Business Combination that was paid in conjunction with the Closing and recorded to prepaid expenses and other assets (see Note 2(c)).

(5) Reflects the repayment of the Sponsor Note and all amounts due to Sponsor as of the Closing. The aggregate balance of the Sponsor Note and amounts due to Sponsor as of September 30, 2024 were \$1.3 million, with an additional \$0.4 million of amounts advanced to SPAC subsequent to September 30, 2024 but prior to the Closing.

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(b) *Adjustments for Deferred Taxes.* No adjustments recognized as a full valuation allowance is established based on realizability to offset the net deferred tax assets. Deferred Taxes arise from differences between the financial statement and tax basis in the HoldCo interests, including legacy step-up basis adjustments, and net operating losses recorded at AleAnna Energy. The adjustments for deferred taxes assume:

- I. the GAAP balance sheet as of September 30, 2024 is adjusted for the pro forma entries described herein;
- II. the estimated tax basis as of September 30, 2024 is adjusted for the pro forma entries described herein;
- III. a full valuation allowance is established to offset the net deferred tax assets based upon the assessment of realizability; and
- IV. no material changes in tax law.

AleAnna Energy accrues liabilities or adjusts deferred taxes for unrecognized tax benefits. AleAnna Energy has not recorded any unrecognized tax benefits as of September 30, 2024, that, if recognized, would affect its annual effective tax rate. However, as AleAnna Energy continues to evaluate various accounting considerations, it may record uncertain tax positions under GAAP.

(c) Represents reclassification of costs that were previously recorded as deferred transaction costs to accumulated deficit, excluding approximately \$0.6 million of payments for Directors & Officers liability insurance premiums that were recorded to prepaid expenses and other assets.

(d) *Swiftmerge Class A Ordinary Shares Subject to Possible Redemption.* Represents reclassification of Swiftmerge's redeemable shares into Swiftmerge's Class A Common Stock in connection with the Business Combination, accounted for as a common control reverse recapitalization.

(e) *Impact on Equity.* The following table represents the equity impact of the Business Combination, accounted for as a common control reverse recapitalization:

	Note	Maximum Redemptions
Temporary Equity and Redeemable Common Stock		
	(2)	(369,987,776)
	(4)	\$ (13,613,477)
Total Temporary Equity and Redeemable Common Stock Adjustments		<u>\$ (383,601,253)</u>
Class A Common Stock		
	(2)	\$ 3,910
	(3)	(197)
	(4)	6
Total Class A Common Stock adjustments		<u>\$ 3,719</u>
Class B Common Stock	(3)	\$ (225)
Class C Common Stock	(2)	\$ 2,599
Additional paid-in capital		
	(2)	\$ 369,981,463
	(3)	225
	(4)	635,701
	(5)	(4,109,365)
	(6)	(641,654)
	(7)	(139,143,946)
	(8)	—
Total Additional paid-in capital adjustments		<u>\$ 226,722,424</u>

	Note	Maximum Redemptions
Accumulated deficit		
	(5)	\$ 4,109,365
	(6)	(3,987,967)
	(7)	119,514,981
	(8)	—
Total Accumulated deficit adjustments		<u>\$ 119,636,379</u>
Noncontrolling interest	(7)	\$ 19,628,965

(1) NOT USED

(2) Represents conversion of AleAnna Energy's Temporary Equity and Members' Equity to Class C and Class A Common Stock. AleAnna Energy Members' Equity converted into 25,994,400 shares of Class C Common Stock and 39,104,076 shares of Class A Common Stock at par values of \$0.0001 in connection with the Business Combination, accounted for as a common control reverse recapitalization.

(3) Represents conversion of 2,250,000 Swiftmerge Class B Ordinary Shares into shares of Class A Common Stock, and the ultimate surrender of those shares, at par value of \$0.0001 in connection with the Business Combination. Also reflects the forfeiture of 1,975,000 Class A Ordinary Shares held by Sponsor, Anchor Investors and NRA Parties, at a par value of \$0.0001. After the surrender of these 4,225,000 Class A and Class B Ordinary Shares, Sponsor, Anchor Investors, and NRA Parties retained 1,400,000 shares of Class A Common Stock. The Business Combination is accounted for as a common control reverse recapitalization.

(4) Represents reclassification of the SPAC's redeemable shares into Class A Common Stock in connection with the Business Combination, accounted for as a common control reverse recapitalization. Holders of 1,158,556 Swiftmerge Class A Ordinary Shares were redeemed for aggregate redemption payments of approximately \$13.2 million, including accrued interest, at a per share price of \$11.39. This resulted in a reduction to equity with a corresponding decrease in investments held in the Trust Account. This adjustment also reflects the surrender of 6,350,000 SPAC Private Warrants held by Sponsor and 3,000,000 SPAC Private Warrants held by Anchor Investors in connection with the completion of the Business Combination.

(5) Represents the reclassification of the SPAC's historical accumulated deficit to additional paid-in capital in connection with the Business Combination, accounted for as a common control reverse recapitalization.

(6) Represents transaction fees and expenses related to the Business Combination, accounted for as a common control reverse recapitalization, that were expensed in connection with the Business Combination (see Note 2(a)(3) *Cash*). The unaudited pro forma condensed combined balance sheet reflects AleAnna Energy's costs as a reduction of cash with a corresponding decrease in additional paid-in capital, up to the \$0.6 million of proceeds received from the Trust, and SPAC's costs as a reduction of cash with a corresponding increase in accumulated deficit. AleAnna Energy's costs in excess of funds raised from the Business Combination were required to be expensed under GAAP and are reflected in this adjustment to accumulated deficit.

(7) Represents reclassification of a portion of additional paid-in capital and accumulated deficit to noncontrolling interest (see Note 3(f) *Noncontrolling Interest*).

(8) Although a long-term incentive plan is being contemplated, no awards had been granted as of the date of the Business Combination, and no stock-based compensation expense has been or will be recognized until the time at which an award is granted or the achievement under an award of any performance condition is deemed probable, as applicable.

(f) *Noncontrolling Interest.* An adjustment to reflect noncontrolling interest holders' economic share of combined equity, pursuant to the post-combination structure of the combined companies. The respective controlling interests and noncontrolling interests in HoldCo as reflected in the Company's financial statements will depend on the level of redemptions. Following the Closing, holders of Class A Common Stock will own direct controlling interests in the results of the combined entity, while Nautilus and one of its affiliates, the majority equityholders of AleAnna Energy immediately prior to Closing, will own economic interests in HoldCo shown as noncontrolling interest in equity in the financial statements of AleAnna Energy. The indirect economic interests are held by Nautilus and one of its affiliates, the majority equityholders of AleAnna Energy immediately prior to Closing, in the form of the HoldCo Holder Redemption Right in an amount equal to the fair value of shares of Class A Common Stock.

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The following table summarizes the economic interests of the Company between the holders of Class A Common Stock and indirect economic interests held by HoldCo unitholders (assuming all Class C HoldCo Units are exchanged for Class C Common Stock):

	Economic Interests	% of Economic Interests
Class A Common Stock	40,560,433	60.94%
Class C Common Stock (Noncontrolling interest)	25,994,400	39.06%
Total	66,554,833	100.00%

The noncontrolling interest may decrease according to the number of shares of Class C Common Stock that are exchanged for shares of Class A Common Stock. The calculation of noncontrolling interest is based on the net assets of the Company following the completion of the Business Combination. Noncontrolling interest increased by \$19.6 million, with a corresponding decrease in additional paid-in capital and accumulated deficit. See Note 3(e)(7) *Impact on Equity*.

(g) *Gains on Investments Held in Trust Account.* Represents the elimination of gains on marketable securities held in the Trust Account.

(h) *Net Loss to Noncontrolling Interest.* The net loss of the Company in each period presented was reduced as summarized below:

Nine Months Ended September 30, 2024	
Pro forma net loss	\$ (4,508,323)
Noncontrolling interest percentage ⁽¹⁾	39.06%
Noncontrolling interest pro forma adjustment	(1,760,821)
Net loss attributable to AleAnna Energy	\$ (2,747,502)

(1) See Note 2(f) *Noncontrolling Interest*

Year Ended December 31, 2023	
Pro forma net loss	\$ (13,100,222)
Noncontrolling interest percentage ⁽¹⁾	39.06%
Noncontrolling interest pro forma adjustment	(5,116,569)
Net loss attributable to AleAnna Energy	\$ (7,983,653)

(1) See Note 2(f) *Noncontrolling Interest*

(i) *Earnings (Loss) Per Share.* Represents the net income (loss) per share calculated using the weighted average shares outstanding. As the Business Combination is reflected as if it had occurred at the beginning of the periods presented, the calculation of weighted average shares outstanding for basic and diluted net income (loss) per share assumes that the shares issuable relating to the Business Combination have been outstanding for the entire periods presented. The unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial information includes the redemption by SPAC Public Shareholders of shares of Swiftmerge Class A Ordinary Shares for cash equal to their pro rata share of the aggregate amount on deposit in the Trust Account for the nine months ended September 30, 2024 and the year ended December 31, 2023:

	Nine Months Ended September 30, 2024	Year Ended December 31, 2023
Pro forma net loss attributable to AleAnna Energy	\$ (2,747,502)	\$ (7,983,653)
Weighted average shares of Class A Common Stock outstanding, basic and diluted	40,560,433	40,560,433
Net loss per share of Class A Common Stock, basic and diluted	\$ (0.07)	\$ (0.20)

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The 25,994,400 shares of Class C Common Stock and the 11,250,000 Public Warrants were not included in the calculation of diluted weighted average shares of Class A Common Stock outstanding as their inclusion would have been anti-dilutive.

(j) *Transaction Expenses.* Represents remaining transaction expenses in excess of the net cash proceeds from the Trust. These excess transaction expenses are not eligible for capitalization and were expensed in accordance with U.S. GAAP. See Note 2(a)(3) *Cash* and note 2(e)(6) *Impact on Equity*.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION AND RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

The following discussion and analysis of our financial condition and results of operations should be read together with our consolidated financial statements and the related notes appearing elsewhere in this prospectus. The discussion and analysis should also be read together with the section entitled "Business" and our pro forma financial information. See "Unaudited Pro Forma Combined Financial Information." This discussion and analysis contains forward-looking statements that reflect our plans, estimates and beliefs that involve risks and uncertainties that may be outside our control. As a result of many factors, such as those set forth under the headings "Risk Factors" and elsewhere in this prospectus, our actual results may differ materially from those anticipated in these forward-looking statements. Unless the context otherwise requires, all references in this section to "we," "us," "our," "AleAnna," or the "Company" refer to AleAnna, Inc.

Overview

AleAnna is a natural gas resource company focused on delivering critical natural gas supplies to Europe through both onshore conventional natural gas exploration and renewable natural gas development in Italy. We have several conventional natural gas discoveries including our primary discovery, the Longanesi field, located in the Po Valley in Northern Italy, which is one of Italy's largest modern gas discoveries. We retain a 33.5% working interest in the Longanesi field with our working interest partner, and operator, Padana representing the other 66.5%. We acquired our working interest in the Longanesi field through a 2016 transaction. We also retain wholly owned concessions, permits, and pending applications on other exploration and development prospects across Italy which are supported by proprietary modern 3D seismic reservoir imaging. In 2021, we launched a renewable natural gas development business focused on bringing to market carbon-negative renewable natural gas derived from animal and agricultural waste.

Planned principal operations have not yet commenced. As of September 30, 2024, we had not generated any revenues from our principal business activities to date. Our primary activities currently involve the drilling and testing of three Longanesi development wells together with our working interest partner, Padana. Our recent drilling activity consisted of the following: no activity during the nine months ended September 30, 2024, drilling of one gross Longanesi development well (0.335 net to our interest) during the year ended December 31, 2023, and drilling of two gross Longanesi development wells (0.67 net wells to our interest) during the year ended December 31, 2022. We had no other exploratory or development drilling during the nine months ended September 30, 2024 or the years ended December 31, 2023 or 2022. Our Longanesi, Trava and Gradizza wells are classified by DeGolyer & MacNaughton ("DeGolyer") as proved undeveloped reserves as such wells have not yet started production and require future investments to install production pipelines and production facilities prior to being fully completed and producible. Following tie-in of these wells and the installation of a temporary processing facility over the remainder of 2024, we and Padana expect to achieve first production of the five wells in the Longanesi field in the first quarter of 2025 through use of a temporary processing skid. The permanent processing facility is expected to be constructed over the course of 2025 and commissioned in the first half of 2026.

The Transactions

On December 13, 2024, we consummated the previously announced business combination pursuant to the Agreement and Plan of Merger (as amended, the "Merger Agreement"), dated June 4, 2024, by and among Swiftmerge Acquisition Corp., a Cayman Islands exempted company ("Swiftmerge" or "SPAC"), Swiftmerge HoldCo LLC, a Delaware limited liability company and wholly-owned subsidiary of Swiftmerge ("HoldCo"), Swiftmerge Merger Sub LLC, a Delaware limited liability company and wholly-owned subsidiary of HoldCo, and AleAnna Energy, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("AleAnna Energy"). Pursuant to the terms of the Merger Agreement, on December 13, 2024, SPAC migrated to and domesticated as a Delaware corporation in accordance with Section 388 of the Delaware General Corporation Law, as amended, and the Companies Act (As Revised) of the Cayman Islands and changed its name to AleAnna, Inc. The transactions contemplated by the Merger Agreement are collectively referred to herein as the "Business Combination."

The Business Combination was accounted for as a common control transaction with respect to AleAnna Energy which is akin to a reverse recapitalization. This conclusion was based on the fact that Nautilus Resources LLC ("Nautilus") had a controlling financial interest in AleAnna Energy prior to the Business Combination and has a controlling financial interest in AleAnna, which includes AleAnna Energy as a wholly owned subsidiary. The

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net assets of SPAC are stated at their historical carrying amounts with no goodwill or intangible assets recognized in accordance with the accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("GAAP"). The Business Combination with respect to AleAnna Energy was not treated as a change in control primarily due to Nautilus receiving the controlling voting stake in AleAnna and the ability of Nautilus to nominate the full board of directors and management of AleAnna.

Under a reverse recapitalization, SPAC is treated as the "acquired" company for financial reporting purposes. Accordingly, for accounting purposes, the Business Combination is treated as the equivalent of AleAnna Energy issuing stock for the net assets of SPAC, accompanied by a recapitalization.

The most significant change in AleAnna Energy's financial position and results was a net decrease in cash (as compared to AleAnna Energy's financial position as of September 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023) of \$8.2 million due to payment of transaction related expenses at closing. We also reclassified certain costs to additional paid-in capital up to the amount of cash proceeds received in the transaction. To the extent transaction costs exceeded the amount of cash proceeds, such amounts were expensed. See "*Unaudited Pro Forma Condensed Combined Financial Information*."

Recent Developments

Gas Sale Agreement

On October 29, 2024, we entered into a gas sale agreement ("GSA") with Shell Energy Europe Limited ("SEEL"), whereby SEEL will be the exclusive buyer of our share of the natural gas produced from the Longanesi field net of (i) any consumption and/or losses incurred in the transport, treatment and compression of gas before delivery; (ii) any volume to be allocated for regulated royalties auctions, if applicable; and (iii) any other volume contractually allocated to other parties before August 31, 2022. Future sales under the GSA are contingent upon the commencement of gas production.

Renewable Natural Gass Acquisitions

Between March 2024 and July 2024, we successfully completed three separate strategic acquisitions of renewable natural gas plant projects in Italy for an aggregate €9,087,882, or approximately \$9,829,034. The plants are fully permitted and are in various stages of the production lifecycle, with one greenfield plant that is a new development and two brownfield plants that are currently operational. We plan to develop and upgrade these sites for renewable natural gas production in the future.

Capital Contributions

Between January 2024 and May 2024, we received an aggregate of \$62.1 million in capital contributions from our members, resulting in the issuance of 62,100 Class 1 Preferred Units, to fund operating costs and capital expenditures and provide working capital to meet our liabilities and commitments as they become due for at least the upcoming 12 months. These funds will be used to fund the Longanesi gas pipeline and plant activity obligations, as well as general and administrative expenses.

Blugas Settlement

On May 28, 2024, we reached a settlement agreement (the "Blugas Settlement Agreement") with Blugas Infrastructure S.r.l. ("Blugas") regarding the Blugas overriding royalty interest ("ORRI") whereby Blugas was entitled to physical delivery of 20% of the first 350 million standard cubic meters (approximately 2,472 10^6 ft³) produced from the Longanesi field. Under the terms of the Blugas Settlement Agreement, we paid Blugas approximately €5 million, plus an additional €1.1 million in applicable VAT. In exchange, we were released from any future liability related to the Blugas ORRI. As a result of the transactions contemplated by the Blugas Settlement Agreement, our 33.5% working interest in the Longanesi field is now unencumbered except for normal government royalties (10%). We determined the Blugas settlement should be accounted for as an acquisition of the Blugas ORRI claim with a corresponding impact to our reserves. Our year-end December 31, 2023 reserve quantities included the 20% of 350 million standard cubic meters (approximately 2,472 10^6 ft³) allocable to the Blugas ORRI in its proved gas reserves. However, the required payments to Blugas associated with the sale of such quantities were reflected as cash outflows (costs) as if such amounts were paid to Blugas. As a result of the Blugas Settlement Agreement, utilizing the same assumptions as the

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December 31, 2023 reserve report, net proved reserve quantities would not increase as the 20% of 350 million standard cubic meters (approximately 2,472 10^6 ft³) allocable to the Blugas ORRI were included in December 31, 2023 proved gas reserves. However, as the required payments to Blugas associated with the sale of such quantities were reflected as cash outflows (costs), as if such amounts were paid to Blugas, utilizing the same assumptions as the December 31, 2023 DeGolyer reserve report, if the cash payments allocable to Blugas were added back to our December 31, 2023 future net cash flows and standardized measure of discounted future net cash flow, such amounts would have increased \$35.3 million and \$30.0 million, respectively. Our working interest (net revenue interest) as established under the terms of the Unified Operating Agreement arrangement originally signed between Eni Ecofuels and Grove and dated September 26, 2009, remains unchanged at 33.5%. The total \$6.6 million in acquisition costs related to the Blugas ORRI acquisition were not contemplated as part of the December 31, 2023 DeGolyer reserve report and such amounts do not appear in our December 31, 2023 future net cash flows and standardized measure of discounted future net cash flow as settlement discussions had not commenced (and did not commence until late first quarter 2024) and any potential settlement outcomes or amounts were unknown as of December 31, 2023. See “*Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements (Unaudited) of AleAnna Energy, LLC — Note 6 — Commitments and Contingencies*.”

Key Factors Affecting our Performance, Prospects and Future Results

We believe that our performance and future success depend on a number of factors that present significant opportunities for us but also pose risks and challenges, including competition from other carbon-based and non-carbon-based fuel producers, regulatory hurdles posed by the Italian government, and other factors discussed under the section titled “*Risk Factors*.” We believe the factors described below are key to our success.

Achieving First Production at Longanesi

Planned principal operations have not yet commenced. As of September 30, 2024, we had not generated any revenues from our principal business activities. Currently, our primary activities involve the drilling and testing of three Longanesi development wells together with its working interest partner Padana. Following tie-in of these wells and the installation of a temporary processing facility over the course of 2024, we and Padana expect to achieve first production of the five wells in the Longanesi field in the first quarter of 2025 through use of a temporary processing skid. The permanent processing facility is expected to be constructed over the course of 2025 and commissioned in the first half of 2026.

We believe our achieving first production of the Longanesi field is a key milestone that will fuel our potential growth. We also have potentially viable discoveries in our Gradizza and Trava fields that are expected to achieve first production in the future.

Commencing and Expanding Renewable Natural Gas Operations

In 2021, we launched a renewable natural gas development business focused on bringing to market carbon negative renewable natural gas derived from animal and agricultural waste. As previously discussed, the first three renewable natural gas projects were purchased between March 2024 and July 2024, with additional renewable natural gas projects expected to be purchased in the future.

We believe expanding the renewable natural gas business is another key to our potential growth and may unlock potential partnership or joint venture opportunities.

Key Components of Results of Operations

We are an early-stage company and our historical results may not be indicative of our future results. Accordingly, the drivers of our future financial results, as well as the components of such results, may not be comparable to our historical results of operations or our future results of operations.

Revenue

During the nine months ended September 30, 2024, we generated approximately \$0.6 million of revenue from electricity sales at two renewable natural gas assets acquired in July 2024 (the “Casalino” and “Campopiano” plants). The plant assets are fully permitted for production of electricity through conversion of crop and animal waste bio feedstocks. The plant assets are currently biomethane to electricity conversion assets. It is our intention to begin upgrading the sites to refine biomethane into renewable natural gas through upgrading units. Following the upgrade

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process to transition the assets to biomethane to renewable natural gas conversion, we expect to sell renewable natural gas to customer(s) by trucking or piping the renewable natural gas to the interstate pipeline system (SNAM). Until the plant assets are upgraded, we will actively source bio feedstocks for the assets in order to produce biomethane which will be processed through reciprocating generators in order to generate electricity which is then sold onto the grid through a metered interconnection. Casalino and Campopiano derive revenues from the sale of such electricity to the local state-owned electrical utility (Gestore dei Servizi Energetici SpA or "GSE"). Energy generation revenue is recognized as the electricity generated by the Casalino and Campopiano assets is delivered to GSE. Revenues are based on actual output and "on-the-spot" predetermined prices for small renewable energy producers.

In addition to sales of renewable natural gas, we expect to generate a significant portion of our future revenue from the sale of conventional natural gas.

Expenses

General and Administrative (G&A) Expense

G&A expenses consist of compensation costs for personnel in executive, finance, accounting, and other administrative functions. G&A expenses also include legal fees, professional fees paid for accounting, auditing and consulting services, and insurance costs. As a newly public company, we expect that we will incur higher G&A expenses for public company costs such as compliance with the regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") and the Nasdaq Capital Market.

Income Tax Effects

AleAnna Energy is a limited liability company that is treated as a partnership for tax purposes, with each of its members accounting for its share of tax attributes and liabilities. Therefore, the income tax consequences of such entity have been reflected in AleAnna Energy's consolidated financial statements in accordance with ASC 740, Income Taxes. Given AleAnna Energy's history of losses, and because future production remains uncertain, a full valuation allowance was applied against deferred tax assets as of September 30, 2024, December 31, 2023 and December 31, 2022. However, AleAnna Energy's consolidated Italian subsidiary (AleAnna Italia S.p.A.) is subject to Italian corporate income taxes. In December 2022, AleAnna Energy merged its Italian subsidiaries (AleAnna Italia S.r.l. and AleAnna Europa S.r.l.) into AleAnna Italia as a single entity and converted the Italia entity from an S.r.l. (flow through entity under the Italian tax code) into a S.p.A (corporation under the Italian tax code). Therefore, the income tax consequences of such entity have been reflected in the AleAnna Energy's consolidated financial statements in accordance with ASC 740, Income Taxes. Given AleAnna Energy's history of losses, and because future production remains uncertain, a full valuation allowance was applied against deferred tax assets as of September 30, 2024, December 31, 2023 and December 31, 2022. Following completion of the Business Combination, given that AleAnna's primary operating activities resided, and continue to reside, within AleAnna Italia S.p.A., which is taxed as a Corporation, the post Business Combination structure is not expected to significantly alter the income tax consequences in AleAnna, Inc.'s future consolidated financial statements. Income tax consequences will continue to be reflected in AleAnna, Inc.'s consolidated financial statements in accordance with ASC 740, Income Taxes. Further, given AleAnna Energy's history of losses, and because future production remains uncertain, AleAnna, Inc. expects to continue to apply a full valuation allowance against deferred tax assets until such time as production commences. However, Swiftmerge Holdco LLC, now a consolidated subsidiary of AleAnna, Inc., is a limited liability company that is treated as a partnership for tax purposes, with each of its members accounting for its share of tax attributes and liabilities.

We are also subject to a Valued -Added Tax ("VAT") which is a broadly -based consumption tax that is assessed to the value that is added to goods and services. The VAT applies to nearly all goods and services that are bought and sold within the EU. Italian law allows for certain VAT payments to be recovered through ongoing applications for refunds. We have incurred higher VAT input paid (i.e., VAT paid on purchases) than the VAT output collected (i.e., VAT collected on sales), resulting in a net VAT refund receivable. As of September 30, 2024, December 31, 2023 and 2022, we had VAT receivables of \$5.9 million, \$4.4 million, and \$3.0 million, respectively.

Operations

Our net losses were \$3.3 million and \$2.6 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2024, and 2023, respectively. As of September 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, we had an accumulated deficit of \$306.0 million and \$147.3 million, respectively. The majority of these losses stem from costs associated with the Longanesi field drilling

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and development, including asset impairments from previous years, as well as seismic imaging, exploratory costs for other conventional natural gas prospects, and general and administrative expenses. The accumulated deficits also include deemed dividends to the redemption value of our Class 1 Preferred Units based on the redemption features of those units and the related accounting requirements. See "Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements (Unaudited) of AleAnna Energy, LLC — Note 7 — Temporary Equity and Members' Equity." We expect to continue to incur substantial expenses related to our operations, exploration, and development activities, including pre-commercialization efforts as we continue our development of, and seek regulatory approval for, our discoveries and exploration prospects. Since inception, we have incurred net losses annually and do not expect to achieve sustained profitability until 2025.

Consolidated Results of Operations

Comparison of the nine months ended September 30, 2024 and 2023:

	Nine months ended September 30,	
	2024	2023
Revenues	\$ 648,328	\$ —
Operating Expenses:		
Cost of revenues	\$ 538,607	\$ —
General and administrative	4,473,833	3,239,559
Depreciation	51,311	—
Accretion of asset retirement obligation	99,930	33,311
Increase (decrease) in contingent consideration liability	304,929	(244,526)
Total Operating Expenses	<u>5,468,610</u>	<u>3,028,344</u>
Operating loss	<u>(4,820,282)</u>	<u>(3,028,344)</u>
Other Income (Expense):		
Interest and other income	1,325,660	1,029
Change in fair value of derivative liability	173,177	430,819
Total Other Income (Expense)	<u>1,498,837</u>	<u>431,848</u>
Net loss	\$ (3,321,445)	\$ (2,596,496)
Deemed dividend to Class 1 Preferred Units redemption value	(155,423,177)	(52,941,150)
Net loss attributable to holders of Common Member Units	<u>(158,744,622)</u>	<u>(55,537,646)</u>
Other Comprehensive Income (Loss)		
Currency translation adjustment	(18,986)	(145,271)
Comprehensive Loss	<u>\$ (3,340,431)</u>	<u>\$ (2,741,767)</u>

Revenues

During the nine months ended September 30, 2024, all of our revenue was earned through electricity generation and sales at the Casalino and Campopiano renewable natural gas plants that were purchased in July 2024. See Critical Accounting Policies and Estimates for further details.

General and Administrative (G&A) Expenses

General and administrative expenses consist of salaries and benefits, outside professional services including legal, human resources, audit and accounting services, and development stage expenses. We expect to continue to incur expenses to support operations as a public company, including expenses related to existing and future compliance with rules and regulations of the SEC and the Nasdaq, insurance expenses, investor relations, audit fees, professional services and general overhead and administrative costs.

General and administrative expenses increased by \$1.2 million, or 38%, for the nine months ended September 30, 2024 compared to the nine months ended September 30, 2023. The increase was primarily due to increases in legal, audit and consulting fees.

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Contingent Consideration Liability

The change in fair value of the contingent consideration liability increased by \$0.5 million or 225%, for the nine months ended September 30, 2024, compared to the same period in 2023. The change was primarily due to the fluctuations in the foreign exchange rate used in the calculation of the contingent consideration liability.

In 2019, following repeated development delays and severely depressed European natural gas prices, Nautilus, AleAnna Energy's primary equityholder, considered no longer funding capital contributions to AleAnna Energy. Due to restricted access to capital, the potential of bankruptcy, and the improbability of developing Longanesi or any of AleAnna Energy's other prospects, AleAnna Energy's gas assets were fully impaired, and the corresponding contingent consideration liability was reduced to \$0 as such payment was no longer probable. However, by 2021, European natural gas prices had recovered substantially and AleAnna Energy and Padana began drilling Longanesi development wells. As such, it became probable that the Longanesi field would enter production and AleAnna Energy again recognized the contingent consideration liability.

As of September 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, the contingent consideration liability was recorded at \$26.8 million and \$26.5 million, respectively. The estimate of the contingent consideration liability was determined based on inputs including the following as of September 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023: the intercontinental exchange futures prices for European natural gas, Euro to USD exchange rates of 1.12 and 1.11, respectively, and management's future expected annual Longanesi production. We are required to make formulaic deferred consideration payments effectively equating to 20% to 50% of revenue above certain European natural gas threshold prices. The calculation and timing of such payments are primarily driven by future expected Longanesi production, as modeled by DeGolyer, as well as forward European natural gas prices. While the timing and quantities of expected Longanesi production were unchanged from December 31, 2023 to September 30, 2024, average annual European natural gas forward prices declined slightly. As a result, the amount of revenue attributable to prices points above the threshold prices declined which resulted in a lengthening of the timing of expected contingent consideration payments and a corresponding reclassification of a portion of the contingent consideration liability from short-term to long-term.

Interest and Other Income

Interest and other income primarily includes interest earned on cash and cash equivalents. Interest and other income increased by \$1.3 million during the nine months ended September 30, 2024 compared to the same period in 2023, primarily due to interest earned on larger average cash balances during the 2024 period compared to the 2023 period presented.

Change in Fair Value of Derivative Liability

The change in the fair value of derivative liability related to the Class 1 Preferred Units was \$0.2 million during the nine months ended September 30, 2024, compared to \$0.4 million during the same period in 2023. The fair value gain recorded during the nine months ended September 30, 2024 (representing a decrease in the liability) was primarily due to a higher liquidation threshold and lower business value as of September 30, 2024 compared to December 31, 2023 which was driven by capital contributions made during the first quarter of 2024 through the Class 1 Preferred Units. The derivative liability was reduced from \$173,177 as of December 31, 2023 to zero as of September 30, 2024. The fair value gain recorded during the nine months ended September 30, 2023 (representing a decrease in the liability) was primarily due to a higher liquidation threshold and lower business value, combined with a slightly higher probability of a transaction occurring, as of September 30, 2023 compared to December 31, 2022. The higher liquidation threshold was driven by capital contributions made during the nine months of 2023 through the Class 1 Preferred Units.

Currency Translation Adjustment

For the purposes of presenting consolidated financial statements, the assets and liabilities of our Euro operations are translated to USD at the exchange rate on the reporting date. The income and expenses are translated using average exchange rates. Foreign currency differences that arise on translation for consolidated purposes are recognized in other comprehensive loss on the consolidated statements of operations and comprehensive loss.

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The currency translation adjustment increased by \$0.1 million or 87% for the nine months ended September 30, 2024 compared to the same period in 2023. This increase was due to the fluctuation of the exchange rates between the Euro and the U.S. Dollar as well as the level of our activities.

Comparison of the Years ended December 31, 2023 and 2022:

	For the Year Ended December 31,	
	2023	2022
Operating Expenses:		
General and administrative	\$ 5,634,150	\$ 2,004,660
Depreciation	—	2,133
Accretion of asset retirement obligation	133,239	123,867
Increase in contingent consideration liability	866,519	223,152
Total Operating Expenses	6,633,908	2,353,812
 Operating Loss	 (6,633,908)	 (2,353,812)
 Other Income (Expense):		
Other income and expenses	(102,041)	(65,382)
Change in fair value of derivative liability	708,869	(863,776)
Total Other Income (Expense)	606,828	(929,158)
 Net Loss	 \$ (6,027,080)	 \$ (3,282,970)
 Other Comprehensive Loss		
Currency translation adjustment	135,698	(658,636)
Comprehensive Loss	\$ (5,891,382)	\$ (3,941,606)

G&A Expenses

General and administrative expenses consist of salaries and benefits, outside professional services including legal, human resources, audit and accounting services, and development stage expenses. General and administrative expenses increased by \$3,629,490, or 181%, for the year ended December 31, 2023, compared to the year ended December 31, 2022, primarily due to an increase of approximately \$1.5 million in legal, audit and consulting fees, an increase of approximately \$1.5 million in salaries, benefits and payroll taxes, and an increase of approximately \$0.7 million in office expenses and other general overhead.

Contingent Consideration Liability

The change in the fair value of the contingent consideration expense increased by \$643,367 or 288%, for the year ended December 31, 2023, compared to the year ended December 31, 2022, primarily due to an increase in the average foreign exchange rates used in the calculation of the contingent consideration liability.

As of December 31, 2023, and 2022, the contingent consideration liability was recorded at \$26,482,682 and \$25,616,163, respectively. The estimate of the contingent consideration liability was determined based on inputs including the following as of December 31, 2023, and 2022: the intercontinental exchange futures prices for European natural gas, a Euro to USD exchange rate of 1.11 and 1.07, respectively, and management's future expected annual Longanesi production. We are required to make formulaic deferred consideration payments effectively equating to 20-50% of revenue above certain European natural gas threshold prices. The calculation and timing of such payments are primarily driven by future expected Longanesi production, as modeled by DeGolyer, as well as forward European natural gas prices.

Other Income and Expenses

Other income includes interest income and miscellaneous income. Other expenses include bad debt expense, lease operating expenses, and intangible drilling expenses. Net other expenses increased by 56% during the year ended December 31, 2023 compared to the year ended December 31, 2022 primarily due to an increase in lease operating expenses.

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Change in Fair Value of Derivative Liability

The change in the fair value of derivative liability related to the Class 1 Preferred Units was \$708,869 during the year ended December 31, 2023 (representing a decrease in the liability), compared to (\$863,776) during the same period in 2022, representing an increase in the liability. The fair value gain recorded during the year ended December 31, 2023 was primarily due to a higher liquidation threshold as of December 31, 2023 compared to December 31, 2022. The fair value loss during the year ended December 31, 2022 was primarily due to a higher business valuation as of December 31, 2022 compared to December 31, 2021.

Currency Translation Adjustment

For the purpose of presenting consolidated financial statements, the assets and liabilities of our Euro operations are translated to USD at the exchange rate on the reporting date. The income and expenses are translated using average exchange rates. Foreign currency differences that arise on translation for consolidated purposes are recognized in other comprehensive loss on the consolidated statements of operations and comprehensive loss.

The currency translation adjustment increased by \$794,334, or 121%, for the year ended December 31, 2023 compared to the year ended December 31, 2022, representing a gain in 2023 compared to a loss in 2022. The increase is due to the fluctuation of the exchange rates between the Euro and the U.S. Dollar as well as the level of our activities.

Segment Considerations

Our operations consist of one operating segment and reportable segment reflecting the manner in which operations are managed and the criteria used by the chief operating decision maker ("CODM"), the Company's Executive Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, collectively, to evaluate performance, develop strategy, and allocate resources.

While we have recently acquired three renewable natural gas assets, these assets are still in the early stages of development which may include expansion and installation of upgrading units to refine biomethane into renewable natural gas (rather than conversion to electricity). These assets have not generated significant revenues or incurred material expenses. As of, and for the period ending September 30, 2024, our CODM was primarily focused on capital investing decisions, strategy, and forward-looking investment economics. While our CODM monitors cash reserves and overall enterprise liquidity, extensive review and analysis of our performance and loss statements is not performed beyond review of the consolidated financial statements. As such, the CODM continues to assess our financial performance as a single enterprise on a consolidated basis, without distinguishing between conventional natural gas and renewable natural gas operations.

All of our primary operating activities and assets remain located in Italy. We will continue to evaluate our operating segments and the determination of reportable segments as the business evolves.

Liquidity, Capital Resources and Operations

We have generated minimal revenues from our operations to date and we had an accumulated deficit of \$306.0 million as of September 30, 2024. We had \$43.4 million in cash and cash equivalents on September 30, 2024. The Company's continuing operations, as intended, are dependent upon its ability to generate cash flows or obtain additional financing. Between January 2024 and May 2024, we received an aggregate of \$62.1 million in capital contributions from our members resulting in the issuance of 62,100 Class 1 Preferred Units, to fund operating costs and capital expenditures and provide working capital to meet our liabilities and commitments as they become due for at least the upcoming 12 months. In addition, we are exploring Resource Backed Loan ("RBL") financing products with several financial institutions; however, there is no guarantee that such financing will be available to us. As a normal part of our business, depending on market conditions, we may from time to time consider opportunities to repay, redeem, repurchase or refinance the indebtedness of its subsidiaries or issue equity securities to raise additional capital. Changes in our operating plans, lower than anticipated revenues, increased expenses, acquisitions or other events may cause us to seek additional debt or equity financing in future periods. There can be no guarantee that financing will be available on acceptable terms or at all.

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Presently, Padana is the operator of the Longanesi field under a Unitized Operating Agreement, and other companies in the future may operate some of the properties in which we have an interest. The failure of an operator of our wells or joint venture participant to adequately perform operations, an operator's breach of the applicable agreements or an operator's failure to act in ways that are in our best interest could reduce our production and revenues.

To mitigate operator risks, we monitor the operational risks, credit risk, financial position and liquidity of Padana. Operational risks are monitored and acted on through: (i) periodic meetings with Padana, through a formal committee known as the "Technical Committee", to examine upcoming activities and discuss questions and concerns, (ii) through the receipt and analysis of daily reports, (iii) through requesting unscheduled calls with Padana where areas of concern are identified, and (iv) through occasional site visits. Further, Padana's credit risk, financial position, and liquidity are periodically evaluated through review of the financial condition of Padana's parent organization, Gas Plus S.p.A., which is a publicly-traded company on the Italian Stock Exchange (Euronext Milan). We are able to continuously monitor financial health of Gas Plus S.p.A. through exchange-required public disclosures, including half-annual and annual financial statements, corporate presentations, and press releases.

Cash Flows

The following table includes our cash flow data for the periods indicated:

	For the Nine months Ended September 30,	
	2024	2023
Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows Data:		
Net cash used in operating activities	(6,920,138)	(4,318,819)
Net cash used in investing activities	(18,549,966)	(7,922,616)
Net cash provided by financing activities	62,100,000	21,004,132
	For the Years Ended December 31,	
	2023	2022
Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows Data:		
Net cash used in operating activities	(5,749,303)	(4,165,187)
Net cash used in investing activities	(8,924,941)	(9,072,390)
Net cash provided by financing activities	21,004,132	10,649,400

Cash used in operating activities

Cash used in operating activities increased by \$2.6 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2024, compared to the same period in 2023, and \$1.6 million for the year ended December 31, 2023, compared to the year ended December 31, 2022. The increases in cash used in operating activities represents the effect on cash flows from net losses adjusted for items not affecting cash, principally; changes in fair values of the contingent consideration and derivative liabilities; changes in the VAT refund receivable; accretion of asset retirement obligation; changes in accounts payable; accrued expenses and related party payables; and changes in the prepaid expenses.

Overall, increases in cash used in operating activities reflect increased operating expenditures primarily related to legal, consulting and audit fees and salaries and wage expenses.

Cash used in investing activities

Cash used in investing activities increased by \$10.6 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2024, compared to the same period in 2023, and decreased by \$0.1 million for the year ended December 31, 2023, compared to the year ended December 31, 2022.

In all periods presented, cash used in investing includes continued drilling, completion, and tie in of Longanesi-2D and Longanesi-3D wells. In the nine months ended September 30, 2024, cash used in investing activities also reflects approximately \$9.2 million of cash used to purchase three separate renewable natural gas assets, and approximately \$6.6 million paid to Blugas as part of the Blugas Settlement. These transactions are discussed in more detail in the *Recent Developments* section.

Cash provided by financing activities

Cash provided by financing activities in all periods presented reflects additional issuances of Class 1 Preferred Units used to fund AleAnna Energy's operations.

Contractual Obligations and Other Commitments

Participation Agreements and Blugas ORRI

In the normal course of business, we enter into agreements with other entities to assist in the performance of drilling of the Longanesi field. On June 26, 2009, we entered into a Participation Agreement with Padana for the drilling of the 'Longanesi 1 exploration well, 'San Potito' concession and 'Abbadessse 1' exploration,' collectively referred to as the Longanesi field.

The Unified Operating Agreement arrangement was originally signed between Eni and Grove and dated September 26, 2009. However, Padana has succeeded Eni as the operator and 66.5% working interest owner, and we succeeded Grove as the non-operator and 33.5% working interest owner. On July 13, 2016, we acquired a 33.5% working interest in the Longanesi field from Enel, and, as part of the purchase, acquired a legacy contingent liability arising from an agreement between the Longanesi working interest's original owner Grove Energy and Blugas. Blugas retained an interest akin to an ORRI, whereby Blugas is entitled to physical delivery of 20% of the first 350 million standard cubic meters (approximately $2,472 \text{ } 10^6 \text{ ft}^3$) produced from the Longanesi field. In accounting for the acquisition of the 33.5% working interest, we did not recognize an asset or liability in the consolidated financial statements related to the Blugas ORRI. Further, our SEC Case reserves estimates contemplate the contractual arrangement and physical gas delivery to Blugas, such that the gas reserves attributable to our 33.5% working interest have been reduced.

The physical volumes due to Blugas were being contested by us as usury because we considered, among other reasons, that extraction services and all associated risks are executed by us and that participation by Blugas is limited to financing a part of the sum necessary to start drilling, without participation in the construction and exploitation of the reservoir, and therefore do not share the risks or costs, which have increased compared to the initial forecast of the investment.

On May 28, 2024, we reached the Blugas Settlement Agreement. Under the terms of the Blugas Settlement Agreement, we paid Blugas approximately €5 million, plus an additional €1.1 million in applicable VAT. In exchange, we were released from any future liability related to the Blugas ORRI. As a result of the transactions contemplated by the Blugas Settlement Agreement, our 33.5% working interest in the Longanesi field is now unencumbered except for normal government royalties (10%). We determined the Blugas settlement should be accounted for as an acquisition of the Blugas ORRI claim with a corresponding impact to our reserves. Our year-end December 31, 2023 reserve quantities included the 20% of 350 million standard cubic meters (approximately $2,472 \text{ } 10^6 \text{ ft}^3$) allocable to the Blugas ORRI in its proved gas reserves. However, the required payments to Blugas associated with the sale of such quantities were reflected as cash outflows (costs) as if such amounts were paid to Blugas. As a result of the Blugas Settlement Agreement, utilizing the same assumptions as the December 31, 2023 DeGolyer reserve report, net proved reserve quantities would not increase as the 20% of 350 million standard cubic meters (approximately $2,472 \text{ } 10^6 \text{ ft}^3$) allocable to the Blugas ORRI were included in December 31, 2023 proved gas reserves. However, as the required payments to Blugas associated with the sale of such quantities were reflected as cash outflows (costs), as if such amounts were paid to Blugas, utilizing the same assumptions as the December 31, 2023 DeGolyer reserve report, if the cash payments allocable to Blugas were added back to our December 31, 2023 future net cash flows and standardized measure of discounted future net cash flow, such amounts would have increased \$35.3 million and \$30.0 million, respectively. Our working interest (net revenue interest) as established under the terms of the Unified Operating Agreement arrangement originally signed between ENI and Grove and dated September 26, 2009, remains unchanged at 33.5%. The total \$6.6 million in acquisition costs related to the Blugas ORRI acquisition were not contemplated as part of the December 31, 2023 DeGolyer reserve report and such amounts do not appear in our December 31, 2023 future net cash flows and standardized measure of discounted future net cash flow as settlement discussions had not commenced (and did not commence until late first quarter 2024) and any potential settlement outcomes or amounts were unknown as of December 31, 2023.

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Contingent Consideration Liability

In connection with our purchase of our 33.5% working interest in the Longanesi field, consideration paid included €7 million cash and up to €24 million of deferred consideration payable upon production of the Longanesi field. The deferred consideration is payable based on a formulaic calculation which is predominantly dependent on sales volumes and spot natural gas prices during the first 12 years of production (the "Earn-Out Period"). There will be no deferred consideration due if Longanesi is not developed and no deferred consideration due if average annual gas prices are less than €3.65/Mcf over the Earn-Out Period.

We recognized a liability for the contingent consideration in accounting for the asset acquisition in accordance with ASC 450, Contingencies ("contingent consideration liability"). As of September 30, 2024, and December 31, 2023, the contingent consideration liability was recorded at \$26.8 million and \$26.5 million, respectively.

Internal Control over Financial Reporting

Effective internal controls are necessary to provide reliable financial reports and prevent fraud. AleAnna is a newly public company that is in the process of adding resources with the appropriate level of experience and technical expertise to oversee AleAnna's business processes and controls. At this time, AleAnna does not have the necessary business processes and related internal controls formally designed and implemented.

As a result, AleAnna Energy previously identified material weaknesses in its internal control over financial reporting. A material weakness is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over financial reporting such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of annual or interim financial statements would not be prevented or detected on a timely basis.

In connection with the preparation of AleAnna Energy's financial statements as of and for the years ended December 31, 2023 and 2022, management of AleAnna Energy identified material weaknesses in its internal control over financial reporting as follows:

- AleAnna Energy management did not maintain an effective control environment in accordance with the COSO framework as it did not maintain a sufficient complement of accounting and reporting resources commensurate with its financial reporting requirements. This material weakness contributed to the following material weaknesses:
 - AleAnna Energy management did not design, implement, and operate controls over the selection and implementation of accounting policies to ensure amounts recorded and disclosed were fairly stated in accordance with GAAP.
 - AleAnna Energy management did not design or maintain appropriate account reconciliation controls to review the work of third-party consultants used to assist management in recording transactions.

We are in the early stages of designing and implementing a plan to remediate the material weaknesses identified. Our plan includes the below:

- Designing and implementing a risk assessment process supporting the identification of risks facing AleAnna.
- Implementing controls to enhance our review of significant accounting transactions and other new technical accounting and financial reporting issues and preparing and reviewing accounting memoranda addressing these issues.
- Hiring additional experienced accounting, financial reporting and internal control personnel and changing roles and responsibilities of our personnel as we transition to being a public company and are required to comply with Section 404 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act.
- Implementing controls to enable an accurate and timely review of accounting records that support our accounting processes and maintain documents for internal accounting reviews.

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The Company cannot assure you that these measures will remediate the material weaknesses described above. The implementation of these remediation measures is in the early stages and will require validation and testing of the design and operating effectiveness of the Company's internal controls over a sustained period of financial reporting cycles and, as a result, the timing of when the Company will be able to remediate the material weaknesses is uncertain and the Company may not remediate these material weaknesses during the year ended December 31, 2024. If the steps the Company takes do not remediate the material weaknesses in a timely manner, there could be a reasonable possibility that these control deficiencies or others may result in a material misstatement of its annual or interim financial statements that would not be prevented or detected on a timely basis. This, in turn, could jeopardize the Company's ability to comply with its reporting obligations, limit its ability to access the capital markets and adversely impact its stock price.

Emerging Growth Company Accounting Election

Section 102(b)(1) of the JOBS Act exempts emerging growth companies from being required to comply with new or revised financial accounting standards until private companies are required to comply with the new or revised financial accounting standards. The JOBS Act provides that a company can elect not to take advantage of the extended transition period and comply with the requirements that apply to non-emerging growth companies, and any such election to not take advantage of the extended transition period is irrevocable. We expect to be an emerging growth company at least through 2025.

Critical Accounting Policies and Estimates

Our unaudited consolidated financial statements are based on the selection and application of significant accounting policies. The preparation of our management's discussion and analysis of our financial condition and results of operations is based on our unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements for the quarterly period ended September 30, 2024 and our audited consolidated financial statements as of and for the years ended December 31, 2023 and 2022, which have been prepared in accordance with GAAP. In preparing these financial statements, we make estimates and assumptions impacting asset and liability amounts, disclosure of contingent liabilities, and expenses incurred.

The estimates are based on our historical experience and on various other factors that we believe are reasonable under the circumstances, the results of which form the basis for making judgments about the carrying values of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. We regularly assess these estimates; however, actual amounts could differ materially from those estimates under different assumptions or conditions. The most significant items involving management's estimates include estimates of contingencies including the contingent consideration liability discussed below. The impact of changes in estimates is recorded in the period in which they become known.

The accounting policies discussed below are critical to understanding our historical and future performance, as these policies relate to the more significant areas involving management's judgments and estimates.

Conventional Natural Gas Properties

We use the successful efforts method of accounting for conventional gas -producing activities. Under this method, the cost of productive wells and related equipment, development dry holes, and any permits related to productive acreage are capitalized, and depleted using the unit-of-production method. These costs include other internal costs directly attributable to production activities. We are not yet recognizing depletion as assets are not yet producing and therefore have not yet been placed in service. Costs for exploratory dry holes, exploratory geological and geophysical activities, and delay rentals as well as other property carrying costs are charged to exploration expense.

There were no exploratory wells drilled or capitalized exploratory well costs in the nine months ended September 30, 2024, or in the years ended 2023 or 2022. All asset additions in the nine months ended September 30, 2024, and in the years ended 2023 and 2022, relate to the drilling of three Longanesi development wells. Such wells are expected to begin production in the first quarter of 2025.

Proved gas reserves, are those quantities of gas that, by analysis of geoscience and engineering data, can be estimated with reasonable certainty to be economically producible from a given date forward from known reservoirs and under existing economic conditions, operating methods and government regulations prior to the time at which contracts providing the right to operate expire unless evidence indicates that renewal is reasonably certain regardless of whether deterministic or probabilistic methods are used for the estimation.

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The estimates of proved natural gas reserves ("SEC Case") utilized in the preparation of our consolidated financial statements are estimated in accordance with the rules established by the SEC and the Financial Accounting Standards Board ("FASB"). These rules require that reserve estimates be prepared under existing economic and operating conditions using a trailing 12-month average price with no provision for price and cost escalations in future years except by contractual arrangements. The development of our natural gas reserve quantities requires management to make significant estimates and assumptions related to the intent and ability to complete undeveloped proved reserves within a five-year development period, as prescribed by SEC guidelines. Management engaged DeGolyer to prepare reserves estimates for our estimated proved reserves at December 31, 2023, and 2022. The technologies used in the estimation of our net proved undeveloped reserves include, but are not limited to, empirical evidence through drilling results and well performance, production data, decline curve analysis, well logs, geologic maps, core data, seismic data, demonstrated relationship between geologic parameters and performance, and the implementation and application of statistical analysis.

Management has confirmed that none of the Unitized Operating Agreement's reserves nor the Proved Undeveloped Reserves ("PUDs") are scheduled to be developed on a date more than five years from the date the reserves were initially recognized as PUDs as prescribed by SEC guidelines. PUDs are converted from undeveloped to developed as applicable wells begin production.

Reserve estimates are inherently imprecise. Accordingly, the estimates are expected to change as more current information becomes available. Such estimates are subject to the uncertainties inherent in the application of judgmental factors in interpreting such information. It is possible that, because of changes in market conditions or the inherent imprecision of reserve estimates, the estimates of future cash inflows, future gross revenues, the volume of natural gas reserves, the remaining estimated lives of natural gas properties, or any combination of the above may be increased or decreased. Increases in recoverable economic volumes generally reduce per-unit depletion rates, while decreases in recoverable economic volumes generally increase per-unit depletion rates.

Revenue Recognition

General — We follow the guidance of FASB Accounting Standards Codification 606, Revenue from Contracts with Customers ("ASC 606"). The core principle underlying revenue recognition under ASC 606 is that revenue should be recognized as goods or services are transferred to customers in an amount that reflects the consideration to which we expect to be entitled. ASC 606 defines a five-step process to achieve recognition and mandates additional disclosure about the nature, amount, timing and uncertainty of revenues and cash flows arising from customer contracts, including significant judgments, and changes in judgments and assets recognized from costs incurred to obtain or fulfill a contract.

Renewable Natural — As of September 30, 2024, we primarily earn revenue through electricity generation revenue from the conversion of bio feedstocks to biomethane which is then converted to electricity through reciprocating generators. Such electricity is then delivered onto the grid through a metered interconnection and sold to the local state-owned electrical utility responsible for the purchase and marketing of energy produced by small-scale renewable energy assets. Upon delivery of the electricity to the grid, all performance obligations have been satisfied and energy generation revenue is recognized based on actual output and non-company specific predetermined prices for small renewable energy producers of €280/MWh (D.M. 18/12/2008).

Revenue is recognized over time as we transfer the electricity to the grid at a metered interconnection. The customer obtains control of the product upon delivery onto the electrical grid. We generally have a single performance obligation in its arrangements with our customers. We have no long-term contracts containing quantity or electricity volume production requirements and there is no variable consideration present in our performance obligations. Per ASC 606-10-25-27(a), delivery of units of power that are simultaneously received and consumed by the customer would satisfy the criteria in to be accounted for as a performance obligation satisfied over time and the same method would be used to measure the entity's progress towards complete satisfaction of the performance obligation to transfer each distinct unit of power in the series to the customer. Our performance obligation related to the sales of electricity are satisfied over time upon delivery to the customer. Revenue is measured as the amount of consideration we expect to receive in exchange for transferring our products. We apply a practical expedient in FASB ASC 606-10-55-18 applicable to our sales by assessing whether our right to consideration corresponds directly with the value to our customers (the "invoice practical expedient"). We concluded that pricing that corresponds to the value provided to the customer. Consideration for each transaction is based upon non-company specific predetermined prices for small renewable energy producers of €280/MWh (D.M. 18/12/2008). Payment terms are typically between two months after the invoice date and there are no return or refund rights.

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Business Combinations and Asset Acquisitions

We evaluate whether a transaction meets the definition of a business. We first apply a screen test to determine if substantially all of the fair value of the gross assets acquired is concentrated in a single identifiable asset or group of similar identifiable assets. If the screen test is met, the transaction is accounted for as an asset acquisition. If the screen test is not met, we further consider whether the set of assets acquired have, at a minimum, inputs and processes that have the ability to create outputs in the form of revenue. If the assets acquired meet this criteria, the transaction is accounted for as a business combination.

Acquisitions that qualify as an asset acquisition are accounted for using a cost accumulation model where the purchase price of the acquisition is allocated to the assets acquired on a relative fair value basis on the date of acquisition. We generally account for acquisitions of renewable natural gas assets as asset acquisitions. Inputs used to determine such fair values are primarily based upon internally-developed estimates, estimates developed by third-party valuation firms, and publicly-available data regarding renewable natural gas asset transactions consummated by other buyers and sellers, as applicable. These fair values are considered Level 3 assets in the fair value hierarchy. Any associated acquisition costs are generally capitalized.

Acquisitions that qualify as a business combination are accounted for using the acquisition method of accounting. The fair value of consideration transferred for an acquisition is allocated to the assets acquired and liabilities assumed based on their fair value on a nonrecurring basis on the acquisition date and are subject to fair value adjustments under certain circumstances. The excess of the consideration transferred over the fair value of assets acquired and liabilities assumed is recorded as goodwill. Conversely, in the event the fair value of assets acquired and liabilities assumed is greater than the consideration transferred, a bargain purchase gain is recognized.

Determining the fair value of assets acquired and liabilities assumed requires judgment and often involves the use of significant estimates and assumptions as fair values are not always readily determinable. Different techniques may be used to determine fair values, including market prices (where available), comparisons to transactions for similar assets and liabilities and the discounted net present value of estimated future cash flows, among others. We engage third-party valuation firms when appropriate to assist in the fair value determination of assets acquired and liabilities assumed. Acquisition-related expenses and transaction costs associated with business combinations are expensed as incurred. We may adjust the amounts recognized in an acquisition during a measurement period not to exceed one year from the date of acquisition, as a result of subsequently obtaining additional information that existed at the acquisition date.

Where applicable, asset acquisitions may be owned together with unaffiliated outside parties. In acquisitions where we have a majority direct controlling interest, the unaffiliated outside ownership is shown as noncontrolling interests in members' equity in our consolidated financial statements.

Contingent Consideration Liability

On July 13, 2016, AleAnna Europa S.r.l., a former subsidiary of AleAnna Resources LLC (which was subsequently merged into AleAnna Italia S.p.A. in December 2022), purchased a 33.5% working interest in the Longanesi field, which was accounted for as an asset acquisition. Consideration paid included €7 million cash and up to €24 million of deferred consideration payable upon production of the Longanesi field. The deferred consideration is payable based on a formulaic calculation which is predominantly dependent on sales volumes and spot natural gas prices during the first 12 years of the Earn-Out Period. There will be no deferred consideration due if Longanesi is not developed and no deferred consideration due if average annual gas prices are less than €3.65/Mcf over the Earn-Out Period.

We recognized a liability for the contingent consideration in accounting for the asset acquisition in accordance with ASC 450, Contingencies (the "contingent consideration liability") based on our assessment of probability of the occurrence of payment and deemed the liability estimable based on the formulaic nature. See Note 3 for more information.

Derivative Liability

We evaluate the existence of separable embedded features within applicable debt or equity instruments pursuant to FASB ASC 815, Derivatives and Hedging ("ASC 815"). Professional standards generally provide three criteria that, if met, require companies to bifurcate embedded features from their host instruments and separately account for them as derivative. These three criteria include circumstances in which (i) the economic characteristics and risks of the embedded derivative instrument are not clearly and closely related to the economic characteristics and risks of the

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host contract, (ii) the hybrid instrument that embodies both the embedded derivative instrument and the host contract is not re-measured at fair value under otherwise applicable generally accepted accounting principles with changes in fair value reported in earnings as they occur and (iii) a separate instrument with the same terms as the embedded derivative instrument would be considered a derivative instrument.

As of December 31, 2023, we recorded a derivative liability associated with certain embedded features of our Class 1 Preferred Units which entitle holders to a payout of 3.5 times their investment in the event of a company sale transaction or redemption at our option. See Note 4 to our consolidated financial statements for more information.

Income Taxes

Prior to the Business Combination, AleAnna Energy was not directly subject to federal income taxes under the provisions of the Internal Revenue Code or applicable state laws as it elected to be taxed as a partnership, and therefore taxable income or loss was reported to the individual partners for inclusion in their respective tax returns. As such, no provision for federal and state income taxes at the AleAnna Energy level was included in the accompanying consolidated financial statements. However, the AleAnna Energy's consolidated Italian subsidiary (AleAnna Italia S.p.A.) is subject to Italian corporate income taxes. Therefore, the income tax consequences of this entity have been reflected in AleAnna Energy's consolidated financial statements in accordance with ASC 740, Income Taxes. As of September 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, the statutorily determined cumulative taxable loss of AleAnna Italia S.p.A. was tax affected and recognized as a deferred tax asset, and we have provided deferred taxes for temporary differences between the book and tax basis in the underlying assets and liabilities resulting in a net deferred tax asset. Given AleAnna Energy's history of cumulative financial reporting losses, a full valuation allowance was applied against the deferred tax asset as of September 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023. The applicable Italian corporate tax rate is 24%, and the effective tax rates were 0% in the periods presented herein given the losses incurred and the application of a full valuation allowance against AleAnna Energy's deferred tax assets. Following completion of the Business Combination, given that AleAnna's primary operating activities resided, and continue to reside, within AleAnna Italia S.p.A., which is taxed as a Corporation, the post Business Combination structure is not expected to significantly alter the income tax consequences in AleAnna, Inc.'s future consolidated financial statements. Income tax consequences will continue to be reflected in AleAnna, Inc.'s consolidated financial statements in accordance with ASC 740, Income Taxes. Further, given AleAnna Energy's history of losses, and because future production remains uncertain, AleAnna, Inc. expects to continue to apply a full valuation allowance against deferred tax assets until such time as production commences. However, Swiftmerge Holdco LLC, now a consolidated subsidiary of AleAnna, Inc., is a limited liability company that is treated as a partnership for tax purposes, with each of its members accounting for its share of tax attributes and liabilities.

Asset Retirement Obligation

We recognize a liability for asset retirement obligations ("AROs") based on an estimate of the amount and timing of settlement at the time a legal obligation is incurred. Upon initial recognition of an ARO, we increase the carrying amount of the long-lived asset by the same amount as the liability. The initial capitalized costs will be depleted over the useful (productive) lives of the related assets.

Our asset retirement obligations relate to the abandonment of gas production facilities including reclaiming well pads, reclaiming water impoundments, plugging wells and dismantling related structures. Estimates are based on historical experience of plugging and abandoning wells and reclaiming of disposing other assets and estimated remaining (productive) lives of the wells and assets.

No incremental ARO liabilities have been incurred during the nine months ended September 30, 2024. During the year ended December 31, 2023, we incurred incremental ARO liabilities, for one new development area associated with Longanesi (Casale Cocchi 1). During the year ended December 31, 2022, we incurred incremental ARO liabilities for two new development areas associated with Longanesi (Longanesi 3 and Casale Cocchi 1). Otherwise, changes in ARO between periods presented only relate to the accretion of the liability. We do not have any assets that are legally restricted for purposes of settling these obligations.

BUSINESS

The following discussion reflects the business of AleAnna both prior to and after giving effect to the Business Combination, as the context indicates. Unless the context otherwise requires, all references in this section to "AleAnna," the "Company," "we," "us," and "our," refer to AleAnna, Inc. and its consolidated subsidiaries. References to "AleAnna Energy" refer to AleAnna Energy, LLC.

Overview

AleAnna is a development-stage natural gas resource company focused on delivering critical natural gas supplies to Europe through both onshore conventional natural gas exploration and development and renewable natural gas development in Italy. We have several successful conventional natural gas discoveries including our primary discovery, the Longanesi field, located in the Po Valley in Northern Italy, which is one of Italy's largest modern natural gas discoveries. We have a 33.5% working interest in the Longanesi field with our working interest partner, and operator, Padana, representing the other 66.5% working interest. We acquired our working interest in the Longanesi field in 2016. We also retain wholly-owned concessions, permits, and pending applications on other exploration and development prospects across Italy which are supported by proprietary modern 3D seismic reservoir imaging. In 2021, we launched a renewable natural gas development business focused on bringing to market carbon negative renewable natural gas derived from animal and agricultural waste. As a development-stage company, we have not generated any revenue from our principal business activities to date.

Over the past 15 years, we have invested approximately \$227 million in the acquisition and initial development of our properties, and we own a portfolio of conventional natural gas properties, including Longanesi, Gradizza, and Trava, containing of 17.7 (10⁶ft³) net recoverable proved undeveloped natural gas reserves according to our independent third-party reserve engineer, DeGolyer. Beyond our net recoverable natural gas reserves, we have 13 development prospects at various stages of permitting, supported by 3D seismic surveys, and leases on approximately 2.3 million net acres — paving the way for future exploration and development. Our primary activities currently involve the drilling, testing, and tie-in related activities associated with three incremental Longanesi development wells drilled in 2022 and 2023 as well as the original discovery wells associated with the Longanesi field together with our working interest partner and field operator Padana. Tie-in of these wells is complete, and we are currently executing the installation of a temporary processing facility. We and Padana expect to achieve first production of the five wells in the Longanesi field in the first quarter of 2025 through use of a temporary processing skid. The permanent processing facility is expected to be constructed over the course of 2025 and commissioned in 2026. As of September 30, 2024, we have not derived revenue from its conventional natural gas business.

Additionally, our renewable gas team has built a substantial backlog of acquisition targets we believe are poised to support rapid growth in the Italian biomethane market. With several conventional and renewable projects under development, expected to initially generate revenue in the next 18 to 24 months.

We expect to be able to fund our future growth primarily out of cash from operations from the Longanesi, Gradizza, and Trava developments and with cash on hand. We believe that the synergies of our conventional and renewable natural gas businesses will provide us the financial flexibility to shift capital deployment between the two businesses as the energy transition unfolds.

We believe that our highly experienced and credentialed management team, consisting of former executives of Shell, Eni, and Exxon, provides the company access to a best-in-class technology platform, an excellent in-country business development network, strong collaboration with Italian regulators, and experience with local regulatory processes. Our senior management team has over 100 years of combined experience in the upstream conventional and renewable energy industries. We are managed by William ("Bill") Dirks, our Executive Director, and Marco Brun, our Chief Executive Officer, under the direction of our Board.

AleAnna is headquartered in Dallas, Texas, and has offices in Rome, Italy.

Our Business Strategies

Conventional Natural Gas Business

We intend to leverage the operational expertise of our management team, including in the use of 3D seismic and Direct Hydrocarbon Indicators ("DHIs"), to achieve attractive reserve, production and cash flow growth. We believe the following factors are key to achieving these goals:

- the use of industry-leading technologies and techniques to significantly increase the probability of drilling success;
- a currently robust natural gas price environment, with current takeaway prices of approximately \$10-\$15 per (10³ft³), which are approximately 3-4 times the current Henry Hub spot price;
- geographically advantaged developments that are adjacent to a well-developed pipeline network containing large excess transport capacity;
- relatively low-cost, low-risk, onshore operations through which our natural gas can be brought to market at costs of approximately \$1-3 per 10³ft³;
- short expected payout periods and high expected rates of return on developments, supported by high quality, high flow rate, reservoirs, and a low combined federal and regional royalty regime (10%);
- nimble operating model with a focus on utilizing outsourced resources to control costs; and
- proactive relationships with larger enterprises (like Shell and Eni Ecofuels ("Eni")) to further our marketing and potential hedging strategies, and to support our ongoing conventional natural gas exploration and development aspirations.

Renewable Natural Gas Business

We intend to develop and grow our renewable natural gas business through the acquisition of operational Anaerobic Digestors (or "AD's") and their conversion to biomethane facilities. We believe the following factors are key to achieving this goal:

- existing AD's ("Brownfield Facilities") are cheaper to acquire and have a lower risk profile than new-build opportunities ("Greenfield Facilities" or "Greenfield") and their conversion to biomethane is relatively efficient and can be accomplished within a short time frame through installation of an "off-the-shelf" biogas upgrading unit;
- we believe we have unique regional overlap across our conventional and renewable natural gas businesses as our conventional focus area, Italy's Po Valley, contains the majority of the existing Italian AD's and is adjacent to a comprehensive natural gas pipeline network operated by the Italian-sponsored Snam, which exists in close proximity to our conventional business and the Po Valley AD's;
- as one of a few licensed Italian Exploration & Production ("E&P") operators, we believe we have the means, mechanisms, and market relationships to bring biomethane to market, whereas those tasks are above the capabilities of most family farms and farm association who currently own and operated existing AD's;
- we believe the construction and operation of a biomethane facility is similar to the operation of a conventional natural gas facility, a capability which we already possess;
- by either including the family farm as a working-interest partner or entering into bespoke feedstock contracts, we believe we can enlist the farms' support in creating necessary AD fuels and in the disposal of waste products from the AD (which are converted into fertilizer), without our business having to become proficient in farming;
- we believe that a combination of free cash flows from our conventional natural gas business, together with other cash on hand, and future project level debt financing will satisfy the near-term capital requirements of our renewable natural gas portfolio; and
- as discussed in more detail below, the Italian government's 15-year guaranteed biomethane floor price of \$39.30 per 10³ft³ substantially mitigates pricing risk from the renewable natural gas business.

Natural Gas Demand

Although Italy has numerous hydrocarbon-producing basins with significant undeveloped oil and gas deposits, both onshore and offshore, in 2022 Italy imported 96% of its natural gas and has one of the highest concentrations of natural gas as a component of total energy use, at almost 40% by kilotons of oil equivalent. Its reliance on imports has led to a paradigm shift in the Italian political landscape towards securing domestic energy supply. In addition, Italy has in recent decades opened oil and gas exploration and development permits to the global E&P industry beyond the historical domain of Italy's former National Oil Company ("NOC"), Eni.

Catering to this renewed emphasis on secure domestic energy supply, we are focused on exploitation and producing activities in the prolific and well-derisked Po Valley of northern Italy using modern proprietary 3D seismic surveys, which has led us to believe the Po Valley contains numerous opportunities to develop and explore for conventional natural gas fields with access to a dense network of government-controlled natural gas pipelines that can transport our products to industrial, power generation and residential customers throughout Italy and into the southern EU. Additionally, according to Eurostat, Italy is second only to Germany in the EU in terms of the value of natural gas sold for industrial power and heat requirements, and the Po Valley is adjacent to Italy's core, high-energy demand, manufacturing centers. Supporting the vital energy needs of this industrial production base, Po Valley reservoirs are largely high-quality, geologically young rocks with unique properties that allow for the application of an important exploration and development technology known as DHIs, through which natural gas deposits can be "seen" on modern seismic surveys. We believe the use of DHI technology dramatically increases the probability of drilling success.

In addition, throughout the central and southern EU (but primarily focused in Italy and Germany), member states' interest in creating new sources of renewable energy has supported the construction of nearly 10,000 AD's over the past 15 years. Largely family-farm owned and operated and fueled by crop and livestock wastes, these AD's are currently creating a meaningful, sustainable, supply of raw biogas (approximately 50% methane and 50% CO₂ and other waste gases) according to the European Biogas Association, the precursor to pipeline-quality biomethane (99.5% pure methane). Virtually all existing AD's were designed to burn raw biogas in highly inefficient reciprocating engines to produce electricity. However, the Italian government's financial incentives and subsidies supporting these activities are set to expire in January 2025 absent additional government action and have been largely replaced by attractive biomethane capital and pricing incentives to stimulate conversion of these AD's to the production of biomethane production. Such incentives are designed to bring biomethane into the national pipeline transmission system in order to deliver the natural gas to higher efficiency, utility-scale, natural gas power generation stations. In order to continue biogas operations, the farms are forced to seek a new use for the product, which will be dominated by conversion to biomethane. To support this conversion, Italy has implemented a government-backed biomethane floor price through the end of 2039 of €124 per MWh, equivalent, as of September 30, 2024 to \$39.30 per 10³ft³.

Our Operations

Conventional Natural Gas Business

We began studying Italian opportunities in 2007 and, over the last approximately 15 years, have invested approximately \$227 million to build a large asset base and exploration and development prospect inventory. Our portfolio is largely comprised of a group of three discoveries currently under development (Longanesi, Gradizza, and Trava), which are surrounded by an additional 13 development and exploration prospects (within the Longanesi and Ponte dei Grilli "Clusters") that are at various stages of permitting and are supported by proprietary 3D seismic surveys. According to our independent third-party reserve engineer, DeGolyer, these clusters contain approximately 17.7 (10⁹ft³) of proven recoverable natural gas net to us primarily related to our working interest in the Longanesi field but do not include the additional development prospects we and our partner Padana have identified and likely intend to drill in the near future.

In addition, our investments in approximately 140,000 acres (approximately 567 km²) of modern, high-quality, 3D seismic surveys in the eastern Po Valley underpin our conventional natural gas growth plan and many of our expected development and exploration prospects are in advanced stages of permitting. Our immediate focus is on the extension of the Longanesi Field together with Padana. We expect to drill two additional high-quality development

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wells by year end 2026, bringing the Longanesi field to a total of seven wells. In addition to the Longanesi expansion, we are simultaneously focused on 13 100% working interest exploration prospects that currently reside at various stages of permitting.

We continue to actively market future production of our conventional natural gas business. On October 29, 2024, we entered into a GSA with SEEL, whereby SEEL become the exclusive buyer of our share of the natural gas produced from the Longanesi field net of (i) any consumption and/or losses incurred in the transport, treatment and compression of gas before delivery; (ii) any volume to be allocated for regulated royalties auctions, if applicable; and (iii) any other volume contractually allocated to other parties before August 31, 2022. Future sales under the GSA are contingent upon the commencement of gas production.

A critical step in our success will be the completion and successful operation of the Longanesi field and the corresponding processing facility. Over the course of 2022-2023, together with Padana, we completed the drilling of three additional conventional natural gas development wells (in addition to two existing Longanesi field discovery wells). Subsequently, during the first half of 2024, we and Padana completed the construction of the flow lines tying the five wells together. Currently, we and Padana are installing and connecting a processing skid to the flow lines and to the SNAM national pipeline system. Upon completion of the processing skid installation, we and Padana expect to begin production of the Longanesi field in the first quarter of 2025. The remaining capital expenditures necessary to bring Longanesi to production will be funded utilizing our cash on hand.

Throughout 2025 and 2026, we and Padana expect to develop a second and third phase of Longanesi field development aimed at bringing an additional three conventional wells online (bringing the field to seven total wells).

Additionally, the infrastructure installed at the Longanesi field (the flow lines and the processing unit) is expected to benefit our future development and exploration prospects in the near vicinity. Through the cash flow from Longanesi, Gradizza, and Trava once these latter two discoveries are brought on production, we plan to continue to grow both our conventional and renewable natural gas businesses. As we progress phase two and phase three of Longanesi development, we also expect to begin a new phase of exploration drilling, focused initially on our Fornace and Armonia exploration prospects.

Renewable Natural Gas Business

We expect our renewable natural gas business will methodically acquire and retrofit a significant number of existing anaerobic digester facilities in the future. We are concentrating our acquisition efforts on Brownfield Facilities in the Po Valley of northern Italy, but will seek other profitable facilities, including Greenfields, as circumstances warrant.

On March 20, 2024, we closed the acquisition of the Campagnatico Greenfield natural gas facility in Tuscany, Italy for €2,000,000, or approximately \$2,150,000. The facility is fully permitted, and construction began in the fourth quarter of 2024.

In 2025 we expect to begin upgrading construction activities at two sites: Casalino (formerly known as Fattoria Delle Jersey) a Brownfield facility (a conversion of an existing AD into a biomethane facility) and Campopiano which is also a Brownfield facility. We will then sequentially stage construction at each additional facility we acquire. Both Casalino and Campopiano are currently fully permitted for production of electricity through conversion of crop and animal waste bio feedstocks. The plant assets are currently biomethane to electricity conversion assets. It is the company's intention to begin upgrading the sites to refine biomethane into renewable natural gas through upgrading units. Following the upgrade process to transition the assets to biomethane to renewable natural gas conversion, the Company expects to sell renewable natural gas to customer(s) by trucking or piping the renewable natural gas to the interstate pipeline system (SNAM). Until the plant assets are upgraded, the Company will actively source bio feedstocks for the assets in order to produce biomethane which will be processed through reciprocating generators in order to generate electricity which is then sold onto the grid through a metered interconnection. Casalino and Campopiano derive revenues from the sale of such electricity to the local state owned electrical utility (Gestore dei Servizi Energetici SpA or "GSE").

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Led by the renewable natural gas expertise and Italian networking capabilities of Giuseppe Perrone (ex-CEO of Eni), over the past approximately 18 months, we have built a significant backlog of potential acquisition opportunities (primarily consisting of existing, operational AD's currently producing biogas for electricity generation). These target AD's and facilities are undergoing an extensive, and largely proprietary, due-diligence processes focused on both economic and operational feasibility. Our diligence includes, among other things, threshold financial returns, the evaluation of acquisition costs, operating costs, proximity to the existing SNAM pipeline system, feedstock availability, and optimization and expansion potential. By focusing on near-term opportunities that can be converted from biogas into biomethane (renewable natural gas) within no more than 12-18 months, we plan to acquire and begin upgrading approximately three to five facilities by year-end 2024. We anticipate rapidly expanding our renewable natural gas production portfolio over the next several years.

We aim to acquire a majority working interest (80 -100%) and operatorship of all renewable natural gas projects. We strive to form and enter into a joint venture with the farm (typically the seller of the existing AD infrastructure), thereby ensuring a secure supply of raw materials (biomass) and disposal of waste products (digestate). In facilities where we acquire a 100% working interest, we may enter into bespoke feedstock supply and digestate disposal contracts.

Development Plan and Permitting

Longanesi Field, Phase 1: The Production Concession has been awarded and the approved five production wells have been drilled and completed. Two additional authorization letters need to be granted before production start-up, (i) Approval from the Emilia Romagna Region for remaining environmental prescriptions (anticipated in early Q1 2025), and (ii) Approval from the Italian Ministry of the Environment and Energy Security (referenced herein as the "Ministero dell'Ambiente e della Sicurezza Energetica," the "Federal Ministry," or "MASE") to start up the gas facility (anticipated early Q1 2025).

Gradizza Field: The discovery well, which will act as the production well, has been completed and all commitments under the Exploration Permit have been finished. Application for the Production Concession has been made, and the required extension of the Environmental Impact Assessment ("VIA") has been completed and submitted for approval. Prior to first production there are two major authorizations that must be obtained: i) authorization of the Production Concession from the Emilia Romagna Region (the "Intesa"), and ii) authorization of the Production Concession from the Federal Ministry.

Trava Field: The discovery well, which will act as the production well, has been completed and all commitments under the Exploration Permit have been finished. Application for the Production Concession has been made, and the required VIA is being finalized for submission to the Federal Ministry. Prior to first production there are three major authorizations that must be obtained: (i) approval of the VIA by the Federal Ministry, (ii) authorization of the Production Concession from the Intesa, and (iii) authorization of the Production Concession from the Federal Ministry.

Fornace Exploration Well: The required VIA has been completed and approved by the Federal Ministry and the drilling application has been submitted. The remaining steps prior to drilling the well are: (i) drilling authorization from the Intesa, and (ii) drilling authorization from the Federal Ministry.

Biogas production activities (both conventional natural gas and renewable natural gas) are subject to several environmental laws and regulations. The main reference is the Consolidated Environmental Act issued by Legislative Decree 152/2006.

The Renewable Natural Gas Development Plan (the "Development Plan") is subject to the authorization for the construction of the biomethane facility and the production of renewable natural gas. The Development Plan is subject to environmental permitting, through Environmental Impact Assessments.

The Development Plan regarding the conventional natural gas is subject to concession, which is obtained after subjecting the Development Plan to an environmental permitting; moreover, it is the subject of an agreement between the State and the regional government for onshore activities.

Industry

EU Demand for Secure Energy Supply and Growth in Renewable Natural Gas

We believe the EU and Italian energy markets are undergoing dramatic changes as a result of two factors: (1) Russian natural gas imports into the EU have declined approximately two-thirds (from 45% of total imports to 15% of total imports) since the outbreak of the Russia-Ukraine war due to sanctions against Russia and the cancellation of supply contracts, and (2) the shift from fossil fuels to carbon-reduced and carbon-free sources. An immediate need to replace Russian gas with a stable, secure, long-term gas supply has induced EU member nations to focus on increasing access to domestic sources of supply and new liquified natural gas ("LNG") imports, and a series of technological, economic, regulatory, social, and investor pressures are leading the drive to decarbonize energy at a greatly accelerated pace, which is being supported by significant and long-term renewable gas incentives implemented in Italy and other EU members.

The EU finds itself in a position where reliance on conventional natural gas as a transition fuel becomes imperative for several reasons:

- Despite recent attempts in Germany, adding a significant amount of new coal -fired power in the EU is not a viable option. Domestic coal-fired electricity generation has declined to all-time lows in 2022, and much of Europe's imported coal is from Russia. In addition, increasing coal-fired generation would require the suspension of EU carbon market regulations and the carbon emissions caps that all member nations have strongly endorsed;
- Similarly, we do not believe new nuclear power generation is a viable substitute given the lengthy permitting and construction timelines associated with such projects. Long lead times make nuclear power including attractive small nuclear reactors a multi-decade solution at best;
- Replacing Russian gas with LNG imports is very challenging, given supply constraints, limited global liquefaction capacity, and recent moves by the US to slow or stop new LNG export projects. In addition, the EU lacks sufficient LNG import terminals to increase intake significantly in a timely manner given the time and regulatory delays of constructing new LNG import facilities;
- Renewable power generation suffers from three key problems: intermittency, seasonality, and energy density. Battery technology today can only support 4-6 hours of discharge, which then requires significant and costly capital expenditures on storage to mitigate intermittency.
- Recent advancements in Artificial Intelligence ("AI") are leading to increased global power demand for data centers. The growth in European data center power demand may surpass the total annual power demand of some EU member states. It is anticipated that a significant portion of new data center developments will be supported by combined cycle natural gas turbine power generation. Such generation provides the steady baseload power that data centers require, and, unlike renewable power generation, does not suffer from many of the intermittency and seasonality challenges. The potential power generation and infrastructure demands that may emerge from AI technology may create natural gas demand and power price tightness that could positively impact upstream natural gas prices.

Renewable natural gas (biomethane) is compositionally identical to the biogenic natural gas in the Po Valley, can be transported on the same pipeline systems, is used by the same consumers, and offers a sustainable, low-carbon fuel that can be used to help transform the energy economy of the EU. As a result, the EU has published very aggressive targets for biomethane development (with a goal of 30% of EU natural gas by 2030), and its member states, including Italy, are supporting development with high biomethane floor prices and capital investment incentive programs to aid in financing AD conversions to upgrade biogas production to biomethane.

Social and Environmental Preferences and Investor Pressures

The effects of climate change, including extreme weather events, rising temperatures, and the increased health and socio-economic stability of at-risk populations, have emphasized the need to reduce GHGs and move toward reduced carbon energy solutions. As a result, environmentally conscious policies, initiatives, and businesses are growing in value and preference.

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ESG investing has accelerated as institutional investors shift their portfolios away from carbon-intensive assets. This shift in investor sentiment has caused many large integrated energy companies to set decarbonization strategies and diversify into different forms of carbon-free and carbon-reduced energy. However, such large integrated energy companies often have expensive cost structures and cumbersome processes and generally lack the agility to pursue grass-roots smaller energy transition projects being pursued by us. We believe such factors bode well for our competitive positioning in the marketplace. We also believe sizeable integrated energy companies will look to inorganically acquire and integrate aggregated renewables businesses in the future after more nimble companies like AleAnna have built up a larger renewable portfolio of profitable biomethane facilities.

Reserve Information

Preparation of Reserve Estimates

Our reserve estimates as of December 31, 2023 and 2022 included in this prospectus are based on reports prepared by DeGolyer, our independent reserve engineer, in accordance with generally accepted petroleum engineering and evaluation principles and definitions and guidelines established by the SEC in effect at such time. Copies of the reports are included as Exhibit 99.1 hereto. DeGolyer provides a variety of services to the oil and gas industry, including field studies, oil and gas reserve estimations, appraisals of oil and gas properties and exploration and development prospects and reserve reports for their clients.

Proved reserves are reserves which, by analysis of geoscience and engineering data, can be estimated with reasonable certainty to be economically producible from a given date forward from known reservoirs under existing economic conditions, operating methods and government regulations prior to the time at which contracts providing the right to operate expires, unless evidence indicates that renewal is reasonably certain. Our proved reserves were estimated assuming a 16-year reserve life. The term "reasonable certainty" implies a high degree of confidence that the quantities of oil or natural gas actually recovered will equal or exceed the estimate. The technical and economic data used in the estimation of our proved reserves include, but are not limited to, well logs, geologic maps, well-test data, production data (including flow rates), well data (including lateral lengths), historical price and cost information, and property ownership interests. Our independent reserve engineer uses this technical data, together with standard engineering and geoscience methods, or a combination of methods, including performance analysis, volumetric analysis, and analogy. The proved developed reserves are estimated using performance analysis and volumetric analysis. The estimates of the proved developed reserves are used to estimate the proved undeveloped reserves for each proved undeveloped location (utilizing type curves, statistical analysis, and analogy). Proved undeveloped drilling locations that are more than one offset from a proved developed well utilized reliable technologies to confirm reasonable certainty. The reliable technologies that were utilized in estimating these reserves include log data, performance data, log cross sections, seismic data, core data, and statistical analysis.

Internal Controls

Our internal staff of petroleum engineers and geoscience professionals works closely with DeGolyer to ensure the integrity, accuracy and timeliness of data furnished to DeGolyer. Periodically, our technical team meets with DeGolyer to review properties and discuss methods and assumptions used by us to prepare reserve estimates.

DeGolyer is an independent petroleum engineering and geological services firm. The independent evaluation of reserves referenced herein has been supervised by Mr. Regnald A. Boles, an Executive Vice President and Division Manager with DeGolyer, a Registered Professional Engineer in the State of Texas, and a member of the Society of Petroleum Engineers, the Society of Petroleum Evaluation Engineers, and the European Association of Geoscientists & Engineers. He has over 41 years of oil and gas industry experience. Reserve engineering is and must be recognized as a subjective process of estimating volumes of economically recoverable oil and natural gas that cannot be measured in an exact manner. The accuracy of any reserve estimate is a function of the quality of available data and of engineering and geological interpretation. As a result, the estimates of different engineers often vary. In addition, the results of drilling, testing and production may justify revisions of such estimates. Accordingly, reserve estimates often differ from the quantities of oil and natural gas that are ultimately recovered. Estimates of economically recoverable oil and natural gas and of future net revenues are based on a number of variables and assumptions, all of which may vary from actual results, including geologic interpretation, prices and future production rates and costs.

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For all of our properties, our internally prepared reserve estimates and the reserve reports prepared by DeGolyer, are reviewed and approved by our Executive Director, William K. Dirks, a greater than 40-year industry veteran who has successfully explored, developed, and operated reserves in multiple global jurisdictions.

The following table summarizes our proved developed and undeveloped natural gas reserves using average first-day-of-the-month closing prices for the prior 12 months and disaggregated by product.

Reserve Data

	December 31, 2023
	Natural Gas
	(10 ⁶ ft ³)
Estimated proved developed reserves	—
Estimated proved undeveloped reserves	17,689
Estimated total proved reserves	17,689

The following table summarizes our proved developed and undeveloped reserves using average first-day-of-the-month closing prices for the prior 12 months and disaggregated by discovery.

	December 31, 2023			
	Longanesi	Gradizza	Trava	Total
	(10 ⁶ ft ³)			
Proved undeveloped reserves	17,323	366	—	17,689
Total proved reserves	17,323	366	—	17,689

Proved Undeveloped Reserves

Our 2023 proved undeveloped reserves increased by approximately 3.9 (10⁶ft³), or approximately 28.4%, compared to 2022. The following table provides a roll-forward of our proved undeveloped reserves.

	Proved Undeveloped Reserves
	(10 ⁶ ft ³)
Balance at January 1, 2023	13,778
Extensions ⁽¹⁾	3,911
Discoveries ⁽¹⁾	—
Changes in sales prices ⁽²⁾	—
Other additions ⁽¹⁾	—
Revisions of previous estimates	—
Balance at December 31, 2023	17,689

(1) Increases from extensions are solely related to our recent Longanesi development drilling. Recent drilling activity consisted of the following: drilling of two gross Longanesi development wells (0.67 net wells to our interest) during the year ended December 31, 2022, and drilling of one gross Longanesi development well (0.335 net to our interest) during the year ended December 31, 2023. The 3,911 10⁶ft³ of reserves added during the year ended December 31, 2023 relate to the drilling of one gross Longanesi development well (0.335 net to our interest) during the year ended December 31, 2023. We had no other exploratory or development drilling during the years ended December 31, 2023 or 2022. We also had no other additions during the year ended December 31, 2023.

(2) Our existing reserves were considered economic and were expected to be recovered at the volume weighted average price attributable to the estimated proved reserves of \$14.13 and \$24.55 per thousand cubic feet of gas for the year ended December 31, 2023, and 2022. Per the December 31, 2023 and 2022 reserves reports, the full volume of total proved undeveloped reserves is produced within the economic limit of the reservoir despite the significant change in prices year over year. Based on the estimated operating expenses included in the reserves reports, the December 31, 2023 and 2022 natural gas prices are above the break-even price of production such that the full volume of recoverable gas is capable of being produced prior to reaching the economic limit. As a result, there were no revisions to volumes in either year as a result of changes in sales prices during the years ended December 31, 2023 and 2022.

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As of December 31, 2023, we had no wells with proved undeveloped reserves that had remained undeveloped for more than five years from their time of booking. Our Longanesi, Trava and Gradizza wells are classified by DeGolyer as proved undeveloped reserves as such wells have not yet started production and require future investments to install production pipelines and production facilities prior to being fully completed and producible.

We previously determined the Bugas settlement should be accounted for as an acquisition of the Bugas ORRI claim with a corresponding impact to our reserves. Our year-end December 31, 2023 reserve quantities included the 20% of 350 million standard cubic meters (approximately 2,472 10^6 ft^3) allocable to the Bugas ORRI in its proved gas reserves. However, the required payments to Bugas associated with the sale of such quantities were reflected as cash outflows (costs) as if such amounts were paid to Bugas. As such, utilizing the same assumptions as the December 31, 2023 DeGolyer reserve report, if the cash payments allocable to Bugas were added back to our December 31, 2023 future net cash flows and standardized measure of discounted future net cash flow, such amounts would have increased \$35.3 million and \$30.0 million, respectively. Our working interest (net revenue interest) as established under the terms of the Unified Operating Agreement arrangement originally signed between ENI and Grove and dated September 26, 2009, remains unchanged at 33.5%. The total \$6.6 million in acquisition costs related to the Bugas ORRI acquisition were not contemplated as part of the December 31, 2023 DeGolyer reserve report and such amounts do not appear in our December 31, 2023 future net cash flows and standardized measure of discounted future net cash flow as settlement discussions had not commenced (and did not commence until late first quarter 2024) and any potential settlement outcomes or amounts were unknown as of December 31, 2023.

Present Value of Future Net Cash Flows Discounted at 10%

The following table provides the estimated future net cash flows from proved reserves, the present value of those net cash flows discounted at a rate of 10% (PV-10) and the prices used in projecting net cash flows over the past two years. Our reserve estimates and related cash flows do not include any probable or possible reserves.

	Years Ended December 31,	
	2023	2022
	(Thousands, unless otherwise noted)	
Future net cash flows ^(a)	\$ 132,492	\$ 190,916
Present value of net cash flows discounted at a rate of 10% ^(b)	102,672	136,540
Prices		
Natural gas price (\$/ 10^3 ft^3) ^(c)	\$ 14.13	\$ 24.55

(a) Future net cash flows represent future cash flows which are reduced by estimated production costs, administrative costs, costs to develop and produce the proved reserves and abandonment costs, all based on current economic conditions at each year-end. This amount excludes future income taxes and is prior to any discounting.

(b) Present value of net cash flows represents future net cash flows discounted to present value using a discount rate of 10%. Such amount also excludes future income taxes. See "Reconciliation of Standardized Measure to PV-10" for a calculation of the standardized measure of estimated future net cash flows from natural gas and oil reserves.

(c) Gas prices are based on a reference price. Gross gas price is calculated as the unweighted arithmetic average of the first day-of-the-month price prevailing in Italy for each month within a 12month period prior to the end of the reporting period. The volume-weighted average price attributable to the estimated proved reserves was \$14.13 and \$24.55 per thousand cubic feet of gas for the year ended December 31, 2023, and 2022, respectively.

Future net cash flows represent projected revenues from the sale of proved reserves net of production and development costs (including transportation and gathering expenses, operating expenses and production taxes). Revenues are based on a twelve-month unweighted average of the first-day-of-the-month pricing, without escalation. Future cash flows are reduced by estimated production costs, administrative costs, costs to develop and produce the proved reserves and abandonment costs, all based on current economic conditions at each year-end. There can be no assurance that the proved reserves will be produced in the future or that prices, production or development costs will remain constant. There are numerous uncertainties inherent in estimating reserves and related information. See Note 12 to the financial statements included in this prospectus for further discussion of the preparation of, and year-over-year changes in, our reserves estimate and calculation of the standardized measure of estimated future net cash flows from natural gas and oil reserves.

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As previously noted, we have determined the Blugas (as defined below) settlement should be accounted for as an acquisition of the Blugas ORRI claim with a corresponding impact to our reserves. Our year-end December 31, 2023 reserve quantities included the 20% of 350 million standard cubic meters (approximately 2,472 10^6 ft³) allocable to the Blugas ORRI in its proved gas reserves. However, the required payments to Blugas associated with the sale of such quantities were reflected as cash outflows (costs) as if such amounts were paid to Blugas. As such, utilizing the same assumptions as the December 31, 2023 DeGolyer reserve report, if the cash payments allocable to Blugas were added back to our December 31, 2023 future net cash flows and standardized measure of discounted future net cash flow, such amounts would have increased \$35.3 million and \$30.0 million, respectively. Our working interest (net revenue interest) as established under the terms of the Unified Operating Agreement arrangement originally signed between ENI and Grove and dated September 26, 2009, remains unchanged at 33.5%. The total \$6.6 million in acquisition costs related to the Blugas ORRI acquisition were not contemplated as part of the December 31, 2023 DeGolyer reserve report and such amounts do not appear in our December 31, 2023 future net cash flows and standardized measure of discounted future net cash flow as settlement discussions had not commenced (and did not commence until late first quarter 2024) and any potential settlement outcomes or amounts were unknown as of December 31, 2023.

Reconciliation of Standardized Measure to PV-10

The present value of net cash flows discounted at a rate of 10%, or, "PV -10," is derived from the standardized measure of discounted future net cash flows, which is the most directly comparable GAAP financial measure. PV-10 is a computation of the standardized measure of discounted future net cash flows on a pre-tax basis. PV-10 is equal to the standardized measure of discounted future net cash flows at the applicable date, before deducting future income taxes, discounted at 10 percent. We believe that the presentation of PV-10 is relevant and useful to investors because it presents the discounted future net cash flows attributable to our estimated proved reserves prior to taking into account future corporate income taxes, and it is a useful measure for evaluating the relative monetary significance of our oil and natural gas assets. Further, investors may utilize the measure as a basis for comparison of the relative size and value of our reserves to other companies. We use this measure when assessing the potential return on investment related to our oil and natural gas assets. PV-10, however, is not a substitute for the standardized measure of discounted future net cash flows. Our PV-10 measure and the standardized measure of discounted future net cash flows do not purport to present the fair value of our oil and natural gas reserves.

The following table provides a reconciliation of the GAAP standardized measure of discounted future net cash flows to PV-10 (non-GAAP) at December 31, 2023 and 2022:

	Years Ended December 31,	
	2023	2022
	(Thousands, unless otherwise noted)	
Standardized measure of discounted future net cash flows	\$ 69,924	\$ 90,474
Present value of future income taxes discounted at a rate of 10%	32,748	46,066
Present value of net cash flows discounted at a rate of 10% (PV-10)	102,672	136,540

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Acreage

The following table summarizes our acreage as of September 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023. As we have not commenced production, the Company has not yet classified any acreage as developed (productive) acreage.

	September 30, 2024	December 31, 2023
Production Concessions⁽¹⁾		
Total gross productive acreage	—	—
Total net productive acreage	—	—
Exploration Permits⁽²⁾		
Total gross productive acreage	—	—
Total net productive acreage	—	—
Applications⁽³⁾		
Total gross productive acreage	—	—
Total net productive acreage	—	—
Total gross productive acreage	—	—
Total net productive acreage	—	—
Production Concessions⁽¹⁾		
Total gross undeveloped acreage	24,142	24,142
Total net undeveloped acreage	19,710	19,710
Exploration Permits⁽²⁾		
Total gross undeveloped acreage	682,802	682,802
Total net undeveloped acreage	682,802	682,802
Applications⁽³⁾		
Total gross undeveloped acreage	1,623,209	1,623,209
Total net undeveloped acreage	1,623,209	1,623,209
Total gross undeveloped acreage	2,330,153	2,330,153
Total net undeveloped acreage	2,325,721	2,325,721

- (1) Encompasses three distinct production concession areas including Longanesi, Valle del Mezzano (Trava), and Gradizza. No expires prior to 2032.
- (2) Encompasses 10 distinct permits. AleAnna has an active permit extension program in place. In the event that production is not established or if extensions are not granted by the Italian government, 130,558 net acres will expire by December 31, 2026 and an additional 331,845 acres will expire by December 31, 2027. Included in the 682,802 are three permits totaling 104,815 net acres originally held in suspense pending review and revision of the PiTESAI as further described in the "Governmental Regulations" section below. The Italian Government has initiated a procedure to return to Aleanna all of the acres affected by the PiTESAI.
- (3) Encompasses 14 distinct areas and applications. Applications are rights of mineral development controlled by AleAnna whose activation may be deferred. AleAnna has not yet initiated activation, but has the right to do so in the future. Once AleAnna initiates activation the 1,623,209 net acres will have initial permit periods of six years.

Productive Wells

We did not have any productive wells as of September 30, 2024 or December 31, 2023 or 2022. Our Longanesi, Trava and Gradizza wells require future investments to install production pipelines and production facilities prior to being fully completed and producible. As a result, our wells are classified by DeGolyer as proved undeveloped reserves as such wells have not yet started production.

Drilling Activities

Our primary activities currently involve the drilling and testing of three Longanesi development wells together with its working interest partner, Padana. Our recent drilling activity consisted of the following: no activity during year-to-date September 30, 2024, drilling of two gross Longanesi development wells (0.67 net wells to our interest) during the year ended December 31, 2022, and drilling of one gross Longanesi development well (0.335 net to our interest) during the year ended December 31, 2023. We had no other exploratory or development drilling during the year-to-date September 30, 2024 or the years ended December 31, 2023 or 2022. Our Longanesi, Trava and Gradizza

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wells are classified by DeGolyer as proved undeveloped reserves as such wells have not yet started production and require future investments to install production pipelines and production facilities prior to being fully completed and producible. Following tie-in of the Longanesi wells and the installation of a temporary processing facility over the course of 2024, we and Padana expect to achieve first production of the five wells in the Longanesi field in the first quarter of 2025 through use of a temporary processing skid. The permanent processing facility is expected to be constructed over the course of 2025 and commissioned in the first half of 2026.

Net Volumes Sold, Prices and Production Costs

We have not derived revenue from our conventional natural gas business as of September 30, 2024 or December 31, 2023 or 2022.

Delivery Commitments

We have not currently party to any long -term delivery commitments as of September 30, 2024 or December 31, 2023 or 2022.

Governmental Regulations

With regard to environmental laws and compliance, the activities are subject to Environmental Impact Assessment, whose main rules are provided by the Consolidated Environmental Act issued by Legislative Decree 152/2006.

Environmental laws and regulations and environmental permitting require significant investments from the company to ensure compliance with laws and regulations. This entails the need for a structure that constantly monitors compliance activities.

Conventional Natural Gas

Our operations are subject to stringent and complex laws and regulations governing environmental protection, human health and safety, and long -term "sustainability". We are required to obtain certain permits, requiring approval at both the Italian national and regional government levels, to construct and operate our conventional facilities, which will contain constraints including those related to air emissions, solid and hazardous waste management, water quality, and control of construction/industrial traffic. These permits can be difficult and time-consuming to obtain and maintain. We have spent over a decade acquiring necessary permits required for the development of our Conventional business, and while we view this as a competitive advantage, our ability to obtain these permits in the future may be impacted by opposition from citizens or other groups or other political pressures. Compliance with such laws and regulations can be costly, and noncompliance can result in substantial penalties.

The Italian hydrocarbons industry is regulated by a combination of constitutional provisions, statutes, governmental decrees and other regulations that have been enacted and modified from time to time, including legislation enacted to implement EU requirements (collectively, the "Hydrocarbons Laws").

Pursuant to the Hydrocarbons Laws, all hydrocarbons existing in their natural condition in strata in Italy or beneath its territorial waters (including its continental shelf) are property of the State. Exploration activities require an exploration permit, while production activities require an exploiting concession granted by the Ministero dell'Ambiente e della Sicurezza Energetica — MASE or, in some specific cases (e.g. special-status region) by the Region.

In particular oil and gas exploration can be undertaken after the award of an exploration license that can last up to twelve years, provided that the permit holder complies with the approved exploration program. If the permit holder drills and discovers an exploitable hydrocarbon field, it has a right to obtain a production concession. All exploration and production activities are subject to environment assessment procedures.

Hydrocarbon exploration and production activities in Italy are governed by Law no. 6/1957, "Exploration and production of liquid and gaseous hydrocarbons". Mining titles are granted by a Decree of MASE. The two main types of mining titles are:

(a) Exploration permits — exclusive mining titles that can be requested on areas with a maximum footprint of 750 km². If multiple operators request the same area, MASE manages a competitive process to select the permit holder. In addition to an initial three-year validation period, there are two possible extension periods of three years

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each. However, such periods may be subject to suspension for justified reasons. The exploration permit allows the acquisition of geophysical data as well as the permission to drill one or more exploratory wells. If the exploratory well yields a positive result and a new hydrocarbon field is identified, the operator may apply for a production concession, which, once granted, allows the deposit itself to be brought into production.

The reference legislation for issuing the exploration permit is the following:

- art. 8 "Granting of permits", paragraph 1, of the Presidential Decree. 18 April 1994, n. 484 "Regulation governing the procedures for awarding prospecting or exploration and granting concessions for the production of hydrocarbons on land and at sea";
- art. 6 "Awarding of the exploration permit, its dimensions and duration", paragraph 4, of law 9 January 1991, n. 9 "Regulations for the implementation of the new national energy plan: institutional aspects, hydroelectric plants and power lines, hydrocarbons and geothermal energy, self-production and tax provisions";
- for onshore, art. 1, paragraph 7, letter n) of law 239/2004 "Reorganization of the energy sector, as well as delegation to the Government for the reorganization of the provisions in force on energy".
- The exploration permit is issued following a single procedure, governed by article 1 paragraphs 77 and 79 of law 23 August 2004, n. 239 and subsequent amendments. MASE reviews the project after hearing the opinion of a consultative body, the Ministerial commission on hydrocarbons (CIRM), within which the competent state and regional administrations are represented. The projects are subjected to the environmental eligibility procedure and/or the expression of an environmental compatibility judgment by the MASE or the Region concerned. MASE then issues onshore permits in agreement with the regions involved.

(b) Production Concessions are exclusive mineral titles requested on a portion of the exploration permit area where a new hydrocarbon field was discovered (with a maximum area of 300 km²). In addition to an initial validation period of 20 or 30 years, an operator may apply for further extension periods of five or 10 years. All activities relating to the production of hydrocarbons can be carried out within the scope of a production concession, including the drilling of development wells and construction of facilities. Production concessions are awarded to the holders of exploration permits so long as liquid and/or gaseous hydrocarbons are found and so long as the operator demonstrates adequate economic and technical capacities.

The production concession decree is granted and issued by MASE and contains all the requirements and constraints established by the various bodies that examined the project during the administrative procedure. The concession holder may freely sell the products extracted from the hydrocarbon field and must pay a royalty to the national and local governments. Yearly rentals are due based on the areas under the permits and are due to the national government.

The concession holder has an exclusive right on exploration, development and production activities, sustaining all the operational risks and costs related to the exploration and development activities, and it is entitled to the productions realized. As a compensation for mineral concessions, pays royalties on production and taxes on oil revenues to the state in accordance with local tax legislation.

Proved reserves to which we are entitled are determined by applying our share of production to total proved reserves of the contractual area, in respect of the duration of the relevant mineral right.

In general, we are required to pay income tax on income generated from production activities. The taxes imposed upon gas production profits and activities may be substantially higher than those imposed on other businesses.

The initial duration of an exploration permit is six years, with the possibility of obtaining two three - year extensions and an additional one -year extension to complete activities underway. AleAnna has an active permit extension program in place. In the event that production is not established or if extensions are not granted by the Italian government, AleAnna's permits will expire in December 31, 2026 and December 31, 2027. Applications are rights of mineral development controlled by AleAnna whose activation may be deferred. AleAnna has not yet initiated activation, but has the right to do so in the future. Once AleAnna initiates activation the respective net acres will have initial permit periods of six years. Upon each of the three-year extensions, 25% of the area under exploration must be relinquished

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to the State (only for initial acreages larger than 300 square kilometers). The initial duration of a production concession is 20 years, with the possibility of obtaining a ten-year extension and additional five-year extensions until the end of the field economic life.

These provisions had to be coordinated with a new law effective as of February 12, 2019 (Law 12/2019, conversion of Decree-Law 135/2008 — “D.L. Semplificazioni”) and further amendments, which requires certain Italian administrative bodies to define and adopt a plan (PiTESAI) aiming to identify areas suitable for exploration, development, and production of hydrocarbons in the national territory, including the territorial seawaters. Such plan was adopted on December 28, 2021 with Ministerial Decree, in accordance with the article 11-ter of Decree-Law 135/2018.

However, PiTESAI has been considered too restrictive by industry operators (including AleAnna) which lodged several appeals against the PiTESAI before the Lazio Regional Administrative Court — Rome (TAR Lazio). On February 12, 2024, TAR Lazio with rulings no. 2858 and no. 2872 declared void the PiTESAI. MASE did not file an appeal before the Council of State within the appeal period in order to restore the validity of the PiTESAI and began a procedure to return all of the acres affected by the PiTESAI, once acquired for those operators who want to reacquire their mining titles and permit applications with the original extension. This procedure aims to restore the integrity of all the titles affected by the PiTESAI and returns to the operators of all of the suitable areas for hydrocarbon exploration, development and production activities.

Therefore, exploration permits maintain their efficacy in areas identified as suitable and limited to gas exploration target.

Starting from June 1, 2019, the annual fee for all licensees (exploration permits and production concessions) have been increased 25 times.

In 2019 the Decree-Law 124/2019, converted into Law 157/2019, established at article 38 the property tax on marine structures (IMPI) starting from year 2020.

On March 1, 2022, the Italian government issued a first Decree -Law (Decree-Law 17/2022 — “D.L. Energia”) aimed at boosting the national production by mitigating the effects of PiTESAI. This was converted into law on April 27, 2022 (Law 34/2022).

A second Decree -Law, with the same objectives, was issued on December 9, 2023 (Decree -Law 181/2023), promoting new upstream development opportunities converted into law on February 2, 2024 (Law 11/2024).

On October 11, 2024, the Council of Ministers approved the Decree -Law 153/2024 converted into Law 191/2024 (D.L. Ambiente), which amended several articles of the Decree-Law 135/2018. Paragraph 1 of article 2 of the 153/2024 repealed paragraphs 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 13 of Article 11-ter of Decree-Law 135/2018, and the PiTESAI was therefore annulled. The measures adopted by the MASE following the adoption of the PiTESAI such as revocation and re-implementation measures were also annulled. Following the repealing of paragraph 13 of article 2 of the Decree-Law 135/2018, the public utility character of hydrocarbon prospecting, exploration and production activities has been recognized.

Furthermore, paragraph 2 of article 2 of the Decree -Law 153/2024 confirmed the prohibition established by PiTESAI on the granting of new oil production licenses on the national territory and at sea, however, operators who have already been granted oil or oil and gas licenses may continue their activities, even for the purpose of granting concessions; even concessions for the production of liquid hydrocarbons that have already been granted may continue their production activities until the deposit found is fully developed.

Article 2, paragraph 3, of the Decree -Law 153/2024 stated that the granting of extensions of hydrocarbon production concessions must also take into account the reserves and extraction potential still to be produced and the time required to complete their rational production up to the useful life of the deposit. The concession area that is functional for production and the research and development activities still to be carried out must also be duly taken into account, with the areas no longer functional being re-zoned.

Article 2, paragraph 4 of the Decree -Law 153/2024 reduced the limit of 12 nautical miles for upstream activities to nine nautical miles, amending the article 6, paragraph 17 of the Environmental Code (Legislative Decree 152/2006).

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Article 2, paragraph 5 of the Decree-Law 153/2024 allowed for the release of concessions in the Adriatic Sea for which applications had already been submitted at the time the Decree-Law 153/2024 went into force, provided that the party concerned complies with the long-term supply procedures. In addition, the fields in question must have the potential to produce a certain amount of gas reserves above a threshold of 500 mmscf/d.

Regardless of the validity and the effects of PiTESAI, such plan did not entail any significant and adverse consequence on AleAnna's development and producing activities in relation to its Italian concessions and concession applications. Some permits where investments on exploration had been made were affected by the plan and part or all of their areas was declared incompatible. Since the PiTESAI was voided, AleAnna now hopes to be able to start again exploration activity on part of the areas declared incompatible by the PiTESAI. On December 13, 2024, AleAnna, as requested by MASE, notified MASE of its willingness to reacquire the mining titles and permit applications with the original extension. AleAnna has filed appeals that are still pending with the administrative Courts to request payments of indemnity for loss of such areas.

Royalties

The Hydrocarbons' Laws require the payment of royalties for hydrocarbon production. As per Legislative Decree No. 625 of November 25, 1996, subsequent modifications and integrations (the last modification was introduced by Law 160/2019 — Budget Law 2020, art. 1 par. 736 & 737) and Law Decree No. 83 of June 22, 2012, royalties are equal to 10% for gas and oil productions onshore, to 10% for gas and 7% for oil offshore, with exemptions only for on shore gas concessions with production lower than 10 Msmc/year and off shore gas concessions with production lower than 30 Msmc. (Only in the Autonomous Region of Sicily, following the Regional Law No. 9 of May 15, 2013, royalties onshore for oil and gas are equal to 20.06%, with no exemptions).

Environmental Regulation

Exploration and production of conventional natural gas is highly regulated and is subject to environmental laws and compliance, whose main rules are provided by the Consolidated Environmental Act issued by Legislative Decree 152/2006. Our activities are subject to Environmental Impact Assessments. Environmental laws and regulations and environmental permitting require significant investments to ensure compliance. For this reason, a structure that constantly monitors compliance activities is needed.

Our operations are subject to stringent and complex laws and regulations governing environmental protection, human health and safety, and long-term "sustainability". Oil and gas companies are required to obtain certain permits, requiring approval at both the Italian national and regional government levels, to construct and operate conventional facilities, which will contain constraints including those related to air emissions, solid and hazardous waste management, water quality, and control of construction/industrial traffic. These permits can be difficult and time-consuming to obtain and maintain. We are acquiring necessary permits required for the development of its conventional business, and while we view this as a competitive advantage, our ability to obtain these permits in the future may be impacted by opposition from citizens or other groups or other political pressures. Compliance with such laws and regulations can be costly, and noncompliance can result in substantial penalties.

Italian Gas Market Regulations

In the last decade a number of new rules have been introduced in order to improve liquidity and efficient functioning of the Italian wholesale gas market, fostering competition and at the same time improving the system security of supply. Among such new rules, it is worth mentioning the market-based mechanisms for the allocation of storage capacities and of regasification capacities. The past allocation criteria based on tariffs has been replaced with new auction mechanisms that enabled market players to express the market-value of storage and of regasification capacities, while at the same time ensuring the allowed revenues of storage operators and LNG terminal operators by means of specific parallel measures.

An organized market platform (MGAS) for gas trading and gas balancing market, managed by the independent operator Gestore dei Mercati Energetici (GME) also acts as a central counterparty, where different market participants (including the Transmission System Operator — TSO) can carry out spot and forward transactions at the "Punto di Scambio Virtuale" (PSV — Virtual Trading Point). In addition, since February 2018 voluntary market making activity has been introduced in the spot section of the gas exchange MGAS: such activity is based on the service

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provided by some liquidity providers, in order to boost liquidity and trading activity on the same exchange, initially for the day-ahead market but with possible future extension to the within-day section and to the forward section of the MGAS.

In addition, a gas balancing regime has entered into force since October 2016 as an evolution of the one already in place and in compliance with the EU regulatory framework. This system is based on the principle that network users have to balance their daily position, also in accordance with the timely information provided by the TSO about the daily gas consumption. The new gas balancing regime provides the incentive for shippers to balance their position via penalizing imbalance prices and at the same time provides the possibility for shippers to modify intra-day their gas flow nominations and to trade on the market with other shippers and/or with the TSO itself (that can access the market under some constraints, in order to address overall system balancing needs that may arise on top of shippers' activities).

Following the liberalization of the natural gas sector introduced in the year 2000 by Decree No. 164, prices of natural gas in the wholesale market which includes industrial and power generation customers are freely negotiated. However, the ARERA retains a power of surveillance on this matter as per Law No. 481/1995 (establishing the ARERA) and Legislative Decree No. 164/2000. Furthermore, the ARERA is still entrusted (as per the Presidential Decree dated October 31, 2002) with the power of regulating natural gas prices to residential customers, also with a view of containing inflationary pressure deriving from increasing energy costs. Consistently with those provisions, companies which sell natural gas to residential customers are currently required to offer to those customers the regulated tariffs set by ARERA beside their own price proposals.

In 2013, a new tariff regime was fully enacted by ARERA targeting Italian residential clients who are entitled to be safeguarded in accordance with current regulations. Clients who are eligible for the tariff mechanism set by the ARERA are residential clients. With Resolution No. 196 effective from October 1, 2013, the ARERA reformulated the pricing mechanism of gas supplies to those customers by providing a full indexation of the raw material cost component of the tariff to spot prices at the TTF (Title Transfer Facility) hub in Northern Europe, replacing the then current regime that provided a mix between an oil-based indexation and spot prices.

This tariff regime also reduced the tariff components intended to cover storage and transportation costs. Finally, it also increased the specific pricing component intended to remunerate certain marketing costs incurred by retail operators, including administrative and retention costs, losses incurred due to customer default and a return on capital employed.

This new gas tariff indexation aiming at safeguarding the households was initially intended to remain effective till July 1, 2019 (as provided by Law 124/17). However, this deadline had been already prorogated by one year (as per Law Decree 91/2018), and finally has been prorogated to January 2024. From that point onwards, in Italy households other than vulnerable customers will no longer have access to regulated tariffs for gas supplies. Consumers will have to choose among the different pricing proposals made by gas selling companies, while only vulnerable customers will be entitled to the regulated tariff after January 2024. The ARERA has established that gas selling companies comply with certain requirements about the offerings to customers which include at least two pricing indexations (fixed and variable), both complemented with contractual conditions regulated by the ARERA. This regulatory development might increase competition in the Italian retail market for selling gas.

Given the context of rising prices that occurred between 2021 and 2022 in gas market, ARERA carried out a series of investigations to evaluate interventions on commodity prices and then decided to switch the gas raw material reference from TTF to PSV, with monthly update of the component covering wholesale natural gas supply costs for regulated customers.

Other Key Regulatory Developments

Within the scope of the costs and criteria for accessing the main logistic infrastructures of the gas system, the main risk factors for the business are linked to the periodic processes for defining the economic conditions and the current rules for the services. The regulation criteria for gas transportation tariffs in Italy have recently been redefined for the four-year period 2024-2027, but the re-definition of transportation tariffs criteria at pre-established deadlines, as well as the timely definition on an annual basis of the specific applicable tariff values, is an element that all European countries have in common and which in the future could determine impacts on logistic costs.

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Moreover, the energy crisis scenario that materialized in 2022 has directed legislators, at European and individual country level, towards evolutions of the legislation and the consequent regulations that can impact the market dynamics, with the aim of containing prices for end customers and improve the security of supplies (e.g. possible obligations to reduce final consumption, caps on prices of derivatives on wholesale gas products traded on regulated markets, possible storage obligations, obligations of ex-ante notification to the European Commission concerning new supply contracts).

The Italian Government adopted a number of various measures to contain retail prices such as:

- cancellation of general system charges;
- strengthening of social bonuses; and
- decrease of VAT in the gas sector (until December 31, 2023).

In the medium term, it is likely that gas demand at European level will be supported by the need of accelerating the phase-out of coal-based power generation in view of the decarbonization targets. On the other side, with the implementation of the EU Green Deal and of the subsequent and more ambitious decarbonization interventions, in the coming years the regulation of the gas sector will presumably be affected by potentially significant changes, as a consequence of adjustments in the market design and/or new obligations or constraints on operators in the sector which will accompany the evolution of European regulations, in the context of energy transition and consistently with the decarbonization objectives of the energy sector (including the related objectives for the development of renewable or decarbonized gases, for the promotion of technologies enabling greater integration between the electricity and gas sectors, for the reduction of methane emissions). These changes might cause pressure on the natural gas business, but on the other side they will likely open and support new business opportunities in the renewable and decarbonized gases business that we are ready to pursue.

Renewable Natural Gas

The permitting framework provided by the Legislative Decree No. 28/2011 requires for the construction and operation of biomethane production facilities and related modification projects:

- the "notification" to the competent authority for the modifications are non -substantial;
- the "Simplified Authorization Procedure" ("S.A.P."):
 - a) *"for new facilities with a production capacity, as defined in accordance with Article 21, paragraph 2, not exceeding 500 standard cubic meters/hour;*
 - a-bis) *for partial or complete reconversion to biomethane production of power generation facilities fueled by biogas, landfill gas or residual gas from purification processes;*
 - a-ter) *for developments on operating biomethane production facilities that do not result in an increase in the area already subject to authorization, regardless of the resulting amount of biomethane fed into the grid as a result of such developments, subject to the following conditions:*
 1. *in the case of grid-connected facilities, there is the willingness of the grid operator to inject the additional volumes resulting from the implementation of the developments;*
 2. *the operations do not involve any changes in the types of matrices already authorized;*
 3. *the nameplate of the upgrading system indicates the production capacity value resulting from the implementation of the developments;*
 4. *any increase in areas dedicated to anaerobic digestion is no more than 50 percent of those already authorized."*
- the "Sole Authorization" ("S.A.") in other cases.

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The application for the S.A. procedure, defined by Legislative Decree No. 387/2003, is submitted by the proponent to the competent region, along with the final project and the plan for decommissioning and restoration works in the area (Ministerial Decree 10.09.2010). Once the documents have been verified, within 30 days the Region shall proceed to convene the "service conference" which is the meeting attended by all public bodies interested in the project to give opinions of competence or request clarifications from the proponent. The proceedings for the S.A. are ordinarily closed within 90 days of the services conference, except in cases where the "environmental impact assessment" proceedings are started or in case of suspension of deadlines for documentary additions. The procedure ends with the adoption of the managerial determination of the competent region.

The application for the S.A.P. procedure, defined by Legislative Decree No. 28/2011, is submitted by the proponent to the municipality at least 30 days before the start of work on the plant. The application must be supported by the technical drawings of the project. Within 30 days of the application, the municipality must verify the conditions of the S.A.P.; alternatively, after the 30-day period has elapsed, the application is considered granted.

During 2023 and 2024, through several decrees, the procedures for obtaining authorization for the conversion of existing AD's (or the construction of new biomethane facilities) were simplified, with key regulatory protocols as follows:

- Law No. 95 of July 26, 2023, introduced urgent measures to simplify the procedures for authorization and connection to the national grid. In particular, the new measures indicate how to obtain authorization for the conversion or construction of biomethane facilities, which also included a simplified municipal authorization procedure for facilities up to 500 smc/h.

Renewables Regulation in the Biomethane Production Sector

In order to support the achievement of the renewables target in the transport sector established by the EU and national laws, the Ministerial Decree of March 2, 2018 and of September 15, 2022, provide the legislative framework to incentivize the production of both biomethane and other advanced biofuels to be used in the transport sector. The Decrees provide incentives for biogas facilities that are converted to biomethane production.

The incentive consists in an allocation of a Certificate (CIC) for every 10 Gcal of biomethane produced and partial subsidies on investments on biomethane facilities. The certificate has a market value since fossil fuel marketers have to sell a minimum percentage of biofuels annually, for which they receive the same Certificates.

In order to access to incentives, producers must comply with legal and technical regulations governing the quality and certification of the produced biomethane, verified by the competent Authority (Gestore dei Servizi Energetici, GSE).

These measures aim to favor advanced biofuels production through the valorization of waste, notably of agricultural and farm/zootechnical waste.

Regarding biomethane, the incentive scheme has been replaced, following approval by the European Commission, by the Ministerial Decree of September 15, 2022. The mechanism consists of an operating aid — in the form of a CfD linked to the market value of natural gas and of the biomethane Guarantee of Origin, auctioned through a competitive procedure — and an investment aid — covering up to 40% of the eligible investment costs and funded by the NRRP. The mechanism differentiates between new facilities and refurbishments and between agro or waste-based facilities. Law 136/2023 introduced an inflation-linked indexation for the base tariffs set by MD September 15, 2022. In every auction, tariffs will be updated following the total inflation accrued between November 2021 and the auction's opening month.

At the end of 2020, the Ministerial Decree of October 2014 on conditions, criteria and implementation of biofuels (conventional and advanced) obligations for suppliers was modified. Among the novelties, were introduced the increase of the overall 2021 target from 9% to 10% and a new additional target of 0,5% of advanced liquid biofuels to be mandatory blended by each supplier (outside the incentive scheme provided by DM 2018).

Law 238/2021 (European Law 2019-2020) confirmed the GHG saving requirement (6%) previously set for the year 2020 only and revised the calculation methodology for the current 7% maximum threshold for food-and-crop derived biofuels. The law excludes from the calculation fuels based on double counting feedstock.

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The Directive (EU) 2018/2001 on the promotion of the use of energy from renewable sources has been transposed with the Legislative Decree No 199/2021. The Decree set new targets for RES penetration in the transport sector (16%) and introduced some innovations in the transport sector's regulatory framework: i) palm-oil, PFAD and EFB based fuels cannot contribute to RES targets in the transport sector. However, they can be taken into account if certified as low-ILUC risk ii) biomethane support schemes — as defined by the Ministerial Decree of March 2, 2018 — have been updated iii) Recycled Carbon Fuels count as renewable towards the general target, on the basis of the upcoming EU delegated acts and iv) confirms the use of some wastes as feedstock for the production of biofuels.

Occupational Health, Safety and Environment Legislation

Our activity is subject to Italian and European legislation on environmental protection and safety in the workplace. Although we carry out our activities in compliance with these laws and regulations, the risk of incurring unforeseen charges, including claims for compensation for damage to property and persons, as well as reputational risk, are inherent in the nature of the activities carried out by us.

In particular, our industrial activities in the hydrocarbon exploration, development, and production sectors and biomethane production are exposed to operational risks related to the chemical and physical characteristics of raw materials and products (e.g., flammability, toxicity, instability) and to technical failures, equipment malfunctions, containment leaks, well accidents, and incidents that can result in events such as explosions, fires, and spills of oil, gas, and other harmful substances. These risks are influenced by the specifics of the territorial areas in which operations are conducted, the complexity of industrial activities, and the objective technical difficulties in carrying out recovery and containment of hydrocarbons or other liquid chemicals spilled into the environment or harmful emissions into the atmosphere, closure and safety operations of damaged wells or production facilities, or in case of uncontrolled release of oil or natural gas from a well or from a biomethane production plant. Severe soil, groundwater, or air pollution caused by operational activity could result in modest oil or other contaminant spills or small gas spills due to lack of maintenance, corroded or obsolete piping or infrastructure, lack of controls, or other factors, which if protracted over time could cause significant damage. For these reasons, activities in the hydrocarbon and biomethane sectors are subject to strict regulations to protect the environment and the health and safety of people, both at the national/local level and through international protocols and conventions.

We may in the future be required to meet compensation obligations arising from the violation of environmental regulations, as well as to incur significant investments to comply with obligations from applicable environmental regulations.

Occupational safety, health and hygiene are kept under control by continuously updating and carrying out legally required inspections.

We are aware that our activities could produce effects that interfere with the protection of occupational health, safety, and the environment and that the same activities could have an impact on the fulfillment of the requirements of workers and other stakeholders.

The working relationship for employees in Italy is regulated by the pertaining collective work agreement, which provides for the basic standard conditions applicable depending on the employee's level of seniority. Levels of welfare and social security are guaranteed by Italian working regulation. In order to maintain a workplace free of any discrimination and to establishing appropriate measures for health and safety at work, as well as for professional development, equal opportunities and work-life balance, we regularly review the working place conditions and assesses related regulations.

We therefore recognize the proper management of these aspects as a strategic objective. The importance of respecting health, occupational safety and the environment are not considered as mere regulatory compliance, but as dutiful behaviors directed toward respecting the natural and fundamental rights of the individual. In this regard, we are committed to:

- carrying out our activities in compliance with current laws on occupational health and safety prevention, environment and current regulations with impact on quality aspects and voluntarily subscribed standards;
- promote activities that can directly or indirectly ensure: the protection and preservation of occupational health and safety, the environment, biodiversity and ecosystems, including in the interest of future generations;

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- consider prevention in occupational health and safety and environment a goal of at least equal importance to profitability and productivity;
- protect the health and welfare and promote the occupational safety of all persons directly or indirectly involved in its operations;
- pursue excellence in behavior and continuous improvement in occupational health and safety and accident prevention, in environmental protection and preservation;
- ensure the centrality of the individual by fostering consultation the participation of workers and other stakeholders and ensure the sharing of experience and knowledge;
- design, implement and manage each activity taking into account the need to ensure the protection of the health and safety of employees and third parties, the protection of the environment and public safety;
- promote the use of natural gas in a safe, efficient and environmentally friendly manner; and
- train staff and exchange information and knowledge, which are considered fundamental tools for achieving health, safety, environmental and public safety objectives, with a view to continuous improvement.

In view of the above, we intend to pursue the above principles by committing to the following aims:

- manage activities in full compliance with current legislation and signed voluntary standards and agreements as well as national and international best practices, ensuring compliance obligations and assessment of risks and opportunities, consistent with the Code of Ethics, Corporate Model 231 and all HSE Policy regulations;
- ensure that each worker is aware of, responsible for, and participates in the company's efforts to manage the aspects of occupational health and safety and environmental protection and quality assurance related to their activities, with the understanding that the responsible behavior of each person is a prerequisite for the success of the entire system;
- ensure the protection of workers' health and safety by adopting the most advanced principles, national standards, organizational solutions, adopting safe and healthy working conditions, using materials and equipment with the least risk to health, safety and the environment for the elimination of hazards and minimization of risks, with a view to the prevention of accidents, injuries, occupational diseases and emergency situations;
- implement every effort in organizational, operational and technological terms to prevent water, air and soil pollution, minimizing, where technically possible, environmental impacts related to the company's activities, with particular reference to the control of air emissions, water discharges, waste management, energy saving and recovery;
- support the conservation of natural resources with actions aimed at effective and efficient use of energy, minimizing the consumption of energy, water, and materials, also in the interest of future generations;
- involve and consult workers, including through their health, safety and environmental representatives;
- use qualified suppliers and promote their development according to the principles of this policy, committing them to maintain behavior consistent with it even when they operate outside the company;
- conduct periodic system audits, inspections, audits, and reviews to analyze performance, contextual factors, stakeholder needs, risks and opportunities, objectives, programs, and policy to assess their effectiveness and take consequent action to pursue the goal of continuous improvement; and
- putting in place actions to prevent any intentional or negligent event that may cause actual or potential harm to persons and tangible and intangible assets of the company.

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Government Funding and Other Forms of Support

Conventional Natural Gas

Recently, due to the increased importance of energy security, the Italian Government adopted measures to promote domestic production and accelerate the increase of local gas production. An example of this policy is the 2023 Energy Decree (Law Decree 181/2023), which simplified into a single integrated administrative procedure any new concessions, extensions and modifications of existing concessions, the authorizations for production concessions, and the execution and review of environmental assessments. The single integrated administrative procedures target feedback within three months from the date of submission for applicants who have expressed interest in entering into natural gas supply contracts with the Italian government. In addition, Legislative Decree 135/2018, which introduced a plan to limit the areas where E&P activities may be undertaken, was voided by the Rome Administrative Tribunal in February 2024.

Renewable Natural Gas

Increasingly, the security of supply has become critical for the EU and Italy, creating a more favorable regulatory environment for local production of fossil energy, especially gas and renewable energy. The National Recovery and Resilience Plan (NRP), part of the Next Generation Europe program, was launched by the EU to balance the economic and social consequences of the COVID-19 pandemic. For Italy, the PNRR allocated €191.5 billion, including nearly €60 billion earmarked to the energy transition, including the development of biomethane.

Decree 340 of September 15, 2022 implemented new incentives around biomethane. Specifically, that biomethane production will be supported and incentivized through a capital subsidy of up to 40% for the upgrading of existing biogas facilities and the construction of new biomethane facilities, as well as a new 15-year subsidized tariff (price floor). These incentives were further increased by Law 136 on October 9, 2023, to account for cumulative average inflation. Further, DM No. 224, issued in July 2023, expanded the sectors to which Guarantees of Origin can be sold, including industry and heating.

Customers

As of each of September 30, 2024, December 31, 2023 and December 31, 2022, we have not generated any revenue from our operations other than from sales of electricity from two renewable gas assets that were purchased in July 2024. We anticipate that our customers will largely consist of Shell as well as industrial, power generation and residential customers throughout Italy and into the southern EU.

Competition

Conventional Natural Gas

Competition in the Italian E&P industry is limited to a relatively small number of licensed operators. Historically led by the former Italian NOC Eni (who has transformed itself into an international company), the industry over the past approximately ten years has come to be dominated by smaller public and private companies. In the Po Valley, overlapping with AleAnna, direct competitors include Energiean PLC, Società Padana Energia, Po Valley Energy, and Pengas Italiana Srl. Royal Dutch Shell and Total remain significant producers of the legacy producing oil fields (principally Val'd Agri and Tempa Rossa in the southern part of the country) but are no longer active in Italian oil and gas exploration activities.

Renewable Natural Gas

Competition in this rapidly emerging market space is not yet well-organized in Italy. While some private equity groups are beginning to explore Italian renewable natural gas opportunities, the landscape remains fragmented. However, in the recent past, Eni and midstream operator SNAM attempted early entry by acquiring approximately 50 operational anaerobic digestors. Eni has since sought at least partial divestment of these assets and an exit from the biomethane production market in order to focus on other Renewables initiatives. Other major energy firms such as Royal Dutch Shell, BP, and Total have focused their early efforts on attempts to lock up longer-term biomethane marketing agreements but have yet to actively invest in biomethane production operations.

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Active investors in the facility acquisition and operations space are principally characterized in two groups: companies such as AleAnna and asset management firms like Goldman Sachs Assets Management and Lazard.

In addition, a number of EPC contractors offer design, construction, and turn -key operations services for biomethane facilities. Examples include IES Biogas (a SNAM company) and BTS Biogas. However, to date, these players have not competed as full owner-operators.

Raw Materials and Suppliers

Conventional Natural Gas

AleAnna has access to numerous sources of oilfield supplies and services in Italy, and we will use specific vendors on each project based upon a combination of availability, cost-effectiveness, availability of specific equipment, and performance reputation. Examples of vendors we have used in the past and are likely to use for future operations include:

Category	Vendors
Drilling rigs and laborers	Pergemine SpA, LP Drilling
Well logging and evaluation	Schlumberger, Baker Hughes
Well casing and cementing services	Schlumberger, Baker Hughes
Drill bits and downhole equipment	Schlumberger, Baker Hughes
Plant engineering and construction	Saipem, Demont Srl
Seismic acquisition	Schlumberger, Doland Geophysical
Purchase of existing Seismic	Eni, CGG
Seismic processing	Tricon, CGG
Seismic and well log interpretation software	Schlumberger, S&P Global (IHS Markit)
Drilling rigs and laborers	Pergemine SpA, LP Drilling

Renewable Natural Gas

AleAnna has had discussions with, and in some cases, entered into agreements with providers of investment opportunities, project developers, commodity traders for the supply of agricultural waste, bio-digester manufacturers, upgrading facility suppliers, and major marketing groups. Examples of vendors we are currently engaged with include:

Category	Vendors
Investment opportunities	VLF Srl
Project developers	Renove Srl
Commodity traders	Rivecom
Bio-digestor manufacturers	Rota Srl
Biomethane upgrading facilities	Prodeval Srl
Marketing groups	Shell Energy Europe

Human Capital Resources

As of September 30, 2024, we had seven full -time employees and engaged six contractors on a part-time basis, and one contractor on a full -time basis. Our workforce is concentrated in Texas and Italy (principally in the Rome and Milan areas). The working relationship for employees in Italy is regulated by the pertaining collective work agreement, which provides for the basic standard conditions applicable depending on the employee's level of seniority. In Italy, levels of welfare and social security are guaranteed. We have a seasoned leadership team with over 100 years of cumulative experience in the conventional and renewables industry. Our employees are a key factor to our strategies and we are committed to maintaining a workplace free of any discrimination and to establishing appropriate measures for health and safety at work, as well as for professional development, equal opportunities and work-life balance. Our management team places significant focus and attention on matters concerning our human capital assets and is focused on expanding our diversity, enhancing capability development, and succession planning. Accordingly, we regularly review employee development and succession plans for each of our functions to identify and develop our talent pipeline. To date, we have not experienced any work stoppages and consider our relationship with our employees to be in good standing.

Facilities

AleAnna is a corporation incorporated under the laws of Delaware. Our headquarters is currently in Dallas, Texas, and houses our US-based management team and certain support individuals. Our Italian management team is housed in Rome, Italy-based offices.

Leasing our facilities gives us the flexibility to expand or reduce our office space as appropriate. We believe our current facilities are adequate for our current operating needs, and we anticipate that we will have access to other facilities, through future contractual arrangements, for development, testing, and production.

We have completed or partially completed production facilities for conventional natural gas at the Longanesi field (near Lugo, Italy), the Gradizza Field (near Copparo, Italy), and the Trava Field (near Ostellato, Italy). These conventional gas facilities do not require human intervention on a 24/7 basis and thus house no field staff. We have existing facilities and/or land under construction for renewable natural gas at the Campagnatico plant (Tuscany) and, following successful acquisition, in short order, we expect to begin upgrading construction on the Fattoria Delle Jersey plant (near Milan).

Legal Proceedings

We do not have any claims, lawsuits or proceedings currently pending against us, individually or in the aggregate. However, from time to time, we may be subject to various claims, lawsuits and other legal and administrative proceedings that may arise in the ordinary course of business. Some of these claims, lawsuits and other proceedings may involve highly complex issues that are subject to substantial uncertainties, and could result in damages, fines, penalties, non-monetary sanctions or relief. We recognize provisions for claims or pending litigation when we determine that an un-favorable outcome is probable and the amount of loss can be reasonably estimated. Due to the inherent uncertain nature of litigation, the ultimate outcome or actual cost of settlement may materially vary from estimates.

Blugas Settlement

On May 28, 2024, we entered into the Bluegas Settlement Agreement with Blugas, regarding Blugas' retained interest in the physical volumes extracted from the Longanesi field. We contested the existence of Blugas' right to receive the Blugas ORRI. Under the terms of the Blugas Settlement Agreement, we agreed to pay Blugas approximately €5 million, plus an additional €1.1 million in applicable VAT (a total of approximately \$6.6 million in U.S. Dollars). In exchange for such payment, Blugas agreed to irrevocably waive, among other things, the Blugas ORRI and release us from any future liability related to the Blugas ORRI. As a result of the transactions contemplated by the Blugas Settlement Agreement, our 33.5% working interest in the Longanesi field is now unencumbered except for normal government royalties (10%). We have determined the Blugas settlement should be accounted for as an acquisition of the Blugas ORRI claim with a corresponding impact to our reserves. Our year-end December 31, 2023 reserve quantities included the 20% of 350 million standard cubic meters (approximately $2,472 \times 10^6 \text{ ft}^3$) allocable to the Blugas ORRI in its proved gas reserves. However, the required payments to Blugas associated with the sale of such quantities were reflected as cash outflows (costs) as if such amounts were paid to Blugas. As a result of the Blugas Settlement Agreement, utilizing the same assumptions as the December 31, 2023 DeGolyer reserve report, net proved reserve quantities would not increase as the 20% of 350 million standard cubic meters (approximately $2,472 \times 10^6 \text{ ft}^3$) allocable to the Blugas ORRI were included in December 31, 2023 proved gas reserves. However, as the required payments to Blugas associated with the sale of such quantities were reflected as cash outflows (costs), as if such amounts were paid to Blugas, utilizing the same assumptions as the December 31, 2023 DeGolyer reserve report, if the cash payments allocable to Blugas were added back to our December 31, 2023 future net cash flows and standardized measure of discounted future net cash flow, such amounts would have increased \$35.3 million and \$30.0 million, respectively. Our working interest (net revenue interest) as established under the terms of the Unified Operating Agreement arrangement originally signed between ENI and Grove and dated September 26, 2009, remains unchanged at 33.5%. The total \$6.6 million in acquisition costs related to the Blugas ORRI acquisition were not contemplated as part of the December 31, 2023 DeGolyer reserve report and such amounts do not appear in our December 31, 2023 future net cash flows and standardized measure of discounted future net cash flow as settlement discussions had not commenced (and did not commence until late first quarter 2024) and any potential settlement outcomes or amounts were unknown as of December 31, 2023.

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The following table sets forth information about our executive officers as of January 13, 2025:

Name	Age	Position(s)
William K. Dirks	67	Executive Director
Marco Brun	59	Chief Executive Officer
Tristan Yopp	38	Chief Financial Officer and Secretary
Charles Roscopf	36	Chief Accounting Officer and Treasurer

The following table sets forth information about our directors as of January 13, 2025:

Name	Age	Position(s)
Graham van't Hoff	63	Director and Chairman of the Board
William K. Dirks	67	Director
Marco Brun	59	Director
Duncan Palmer	59	Director
Curtis Hébert	62	Director

Executive Officers

William ("Bill") K. Dirks, 67, Mr. Dirks has served as Executive Director and as a member of the Board of Directors for AleAnna since the closing of the Business Combination. Prior to the closing of the Business Combination, Mr. Dirks served as Executive Chairman for AleAnna Resources, LLC and AleAnna Energy since 2015. Since 2015, Mr. Dirks has also served as Chairman and CEO of 1852797 Alberta ULC, and CEO of Nautilus Resources LLC (a wholly owned Bluescape subsidiary which, through Nautilus, is a significant shareholder in AleAnna, and 1852797 Alberta ULC). Mr. Dirks has served in these roles as an independent executive contractor and his responsibilities for the group include pursuing, acquiring, and developing oil and gas licenses in the US, Canada, and Italy. He is also responsible for strategy design, transaction negotiation, and overall day-to-day management of the companies, including technical and operational execution. Mr. Dirks has more than 43 years of exploration and production operating experience worldwide, including asset acquisitions, design and management of seismic operations, drilling and completions programs, and management of production operations. Mr. Dirks has a track record of creating value in the upstream E&P sector through senior management and fund-raising experience at publicly and privately held companies. Prior to his current postings, from 2010 – 2014, Mr. Dirks served as President and Chief Operating Officer of Sonde Resources Corporation, a publicly-traded (TSX and NYSE) global E&P company with operations in Western Canada and Northern Africa. At Sonde, Mr. Dirks was responsible for strategy, asset acquisitions, and overall technical and operational execution. While at Sonde, Mr. Dirks successfully assembled over 250,000 sweet-spot acres in the Duvernay, Montney, and Wabamun plays. Prior to Sonde, from 2006 – 2010, Mr. Dirks was Co-Founder and Managing Partner of Tecton Energy LLC, a privately held E&P company focused on U.S. and Canadian onshore unconventional resource plays. In his role at Tecton Energy, Mr. Dirks was responsible for strategy, asset acquisitions, development, and operational execution. At Tecton Energy, Mr. Dirks purchased and monetized exploration positions in excess of 500,000 acres in a three-year period. Prior to Tecton Energy, from 2002 – 2006, Mr. Dirks was President of Samson Canada, a large family-owned E&P company with approximately 250 employees/contractors, 200 MMcf/d production, 200 new wells annually, and 1MM acres of unconventional resource and tight gas holdings in Alberta and British Columbia. In his role at Samson, Mr. Dirks was responsible for technical and operational execution. Further, Mr. Dirks held a series of positions at Shell Oil Company from 1981 – 1999, ultimately serving as President and CEO of Shell Technology Ventures (1996), and as U.S. Onshore exploration manager (1992). While CEO of Shell Technology Ventures, Mr. Dirks raised \$120 million, implemented a partnership with Beacon Group, and launched five start-ups in the fields of drilling, re-completion, processing, and remediation. While serving as an exploration manager, Mr. Dirks was responsible for annual exploration and production capital development programs in excess of \$100 million. Mr. Dirks earned a Bachelor of Science in geology and a Master of Science in civil engineering from Iowa State University, and is a Henry Crown Fellow of the Aspen Institute.

Marco Brun, 58, has served as our Chief Executive Officer and as a member of our Board of Directors since the closing of the Business Combination. Prior to the closing of the Business Combination, Mr. Brun has been employed by, and has served, as the CEO and sole director of AleAnna Italia S.p.A. since September 2022. Mr. Brun's current responsibilities include advancing AleAnna's conventional natural gas exploration and production developments

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(including both the Longanesi field and AleAnna's other conventional prospects). Mr. Brun is also responsible for acquiring, integrating, and overseeing operation of AleAnna's renewable natural gas acquisition and development projects. Prior to employment with AleAnna, Mr. Brun served the company as independent executive contractor from March 2021 through August 2022 where he provided strategic consulting around business development, regulatory affairs, and operational execution. Previously, from July 2018 to February 2021, Mr. Brun served as Vice President at Assomineraria Confindustria Industry Association, acting as a lobbyist for hydrocarbons and geothermal energy. During the same period, Mr. Brun was a Supervisory Board Member at the Confindustria Energia Industry Association, an Executive Committee Member at Aspen Institute Italy (from June 2019 to February 2021) and a Non-Executive Board Member at the British Embassy in Italy from October 2010 to February 2021. In these roles, Mr. Brun coordinated with industry executives and government representatives to improve dialogue, educate, and enhance conversations around energy and economic development in Italy. One of Mr. Brun's most notable tenures was at Shell plc, where he held several key positions. From December 2009 to February 2021, Mr. Brun was Chief Executive Officer Upstream and Country Chair Italy and Adriatic Countries at Shell, as well as CEO and President of the Board of Directors of Shell Italia E&P S.p.A. with revenues exceeding \$2 billion and CFFO of over \$500 million. His responsibilities included overseeing operational execution of business lines as well as managing Shell's reputation, government relations, strategy, and business delivery across various sectors and European geographies. Mr. Brun played a key role in lobbying activities, sponsorships with Ferrari and Ducati, and led significant transactions such as the divestment of the Italian retail gas network and the acquisition of Sonnen in Italy. Previously, Marco was also the General Manager of Gas & Power Italy and France at Shell from September 2006 to December 2009, where he oversaw operational execution, strategy, and spearheaded market entries and managed substantial projects such as the re-gas terminal development in France and Italy. Mr. Brun's earlier career included roles in business development, and sales and marketing, where he consistently delivered outstanding performance, managed and negotiated significant contracts, acquired assets, and developed new lines of business. Mr. Brun stands as a seasoned senior executive with a distinguished career, spanning nearly three decades in the energy sector. Mr. Brun has garnered experience across downstream, midstream, and upstream Oil, Gas, Power, and Renewables sectors. Mr. Brun's career has seen him operate in diverse geographies, including Italy, USA, Canada, UK, Netherlands, Turkey, Spain, Portugal, France, Greece, Slovenia, Croatia, and Albania, allowing him to seamlessly adapt to various economic environments. Since 2016, Mr. Brun has also contributed to academia through his ongoing tenure as a Visiting Professor at Sciences Po University, Paris School of International Affairs. Here, Mr. Brun imparts his knowledge on "Industrial Energy Transitions" within the International Energy Transitions Master program. Mr. Brun holds a Master's Degree in Business Administration from the University of Bergamo and has completed additional courses at prestigious institutions such as Bocconi School of Management and Harvard Business School. Throughout his career, Marco Brun has demonstrated an unwavering commitment to excellence, strategic vision, and the ability to create significant value in diverse and challenging environments. His leadership and expertise continue to influence the European energy industry.

Tristan Yopp, 38, has served as our Chief Financial Officer since the closing of the Business Combination. Prior to the closing of the Business Combination, Mr. Yopp served as the acting Chief Financial Officer of AleAnna since July 2021 and as a Director of AleAnna Resources, LLC and AleAnna Energy, LLC since 2018. Since September 2018, Mr. Yopp has been employed as a Vice President by Bluescape Energy Partners LLC and has also served as Chief Financial Officer of Bluescape Resources Company LLC (collectively, "Bluescape Group"). At Bluescape Group, Mr. Yopp is an investment team member for two institutional private equity funds and is responsible for investment underwriting, due diligence, interim CFO, and portfolio analytical and performance management support. Mr. Yopp is also responsible for managing Bluescape Group's liquid portfolios, leading the quarterly valuation process, facilitating investor relations and fundraising, and overseeing back-office processes, including compliance, audits, tax strategy, and financial reporting. While at Bluescape Group, Mr. Yopp has contributed to raising and deploying approximately \$500 million into private equity investments and has executed hundreds of millions of liquid security trading programs. Mr. Yopp was also instrumental in the de-SPAC of one of Bluescape Group's portfolio companies, Verde Clean Fuels, Inc., a publicly traded clean fuels technology company. From October 2020 through November 2023, while employed by Bluescape Energy Partners LLC, Mr. Yopp also served as Chief Financial Officer and Chief Governance Officer of Bluescape Opportunities Acquisition Corp. (NYSE: BOAC), a special purpose acquisition company sponsored by Bluescape Group. Through his BOAC role, Mr. Yopp was responsible for investment origination and evaluation, diligence, transaction design, governance processes, and back office administration including compliance and financial reporting. Prior to Bluescape Group, from July 2011 – September 2018, Mr. Yopp held a series of finance and accounting roles with Celanese ultimately serving as Sr. Manager Financial Planning & Analysis. While at Celanese, Mr. Yopp was responsible for financial oversight, strategy design, and operational execution for three international business lines exceeding \$500 million in aggregate revenue and contributed to capacity expansion

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decisions, acquisition integration, enhanced performance reporting, and operational optimization within the Celanese portfolio. Additionally, while at Celanese, Mr. Yopp was Manager of SEC Reporting where he oversaw financial reporting, including valuation and reporting for \$4 billion in global pension assets. In his roles at Celanese, Mr. Yopp contributed to significant shareholder value creation through execution of global restructuring plans and provided financial reporting and technical accounting support for multiple transactions, including \$800 million of acquisitions and over \$2 billion of public debt offerings. Prior to Celanese, from September 2008 to July 2011, Mr. Yopp worked in KPMG's external audit practice where he provided professional audit services and was the lead senior associate on the CenturyLink engagement during CenturyLink's aggregate \$24 billion Embarq and Qwest acquisitions. Mr. Yopp earned a Bachelor of Science in Accounting and Business Administration from Centenary College, where he graduated summa cum laude, and a Master's in Business Administration from The University of Texas. Mr. Yopp is a Certified Public Accountant.

Charles Roskopf, 36, has served as our Chief Accounting Officer since the closing of the Business Combination. Prior to the closing of the Business Combination, Mr. Roskopf served as the acting Chief Accounting Officer of AleAnna and as a Director of AleAnna Resources, LLC since November 2023. Since October 2023, Mr. Roskopf has been employed as a Vice President by Bluescape Energy Partners LLC and has also served as Controller of Bluescape Resources Company LLC. In these roles, he is responsible for overseeing accounting, tax compliance and financial reporting for Bluescape Group and its subsidiaries, including AleAnna. Prior to joining Bluescape Group, From October 2019 to September 2023, Mr. Roskopf was a Controller at Beneficient, a publicly traded niche provider of liquidity to holders of alternative assets. While at Beneficient, he was involved in SEC reporting, general and technical accounting, treasury functions, and played a key role in the company's 2023 de-SPAC transaction. From May 2017 to October 2019, Mr. Roskopf was a Vice President at Hilltop Holdings, a publicly traded Texas-based financial services company, where he managed SEC reporting, bank regulatory reporting, stock compensation accounting, and technical accounting. Between September 2011 and May 2017, Mr. Roskopf worked at EY focusing on public and private audit clients in the real estate industry and other sectors, including healthcare, oil and gas, and financial services. During his time at EY, he participated in a global rotation program and spent the summer of 2015 in São Paulo, Brazil where he shared best practices with local audit teams. Mr. Roskopf holds a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration in Accounting, graduating cum laude, and a Master of Accountancy from the University of Arkansas. Mr. Roskopf is a Certified Public Accountant in the State of Texas.

Non-Executive Directors

Graham van't Hoff, 62, has served as a member of the Board of Directors of AleAnna since the closing of the Business Combination. Mr. van't Hoff served as the chief executive officer of Shell Chemicals from January 2013 to June 2019. During his role as CEO of Shell Chemicals, Mr. van't Hoff oversaw significant global growth in the revenue and profit of Shell's chemical businesses, with revenues exceeding \$24 billion. Mr. van't Hoff also oversaw the construction of two new petrochemical complexes and executed asset rationalization programs. Mr. van't Hoff was also previously executive vice president of Shell Alternative Energies from January 2012 to December 2012. During his role as EVP of Shell Alternative Energies Mr. van't Hoff was responsible for Shell's emerging biofuels and hydrogen businesses including Raizen, a Brazilian biofuels company. Mr. van't Hoff also served as a board member of Shell International Petroleum Co. from 2014 to 2017 and chairman of Shell UK Limited from March 2011 to December 2012. He has extensive board experience on several global joint ventures, including Infineum, a joint venture between Shell and ExxonMobil focused on the formulation, manufacturing and marketing of petroleum additives for lubricants and fuels, as well as chairman of CSPC (CNOOC Shell Petrochemicals Co), one of the largest Chinese petrochemical companies. During his tenure at Shell, Mr. van't Hoff's 35 years of experience spans multiple segments of the energy and chemical sectors from upstream through refining, marketing and trading, P&L leadership, strategy, government relations, technology and IT. Mr. van't Hoff's extensive international business experience includes appointments to the boards and executive committees of multiple international chemical industry associations, including ACC (the American Chemistry Council), CEFIC (the European Chemical Industry Association), and ICCA (the International Council of Chemical Associations). He was also a founding member of the Alliance to End Plastic Waste, formed in 2019, which gained \$1.5 billion of funding commitments in its first year of formation, and is on the Oxford University Chemistry Development Board. Mr. van't Hoff currently serves on several boards, as described below, and has participated in consulting work in the energy and chemical industry since June 2019. He also serves on the North American Advisory Board for Air Liquide, and on the board of the privately -owned, commercial solar farm developer and operator, Silicon Ranch Corporation. Mr. van't Hoff has served as a director of Verde Clean Fuels, Inc., a publicly traded clean fuels technology company since February 2023. Additionally, Mr. van't Hoff previously

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served as an independent director, a member of the audit committee, the chairman of the nominating committee and a member of the compensation committee of Bluescape Opportunities Acquisition Corp. from September 2020 through November 2023. He has also served as a director of 5E Advanced Materials, Inc. since October 2022 and Metals Acquisition Limited since November 2023. Mr. van't Hoff earned a Master's degree in Business Management, with Distinction, from Manchester Business School and a Master's degree in Chemistry from the University of Oxford. We believe Mr. van't Hoff's extensive energy, financial and operational experience qualifies him to serve on the Board.

Duncan Palmer, 58, has served as a member of the Board of Directors of AleAnna since the closing of the Business Combination. Mr. Palmer is the former chief financial officer of Cushman & Wakefield, a leading global real estate services company and served in this position from November 2014 to February 2021. During his tenure at Cushman & Wakefield, Mr. Palmer oversaw 700 staff across 60 countries and was responsible for all aspects of the company's financial operations, planning and analysis, internal audit, taxation, treasury, investor relations and information technology. As chief financial officer, Mr. Palmer led Cushman & Wakefield's IPO and oversaw all aspects of the company's financial operations, including multiple corporate functions from treasury and investor relations to tax and internal audit. From 2012 to 2014, Mr. Palmer served as the chief financial officer of RELX, a global provider of information-based analytics and decision tools. During his tenure at RELX, Mr. Palmer oversaw 1,800 staff globally and was responsible for all aspects of the company's financial operations, planning and analysis, internal audit, taxation, treasury, investor relations and procurement. From 2007 to 2012, Mr. Palmer served as the chief financial officer of Owens Corning, a global manufacturer of building materials and fiber glass reinforcements. During his tenure at Owens Corning, Mr. Palmer oversaw 500 staff globally and was responsible for all aspects of the company's financial operations, planning and analysis, audit, taxation, treasury, investor relations and sourcing. Mr. Palmer was also responsible for the company's corporate strategy, corporate development, and mergers and acquisition activities. Mr. Palmer currently sits on the board of Oshkosh Corporation, a vehicle and equipment supplier with global operations, where he has served as a member of the board since 2011 and has been chairman of the audit committee since 2019. Mr. Palmer has also served as a director of Verde Clean Fuels, Inc., a publicly traded clean fuels technology company since February 2023. Mr. Palmer also previously served as an independent director, chairman of the audit committee, a member of the nominating committee and a member of the compensation committee of Bluescape Opportunities Acquisition Corp. from October 2020 through November 2023. Mr. Palmer has extensive financial operations, transactional, and business development knowledge and experience through previous chief financial officer appointments at Cushman & Wakefield, RELX, Owens Corning and as a senior finance executive at Royal Dutch Shell. Mr. Palmer's extensive international business experience includes leadership of finance organizations ranging in size from 500 to 2,000 employees and encompasses multi-billion dollar capital allocation programs, merger integrations, debt offerings and share repurchase programs. His experience spans many segments of the energy, lubricants, materials, information services and real estate services sectors. Mr. Palmer also has deep transactional and business development experience, having overseen mergers and acquisitions execution, as well as corporate strategy. Mr. Palmer earned a Master's degree of Business Administration from the Stanford Graduate School of Business and a Master's degree from St. John's College Cambridge (UK). He is a Fellow of the Chartered Institute of Management Accountants (UK). We believe Mr. Palmer's extensive operational and financial experience qualifies him to serve on the Board.

Curtis Hébert, Jr., 61, has served as a member of the Board of Directors of AleAnna since the closing of the Business Combination. Mr. Hébert is currently a partner with the Brunini Law Firm, where he has advised energy companies and corporations throughout the globe on numerous matters, including building accountability and transparency into corporate governance, improving the quality of regulatory filings, reporting and relationships, and executing complex, structured regulatory settlements since July 2012. Previously, Mr. Hébert served as chief executive officer of Lexicon Strategy Group, an energy, finance and regulatory law advisory firm, from August 2010 to July 2012. Mr. Hébert is also a former executive vice president for Entergy Corporation, where he served from September 2001 to July 2010. During his time at Entergy, Mr. Hébert was responsible for Corporate Governance and led regulatory strategy and regulatory compliance for Entergy's regulated operating companies. Mr. Hébert is also the former Commissioner and Chairman of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, where he served from November 1997 to September 2001. He also served as a visiting scholar with the Bipartisan Policy Center in Washington, where he co-chaired the Energy Reliability Task Force and the Cybersecurity Task Force. Mr. Hébert has broad and deep experience in multiple segments of the energy sector, spanning exploration and production, natural gas transportation, electric generation and distribution, chemicals, and mining. He brings a thorough knowledge of national and international energy markets, policy, and regulatory processes. Mr. Hébert also spent years in the telecommunications, transportation, and water/sewage sector on regulatory filings and administrative hearings.

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Mr. Hébert has served as a director of Verde Clean Fuels, Inc., a publicly traded clean fuels technology company since February 2023. Mr. Hébert also previously served as an independent director, a member of the audit committee, a member of the nominating committee and the chairman of the compensation committee of Bluescape Opportunities Acquisition Corp. from September 2020 through November 2023. Mr. Hébert earned a Juris Doctorate from the Mississippi College School of Law and a Bachelor's degree from the University of Southern Mississippi. We believe Mr. Hébert's extensive experience in corporate governance and regulatory matters qualify him to serve on the Board.

Director Independence

Nautilus and its affiliates under common control beneficially own a majority of the voting power of all outstanding shares of our common stock. As a result, AleAnna is a "controlled company" within the meaning of the Nasdaq Listing Rules. Under the Nasdaq Listing Rules, a company of which more than 50% of the voting power for the election of directors is held by an individual, group or another company is a "controlled company" and may elect not to comply with certain corporate governance standards, including the requirements that a majority of its board of directors consist of independent directors. Notwithstanding the availability of such exemptions, a majority of AleAnna's current Board members qualify as independent under applicable Nasdaq rules.

Nasdaq rules generally require that independent directors must comprise a majority of a listed company's board of directors. Under the rules of Nasdaq, a director generally only qualifies as an "independent director" if the director and, in the opinion of that company's board of directors, that person does not have a relationship that would interfere with the exercise of independent judgment in carrying out the responsibilities of a director, subject to certain "bright-line" determinations that would result in a director not being deemed independent for purposes of Nasdaq rules. Based upon information requested from and provided by each proposed director concerning his or her background, employment and affiliations, including family relationships, the Board has determined that Mr. van't Hoff, Mr. Palmer and Mr. Hébert are "independent" as that term is defined under the applicable rules and regulations of the SEC and the listing requirements and rules of Nasdaq.

Board Leadership Structure

Our Board maintains flexibility to select an executive or independent chairperson of the Board, and to consider designating a lead independent director in the event that an executive is serving in the role of Board chair. Graham van't Hoff serves as chairperson of the Board and is responsible for, among other matters, serving as a liaison between the Board and the CEO, approving Board meeting agendas, facilitating communication of annual Board evaluation feedback, and participating with the compensation committee in the annual CEO performance evaluation.

We believe that this leadership structure will allow our CEO to focus his time and energy on managing our business, while our Chairperson provides time and attention to board oversight and governance. However, we believe that no single leadership model is right for all companies and at all times, and the Board will review its leadership structure as appropriate to ensure it continues to be in the best interests of AleAnna and its stockholders. The Board may adjust its Board leadership structure based on circumstances existing from time to time and based on criteria that are in the best interests of AleAnna and its stockholders, including the composition, skills, diversity and experience of the board and its members, specific challenges faced by AleAnna or the industry in which it operates, and governance efficiency.

Controlled Company Exemption

The Company is considered a "controlled company" under the rules of the Nasdaq Capital Market. Under the Nasdaq Listing Rules, a company of which more than 50% of the voting power for the election of directors is held by an individual, group or another company is a "controlled company" and may elect not to comply with certain corporate governance standards, including the requirements (i) that a majority of its board of directors consist of independent directors, (ii) that its board of directors have a compensation committee that is composed entirely of independent directors with a written charter addressing the committee's purpose and responsibilities and (iii) that director nominees must either be selected, or recommended for the board's selection, either by independent directors constituting a majority of the board's independent directors in a vote in which only independent directors participate, or a nominating and corporate governance committee comprised solely of independent directors with a written charter addressing the committee's purpose and responsibilities. For at least some period, the Company may utilize these exemptions, and you may not have the same protections afforded to stockholders of companies that are subject

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to all of these corporate governance requirements. If the Company ceases to be a “controlled company” and its shares continue to be listed on the Nasdaq Capital Market, the Company will be required to comply with these standards and, depending on the Board’s independence determination with respect to its then-current directors, the Company may be required to add additional directors to its board in order to achieve such compliance within the applicable transition periods.

The Board’s Risk Oversight Role

Our Board oversees risk related to the Company and its business as a whole, including its strategy, business performance, capital structure, management selection, compensation programs, stockholder engagement, corporate reputation, cybersecurity and privacy matters, and regulatory risks. Our Board discharges various aspects of its oversight responsibilities through its standing committees, which will in turn report to the Board regularly regarding their activities. We will evaluate risks over the short-, medium-and long-term horizons.

Committees of the Board of Directors

Our Board maintains a standing audit committee (“Audit Committee”) and a standing compensation committee (“Compensation Committee”), but does not currently maintain a nominating/governance committee based upon the exceptions from the Nasdaq Listing Rules for “controlled companies.” Our Board has overall responsibility for the selection of candidates for nomination or appointment to our Board. The composition of each committee is set forth below.

Audit Committee

The Audit Committee’s primary responsibilities include, among other things:

- overseeing management’s establishment and maintenance of adequate systems of internal accounting and financial controls;
- the effectiveness of our legal and regulatory compliance programs;
- overseeing our financial reporting process, including the filing of financial reports; and
- selecting independent auditors, evaluating their independence and performance and approving audit fees and services performed by them.

Our Audit Committee has been established in accordance with Section 3(a)(58)(A) of the Exchange Act and consists of Duncan Palmer, Graham van’t Hoff, and Curtis Hébert, each of whom are independent directors and are “financially literate” as defined under the Nasdaq listing standards. Duncan Palmer serves as chairman of the Audit Committee. Our Board has determined that Duncan Palmer qualifies as an “audit committee financial expert,” as defined under rules and regulations of the SEC.

Compensation Committee

The Compensation Committee’s responsibilities include, among other things:

- ensuring that our executive compensation programs are appropriately competitive, supporting organizational objectives and stockholder interests and emphasizing pay-for-performance linkage;
- evaluating and approving compensation and setting performance criteria for compensation programs for our chief executive officer and other executive officers; and
- overseeing the implementation and administration of our compensation plans.

Our Compensation Committee consists of Bill Dirks, Graham van’t Hoff, and Curtis Hébert, each of whom is an independent director. Curtis Hébert serves as chairman of the Compensation Committee.

Code of Ethics and Business Conduct

Our Board has adopted a Code of Business Conduct and Ethics for our directors, officers, employees and certain affiliates in accordance with applicable federal securities laws, a copy of which is available on our website at www.aleannainc.com under "Investor Relations." We will make a printed copy of the Code of Business Conduct and Ethics available to any stockholder who so requests. Requests for a printed copy may be directed to our Chief Financial Officer, Tristan Yopp at tgyopp@bluescapegroup.com.

If we amend or grant a waiver of one or more of the provisions of our Code of Business Conduct and Ethics, we intend to satisfy the requirements under Item 5.05 of Form 8-K regarding the disclosure of amendments to or waivers from provisions of our Code of Business Conduct and Ethics that apply to our principal executive officer, principal financial officer, principal accounting officer or controller, or persons performing similar functions or any other officer, and that relates to any element of the code of ethics definition enumerated in Item 406(b) of Regulation S-K by posting the required information on our website at www.aleannainc.com. The information on this website is not part of this Registration Statement.

Insider Trading Policy

Our Board has adopted an insider trading policy governing the purchase, sale and/or other dispositions of its securities by directors, officers and certain employees that is reasonably designed to promote compliance with insider trading laws, rules and regulations. Our insider trading policy is available on our corporate website, www.aleannainc.com under "Investor Relations".

Whistleblower Policy

Our Board has adopted a whistleblower policy to provide employees with a confidential and anonymous method for reporting concerns about the conduct of the Company or employees free from retaliation. Our whistleblower policy is available on our corporate website, www.aleannainc.com under "Investor Relations".

Compensation Recovery Policy

Our Board has adopted a compensation recovery policy, which provides that in the event the Company is required to prepare an accounting restatement due to noncompliance with any financial reporting requirements under the securities laws or otherwise erroneous data or the Company determines there has been a significant misconduct that causes financial or reputational harm, the Company shall recover a portion or all of any incentive compensation. Our compensation recovery policy is available on our corporate website, www.aleannainc.com under "Investor Relations".

Limitation of Liability and Indemnification of Directors and Officers

Our Certificate of Incorporation and Bylaws limit a director's and officer's liability to the fullest extent permitted under the DGCL; provided, however, that, except in certain circumstances, the Company shall indemnify any such indemnitee in connection with a proceeding (or part thereof) initiated by such indemnitee only if such proceeding (or part thereof) was authorized by the Board. An indemnitee shall also have the right to be paid by the Company the expenses (including attorney's fees) incurred in appearing at, participating in or defending any such proceeding in advance of its final disposition or in connection with a proceeding brought to establish or enforce a right to indemnification or advancement of expenses under the Bylaws.

The DGCL provides that directors and officers of a corporation will not be personally liable for monetary damages for breach of their fiduciary duties as directors or officers, except for liability:

- for any transaction from which the director or officer derives an improper personal benefit;
- for any act or omission not in good faith or that involves intentional misconduct or a knowing violation of law;
- for a director under Section 174 of the DGCL;

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- for any breach of a duty of loyalty to the corporation or its stockholders; or
- for an officer in any action by or in the right of the corporation.

If the DGCL is amended to authorize corporate action further eliminating or limiting the personal liability of directors or officers, then the liability of the directors and officers will be eliminated or limited to the fullest extent permitted by the DGCL, as so amended.

Delaware law and the Certificate of Incorporation and Bylaws provide that the Company will, in certain situations, indemnify its directors and officers and may indemnify other employees and other agents, to the fullest extent permitted by law. Any indemnified person will also be entitled, subject to certain limitations, to advancement, direct payment, or reimbursement of reasonable expenses (including attorneys' fees and disbursements) in advance of the final disposition of the proceeding.

In addition, the Company has entered into separate indemnification agreements with each of its directors and officers. These agreements, among other things, are expected to require the Company to indemnify its directors and officers for certain expenses, including attorneys' fees, judgments, fines and settlement amounts incurred by a director or officer in any action or proceeding arising out of their services as one of its directors or officers or any other company or enterprise to which the person provides services at its request.

The Company also maintains a directors' and officers' insurance policy pursuant to which its directors and officers will be insured against liability for actions taken in their capacities as directors and officers. We believe these provisions in the Certificate of Incorporation and Bylaws and these indemnification agreements are necessary to attract and retain qualified persons as directors and officers.

Insofar as indemnification for liabilities arising under the Securities Act may be permitted to directors, officers, or control persons, in the opinion of the SEC, such indemnification is against public policy as expressed in the Securities Act and is therefore unenforceable.

EXECUTIVE AND DIRECTOR COMPENSATION¹¹

This section provides an overview of our executive compensation programs, including a narrative description of the material factors necessary to understand the information disclosed in the summary compensation table below. As an emerging growth company, we have opted to comply with the executive compensation disclosure rules applicable to "smaller reporting companies" as such term is defined in the rules promulgated under the Securities Act, which generally require compensation disclosure for its principal executive officer and its two other most highly compensated executive officers.

Prior to the consummation of the Business Combination, AleAnna Energy was a private company. As a result, the compensation awarded to, earned by, or paid to AleAnna Energy's directors and named executive officers for the fiscal years ended December 31, 2024 and 2023 were provided by and determined in accordance with policies and practices developed by AleAnna Energy's board of directors prior to the Business Combination. Following the closing of the Business Combination, the Company's compensation matters are now reviewed and implemented by our Board and Compensation Committee, as applicable.

During 2024 and 2023, AleAnna Energy only employed one individual serving as an executive officer of AleAnna and that employee, Marco Brun, was employed by AleAnna Energy's wholly owned Italian subsidiary, AleAnna Italia S.p.A. The other executive officers were either employed or contracted by Bluescape and its affiliates. Except for Marco Brun, AleAnna Energy's executive officers were either contractors or participated in employee benefit plans sponsored by Bluescape and its affiliates. AleAnna Energy, including AleAnna Italia S.p.A., has not granted any equity awards to either Marco Brun or the executive officers sponsored by Bluescape. During 2024 and 2023, William K. Dirks, Tristan Yopp, and Charles Roscoph provided administrative and support services to AleAnna Energy. William K. Dirks, as a contractor, was compensated pursuant to a Master Services Agreement covering multiple Bluescape entities, including AleAnna Energy. Services provided by Mr. Dirks, Yopp, and Roscoph include insurance, risk management, legal, information technology, purchasing, executive management, accounting, finance, human resources, construction management and database management.

Except for Marco Brun, compensation decisions for AleAnna's executive officers during 2024 and 2023 were made by Bluescape and its affiliates and any such compensation decisions were not subject to approval by the AleAnna Board. AleAnna's named executive officers consisted of its principal executive officers as of December 31, 2024, being:

- Marco Brun, Chief Executive Officer; and
- William K. Dirks, Executive Director.

Mr. Brun devotes a substantial portion of his time to AleAnna. AleAnna's other non-employee executive officers maintain roles with Bluescape and its affiliates and devote time, as needed, directly managing AleAnna's business and affairs. William K. Dirks receives contractor compensation from AleAnna pursuant to the Dirks Agreement described below, but is not an employee of Bluescape. Further, neither of Messrs. Yopp or Roscoph receive any separate compensation for their services to AleAnna.

Summary Compensation Table

The following table presents information regarding the compensation earned or received by our NEOs for services rendered during the fiscal years ended December 31, 2024 and 2023.

Name and Principal Position	Fiscal Year	Base Salary (\$)	Option Awards (\$)	All Other Compensation (\$) ⁽¹⁾	Total (\$)
Marco Brun	2024	\$ 672,779	— \$	82,431 \$	755,210
	2023	\$ 688,255	— \$	78,086 \$	766,341
William K. Dirks	2024	\$ 240,000	— \$	— \$	240,000
	2023	\$ 240,000	— \$	— \$	240,000

(1) "All Other Compensation" represents fringe benefits, including the monthly lease fee described in the description of the Brun Employment Agreement.

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Narrative Disclosure to Summary Compensation Table

Employment Agreements

Agreement with Chief Executive Officer and Chief Commercial Officer

On September 1, 2022, Aleanna Italia S.p.A., a wholly owned subsidiary of AleAnna Energy, entered into an employment agreement with Mr. Brun effective as of that date ("Brun Employment Agreement"), and pursuant to its terms, Mr. Brun's base salary is €610,000.00. Mr. Brun is entitled to receive reimbursement for all out-of-pocket expenses incurred by him, which are specifically related to his roles and duties and fall under the guidelines of AleAnna's expenses policy. The term of the Brun Employment Agreement is permanent.

Mr. Brun receives health insurance through Italy's national health insurance program ("FASI") and, pursuant to the Brun Employment Agreement, AleAnna provides insurance for expenses in excess of the coverage provided by FASI. As further described below, Mr. Brun is entitled to the Company's Medium/Long Term Incentive Plan (the "M/LTIP", as described below) and may be entitled to certain cash bonuses ranging from €375,000 to €1,125,000 from May 31, 2024, through December 31, 2026. Mr. Brun is also covered by permanent disability and death insurance due to disease, and due to professional or extra professional injuries in the amount specified by the Contratto Collettivo Nazionale Lavoro. In addition, Mr. Brun receives directors' and officers' insurance. AleAnna also pays Previndai a contribution equal to 7% of Mr. Brun's salary. Mr. Brun is entitled to a company vehicle with a monthly lease fee up to €2,500.00 plus applicable VAT, a mobile phone and a laptop with all related expenses to be borne by AleAnna Energy in accordance with AleAnna Energy's policies.

Mr. Brun is entitled to two years' base salary to be paid within six months of a Change in Control. "Change in Control" means the first to occur of: (i) the liquidation of AleAnna Energy; (ii) the sale of all or substantially all of the assets of AleAnna Energy; (iii) provided that an initial public offering has not taken place, the date on which AleAnna Energy and its affiliates cease to own, in the aggregate, at least 49% of the beneficial ownership of AleAnna Energy; or (iv) from and after an initial public offering, the date on which AleAnna Energy and its affiliates cease to own, in the aggregate, at least 10% of the beneficial ownership of AleAnna Energy. For avoidance of doubt, the completion of the Business Combination did not constitute a Change of Control under Mr. Brun's Employment Agreement.

The Brun Employment Agreement also contains customary provisions relating to, among other things, confidentiality and non-solicitation.

Agreement with Mr. Dirks

On July 1, 2022, Aleanna Energy entered into an independent contractor services agreement with Mr. Dirks effective as of that date ("Dirks Agreement"), and pursuant to its terms, Mr. Dirks receives a monthly Contractor Service Fee of \$20,000.00 per month. Per the agreement, AleAnna Energy also reimburses Mr. Dirks for certain pre-approved out of pocket expenditures such as travel expenses. Under Dirks Agreement, Mr. Dirks is responsible for all other expenses associated with his services including ancillary benefits such as medical insurance premiums, professional licenses, vehicle insurance expenses, and mobile phone and laptop expenditures.

Medium/Long Term Incentive Plan ("M/LTIP")

In September 2022, the AleAnna Energy board of directors adopted, and AleAnna Energy's equityholders approved, the M/LTIP. The following describes the material terms of the M/LTIP.

Cash Bonuses. Certain employees of AleAnna Energy, including Mr. Brun, are entitled to potential cash bonus amounts to be paid based on the completion of certain milestones within the established thresholds. Such payments could result in total payments to employees of AleAnna Energy, including Mr. Brun, ranging from €375,000 to €1,125,000, subject to certain threshold dates.

Performance Metrics. The Company tracks each of the milestones for the M/LTIP package based on AleAnna's current and future business plans. Based on the metrics and performance indicators outlined in the executive's compensation package, management has identified that the likelihood of achieving each of these metrics is not probable based on the financial performance as of December 31, 2023, and therefore has not recognized any expense related to the M/LTIP. Any bonus payments are subject to AleAnna Energy's approval.

Outstanding Equity Awards at 2024 Fiscal Year End

None.

Director Compensation of AleAnna

AleAnna has not adopted a formal policy or plan to compensate AleAnna's directors. AleAnna's directors received no additional compensation for their service as members of the AleAnna Board.

CERTAIN RELATIONSHIPS AND RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

In addition to the various agreements and arrangements discussed in the sections titled “*Directors, Executive Officers and Corporate Governance*” and “*Executive and Director Compensation*,” the following is a description of each transaction since January 1, 2023 and each currently proposed transaction in which:

- Aleanna has been or is to be a participant;
- the amount involved exceeded or exceeds the lesser of (a) \$120,000 or (b) one percent of the average of Aleanna’s total assets at year-end for the fiscal years ended December 31, 2023 and 2022; and
- any of Aleanna’s directors, executive officers or holders of more than 5% of its capital stock prior to the Business Combination, or any immediate family member of, or person sharing the household with, any of these individuals, had or will have a direct or indirect material interest.

Since January 1, 2023, AleAnna (or AleAnna Energy, as applicable) has entered into the following agreements that satisfy the above criteria:

Transactions Entered into in Connection with the Business Combination

A&R HoldCo LLC Agreement

The Company is organized in an “Up-C” structure, such that Company is a publicly listed company that holds a portion of the equity interests in AleAnna Energy through HoldCo. The A&R HoldCo LLC Agreement provides, among other things, that each Class C HoldCo Unit is exchangeable, subject to certain conditions, for one share of Class A Common Stock, and a corresponding share of Class C Common Stock will be cancelled in connection with such exchange, pursuant to and in accordance with the terms of the A&R HoldCo LLC Agreement. The Company is the sole manager of and controls HoldCo, and the Company owns 60.9% of the outstanding equity of HoldCo through Class A HoldCo Units and Nautilus owns approximately 39.1% of the outstanding equity of HoldCo through Class C HoldCo Units. HoldCo owns 100% of the equity interests of AleAnna Energy.

A&R Registration Rights Agreement

On the Closing Date, that certain Registration and Shareholder Rights Agreement, dated December 17, 2021 (the “Registration Rights Agreement”), was amended and restated by the Company, Sponsor, Nautilus, and the John and Susan Wilder Foundation (collectively, the “Registration Rights Holders”) (as amended and restated, the “A&R Registration Rights Agreement”). Pursuant to the A&R Registration Rights Agreement, by February 11, 2025, the Company shall use its commercially reasonable efforts to file with the SEC (at the Company’s sole cost and expense) a registration statement registering the resale of certain securities held by or issuable to the Registration Rights Holders (the “Resale Registration Statement”), and the Company will use its commercially reasonable efforts to have the Resale Registration Statement declared effective as soon as reasonably practicable after the filing thereof. In certain circumstances, the Registration Rights Holders can demand the Company’s assistance with underwritten offerings and block trades, and the Registration Rights Holders are entitled to certain piggyback registration rights. The A&R Registration Rights Agreement does not provide for the payment of any cash penalties by the Company if it fails to satisfy any of its obligations under the A&R Registration Rights Agreement.

A&R Sponsor Letter Agreement

Concurrently with the execution of the Merger Agreement, Swiftmerge, AleAnna and certain affiliates and representatives of Sponsor (including the officers and directors of Swiftmerge) (together with Sponsor, collectively, the “Sponsor Related Parties”) entered into amended and restated letter agreement (the “A&R Sponsor Letter Agreement”) pursuant to which each Sponsor Related Party agreed to, until December 13, 2025, a customary restriction on the sale or transfer of such Sponsor Related Party’s shares of Class A Common Stock. Notwithstanding the lock-up provisions of the A&R Sponsor Letter Agreement, the Sponsor Related Parties may transfer shares of Class A Common Stock to (i) any of Swiftmerge’s officers or directors, any affiliate or family member of any of Swiftmerge’s officers or directors or any members of the Sponsor or any affiliates of the Sponsor; (ii) in the case of an individual, by gift to a member of such individual’s immediate family or to a trust, the beneficiary of which is a member of such individual’s immediate family, an affiliate of such individual or to a charitable organization; (iii) in the case of an individual, by virtue of laws

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of descent and distribution upon death of such individual; (iv) in the case of an individual, pursuant to a qualified domestic relations order; (v) by virtue of the laws of the State of Delaware or the Sponsor's limited liability company agreement upon dissolution of the Sponsor; or (vi) in the event of Swiftmerge's liquidation, merger, capital stock exchange, reorganization or other similar transaction which results in all of Swiftmerge's shareholders having the right to exchange their shares of Swiftmerge Ordinary Shares or Closing Shares (as defined therein) for cash, securities or other property subsequent to Swiftmerge's completion of the Transactions. Additionally, the lock-up provisions of the A&R Sponsor Letter Agreement may be waived with the consent of Swiftmerge and AleAnna.

Investor Letter Agreements

Additionally, concurrently with the execution of the Merger Agreement, Swiftmerge and Sponsor entered into the Investor Letter Agreements, pursuant to which each investor party thereto has agreed to, among other things, be bound by a customary restriction on the sale or transfer of such investor's shares of Class A Common Stock until December 13, 2025.

Sponsor Loan

On the Closing Date, that certain unsecured Promissory Note, dated as of September 15, 2023, issued by Swiftmerge in favor of Sponsor, as amended, with an aggregate balance outstanding of \$1,527,000 was fully satisfied and discharged in connection with the Business Combination.

Employment Agreements and Indemnification

For a description of AleAnna's executive and director compensation and management of AleAnna, see "*Executive and Director Compensation*" and "*Directors, Executive Officers and Corporate Governance*."

Limitation of Liability and Indemnification of Directors and Officers

The Certificate of Incorporation and Bylaws limit a director's and officer's liability to the fullest extent permitted under the DGCL; provided, however, that, except in certain circumstances, the Company shall indemnify any such indemnitee in connection with a proceeding (or part thereof) initiated by such indemnitee only if such proceeding (or part thereof) was authorized by the Board. An indemnitee also has the right to be paid by the Company the expenses (including attorney's fees) incurred in appearing at, participating in or defending any such proceeding in advance of its final disposition or in connection with a proceeding brought to establish or enforce a right to indemnification or advancement of expenses under the Bylaws. We believe these provisions in the Certificate of Incorporation and Bylaws are necessary to attract and retain qualified persons as directors and officers. For additional information, see "*Directors, Executive Officers and Corporate Governance — Limitation of Liability and Indemnification of Directors and Officers*."

Director Independence

Nautilus and its affiliates under common control beneficially own a majority of the voting power of all outstanding shares of our common. As a result, AleAnna is a "controlled company" within the meaning of the Nasdaq Listing Rules. Under the Nasdaq Listing Rules, a company of which more than 50% of the voting power for the election of directors is held by an individual, group or another company is a "controlled company" and may elect not to comply with certain corporate governance standards, including the requirements (i) that a majority of its board of directors consist of independent directors, (ii) that its board of directors have a compensation committee that is composed entirely of independent directors with a written charter addressing the committee's purpose and responsibilities and (iii) that director nominees must either be selected, or recommended for the board's selection, either by independent directors constituting a majority of the board's independent directors in a vote in which only independent directors participate, or a nominating and corporate governance committee comprised solely of independent directors with a written charter addressing the committee's purpose and responsibilities. Notwithstanding the availability of such exemptions, a majority of AleAnna's current Board members qualify as independent under applicable Nasdaq rules.

Nasdaq rules generally require that independent directors must comprise a majority of a listed company's board of directors. Under the rules of Nasdaq, a director generally only qualifies as an "independent director" if the director and, in the opinion of that company's board of directors, that person does not have a relationship that would interfere with the exercise of independent judgment in carrying out the responsibilities of a director, subject

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to certain “bright-line” determinations that would result in a director not being deemed independent for purposes of Nasdaq rules. Based upon information requested from and provided by each proposed director concerning his or her background, employment and affiliations, including family relationships, the Board has determined that Mr. van’t Hoff, Mr. Palmer and Mr. Hébert are “independent” as that term is defined under the applicable rules and regulations of the SEC and the listing requirements and rules of Nasdaq.

Indemnification Agreements

The Company entered into separate indemnification agreements with each of its directors and officers. These agreements, among other things, are expected to require the Company to indemnify its directors and officers for certain expenses, including attorneys’ fees, judgments, fines and settlement amounts incurred by a director or officer in any action or proceeding arising out of their services as one of its directors or officers or any other company or enterprise to which the person provides services at its request. We believe these indemnification agreements are necessary to attract and retain qualified persons as directors and officers.

Certain of the foregoing disclosures are summaries of certain provisions of our related party agreements, and are qualified in their entirety by reference to all of the provisions of such agreements. Because these descriptions are only summaries of the applicable agreements, they do not necessarily contain all of the information that you may find useful.

Transactions Prior to Execution of the Merger Agreement

Intercompany Payables

As of December 31, 2024 and December 31, 2023, AleAnna Energy had outstanding payables of \$0 and \$525,276, respectively, to Nautilus, primarily related to the payment of legal fees by Nautilus on behalf of AleAnna Energy. These intercompany payables are presented as related party payables on the accompanying consolidated balance sheets and will be settled in the normal course of business.

Capital Contributions

Nautilus made a capital contribution of \$651,750 to AleAnna in April 2024 in exchange for 651 units and \$17.1 million to AleAnna in May 2024 in exchange for 17,100 units.

Policies and Procedures for Related Party Transactions

On December 13, 2024 the Company adopted a new written related party transaction policy (the “Related Party Transactions Policy”) that sets forth the following policies and procedures for the review and approval or ratification of related party transactions.

A “*Related Party Transaction*,” as defined in the Related Party Transaction Policy, means any transaction, arrangement, or relationship, or any series of similar transactions, arrangements, or relationships, in which (i) the Company or any of its subsidiaries is or will be a participant; (ii) the aggregate amount involved will or may be expected to material interest. A “*Related Party*” means:

1. any person who is or was (since the beginning of the last fiscal year for which the Company has filed an Annual Report on Form 10-K and proxy statement, even if such person does not presently serve in that role) an executive officer, director, or nominee for director of the Company;
2. any shareholder that beneficially owns more than 5% of any class of the Company’s voting securities;
3. an Immediate Family Member of any such person; or
4. any firm, corporation or other entity in which any of such persons is employed or is a general partner or principal or in a similar position or in which such person has a 10% or greater beneficial ownership interest.

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Under the Company's related party transaction policy, if a transaction has been identified as a Related Party Transaction, including any transaction that was not a Related Party Transaction when originally consummated or any transaction that was not initially identified as a Related Party Transaction prior to consummation, the Company's management must notify the Company's Corporate Counsel in writing of the facts and circumstances regarding the proposed Related Party Transaction to the Company's Audit Committee.

The policy requires that, in determining whether to approve, ratify or reject a Related Party Transaction, the Audit Committee shall review all of the relevant facts and information available to it about, as well as circumstances of, all Related Party Transactions and either approve or disapprove of the entry into the Related Party Transaction, subject to the exceptions described in the Related Party Transaction Policy. The Audit Committee may approve the Related Party Transaction only if the Audit Committee determines in good faith that the transaction is not inconsistent with the interests of the Company and its shareholders.

All of the transactions described in this section were entered into prior to the adoption of this policy.

SECURITY OWNERSHIP OF CERTAIN BENEFICIAL OWNERS AND MANAGEMENT

The following table sets forth information known to the Company regarding beneficial ownership of the Company's securities as of January 13, 2025, by:

- each person known by the Company who is the beneficial owner of more than 5% of the outstanding Class A Common Stock or Class C Common Stock;
- each of the Company's executive officers and directors; and
- all of the Company's executive officers and directors as a group.

As of January 13, 2025, AleAnna had 40,560,433 shares of Class A Common Stock issued and outstanding and 25,994,400 shares of Class C Common Stock issued and outstanding. Except as otherwise noted herein, the number and percentage of Class A Common Stock and Class C Common Stock beneficially owned is determined in accordance with Rule 13d-3 of the Exchange Act, and the information is not necessarily indicative of beneficial ownership for any other purpose. Under such rule, beneficial ownership includes any Class A Common Stock as to which the holder has sole or shared voting power or investment power and also any Class A Common Stock which the holder has the right to acquire within 60 days of through the exercise of any option, warrant or any other right, including shares of non-economic voting Class C Common Stock that may be exchanged, together with Class C HoldCo Units, for Class A Common Stock. Shares subject to warrants that are currently exercisable or exercisable within 60 days of the Closing Date are considered outstanding and beneficially owned by the person holding such warrants for the purpose of computing the percentage ownership of that person but are not treated as outstanding for the purpose of computing the percentage ownership of any other person.

Unless otherwise indicated and subject to community property laws and similar laws, the Company believes that all parties named in the table below have sole voting and investment power with respect to all shares of Class A Common Stock and Class C Common Stock beneficially owned by them.

Name of Beneficial Owner ⁽¹⁾	Number of Shares of Class A Common Stock	% of Class A Common Stock	Number of Shares of Class C Common Stock	% of Class C Common Stock	Combined Voting Power
5% or Greater Shareholders					
Nautilus Resources LLC ⁽²⁾	30,478,724	75.14%	25,994,400	100%	84.85%
John and Susan Wilder Foundation ⁽³⁾	6,655,470	16.41%	—	—	9.99%
Directors and Executive Officers					
Graham van't Hoff	—	—	—	—	—
William K. Dirks	—	—	—	—	—
Marco Brun	—	—	—	—	—
Duncan Palmer	—	—	—	—	—
Curtis Hébert	—	—	—	—	—
Tristan Yopp	—	—	—	—	—
Charles Roscoph	—	—	—	—	—
All executive officers and directors as a group (seven persons)	—	—	—	—	—

(1) Unless otherwise noted, the business address of each of the following entities and individuals is c/o AleAnna, Inc., 300 Crescent Court, Suite 1860 Dallas, Texas 75201.

(2) The securities beneficially owned by Nautilus Resources LLC are indirectly beneficially owned by Charles John Wilder, Jr. and Susan Anne Wilder, as the managing members of JSW Interests LLC, which is the sole member of JSW Energy Holdings LLC, which is the general partner of JSW Energy Interests LP, which is the sole member of Bluescape Resources Investors LLC, which is the manager of Bluescape Resources Company LLC, which is the general partner of BRC Property Holdings LP, which is the manager of BRC-Oxy Marcellus Tax Partnership LLC, which is the sole member of BRC Exploration Holdings LLC, which is the sole member of Nautilus Resources LLC. Each individual and entity referenced herein disclaims the existence of a "group" and disclaims beneficial ownership of all Class C HoldCo Units, other than any Class C HoldCo Units or other securities reported herein as being owned by it, him or her, as the case may be. The address for each party referenced herein is 300 Crescent Court, Suite 1860 Dallas, Texas 75201.

(3) The John and Susan Wilder foundation is managed and controlled by Charles John Wilder, Jr., together with his spouse.

DESCRIPTION OF SECURITIES

The following summary of certain provisions of the Company's securities does not purport to be complete and is subject to the Certificate of Incorporation, the Bylaws and the provisions of applicable law.

Authorized and Outstanding Stock

The total amount of authorized capital stock of the Company is 223,500,000 shares, consisting of:

- 150,000,000 shares of Class A Common Stock, par value \$0.0001 per share;
- 2,500,000 shares of Class B Common Stock, par value \$0.0001 per share;
- 70,000,000 shares of Class C Common Stock, par value \$0.0001 per share; and
- 1,000,000 shares of Preferred Stock, par value \$0.0001 per share.

As of January 13, 2025, 40,560,433 shares of Class A Common Stock are outstanding, no shares of Class B Common Stock are outstanding, 25,994,400 shares of Class C Common Stock are outstanding, no shares of Preferred Stock outstanding and 11,250,000 Public Warrants are outstanding.

Class A Common Stock

There are 40,560,433 shares of Class A Common Stock outstanding.

Voting rights. Each holder of Class A Common Stock is entitled to one vote for each share of Class A Common Stock held of record by such holder on all matters on which stockholders generally are entitled to vote (whether voting separately as a class or together with one or more classes of the Company's capital stock). Holders of shares of Class A Common Stock vote together with holders of the Class C Common Stock as a single class on all matters presented to the Company's stockholders for their vote or approval. Generally, all matters to be voted on by stockholders must be approved by a majority (or, in the case of election of directors, by a plurality) of the votes entitled to be cast by all stockholders present in person or represented by proxy, voting together as a single class, *provided* that a quorum is present, and *further provided* that, prior to the Trigger Date, certain provisions of our Certificate of Incorporation may only be amended by a vote of two-thirds of the total votes entitled to be cast by all stockholders present in person or represented by proxy, voting together as a single class. The holders of the outstanding shares of Class A Common Stock shall be entitled to vote separately as a single class upon any amendment to this Certificate of Incorporation (including by merger, consolidation, reorganization or similar event) that would alter or change the powers, preferences, special or other rights of Class A Common Stock in a manner that is disproportionately adverse as compared to the powers, preferences, special or other rights of Class C Common Stock. Notwithstanding the foregoing, to the fullest extent permitted by law, holders of Class A Common Stock, as such, have no voting power pursuant to the Certificate of Incorporation with respect to, and are not entitled to vote on, any amendment to the Certificate of Incorporation (including any certificate of designations relating to any series of Preferred Stock) that relates solely to the terms of one or more outstanding series of Preferred Stock if the holders of such affected series of Preferred Stock are entitled to vote as a separate class thereon pursuant to the Certificate of Incorporation (including any certificate of designations relating to any series of Preferred Stock) or pursuant to the DGCL.

Dividend Rights. Subject to preferences that may be applicable to any outstanding Preferred Stock, the holders of shares of Class A Common Stock are entitled to receive ratably such dividends, if any, as may be declared from time to time by the Board out of funds legally available therefor.

Rights upon liquidation. In the event of any voluntary or involuntary liquidation, dissolution or winding up of the Company's affairs, after payment of the Company's debts and other liabilities, subject to prior distribution rights of Preferred Stock or any class or series of stock having a preference over the Class A Common Stock, then outstanding, if any, the holders of Class A Common Stock are entitled to receive, *pari passu*, an amount per share equal to the par value thereof. Thereafter the holders of all outstanding shares of Class A Common Stock are entitled to share ratably in all net assets remaining available for distribution.

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Other rights. The holders of Class A Common Stock have no preemptive or conversion rights or other subscription rights. There are no redemption or sinking fund provisions applicable to the Class A Common Stock. The rights, preferences and privileges of holders of the Class A Common Stock are subject to those of the holders of any shares of the Preferred Stock the Company may issue in the future.

Class C Common Stock

There are 25,994,400 shares of Class C Common Stock outstanding.

Voting rights. Each holder of Class C Common Stock is entitled to one vote for each share of Class C Common Stock held of record by such holder on all matters on which stockholders generally are entitled to vote (whether voting separately as a class or together with one or more classes of the Company's capital stock). Holders of shares of Class C Common Stock vote together with holders of the Class A Common Stock as a single class on all matters presented to the Company's stockholders for their vote or approval. Generally, all matters to be voted on by stockholders must be approved by a majority (or, in the case of election of directors, by a plurality) of the votes entitled to be cast by all stockholders present in person or represented by proxy, voting together as a single class, *provided* that a quorum is present, and further provided that, prior to the Trigger Date, certain provisions of our Certificate of Incorporation may only be amended by a vote of two-thirds of the total votes entitled to be cast by all stockholders present in person or represented by proxy, voting together as a single class. The holders of the outstanding shares of Class C Common Stock shall be entitled to vote separately as a single class upon any amendment to this Certificate of Incorporation (including by merger, consolidation, reorganization or similar event) that would alter or change the powers, preferences, special or other rights of Class C Common Stock in a manner that is disproportionately adverse as compared to the powers, preferences, special or other rights of Class A Common Stock. Notwithstanding the foregoing, to the fullest extent permitted by law, holders of Class C Common Stock, as such, have no voting power pursuant to the Certificate of Incorporation with respect to, and are not entitled to vote on, any amendment to the Certificate of Incorporation (including any certificate of designations relating to any series of Preferred Stock) that relates solely to the terms of one or more outstanding series of Preferred Stock if the holders of such affected series of Preferred Stock are entitled to vote as a separate class thereon pursuant to the Certificate of Incorporation (including any certificate of designations relating to any series of Preferred Stock) or pursuant to the DGCL.

Dividend rights. The holders of the Class C Common Stock do not participate in any dividends declared by the Board.

Rights upon liquidation. In the event of any voluntary or involuntary liquidation, dissolution or winding up of the Company's affairs, the holders of Class C Common Stock are not entitled to receive any assets of the Company in excess of the par value thereof.

Other rights. The holders of shares of Class C Common Stock do not have preemptive, subscription, redemption or conversion rights. There are no redemption or sinking fund provisions applicable to the Class C Common Stock.

Exchange and Cancellation. To the extent that a holder of Class C Common Stock exchanges its Class C LLC Units with a corresponding number of shares of Class C Common Stock for shares of Class A Common Stock in accordance with the A&R HoldCo LLC Agreement, the shares of Class C Common Stock so exchanged shall automatically, and without further action on the part of the Company or any holder of Class C Common Stock, be cancelled for no consideration.

Preferred Stock

No shares of Preferred Stock are issued or outstanding. The Certificate of Incorporation authorizes the Board to establish one or more series of Preferred Stock. Unless required by law or any stock exchange, the authorized shares of Preferred Stock are available for issuance without further action by the holders of the Class A Common Stock or Class C Common Stock. The Board has the discretion to determine the powers, preferences and relative, participating, optional and other special rights, including voting rights, dividend rights, conversion rights, redemption privileges and liquidation preferences, of each series of Preferred Stock.

The issuance of Preferred Stock may have the effect of delaying, deferring or preventing a change in control of the Company without further action by the stockholders. The existence of authorized but unissued shares of preferred stock may enable our Board to discourage an attempt to obtain control of us by means of a merger, tender offer, proxy

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contest or otherwise. Additionally, the issuance of Preferred Stock may adversely affect the holders of the Class A Common Stock by restricting dividends on the Class A Common Stock, diluting the voting power of the Class A Common Stock and the Class C Common Stock or subordinating the liquidation rights of the Class A Common Stock. As a result of these or other factors, the issuance of Preferred Stock could have an adverse impact on the market price of the Class A Common Stock.

Public Warrants

There are 11,250,000 Public Warrants outstanding. Each whole Public Warrant entitles the registered holder to purchase one share of Class A Common Stock at a price of \$11.50 per share, subject to adjustment as discussed below, at any time commencing on January 12, 2025, *provided* in each case that we have an effective registration statement under the Securities Act covering the shares of Class A Common Stock issuable upon exercise of the Public Warrants and a current prospectus relating to them is available (or we permit holders to exercise their Public Warrants on a cashless basis under the circumstances specified in the warrant agreement) and such shares are registered, qualified or exempt from registration under the securities, or blue sky, laws of the state of residence of the holder. Pursuant to the warrant agreement, a Public Warrant holder may exercise its Public Warrants only for a whole number of shares of Class A Common Stock. This means only a whole Public Warrant may be exercised at a given time by a Public Warrant holder. No fractional Public Warrants will be issued upon the separation of the units, and only whole Public Warrants will trade. The Public Warrants will expire on December 13, 2029, at 5:00 p.m., New York City time, or earlier upon redemption or liquidation.

We are obligated to deliver any shares of Class A Common Stock pursuant to the exercise of a Public Warrant and have no obligation to settle such Public Warrant exercise unless a registration statement under the Securities Act with respect to the shares of Class A Common Stock underlying the Public Warrants is then effective and a prospectus relating thereto is current, subject to our satisfying our obligations described below with respect to registration. No Public Warrant is exercisable, and we are not obligated to issue shares of Class A Common Stock upon the exercise of a Public Warrant unless the shares of Class A Common Stock issuable upon such Public Warrant exercise are registered, qualified or deemed to be exempt under the securities laws of the state of residence of the registered holder of the Public Warrants. In the event that the conditions in the two immediately preceding sentences are not satisfied with respect to a Public Warrant, the holder of such Public Warrant is not entitled to exercise such Public Warrant, and such Public Warrant may have no value and expire worthless. In no event are we required to net cash settle any Public Warrant.

We have agreed to use our commercially reasonable efforts to file with the SEC a registration statement for the registration, under the Securities Act, of the Class A Common Stock issuable upon exercise of the Public Warrants. If a registration statement covering the Class A Common Stock issuable upon exercise of the Public Warrants is not effective by February 11, 2025, Public Warrant holders may, until such time as there is an effective registration statement and during any period when we will have failed to maintain an effective registration statement, exercise Public Warrants on a "cashless basis" in accordance with Section 3(a)(9) of the Securities Act or another exemption. Notwithstanding the above, if our shares of Class A Common Stock are at the time of any exercise of a Public Warrant not listed on a national securities exchange such that they satisfy the definition of a "covered security" under Section 18(b)(1) of the Securities Act, we may, at our option, require holders of Public Warrants who exercise their Public Warrants to do so on a "cashless basis" in accordance with Section 3(a)(9) of the Securities Act and, in the event we so elect, we will not be required to file or maintain in effect a registration statement, and in the event we do not so elect, we will use our commercially reasonable efforts to register or qualify the shares under applicable blue sky laws to the extent an exemption is not available. In such event, each holder would pay the exercise price by surrendering the warrants for that number of shares of Class A Common Stock equal to the lesser of the quotient obtained by dividing (x) the product of the number of shares of Class A Common Stock underlying the Public Warrants, multiplied by the difference between the "warrant price" (defined below) and the "fair market value" (defined below) by (y) the fair market value, *provided* that no cashless exercise shall be permitted unless the fair market value is equal to or higher than the warrant price. The "fair market value" as used in this paragraph shall mean the average reported last sale price of the Class A Common Stock for the 10 trading days ending on the third trading day prior to the date on which the notice of exercise of the Public Warrant is received by the warrant agent. The "warrant price" as used in this paragraph shall mean the price per share at which the Class A Common Stock may be purchased at the time a Public Warrant is exercised.

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Redemption of Public Warrants when the last sales price of our Class A Common Stock equals or exceeds \$18.00.

We may call the Public Warrants for redemption:

- in whole and not in part;
- at a price of \$0.01 per Public Warrant;
- upon not less than 30 days' prior written notice of redemption (the "30 -day redemption period") to each Public Warrant holder;
- if, and only if, the reported last sale price of the Class A Common Stock equals or exceeds \$18.00 per share (as adjusted for share splits, share capitalizations, reorganizations, recapitalizations and the like) on each of 20 trading days within a 30-trading day period ending on the third trading day before we send to the notice of redemption to the Public Warrant holders; and
- if, and only if, there is a current registration statement in effect with respect to the Class A Common Stock underlying such Public Warrants.

We will not redeem the Public Warrants as described above unless a registration statement under the Securities Act covering the issuance of the Class A Common Stock issuable upon exercise of the Public Warrants is then effective and a current prospectus relating to those shares of Class A Common Stock is available throughout the 30-day redemption period. In the event that we elect to redeem all of the redeemable Public Warrants, we will fix a date for the redemption. Pursuant to the terms of the warrant agreement, notice of redemption will be mailed by first class mail, postage prepaid, by not less than 30 days prior to the redemption date to the registered holders of the redeemable Public Warrants to be redeemed at their last addresses as they appear on the registration books. Any notice mailed in the manner provided in the warrant agreement will be conclusively presumed to have been duly given whether or not the registered holder received such notice.

We have established the last of the redemption criterion discussed above to prevent a redemption call unless there is at the time of the call a significant premium to the Public Warrant exercise price. If the foregoing conditions are satisfied and we issue a notice of redemption of the Public Warrants, each Public Warrant holder will be entitled to exercise his, her or its Public Warrant prior to the scheduled redemption date. However, the price of the Class A Common Stock may fall below the \$18.00 redemption trigger price (as adjusted for share splits, share capitalizations, reorganizations, recapitalizations and the like) as well as the \$11.50 Public Warrant exercise price after the redemption notice is issued.

Redemption Procedures and Cashless Exercise

If we call the Public Warrants for redemption as described above, our management will have the option to require any holder that wishes to exercise his, her or its Public Warrant to do so on a "cashless basis." In determining whether to require all holders to exercise their Public Warrants on a "cashless basis," our management will consider, among other factors, our cash position, the number of Public Warrants that are outstanding and the dilutive effect on our shareholders of issuing the maximum number of Class A Common Stock issuable upon the exercise of our Public Warrants. If our management takes advantage of this option, all holders of Public Warrants would pay the exercise price by surrendering their Public Warrants for that product of the number of Class A Common Stock underlying the Public Warrants equal to the quotient obtained by dividing (x) the product of the number of shares of Class A Common Stock underlying the Public Warrants, multiplied by the difference between the "warrant price" (defined below) and the "fair market value" (defined below) by (y) the "fair market value". The "fair market value" will mean the average reported last sale price of the Class A Common Stock for the 10 trading days ending on the third trading day prior to the date on which the notice of redemption is sent to the holders of Public Warrants. The "warrant price" as used in this paragraph shall mean the price per share at which the Class A Common Stock may be purchased at the time a Public Warrant is exercised. If our management takes advantage of this option, the notice of redemption will contain the information necessary to calculate the number of Class A Common Stock to be received upon exercise of the Public Warrants, including the "fair market value" in such case. Requiring a cashless exercise in this manner will reduce the number of shares to be issued and thereby lessen the dilutive effect of a warrant redemption. We believe this feature is an attractive option to us if we do not need the cash from the exercise of the Public Warrants.

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Anti-dilution Adjustments

If the number of shares of outstanding Class A Common Stock is increased by a share capitalization payable in shares of Class A Common Stock, or by a stock dividend, split-up of shares of Class A Common Stock or other similar event, then, on the effective date of such stock dividend, split-up or similar event, the number of shares of Class A Common Stock issuable on exercise of each Public Warrant will be increased in proportion to such increase in the outstanding Class A Common Stock.

In addition, if we, at any time while the Public Warrants are outstanding and unexpired, pay a dividend or make a distribution in cash, securities or other assets to the holders of Class A Common Stock on account of such Class A Common Stock (or other securities into which the Public Warrants are convertible), other than (i) as described above or (ii) certain ordinary cash dividends.

If the number of outstanding shares of Class A Common Stock is decreased by a consolidation, combination, reverse share split or reclassification of Class A Common Stock or other similar event, then, on the effective date of such consolidation, combination, reverse share split, reclassification or similar event, the number of shares of Class A Common Stock issuable on exercise of each Public Warrant will be decreased in proportion to such decrease in outstanding Class A Common Stock.

Whenever the number of shares of Class A Common Stock purchasable upon the exercise of the Public Warrants is adjusted, as described above, the Public Warrant exercise price will be adjusted by multiplying the Public Warrant exercise price immediately prior to such adjustment by a fraction (x) the numerator of which will be the number of shares of Class A Common Stock purchasable upon the exercise of the Public Warrants immediately prior to such adjustment and (y) the denominator of which will be the number of shares of Class A Common Stock so purchasable immediately thereafter.

In case of any reclassification or reorganization of the outstanding shares of Class A Common Stock (other than those described above or that solely affects the par value of such shares of Class A Common Stock), or in the case of any merger or consolidation of us with or into another corporation (other than a consolidation or merger in which we are the continuing corporation and that does not result in any reclassification or reorganization of our outstanding Class A Common Stock), or in the case of any sale or conveyance to another corporation or entity of the assets or other property of us as an entirety or substantially as an entirety in connection with which we are dissolved, the holders of the Public Warrants will thereafter have the right to purchase and receive, upon the basis and upon the terms and conditions specified in the Public Warrants and in lieu of the shares of Class A Common Stock immediately theretofore purchasable and receivable upon the exercise of the rights represented thereby, the kind and amount of stock or other securities or property (including cash) receivable upon such reclassification, reorganization, merger or consolidation, or upon a dissolution following any such sale or transfer, that the holder of the Public Warrants would have received if such holder had exercised their Public Warrants immediately prior to such event.

The Public Warrants were issued in registered form under a warrant agreement between Continental Stock Transfer & Trust Company, as warrant agent, and us. The warrant agreement provides that the terms of the Public Warrants may be amended without the consent of any holder to cure any ambiguity or correct any defective provision.

The Public Warrants may be exercised upon surrender of the warrant certificate on or prior to the expiration date at the offices of the warrant agent or at the office of its successor as Public Warrant Agent, in the Borough of Manhattan, City and State of New York, with the subscription form, duly executed as indicated, accompanied by full payment of the warrant price for each full share of Class A Common Stock as to which the Public Warrant is exercised and any and all applicable taxes due in connection with the exercise of the Public Warrant. The Public Warrant holders do not have the rights or privileges of holders of Class A Common Stock and any voting rights until they exercise their Public Warrants and receive shares of Class A Common Stock. After the issuance of shares of Class A Common Stock upon exercise of the Public Warrants, each holder will be entitled to one vote for each share held of record on all matters to be voted on by shareholders.

No fractional shares of Class A Common Stock will be issued upon exercise of the Public Warrants. If, upon exercise of the Public Warrants, a holder would be entitled to receive a fractional interest in a share, we will, upon exercise, round down to the nearest whole number the number of shares of Class A Common Stock to be issued to the Public Warrant holder.

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We have agreed that, subject to applicable law, any action, proceeding or claim against us arising out of or relating in any way to the warrant agreement, including under the Securities Act, will be brought and enforced in the courts of the State of New York or the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York, and we irrevocably submit to such jurisdiction, which jurisdiction will be the exclusive forum for any such action, proceeding or claim. See “*Risk Factors — The exclusive forum clause set forth in the warrant agreement governing the Public Warrants may have the effect of limiting an investor’s rights to bring legal action against us and could limit the investor’s ability to obtain a favorable judicial forum for disputes with us.*”

Dividends

We have not declared any dividends, and the Board will consider whether or not to institute a divided policy in the future. The payment of future dividends on the shares of Class A Common Stock will depend on the financial condition of the Company after the completion of the Business Combination subject to the discretion of the Board.

The Company is a holding company with no material assets other than its interest in HoldCo.

Anti-Takeover Effects of the Certificate of Incorporation, the Bylaws and Certain Provisions of Delaware Law

The Certificate of Incorporation, the Bylaws and the DGCL contain provisions, which are summarized in the following paragraphs, which are intended to enhance the likelihood of continuity and stability in the composition of the Board and to discourage certain types of transactions that may involve an actual or threatened acquisition of the Company. These provisions are intended to avoid costly takeover battles, reduce the Company’s vulnerability to a hostile change of control or other unsolicited acquisition proposal, and enhance the ability of the Board to maximize stockholder value in connection with any unsolicited offer to acquire the Company. However, these provisions may have the effect of delaying, deterring or preventing a merger or acquisition of the Company by means of a tender offer, a proxy contest or other takeover attempt that a stockholder might consider in its best interest, including attempts that might result in a premium over the prevailing market price for the shares of Class A Common Stock.

Authorized but Unissued Capital Stock

Delaware law does not require stockholder approval for any issuance of authorized shares. However, the listing requirements of Nasdaq, which would apply if and so long as the Class A Common Stock remains listed on Nasdaq, require stockholder approval of certain issuances equal to or exceeding 20% of the then outstanding voting power or then outstanding number of shares of Class A Common Stock. Additional shares that may be issued in the future may be used for a variety of corporate purposes, including future public offerings, to raise additional capital or to facilitate acquisitions.

The Company will at all times reserve and keep available out of its authorized and unissued shares of Class A Common Stock, solely for the purpose of the issuance in connection with the exchange of Class C HoldCo Units and a corresponding number of shares of Class C Common Stock pursuant to the A&R HoldCo LLC Agreement, the number of shares of Class A Common Stock that are issuable upon exchange of all outstanding Class C HoldCo Units and all outstanding shares of Class C Common Stock pursuant to the A&R HoldCo LLC Agreement.

One of the effects of the existence of unissued and unreserved common stock may be to enable the Board to issue shares to persons friendly to current management, which issuance could render more difficult or discourage an attempt to obtain control of the Company by means of a merger, tender offer, proxy contest or otherwise and thereby protect the continuity of management and possibly deprive stockholders of opportunities to sell their shares of Class A Common Stock at prices higher than prevailing market prices.

Election of Directors and Vacancies

The Certificate of Incorporation provides that the number of directors of the Company shall be five and thereafter, the Board will determine the number of directors who will serve on the Board. The Board is divided into three classes designated as Class I, Class II and Class III. Class I directors serve for a term expiring at the first annual meeting of stockholders following the Closing Date. Class II and Class III directors serve for a term expiring at the second and third annual meeting of stockholders following the Closing Date, respectively. Classes I and II consists of two directors each, and Class III consists of one director. At each succeeding annual meeting of stockholders, directors will be elected for a full term of three years to succeed the directors of the class whose terms expire at such annual

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meeting of the stockholders. There is no limit on the number of terms a director may serve on the Board. In addition, the Certificate of Incorporation provides that any vacancy on the Board, including a vacancy that results from an increase in the number of directors or a vacancy that results from the removal of a director with cause, may be filled only by a majority of the directors then in office.

Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this section, each director will serve until his successor is duly elected and qualified or until his earlier death, resignation, retirement, disqualification or removal. No decrease in the number of directors constituting the Board will shorten the term of any incumbent director.

Corporate Opportunities

The Certificate of Incorporation sets forth provisions to regulate and define the conduct of certain of our affairs with respect to certain classes or categories of business opportunities as they may involve any of Bluescape, the non-employee directors or their respective affiliates and the powers, rights, duties and liabilities of us and our Directors, officers and stockholders in connection therewith.

Written Consent by Stockholders

Under the Certificate of incorporation, subject to the rights of holders of Preferred Stock, any action required or permitted to be taken by our stockholders may be effected (i) at a duly called annual or special meeting of our stockholders or (ii) until such time that we are no longer a "Controlled Company" pursuant to Nasdaq Listing Rule 5615(c)(1) (the "Trigger Event"), by the consent in writing of the holders of a majority of the total voting power of our outstanding shares of capital stock entitled to vote generally in the election of directors, voting together as a single class, in lieu of a duly called annual or special meeting of stockholders.

Special Meeting of Stockholders

The Certificate of Incorporation will, subject to any special rights of the holders of any series of Preferred Stock, and to the requirements of applicable law, special meetings of our stockholders may be called only by the chairperson of the Board, our chief executive officer, at the direction of our Board pursuant to a written resolution adopted by a majority of the total number of directors that we would have if there were no vacancies, or, until the Trigger Event, pursuant to a written resolution adopted by holders of a majority of the total voting power of the outstanding shares of our capital stock entitled to vote generally in the election of directors, voting together as a single class. Any business transacted at any special meeting of stockholders shall be limited to matters relating to the purpose or purposes stated in the notice of meeting.

Business Combinations

The Company has elected not to be governed by Section 203 of the DGCL.

Quorum

The Bylaws provide that at any meeting of the Board a majority of the total number of directors then authorized constitutes a quorum for all purposes. The Bylaws provide that majority of the voting power of the stock outstanding and entitled to vote at the meeting of stockholders, present in person or represented by proxy, shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business; provided, however, that where a separate vote by a class or series or classes or series is required, a majority of the voting power of the stock of such class or series or classes or series outstanding and entitled to vote on that matter, present in person or represented by proxy, shall constitute a quorum entitled to take action with respect to such matter.

No Cumulative Voting

Under Delaware law, the right to vote cumulatively does not exist unless the Certificate of Incorporation expressly authorizes cumulative voting. The Certificate of Incorporation does not authorize cumulative voting.

Requirements for Advance Notification of Stockholder Meetings, Nominations and Proposals

The Bylaws establish advance notice procedures with respect to stockholder proposals and the nomination of candidates for election as directors, other than nominations made by or at the direction of the Company's Board or its committees. For any matter to be "properly brought" before a meeting, a stockholder will have to comply with advance notice requirements and provide the Company with certain information. Generally, to be timely, a stockholder's notice must be received at the Company's principal executive offices not less than 90 days nor more than 120 days prior to the first anniversary date of the immediately preceding annual meeting of stockholders. The Bylaws also specify requirements as to the form and content of a stockholder's notice. The Bylaws allow the presiding officer at a meeting of the stockholders to adopt rules and regulations for the conduct of meetings which may have the effect of precluding the conduct of certain business at a meeting if the rules and regulations are not followed. These provisions may also defer, delay or discourage a potential acquirer from conducting a solicitation of proxies to elect the acquirer's own slate of directors or otherwise attempting to influence or obtain control of the Company.

Approval Provisions

The Certificate of Incorporation and the Bylaws provide that the Board is expressly authorized to adopt, amend or repeal, in whole or in part, the Bylaws without a stockholder vote in any matter not inconsistent with the laws of the State of Delaware or the Certificate of Incorporation. Any amendment, alteration, rescission or repeal of the Bylaws by the Company's stockholders requires the affirmative vote of the holders of at least a majority of the voting power of all the then outstanding shares of the Company's stock entitled to vote thereon, voting together as a single class.

Prior to the Trigger Date, the Certificate of Incorporation provides that members of the Board may be removed for cause by at least two-thirds of the voting power of all of the then outstanding shares of voting stock of the Company entitled to vote at an election of directors.

The DGCL provides generally that the affirmative vote of a majority of the outstanding shares entitled to vote thereon, voting together as a single class, is required to amend a corporation's Certificate of Incorporation, unless the Certificate of Incorporation requires a greater percentage. The Certificate of Incorporation provides that Section 5.2, Section 5.3, Section 6.1, Section 6.2, Article VII, Section 8.2, Article IX and Article XI therein, including the following provisions therein may be altered, amended or repealed only by the affirmative vote of the holders of at least two-thirds in voting power of all the then outstanding shares of the Company's stock entitled to vote thereon, voting together as a single class:

- the provisions regarding filling vacancies on the Board and newly created directorships;
- the provisions regarding resignation and removal of directors;
- the provisions regarding stockholder action by written consent;
- the provisions regarding meetings of stockholders;
- the provisions regarding personal liability of directors and officers and the right to indemnification;
- the provision regarding amending the Bylaws;
- the exclusive forum provisions; and
- the provisions regarding corporate opportunities.

These provisions may have the effect of deterring hostile takeovers or delaying or preventing changes in control of the Company or its management, such as a merger, reorganization or tender offer. These provisions are intended to enhance the likelihood of continued stability in the composition of the Board and its policies and to discourage certain types of transactions that may involve an actual or threatened acquisition of the Company. These provisions are designed to reduce the Company's vulnerability to an unsolicited acquisition proposal. The provisions are also intended to discourage certain tactics that may be used in proxy fights. However, such provisions could have the effect of discouraging others from making tender offers for the Company's shares and, as a consequence, may inhibit fluctuations in the market price of the Company's shares that could result from actual or rumored takeover attempts. Such provisions may also have the effect of preventing changes in management.

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Exclusive Forum

The Certificate of Incorporation provides that, unless the Company consents in writing to the selection of an alternative forum, (a) the Court of Chancery of the State of Delaware shall, to the fullest extent permitted by applicable law, be the sole and exclusive forum for (i) any derivative action or proceeding brought on behalf of the Company, (ii) any action asserting a claim of breach of a fiduciary duty owed by, or other wrongdoing by, any current or former director, officer, employee or agent of the Company to the Company or the Company's stockholders, or a claim of aiding and abetting any such breach of fiduciary duty, (iii) any action asserting a claim against the Company or any current or former director, officer, other employee or agent of the Company arising pursuant to any provision of the DGCL, the Certificate of Incorporation (as it may be amended or restated) or the Bylaws, (iv) any action to interpret, apply, enforce or determine the validity of the Certificate of Incorporation or Bylaws, or (v) any action asserting a claim against the Company or any current or former director, officer, employee or agent of the Company governed by the internal affairs doctrine or (vi) any action asserting an "internal corporate claim" as that term is defined in Section 115 of the DGCL, and (b) the federal district courts of the United States of America shall, to the fullest extent permitted by applicable law, be the sole and exclusive forum for the resolution of any complaint asserting a cause of action arising under the Securities Act and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder. Notwithstanding the foregoing, these exclusive forum provisions shall not apply to claims seeking to enforce any liability or duty created by the Exchange Act or any other claim for which the U.S. federal courts have exclusive jurisdiction. Any person purchasing or otherwise acquiring any interest in any shares of the Company's capital stock shall be deemed to have notice of and to have consented to the forum provisions in the Bylaws. If any action the subject matter of which is within the scope of the forum provisions is filed in a court other than a court located within the State of Delaware (a "foreign action") in the name of any stockholder, such stockholder shall be deemed to have consented to: (a) the personal jurisdiction of the state and federal courts located within the State of Delaware in connection with any action brought in any such court to enforce the forum provisions (an "enforcement action"); and (b) having service of process made upon such stockholder in any such enforcement action by service upon such stockholder's counsel in the foreign action as agent for such stockholder. However, it is possible that a court could find the Company's forum selection provisions to be inapplicable or unenforceable. Although the Company believes this provision benefits it by providing increased consistency in the application of Delaware law in the types of lawsuits to which it applies, the provision may have the effect of discouraging lawsuits against the Company's directors, officers and other employees.

Limitations on Liability and Indemnification of Officers and Directors

The DGCL authorizes corporations to limit or eliminate the personal liability of directors to corporations and their stockholders for monetary damages for breaches of directors' fiduciary duties, subject to certain exceptions. The Certificate of Incorporation will include a provision that eliminates, to the fullest extent permitted by law, the personal liability of directors for monetary damages for any breach of fiduciary duty as a director. The effect of these provisions is to eliminate the rights of a company and its stockholders, through stockholders' derivative suits on a company's behalf, to recover monetary damages from a director for breach of fiduciary duty as a director, including breaches resulting from grossly negligent behavior. However, exculpation does not apply to any director if the director has acted in bad faith, knowingly or intentionally violated the law, authorized illegal dividends or redemptions or derived an improper benefit from his or her actions as a director.

The Certificate of Incorporation provides that the Company must indemnify and advance expenses to directors and officers to the fullest extent permitted by Delaware law. The Company is also expressly authorized to carry directors' and officers' liability insurance providing indemnification for directors, officers and certain employees for some liabilities. The Company believes that these indemnification and advancement provisions and insurance are useful to attract and retain qualified directors and executive officers.

The limitation of liability, indemnification and advancement provisions in the Certificate of Incorporation may discourage stockholders from bringing a lawsuit against directors for breach of their fiduciary duty. These provisions also may have the effect of reducing the likelihood of derivative litigation against directors and officers, even though such an action, if successful, might otherwise benefit the Company and its stockholders. In addition, your investment may be adversely affected to the extent the Company pays the costs of settlement and damage awards against directors and officers pursuant to these indemnification provisions. The Company believes that these provisions, liability insurance and the indemnity agreements are necessary to attract and retain talented and experienced directors and officers.

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Insofar as indemnification for liabilities arising under the Securities Act may be permitted to the Company's directors, officers and controlling persons pursuant to the foregoing provisions, or otherwise, the Company has been advised that in the opinion of the SEC such indemnification is against public policy as expressed in the Securities Act and is, therefore, unenforceable.

A&R Registration Rights Agreement

On the Closing Date, the Registration Rights Agreement was amended and restated by the Registration Rights Holders. Pursuant to the A&R Registration Rights Agreement, by February 11, 2025, the Company shall use its commercially reasonable efforts to file with the SEC (at the Company's sole cost and expense) a registration statement registering the resale of certain securities held by or issuable to the Registration Rights Holders (the "Resale Registration Statement"), and the Company will use its commercially reasonable efforts to have the Resale Registration Statement declared effective as soon as reasonably practicable after the filing thereof. In certain circumstances, the Registration Rights Holders can demand the Company's assistance with underwritten offerings and block trades, and the Registration Rights Holders are entitled to certain piggyback registration rights. The A&R Registration Rights Agreement does not provide for the payment of any cash penalties by the Company if it fails to satisfy any of its obligations under the A&R Registration Rights Agreement.

Transfer Agent and Warrant Agent

The transfer agent for Common Stock is Continental Stock Transfer & Trust Company.

Listing

Our shares of Class A Common Stock and Public Warrants are listed on The Nasdaq Stock Market LLC under the symbols "ANNA" and "ANNAW," respectively.

SECURITIES ACT RESTRICTIONS ON RESALE OF SECURITIES

Shares Eligible for Future Sale

Future sales of our Class A Common Stock in the public market, or the availability of such shares for sale in the public market, could adversely affect market prices of our Class A Common Stock prevailing from time to time. Sales of our Class A Common Stock in the public market, or the perception that those sales may occur, could adversely affect the prevailing market price at such time and our ability to raise equity capital in the future. The registration statement of which this prospectus forms a part registers up to 11,250,000 shares of Class A Common Stock constituting approximately 14.5% of our total outstanding Class A Common Stock on a fully diluted basis (assuming the issuance of all shares of Class A Common Stock issuable upon exercise of the Public Warrants and upon exchange of all outstanding Class C HoldCo Units and Class C Common Stock).

Rule 144

Pursuant to Rule 144, a person who has beneficially owned restricted shares of our Class A Common Stock or Public Warrants for at least six months would be entitled to sell their securities provided that (i) such person is not deemed to have been one of our affiliates at the time of, or at any time during the three months preceding, a sale and (ii) we are subject to the Exchange Act periodic reporting requirements for at least three months before the sale and have filed all required reports under Section 13 or 15(d) of the Exchange Act during the 12 months (or such shorter period as we were required to file reports) preceding the sale.

Persons who have beneficially owned restricted shares of our Class A Common Stock or Public Warrants for at least six months but who are our affiliates at the time of, or at any time during the three months preceding, a sale, would be subject to additional restrictions, by which such person would be entitled to sell within any three-month period only a number of securities that does not exceed the greater of:

- 1% of the total number of shares of such securities then outstanding; or
- the average weekly reported trading volume of such securities during the four calendar weeks preceding the filing of a notice on Form 144 with respect to the sale.
- Sales by our affiliates under Rule 144 are also limited by manner of sale provisions and notice requirements and to the availability of current public information about us.

Restrictions on the Use of Rule 144 by Shell Companies or Former Shell Companies

Rule 144 is not available for the resale of securities initially issued by shell companies (other than business combination related shell companies) or issuers that have been at any time previously a shell company. However, Rule 144 also includes an important exception to this prohibition if the following conditions are met:

- the issuer of the securities that was formerly a shell company has ceased to be a shell company;
- the issuer of the securities is subject to the reporting requirements of Section 13 or 15(d) of the Exchange Act;
- the issuer of the securities has filed all Exchange Act reports and materials required to be filed, as applicable, during the preceding 12 months (or such shorter period that the issuer was required to file such reports and materials), other than Current Reports on Form 8-K; and
- at least one year has elapsed from the time that the issuer filed current Form 10 type information with the SEC reflecting its status as an entity that is not a shell company.

While we were formed as a shell company, since the completion of the Business Combination, we are no longer a shell company, and so, once the conditions set forth in the exceptions listed above are satisfied, Rule 144 will become available for the resale of the above noted restricted securities.

Lock-up Restrictions

Concurrently with the execution of the Merger Agreement, Swiftmerge, AleAnna Energy and the Sponsor Related Parties entered into the A&R Sponsor Letter Agreement pursuant to which each Sponsor Related Party agreed to, until December 13, 2025, a customary restriction on the sale or transfer of such Sponsor Related Party's shares of Class A Common Stock. Notwithstanding the lock-up provisions of the A&R Sponsor Letter Agreement, the Sponsor Related Parties may transfer shares of Class A Common Stock to (i) any of Swiftmerge's officers or directors, any affiliate or family member of any of Swiftmerge's officers or directors or any members of the Sponsor or any affiliates of the Sponsor; (ii) in the case of an individual, by gift to a member of such individual's immediate family or to a trust, the beneficiary of which is a member of such individual's immediate family, an affiliate of such individual or to a charitable organization; (iii) in the case of an individual, by virtue of laws of descent and distribution upon death of such individual; (iv) in the case of an individual, pursuant to a qualified domestic relations order; (v) by virtue of the laws of the State of Delaware or the Sponsor's limited liability company agreement upon dissolution of the Sponsor; or (vi) in the event of Swiftmerge's liquidation, merger, capital stock exchange, reorganization or other similar transaction which results in all of Swiftmerge's shareholders having the right to exchange their shares of Swiftmerge Ordinary Shares or Closing Shares (as defined therein) for cash, securities or other property subsequent to Swiftmerge's completion of the Transactions. Additionally, the lock-up provisions of the A&R Sponsor Letter Agreement may be waived with the consent of Swiftmerge and AleAnna.

Additionally, concurrently with the execution of the Merger Agreement, Swiftmerge and Sponsor entered into the Investor Letter Agreements, pursuant to which each investor party thereto agreed to, among other things, be bound by a customary restriction on the sale or transfer of such investor's shares of Class A Common Stock on the same terms and conditions provided for in the Sponsor Letter Agreement.

PLAN OF DISTRIBUTION

This prospectus relates to the issuance by us of up to 11,250,000 shares of Class A Common Stock issuable upon the exercise of an aggregate of 11,250,000 Public Warrants, each of which is exercisable at a price of \$11.50 per share.

We will receive up to an aggregate of approximately \$129.4 million assuming the exercise in full of all of the Public Warrants for cash. The likelihood that holders of Public Warrants will exercise their Public Warrants and any cash proceeds that we would receive is dependent upon the market price of our Class A Common Stock. If the market price for our Class A Common Stock is less than \$11.50 per share, we believe holders of our Public Warrants will be unlikely to exercise their Public Warrants. We will not pay any brokers' or underwriters' discounts and commissions in connection with the registration and sale of the Class A Common Stock covered by this prospectus.

We intend to keep the registration statement of which this prospectus forms a part effective until the earlier of the issuance of all shares of Class A Common Stock pursuant to this prospectus and the expiration of the Public Warrants.

We will bear all costs, fees and expenses incurred in effecting the registration of such securities covered by this prospectus, including, without limitation, all registration and filing fees, Nasdaq listing fees, and fees of our counsel and our independent registered public accountants.

Our Class A Common Stock and Public Warrants are currently listed on the Nasdaq under the symbols "ANNA" and "ANNAW".

LEGAL MATTERS

The validity of the securities offered hereby will be passed upon for us by Haynes and Boone, LLP, Dallas, Texas.

CHANGE IN ACCOUNTANTS

On December 13, 2024 the Audit Committee approved the dismissal of Marcum LLP ("Marcum") as our independent registered public accounting firm, effective December 13, 2024 (the "Auditor Change Effective Date").

Marcum's report on Swiftmerge's financial statements as of December 31, 2023 and as of December 31, 2022 and the related statements of operations, changes in stockholders' deficit and cash flows for the years ended December 31, 2023 and 2022 did not contain any adverse opinion or disclaimer of opinion, nor were they qualified or modified as to uncertainty, audit scope or accounting principles, other than included an explanatory paragraph as to Swiftmerge's ability to continue as a going concern.

During the years ended December 31, 2023 and 2022 and the subsequent period through December 13, 2024, there were no "disagreements" (as that term is described in Item 304(a)(1)(iv) of Regulation S-K under the Exchange Act, and the related instructions to Item 304 of Regulation S -K under the Exchange Act) with Marcum on any matter of accounting principles or practices, financial statement disclosures or audited scope or procedures, which disagreements if not resolved to Marcum's satisfaction would have caused Marcum to make reference to the subject matter of the disagreement in connection with its report. During the years ended December 31, 2023 and 2022 and the subsequent period through December 13, 2024, there have been no "reportable events" (as defined in Item 304(a)(1)(v) of Regulation S-K under the Exchange Act), other than the material weakness in internal controls identified by management related to the lack of ability to account for complex financial instruments. In addition, as part of such process, Swiftmerge identified a material weakness in internal control related to Swiftmerge's review controls over the recording of an unbilled amount due to a third-party service provider and interest income, which affected the year ended December 31, 2023.

We have provided Marcum with a copy of the foregoing disclosures and requested that Marcum furnish us with a letter addressed to the SEC stating whether it agrees with the above statements and, if not, stating the respects in which it does not agree. A copy of the letter from Marcum dated December 18, 2024 is filed as Exhibit 16.1 to the registration statement of which this prospectus forms a part.

On December 13, 2024, the Board approved the engagement of Deloitte & Touche LLP ("Deloitte") as its independent registered public accounting firm, effective upon the Auditor Change Effective Date. Deloitte previously served as the independent registered public accounting firm of AleAnna Energy prior to the Business Combination. During the years ended December 31, 2023 and 2022 and the subsequent period through December 13, 2024, neither the Company, nor anyone on the Company's behalf consulted with Deloitte, on behalf of the Company, regarding the application of accounting principles to a specified transaction (either completed or proposed), the type of audit opinion that might be rendered on the Company's financial statements, or any matter that was either the subject of a "disagreement," as defined in Item 304(a)(1)(iv) of Regulation S-K, or a "reportable event," as defined in Item 304(a)(1)(v) of Regulation S-K.

EXPERTS

The financial statements of AleAnna Energy, LLC as of December 31, 2023 and 2022, and for each of the two years in the period ended December 31, 2023, included in this prospectus, have been audited by Deloitte & Touche LLP, an independent registered public accounting firm, as stated in their report. Such financial statements are included in reliance upon the report of such firm given their authority as experts in accounting and auditing.

The financial statements of Swiftmerge Acquisition Corp. as of December 31, 2023 and 2022 and for the years then ended appearing in this prospectus have been audited by Marcum LLP, an independent registered public accounting firm, as set forth in their report (which includes an explanatory paragraph relating to Swiftmerge Acquisition Corp.'s ability to continue as a going concern), thereon, appearing elsewhere in this prospectus, and are included in reliance upon the report of such firm given upon their authority as experts in accounting and auditing.

Approximately 100% of the estimates of AleAnna's reserves and related future net cash flows related to its properties as of December 31, 2023, included herein and elsewhere in the registration statement were based upon a reserve report prepared by independent petroleum engineers, DeGolyer and MacNaughton. We have included these estimates in reliance on the authority of such firm as an expert in such matters.

WHERE YOU CAN FIND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

We have filed with the SEC a Registration Statement on Form S-1 under the Securities Act with respect to the securities offered hereby. This prospectus, which constitutes part of the Registration Statement, does not contain all of the information set forth in the Registration Statement and the exhibits and schedules thereto. For further information with respect to the Company and its securities, reference is made to the Registration Statement and the exhibits and any schedules filed therewith. Statements contained in this prospectus as to the contents of any contract or any other document referred to are not necessarily complete, and in each instance, we refer you to the copy of the contract or other document filed as an exhibit to this Registration Statement. Each of these statements is qualified in all respects by this reference.

You can read our SEC filings, including the Registration Statement, over the internet at the SEC's website at www.sec.gov. We are subject to the information reporting requirements of the Exchange Act, and we are required to file reports, proxy statements and other information with the SEC. These reports, proxy statements, and other information are available for inspection and copying at the SEC's website referred to above. We also maintain a website at www.aleannainc.com, at which you may access these materials free of charge as soon as reasonably practicable after they are electronically filed with, or furnished to, the SEC. Information contained on or accessible through our website is not a part of this prospectus, and the inclusion of our website address in this prospectus is an inactive textual reference only.

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ALEANNA ENERGY, LLC
CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED INTERIM BALANCE SHEETS (UNAUDITED)

	September 30, 2024	December 31, 2023
ASSETS		
Current Assets:		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 43,370,175	\$ 6,759,265
Prepaid expenses and other assets	2,760,106	27,485
Total Current Assets	<u>46,130,281</u>	<u>6,786,750</u>
Non-current assets:		
Natural gas and other properties, successful efforts method	30,912,739	21,531,101
Renewable natural gas properties (net of accumulated depreciation of \$51,311)	9,525,352	—
Value-added tax refund receivable	5,858,639	4,425,353
Operating lease right-of-use assets	1,842,659	—
Total Non-current Assets	<u>48,139,389</u>	<u>25,956,454</u>
Total Assets	<u>\$ 94,269,670</u>	<u>\$ 32,743,204</u>
LIABILITIES AND MEMBERS' EQUITY		
Current Liabilities:		
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	1,772,612	\$ 1,053,819
Related party payables	—	525,276
Lease liability, short-term	166,293	—
Contingent consideration liability, short-term	14,572,288	14,888,021
Derivative liability, at fair value	—	173,177
Total Current Liabilities	<u>16,511,193</u>	<u>16,640,293</u>
Non-current Liabilities:		
Asset retirement obligation	4,342,611	4,242,680
Lease liability, long-term	1,748,995	—
Contingent consideration liability, long-term	<u>12,215,323</u>	<u>11,594,661</u>
Total Non-current Liabilities	<u>18,306,929</u>	<u>15,837,341</u>
Total Liabilities	<u>34,818,122</u>	<u>32,477,634</u>
Commitments and Contingencies (Note 6)		
Temporary Equity:		
Class 1 Preferred Units, no par value, 105,711 and 43,611 shares authorized, issued and outstanding; liquidation preference of \$369,987,776 and \$152,637,776 as of September 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, respectively	369,987,776	152,464,599
Amounts due from members for capital contributions	—	—
Members' Equity:		
Common Member Units, no par value, 266,503 shares authorized, issued and outstanding as of September 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, respectively	—	—
Amounts due from members for capital contributions	—	—
Additional paid-in capital	—	—
Accumulated other comprehensive loss	(4,962,129)	(4,943,143)
Accumulated deficit	(306,000,508)	(147,255,886)
Noncontrolling interest	426,409	—
Total Members' Equity	<u>(310,536,228)</u>	<u>(152,199,029)</u>
Total Liabilities, Temporary Equity and Members' Equity	<u>\$ 94,269,670</u>	<u>\$ 32,743,204</u>

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ALEANNA ENERGY, LLC
CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED INTERIM STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS (UNAUDITED)

	Nine months ended September 30,	
	2024	2023
Revenues	\$ 648,328	\$ —
Operating Expenses:		
Cost of revenues	\$ 538,607	\$ —
General and administrative	4,473,833	3,239,559
Depreciation	51,311	—
Accretion of asset retirement obligation	99,930	33,311
Increase (decrease) in contingent consideration liability	304,929	(244,526)
Total Operating Expenses	5,468,610	3,028,344
Operating loss	(4,820,282)	(3,028,344)
Other Income (Expense):		
Interest and other income	1,325,660	1,029
Change in fair value of derivative liability	173,177	430,819
Total Other Income (Expense)	1,498,837	431,848
Net loss	\$ (3,321,445)	\$ (2,596,496)
Deemed dividend to Class 1 Preferred Units redemption value	(155,423,177)	(52,941,150)
Net loss attributable to holders of Common Member Units	(158,744,622)	(55,537,646)
Other Comprehensive Income (Loss)		
Currency translation adjustment	(18,986)	(145,271)
Comprehensive Loss	\$ (3,340,431)	\$ (2,741,767)
Weighted average Common Member Units outstanding	266,503	266,503
Net loss per Common Member Unit	\$ (595.66)	\$ (208.39)

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ALEANNA ENERGY, LLC
CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED INTERIM STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN MEMBERS' EQUITY
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Temporary Equity			Members' Equity						
	Class 1 Preferred Units	Amount	Common Units	Additional Paid-in Capital	Accumulated Deficit	Other Comprehensive Loss	AleAnna Members' Equity	Noncontrolling Interest	Total Members' Equity
Balance, December 31, 2023	43,611	152,464,599	266,503	—	— (147,255,886)	(4,943,143)	(152,199,029)	—	(152,199,029)
Shares issued	62,100	62,100,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deemed dividend to redemption value	—	155,423,177	—	—	— (155,423,177)	—	— (155,423,177)	—	(155,423,177)
Foreign currency translation	—	—	—	—	—	(18,986)	(18,986)	—	(18,986)
Net loss	—	—	—	—	— (3,321,445)	—	— (3,321,445)	—	(3,321,445)
Noncontrolling interest acquired	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	426,409	426,409
Balance, September 30, 2024	105,711	369,987,776	266,503	—	— (306,000,508)	(4,962,129)	(310,962,637)	426,409	(310,536,228)

Temporary Equity			Members' Equity						
	Class 1 Preferred Units	Amount	Common Units	Additional Paid-in Capital	Accumulated Deficit	Other Comprehensive Loss	AleAnna Members' Equity	Noncontrolling Interest	Total Members' Equity
Balance, December 31, 2022	22,606	78,241,267	266,503	—	13,173,784	(101,183,390)	(5,078,841)	(93,088,447)	—
Shares issued	21,004	21,004,132	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Deemed dividend to redemption value	—	52,941,150	—	— (13,173,784)	(39,767,366)	—	—	— (52,941,150)	—
Foreign currency translation	—	—	—	—	—	—	(145,271)	(145,271)	—
Net loss	—	—	—	—	— (2,596,496)	—	—	— (2,596,496)	—
Balance, September 30, 2023	43,610	152,186,549	266,503	—	— (143,547,252)	(5,224,112)	(148,771,364)	—	—

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ALEANNA ENERGY, LLC
CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED INTERIM STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (UNAUDITED)

	Nine Months Ended September 30,	
	2024	2023
Cash flows from operating activities:		
Net loss	\$ (3,321,445)	\$ (2,596,496)
Adjustments to reconcile net loss to net cash used in operating activities:		
Depreciation expense	51,311	—
Accretion of and additions to asset retirement obligation	99,930	100,280
Change in fair value of contingent consideration	304,929	(244,526)
Change in fair value of derivative liability	(173,177)	(430,819)
Non-cash operating lease expense	39,615	—
Changes in working capital items:		
Prepaid expenses and other assets	(2,714,546)	(12,894)
Value-added tax refund receivable	(1,433,286)	(1,383,637)
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	718,793	249,273
Related party payables	(525,276)	—
Change in operating lease liability	33,014	—
Net cash used in operating activities	(6,920,138)	(4,318,819)
Cash flows from investing activities		
Additions to renewable natural gas properties	(9,168,328)	—
Additions to conventional natural gas properties	(9,381,638)	(7,922,616)
Net cash used in investing activities	(18,549,966)	(7,922,616)
Cash flows from financing activities		
Units issued for cash	62,100,000	21,004,132
Net cash provided by financing activities	62,100,000	21,004,132
Effect of foreign currency translation on cash	(18,986)	(145,271)
Change in cash during the year	36,610,910	8,617,426
Cash, beginning of year	6,759,265	293,679
Cash, end of year	\$ 43,370,175	\$ 8,911,105
Noncash investing and financing activities		
Deemed dividend to Class 1 Preferred Units redemption value (see Note 7)	\$ 155,423,177	\$ 52,941,150
Supplemental disclosures		
Noncash recognition of new land lease (see Note 4)	\$ 1,882,274	\$ —
Additions to natural gas properties included in accounts payable	\$ —	\$ 116,785

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NOTE 1 — NATURE OF OPERATIONS AND RECENT EVENTS

AleAnna Energy, LLC (the "Company" or "AleAnna"), a Delaware Limited Liability Company, was formed on July 13, 2007. AleAnna Energy, LLC is comprised of wholly owned subsidiaries AleAnna Resources, LLC, AleAnna Italia S.p.A. and AleAnna Renewable Energy S.r.L. The Company is majority-owned by its immediate parent, Nautilus Resources, LLC ("Nautilus"), with the remainder owned by a minority shareholder, BRS Resources Limited.

Conventional Natural Gas

AleAnna is a natural gas resource company focused on delivering critical natural gas supplies to Europe through both onshore conventional natural gas exploration and renewable natural gas development in Italy. AleAnna has several successful conventional natural gas discoveries including its primary discovery, the Longanesi field, located in the Po Valley in Northern Italy, which is one of Italy's largest modern gas discoveries. AleAnna retains a 33.5% working interest in the Longanesi field with its working interest partner, and operator, Societa Padana Energia ("Padana") representing the other 66.5% working interest. AleAnna acquired its working interest in the Longanesi field through a 2016 transaction, accounted for as an asset acquisition. AleAnna also retains wholly owned concessions, permits, and pending applications on other exploration and development prospects across Italy which are supported by proprietary modern 3D seismic reservoir imaging. In 2021, AleAnna also launched a renewable natural gas ("RNG") development business focused on bringing to market carbon negative renewable natural gas derived from animal and agricultural waste.

Planned principal operations have not yet commenced. As of September 30, 2024, the Company had not derived revenue from its principal business activities. AleAnna's primary activities currently involve the drilling and testing of three Longanesi development wells together with its working interest partner Padana. Following tie-in of these wells and the installation of a temporary processing facility over the course of 2024, AleAnna and Padana expect to achieve first production of the five wells in the Longanesi field in the first quarter of 2025 through use of a temporary processing skid. The permanent processing facility is expected to be constructed over the course of 2025 and commissioned in the first half of 2026.

Renewable Natural Gas ("RNG")

Between March 2024 and July 2024, the Company successfully completed three separate strategic acquisitions of renewable natural gas ("RNG") assets in Italy for an aggregate €9,087,882, or approximately \$9,829,034. The plant assets are fully permitted and are in various stages of the production lifecycle, with one greenfield plant asset that is a new development and two brownfield plant assets that are currently operational. The Company plans to develop and upgrade these assets for RNG production in the future.

Campagnatico Asset Acquisition

On March 20, 2024, the Company closed the acquisition of the Campagnatico Greenfield ("Campagnatico") natural gas asset in Tuscany, Italy for €2,000,000, or approximately \$2,187,340. The greenfield site is fully permitted for future construction of a RNG plant asset.

Casalino and Campopiano Asset Acquisitions

On July 8, 2024, the Company closed the acquisition of the Società Agricola Fattoria delle Jersey S.S. plant asset ("Casalino") for €3,442,882 or approximately \$3,688,910. On July 29, 2024, the Company closed the acquisition of a 90% interest in the Società Agricola Campopiano Società in nome collettivo di Vasellini Amedeo ("Compapiano") plant asset for €3,645,000 or \$3,952,784. The plant assets are fully permitted for production of electricity through conversion of crop and animal waste bio feedstocks. The plant assets currently convert biomethane to electricity for sale. It is the company's intention to begin upgrading the sites to refine biomethane into renewable natural gas through upgrading units. Following the upgrade process to transition the assets to biomethane to renewable natural gas conversion, the Company expects to sell renewable natural gas to customer(s) by trucking or piping the renewable natural gas to the interstate pipeline system (SNAM). Until the plant assets are upgraded, the Company will actively source bio feedstocks for the assets in order to produce biomethane which will be processed through reciprocating

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NOTE 1 — NATURE OF OPERATIONS AND RECENT EVENTS (cont.)

generators in order to generate electricity which is then sold onto the grid through a metered interconnection. Casalino and Campopiano derive revenues from the sale of such electricity to the local state-owned electrical utility (Gestore dei Servizi Energetici SpA or "GSE") responsible for the purchase and marketing of energy produced by small-scale renewable energy assets. Energy generation revenue is recognized as the electricity generated by the Casalino and Campopiano assets is delivered to GSE. Revenues are based on actual output and a non-company specific predetermined price for small renewable energy producers of €280/MWh (D.M. 18/12/2008).

The Company has a 90% direct controlling interest in the Campopiano asset, while unaffiliated owners retain a 10% economic interest in the asset. The unaffiliated outside ownership in Campopiano is shown as noncontrolling interests ("NCI") in members' equity in the Company's consolidated financial statements. The net income attributable to non-controlling interest for the period from July 29, 2024 through September 30, 2024 was not significant and therefore not reflected separately in the unaudited condensed consolidated interim statements of operations.

Business Combination

On June 4, 2024, the Company entered into a Business Combination Agreement with a Nasdaq publicly traded special purpose acquisition company (as it may be amended, supplemented or otherwise modified from time to time, the "Business Combination Agreement" and the transactions contemplated thereby, collectively, the "Business Combination"). The Business Combination is expected to be completed in the second half of 2024, subject to stockholder approval and other customary closing conditions. Upon the closing of the transaction, subject to approval from the Securities and Exchange Commission, the combined company will be named AleAnna and is expected to be publicly listed on the Nasdaq stock exchange. During 2024, the company has incurred approximately \$1.4 million in deferred transaction costs related to this transaction that are recorded in prepaid expenses and other assets as of September 30, 2024. The Company expects to reclassify these costs to additional paid-in capital in the period the Business Combination closes to the extent cash proceeds received in the transaction exceed transaction costs. To the extent transaction costs exceed the amount of cash proceeds, such amounts will be expensed.

Member Contributions

In the first nine months of 2024, AleAnna received \$62.1 million in capital contributions from its members, resulting in the issuance of 62,100 Class 1 Preferred Units. These funds will be used to fund the Longanesi gas pipeline and plant activity obligations, as well as general and administrative expenses of AleAnna and its subsidiaries.

Basis of Presentation

The unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements included in this prospectus were prepared on the same basis as the audited consolidated financial statements and, in the opinion of management, reflect all adjustments (all of which are considered of a normal recurring nature) considered necessary to present fairly the Company's financial position, results of operations and cash flows for the periods and dates presented. The results of operations for the nine months ended September 30, 2024 are not necessarily indicative of the results that may be expected for the year ending December 31, 2024.

These unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements and notes should be read in conjunction with the Company's audited consolidated financial statements and related notes included elsewhere in this proxy.

The accompanying condensed consolidated interim financial statements have been prepared by the Company without audit. The unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements include the accounts of AleAnna Energy, LLC and wholly owned subsidiaries. All intercompany balances and transactions have been eliminated in consolidation. Certain information and footnote disclosures normally included in consolidated financial statements prepared in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles ("GAAP") have been condensed or omitted pursuant to such rules and regulations. The information as of December 31, 2023 included in the unaudited condensed consolidated balance sheets was derived from the Company's audited consolidated financial statements.

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NOTE 2 — SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The Company's significant accounting policies as of September 30, 2024 are consistent with those included in the audited consolidated financial statements as of and for the years ended December 31, 2023 and 2022, other than the following new policies applicable as of September 30, 2024.

Revenue Recognition — The Company follows the guidance of the Financial Accounting Standards Board ("FASB") Accounting Standards Codification 606, Revenue from Contracts with Customers ("ASC 606"). The core principle underlying revenue recognition under ASC 606 is that revenue should be recognized as goods or services are transferred to customers in an amount that reflects the consideration to which the Company expects to be entitled. ASC 606 defines a five-step process to achieve recognition and mandates additional disclosure about the nature, amount, timing and uncertainty of revenues and cash flows arising from customer contracts, including significant judgments, and changes in judgments and assets recognized from costs incurred to obtain or fulfill a contract.

Renewable Natural Gas ("RNG") — As of September 30, 2024, the Company primarily earns revenue through electricity generation revenue from the conversion of bio feedstocks to biomethane which is then converted to electricity through reciprocating generators. Such electricity is then delivered onto the grid through a metered interconnection and sold to the local state-owned electrical utility responsible for the purchase and marketing of energy produced by small-scale renewable energy assets. Upon delivery of the electricity to the grid, all performance obligations have been satisfied and energy generation revenue is recognized based on actual output and non-company specific predetermined prices for small renewable energy producers of €280/MWh (D.M. 18/12/2008).

Revenue is recognized over time as the Company transfers the electricity to the grid at a metered interconnection. The customer obtains control of the product upon delivery onto the electrical grid. The Company generally has a single performance obligation in its arrangements with its customers. The Company has no long-term contracts containing quantity or electricity volume production requirements and there is no variable consideration present in the Company's performance obligations. Per ASC 606-10-25-27(a), delivery of units of power that are simultaneously received and consumed by the customer would satisfy the criteria in to be accounted for as a performance obligation satisfied over time and the same method would be used to measure the entity's progress towards complete satisfaction of the performance obligation to transfer each distinct unit of power in the series to the customer. The Company's performance obligation related to the sales of electricity are satisfied over time upon delivery to the customer. Revenue is measured as the amount of consideration the Company expects to receive in exchange for transferring its products. The Company applies a practical expedient in FASB ASC 606-10-55-18 applicable to its sales by assessing whether the Company's right to consideration corresponds directly with the value to the Company's customer (the "invoice practical expedient"). The Company concluded that pricing that corresponds to the value provided to the customer. Consideration for each transaction is based upon non-company specific predetermined prices for small renewable energy producers of €280/MWh (D.M. 18/12/2008). Payment terms are typically between two months after the invoice date and there are no return or refund rights.

During the nine months ended September 30, 2024, all revenue was derived from a single source (sales of electricity) and a single customer (the local state-owned electrical utility). Additionally, as of September 30, 2024, the Company had \$648,328 of revenue receivable related to electricity sales that was recorded in prepaid expenses and other assets as of September 30, 2024.

Business Combinations and Asset Acquisitions — We evaluate whether a transaction meets the definition of a business. We first apply a screen test to determine if substantially all of the fair value of the gross assets acquired is concentrated in a single identifiable asset or group of similar identifiable assets. If the screen test is met, the transaction is accounted for as an asset acquisition. If the screen test is not met, we further consider whether the set of assets acquired have, at a minimum, inputs and processes that have the ability to create outputs in the form of revenue. If the assets acquired meet this criteria, the transaction is accounted for as a business combination.

Acquisitions that qualify as an asset acquisition are accounted for using a cost accumulation model where the purchase price of the acquisition is allocated to the assets acquired on a relative fair value basis on the date of acquisition. We generally account for acquisitions of RNG assets as asset acquisitions. Inputs used to determine such

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NOTE 2 — SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (cont.)

fair values are primarily based upon internally -developed estimates, estimates developed by third -party valuation firms, and publicly-available data regarding RNG asset transactions consummated by other buyers and sellers, as applicable. These fair values are considered Level 3 assets in the fair value hierarchy. Any associated acquisition costs are generally capitalized.

Acquisitions that qualify as a business combination are accounted for using the acquisition method of accounting. The fair value of consideration transferred for an acquisition is allocated to the assets acquired and liabilities assumed based on their fair value on a nonrecurring basis on the acquisition date and are subject to fair value adjustments under certain circumstances. The excess of the consideration transferred over the fair value of assets acquired and liabilities assumed is recorded as goodwill. Conversely, in the event the fair value of assets acquired and liabilities assumed is greater than the consideration transferred, a bargain purchase gain is recognized.

Determining the fair value of assets acquired and liabilities assumed requires judgment and often involves the use of significant estimates and assumptions as fair values are not always readily determinable. Different techniques may be used to determine fair values, including market prices (where available), comparisons to transactions for similar assets and liabilities and the discounted net present value of estimated future cash flows, among others. We engage third-party valuation firms when appropriate to assist in the fair value determination of assets acquired and liabilities assumed. Acquisition-related expenses and transaction costs associated with business combinations are expensed as incurred. We may adjust the amounts recognized in an acquisition during a measurement period not to exceed one year from the date of acquisition, as a result of subsequently obtaining additional information that existed at the acquisition date.

Where applicable, asset acquisitions may be owned together with unaffiliated outside parties. In acquisitions where the Company has majority direct controlling interest, the unaffiliated outside ownership is shown as noncontrolling interests ("NCI") in members' equity in the Company's consolidated financial statements.

NOTE 3 — RECENTLY ISSUED ACCOUNTING PRONOUNCEMENTS

In November 2023, the FASB issued ASU 2023 -07 to enhance disclosures of significant expense and segment profitability categories and amounts for each of the Company's reportable business segments. These enhanced disclosures apply to entities that have a single reportable segment. The amendments are effective in annual periods beginning after December 15, 2023 and subsequent interim periods, with early adoption permitted. The Company is currently evaluating the provisions of the amendments and the impact on its future consolidated financial statements.

In December 2023, the FASB issued ASU 2023 -09 to improve disclosures and presentation requirements to the transparency of the income tax disclosures by requiring consistent categories and greater disaggregation of information in the rate reconciliation and income taxes paid disaggregated by jurisdiction. The amendments are effective in annual periods beginning after December 15, 2024, with early adoption permitted. The Company is currently evaluating the provisions of the amendments and the impact on its future consolidated statements.

Other recent accounting pronouncements issued by the FASB, including its Emerging Issues Task Force, the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants, and the SEC did not or in management's opinion will not have a material impact on the Company's present or future consolidated financial statements.

NOTE 4 — LEASES, RIGHT-OF-USE ASSETS AND RELATED LIABILITIES

Leases to explore for or use minerals, oil, natural gas, and similar nonregenerative resources (see ASC 930, Extractive Activities — Mining, and ASC 932, Extractive Activities — Oil and Gas) are excluded from the scope of ASC 842, Leases. The Company has surface and use agreements for Longanesi, Gradizza, Trava, and Armonia in Italy. These agreements are directly related to accessing the subsurface minerals and are assessed as part of the oil and gas properties. As of December 31, 2023, all leases in AleAnna's portfolio, in addition to its lease of office space, are short-term leases (12 months or less) and did not require recognition on the balance sheet.

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NOTE 4 — LEASES, RIGHT-OF-USE ASSETS AND RELATED LIABILITIES (cont.)

In July 2024, in conjunction with the Casalino acquisition, AleAnna entered into a lease of the land that holds the biomethane processing and conversion asset utilized to produce electricity. The lease term is from July 1, 2024 through December 31, 2032, with an option to extend the lease until December 31, 2041. The annual rent is €278,200 and must be paid in advance in four installments by the end of each calendar quarter. The total rent for the lease term until December 31, 2032 is €2,364,700. As of September 30, 2024, the Company's operating lease right of use assets totaled \$1,842,659, short term lease liabilities totaled \$166,293, and long-term lease liabilities totaled \$1,748,995. The Company recognized \$74,676 of operating lease expense during the nine months ended September 30, 2024 which was included in cost of revenues as the land being leased is directly related to the production and sale of electricity at Casalino.

The Company does not have any borrowings; therefore, it does not have an incremental borrowing rate readily determinable, and there was no incremental borrowing rate implicit in the Casalino land lease. As such, the company utilized a discount rate of 7.709% to measure its lease liability. This represents the Company's estimated incremental borrowing rate, determined using the 3-month EURIBOR rate of 3.709% as of July 2024, plus an estimated spread of 400 basis points (4.000%), to reflect the Company's credit risk profile. This reflects best estimate of the rate of interest that the Company would have to pay to borrow an amount equal to the lease payments on a collateralized basis over a similar term.

NOTE 5 — ACQUISITIONS AND CONTINGENT CONSIDERATION LIABILITY

On July 13, 2016, AleAnna Europa S.r.l., a former subsidiary of AleAnna Resources LLC (which was subsequently merged into AleAnna Italia S.p.A. in December 2022), purchased a 33.5% working interest in the Longanesi field, which was accounted for as an asset acquisition. Consideration paid included €7 million cash and up to €24 million of deferred consideration payable upon production of the Longanesi field. The deferred consideration is payable based on a formulaic calculation which is predominantly dependent on sales volumes and spot natural gas prices during the first 12 years of production (the "Earn-Out Period"). There will be no deferred consideration due if Longanesi is not developed and no deferred consideration due if average annual gas prices are less than €3.65/Mcf over the Earn-Out Period.

We recognized a liability for the contingent consideration in accounting for the asset acquisition in accordance with ASC 450, *Contingencies* (the "contingent consideration liability").

In 2019, following repeated development delays and severely depressed European natural gas prices, Nautilus, AleAnna's primary shareholder, considered no longer funding capital contributions to AleAnna Energy. Due to restricted access to capital, the potential of bankruptcy, and the improbability of developing Longanesi or any of AleAnna's other prospects, AleAnna's gas assets were fully impaired, and the corresponding contingent consideration liability was reduced to \$0 as such payment was no longer probable.

However, by 2021 European natural gas prices had recovered substantially and AleAnna and Padana began drilling Longanesi development wells. As such, it became probable that the Longanesi field would enter production and AleAnna again recognized the contingent consideration liability.

As of September 30, 2024, and December 31, 2023, the contingent consideration liability was recorded at \$26,787,611 and \$26,482,682 respectively. The estimate of the contingent consideration liability was determined based on inputs including the following as of September 30, 2024, and December 31, 2023: the intercontinental exchange futures prices for Dutch TTF natural gas, a Euro to USD exchange rate of 1.12 and 1.11, respectively, and management's future expected annual Longanesi production. AleAnna is required to make formulaic deferred consideration payments effectively equating to 20% to 50% of revenue above certain European natural gas threshold prices. The calculation and timing of such payments are primarily driven by future expected Longanesi production, as modeled by DeGolyer and MacNaughton, as well as forward European natural gas prices. While the timing and quantities of expected Longanesi production were unchanged from December 31, 2023 to September 30, 2024, average annual European natural gas forward prices declined. As a result, the amount of revenue attributable to price points above the threshold prices declined which resulted in a lengthening of the timing of expected contingent consideration payments and a corresponding reclassification of a portion of the contingent consideration liability from short-term to long-term. Changes in the contingent consideration liability are recognized in the consolidated statements of operations and comprehensive loss.

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NOTE 5 — ACQUISITIONS AND CONTINGENT CONSIDERATION LIABILITY (cont.)

Changes in the value of the contingent consideration liability are recognized in the consolidated statements of operations and comprehensive loss and for the periods ended September 30, 2024, and December 31, 2023 totaled \$304,929 (representing an increase) and \$244,526 (representing a decrease), respectively.

NOTE 6 — DERIVATIVE LIABILITY

As of December 31, 2023, we recorded a derivative liability, associated with certain embedded features of our Class 1 Preferred Units which entitle holders to a payout of 3.5x times their investment in the event of a company sale transaction or redemption at the option of the Company (the "3.5x Redemption Feature"). Since the potential payoff upon occurrence of company sale transaction and redemption at the option of the Company are the same, we analyzed the features as a single embedded feature for bifurcation. Based on our analysis of the host contract pursuant to ASC 815 — Derivatives and Hedging, we have concluded the Class 1 Preferred Units represent a debt host. The embedded 3.5x Redemption Feature involves a substantial premium and is contingent upon occurrence of company sale transaction, thus is not clearly and closely related to the debt host contract.

Further, the feature meets the definition of a derivative and other criteria under ASC 815 and requires bifurcation and separate recognition from the host contract as a derivative.

Accordingly, the Company has recorded a derivative liability representing the estimated fair value of the 3.5x Redemption Feature. Fair value is determined using a discounted cash flow model to isolate the excess fair value attributable to the 3.5x redemption above the 35% rate of return stated in the Class 1 Preferred Unit agreement. Further, we develop probability-weighted redemption scenarios which could occur during the time period in which a 3.5x payoff would be applicable, to determine the ultimate fair value. The derivative liability is adjusted to reflect fair value using these Level 3 inputs at each period end (i.e., measured on a recurring basis) with changes in fair value recorded in the consolidated statements of operations and comprehensive loss. The value of the derivative liability was reduced to zero as of September 30, 2024

The following table provides a summary of the changes in the derivative liability measured at fair value on a recurring basis using significant unobservable inputs:

Balance, December 31, 2023	\$ 173,177
Change in fair value ⁽¹⁾	(173,177)
Balance, September 30, 2024	\$ —

(1) This decrease is primarily due to the liquidation preference exceeding the enterprise value as of September 30, 2024, thereby reducing the derivative liability to \$0.

The following is a summary of the assumptions used in calculating the estimated fair value of such derivative liability:

	September 30, 2024	December 31, 2023
Range of assumed years of company sale transaction	2025 to 2027	2024 to 2026
Range of probability weights of a company sale transaction occurring in a given year	15% – 35%	15% – 35%
Overall probability of company sale transaction occurring at any point in the future	32%	26%
Discount rate applied to company sale transaction scenarios	35%	35%
Discount rate for business valuation utilized in company sale transaction scenarios	10%	10%

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NOTE 7 — NATURAL GAS PROPERTIES

Conventional Natural Gas Properties

A summary of conventional natural gas properties is as follows:

	September 30, 2024	December 31, 2023
Natural gas properties	53,910,816	44,529,178
Less: Accumulated Impairment	(22,998,077)	(22,998,077)
Natural gas and other properties, net	<u>\$ 30,912,739</u>	<u>\$ 21,531,101</u>

The Company uses the successful efforts method of accounting for conventional natural gas - producing activities.

Under this method, the cost of productive wells and related equipment, development dry holes, and any permits related to productive acreage are capitalized, and depleted using the unit-of-production method.

Renewable Natural Gas Properties

As of September 30, 2024, renewable natural gas properties included \$9,525,352 of land, improvements and other assets related to the purchase of three renewable natural gas plant assets across Italy between March 2024 and July 2024. The estimated fair values of these assets at the date of acquisition are considered Level 3 assets in the fair value hierarchy. The brownfield renewable natural gas plant assets (Casalino and Campopiano) have estimated useful lives of 30 years. All depreciation expense included in the Condensed Consolidated Statements of Operations relate to the Company's renewable natural gas plant assets.

NOTE 8 — COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

Participation Agreements

On June 26, 2009, the Company entered into a Participation Agreement with Societa Padana Energia ("Padana") for the drilling of the "Longanesi 1 exploration well", "San Potito concession" and "Abbadessere 1 exploration" collectively referred to as the "Longanesi field".

The Unified Operating Agreement ("UOA") was originally signed between ENI and Grove and dated September 26, 2009. However, Padana has succeeded ENI as the operator, and AleAnna has succeeded Grove as the non-operator.

Under the UOA, AleAnna and Padana have agreed to develop the Longanesi field to optimize the economic value of the identified reserves. AleAnna and Padana entered the UOA with initial participating shares in the Longanesi field equal to 33.5% for AleAnna and 66.5% for Padana, with Padana appointed as the operator. Padana is obliged to maintain the accounting records concerning the operations under the UOA in compliance with the laws and generally accepted accounting practices followed in the Italian oil and gas industry.

AleAnna and Padana fund their respective working interest shares of the capital required for Longanesi development and will receive their respective shares of the production output from the unitized field. However, such working interest percentages may be subsequently amended as more certainty is obtained over the Gas Originally in Place ("GOIP") through redetermination procedures prescribed by the UOA. The redetermination process evaluates the results of the current development drilling program (well logs, production tests, etc.) and other new data that may be gathered from time to time (such as 3D seismic imaging) to determine if changes in GOIP have changed the respective working interest percentages. If a redetermination process suggests GOIP changes, but AleAnna and Padana do not agree on revised working interest percentages, an independent third party will opine and set the revised working interest allocations. Adjustments to future production entitlements and capital contributions may be made accordingly. Cash payments may be made between the participants where there is insufficient production to true up contributions

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to date. If a true up of historical capital contributions is required as a result of redetermination, such capital true-up amounts will include an interest charge based on the nine-month Euro interbank offered rate ("Euribor") and the date of the original capital contribution.

On October 26, 2023, Padana formally called for the First Redetermination process, as defined in the UOA, to begin. However, the outcome of this or any future redetermination, which may impact working interest percentages and require a capital contribution rebalancing, is highly uncertain and such amounts are not estimable at this time. Accordingly, AleAnna has not recorded any receivable from or payable to Padana related to the redetermination process.

Contingencies and Legal Proceedings

The Company is subject to loss contingencies related to litigation, claims, investigations and legal and administrative cases and proceedings arising in the ordinary course of business. The Company evaluates these contingencies on a regular basis and accrues a liability for such matters when the Company believes that a loss is probable, and the amount of the loss can be reasonably estimated. Any such accruals are adjusted thereafter as appropriate to reflect changed circumstances. In the event the Company determines that (i) a loss to the Company is probable, but the amount of the loss cannot be reasonably estimated, or (ii) a loss to the Company is less likely than probable but is reasonably possible, then the Company is required to disclose the matter herein, although the Company is not required to accrue such loss.

When able, the Company determines an estimate of reasonably possible losses or ranges of reasonably possible losses, whether in excess of any related accrued liability or where there is no accrued liability, for legal proceedings.

In instances where such estimates can be made, any such estimates are based on the Company's analysis of currently available information and are subject to significant judgment and a variety of assumptions and uncertainties and may change as new information is obtained.

The ultimate outcome of the matters described below, such as whether the likelihood of loss is remote, reasonably possible, or probable, or if and when the range of loss is reasonably estimable, is inherently uncertain.

Furthermore, due to the inherent subjectivity of the assessments and unpredictability of outcomes of legal proceedings, any amounts accrued or estimated as possible losses may not represent the ultimate loss to the Company from the legal proceedings in question and the Company's exposure and ultimate losses may be higher, and possibly significantly so, than the amounts accrued or estimated.

As described in Note 1, AleAnna acquired a 33.5% working interest in the Longanesi field. As part of the purchase, a legacy owner, Blugas Infrastructure S.r.l. ("Blugas"), retained an interest akin to an overriding royalty interest ("ORRI"), whereby Blugas is entitled to physical delivery of 20% of the first 350 million standard cubic meters ("SCM") produced from the Longanesi field. In accounting for the acquisition of the 33.5% working interest, we did not recognize an asset or liability in the consolidated financial statements related to the Blugas ORRI. Further, the Company's SEC Case reserves estimates contemplate the contractual arrangement and physical gas delivery to Blugas, such that the net cash flows related to the gas reserves attributable to the Company's 33.5% working interest have been reduced.

On May 28, 2024, the Company reached a settlement agreement with Blugas regarding the Blugas ORRI. Under the terms of this agreement, AleAnna paid Blugas approximately €5 million (\$5.4 million), plus an additional €1.1 million (\$1.2 million) in applicable VAT. In exchange, AleAnna is released from any future liability related to the Blugas ORRI. As a result of the transactions contemplated by the Blugas Settlement Agreement, AleAnna's 33.5% working interest in the Longanesi field is now unencumbered except for normal government royalties (10%). The Company accounted for the purchase of the Blugas ORRI as an asset acquisition, and included the purchase

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price of to date. If a true up of historical capital contributions is required as a result of redetermination, such capital true-up amounts will include an interest charge based on the nine-month Euro interbank offered rate ("Euribor") and the date of the original capital contribution.

NOTE 9 — TEMPORARY EQUITY AND MEMBERS' EQUITY

As of both September 30, 2024, and December 31, 2023, the Company had 266,503 shares of Common Units authorized, issued, and outstanding. The Common Units have no par value.

As of September 30, 2024, and December 31, 2023, the Company had 105,711 and 43,611 shares of Class 1 Preferred Units authorized, issued, and outstanding, respectively. The Class 1 Preferred Units have no par value. The Class 1 Preferred Units are held by the majority equity owner, Nautilus.

Due to the redemption features of the Class 1 Preferred Units, they are recorded at redemption value and classified as temporary equity in the consolidated balance sheets. The difference between the book value of Class 1 Preferred Units issued and the redemption value, less the amount attributable to the derivative liability discussed in Note 4, is recorded as a deemed dividend. As there were no changes in the rights, preferences, and payout of the Common Units and Series 1 Preferred Units between December 31, 2023 and September 30, 2024, refer to the audited Consolidated Financial Statements and accompanying notes as of and for the year ended December 31, 2023, for additional details of the Company's equity.

NOTE 10 — EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION

On September 1, 2022, the Company entered into an employment agreement with the CEO. Within this employment agreement, there is a Medium/Long Term Incentive Plan ("M/LTIP" or the "Plan") outlined, which includes cash bonus amounts to be paid based on the completion of certain milestones within the established thresholds. Such payments could result in total payments ranging from €375,000 to €1,125,000. Threshold dates for such payments range from May 31, 2024, through December 31, 2026.

The Company tracks each of the milestones for the executive compensation package based on the current and future business plans. Based on the metrics and performance indicators outlined in the executive compensation package, management has identified that the likelihood of achieving each of these metrics is not probable based on the financial performance as of September 30, 2024.

NOTE 11 — INCOME TAXES

No U.S. income tax expense was recorded by the Company for the nine months ended September 30, 2024 and 2023 as the Company has elected to be taxed as a partnership. However, AleAnna Energy's Italian subsidiary (AleAnna Italia, S.p.A.) is a joint stock company or S.p.A and is considered a corporation under the Italian tax code. Therefore, the statutorily determined cumulative taxable loss of AleAnna Italia was tax affected and recognized as a deferred tax asset as of September 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023. We have also recorded deferred tax assets for temporary differences between the book and tax basis in the underlying assets and liabilities. Given AleAnna's history of losses, and because future production remains uncertain, a full valuation allowance was applied against the deferred tax assets.

The applicable Italian corporate tax rate is 24%, and the effective tax rates were 0% during the three and nine months ended September 30, 2024 and 2023, given the losses incurred and the application of a full valuation allowance against deferred tax assets.

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NOTE 12 — RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

The Company follows FASB ASC subtopic 850 -10, Related Party Disclosures, for the identification of related parties and disclosure of related party transactions.

As of December 31, 2023, AleAnna had outstanding payables of \$525,276, to its parent company, Nautilus, primarily related to the payment of legal fees by Nautilus on behalf of AleAnna. These intercompany payables are presented as related party payables on the accompanying condensed consolidated balance sheets and were settled in the normal course of business. Except for capital contributions received from Nautilus during the nine months ended September 30, 2024 and the year ended December 31, 2023, as presented in the unaudited condensed consolidated interim statements of changes in Members' equity, there were no other related party transactions entered into during the periods presented that required recognition or disclosure.

NOTE 13 — LOSS PER UNIT

The Company's net loss per Common Member Unit was calculated as follows:

	Nine Months Ended September 30,	
	2024	2023
Net Loss	(3,321,445)	(2,596,496)
Deemed dividend to Class 1 Preferred Units redemption value ⁽¹⁾	<u>(155,423,177)</u>	<u>(52,941,150)</u>
Net Loss attributable to Common Member Unitholders	<u>(158,744,622)</u>	<u>(55,537,646)</u>
Weighted average Common Member Units outstanding, basic and diluted ⁽²⁾	266,503	266,503
Net loss per Common Member Unit, basic and diluted	(596.66)	\$ (208.39)

The Company calculates net loss per unit under ASC 260 -10, *Earnings per Share*. The Class 1 Preferred Units were not considered to be participating based on their contractual rights. However, due to the redemption features of the Class 1 Preferred Units, they are recorded at redemption value and classified as temporary equity in the consolidated balance sheets. The difference between the book value of Class 1 Preferred Units issued and the redemption value, less the amount attributable to the derivative liability discussed in Note 4, is recorded as a deemed dividend. The deemed dividend reduced the net loss attributable to holders of Common Member Units in the calculation of the numerator above.

Basic loss per Common Member Unit is calculated by dividing net loss attributable to holders of Common Member Units by the weighted-average number of Common Member Units outstanding. The Class 1 Preferred Units have been excluded from the calculation as they are not convertible to Common Member Units. Further, any inclusion of such Class 1 Preferred Units, even if they were convertible to Common Member Units, would be anti-dilutive given the net loss in both periods. As such, the Company has not assumed conversion of the 105,711 and 43,611 Class 1 Preferred Units as of September 30, 2024, and December 31, 2023, respectively.

NOTE 14 — SEGMENT REPORTING

The Company's operations consist of one operating segment and one reportable segment reflecting the manner in which operations are managed and the criteria used by the chief operating decision maker ("CODM"), the Company's Executive Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, collectively, to evaluate performance, develop strategy, and allocate resources.

While the Company has recently acquired three RNG assets, these assets are still in the early stages of development which may include expansion and installation of upgrading units to refine biomethane into renewable natural gas (rather than conversion to electricity). These assets have not generated significant revenues or incurred material expenses. As of, and for the period ending September 30, 2024, the Company's CODM was primarily focused on capital investing decisions, strategy, and forward-looking investment economics. While the CODM monitors cash reserves and overall enterprise liquidity, extensive review and analysis of the Company's performance and loss

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NOTE 14 — SEGMENT REPORTING (cont.)

statements is not performed beyond review of the consolidated financial statements. As such, the CODM continues to assess the financial performance of the Company as a single enterprise on a consolidated basis, without distinguishing between conventional natural gas and RNG operations.

All of the Company's primary operating activities and assets remain located in Italy. The Company will continue to evaluate its operating segments and the determination of reportable segments as the business evolves.

NOTE 15 — SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

The Company evaluated subsequent events and transactions that occurred after the balance sheet date up to November 13, 2024, the date that the financial statements were issued.

Gas Sale Agreement

On October 29, 2024, the Company entered into a gas sale agreement ("GSA") with Shell Energy Europe Limited ("SEEL"), whereby SEEL will become the exclusive buyer of AleAnna's share of the natural gas produced from the Longanesi field net of (i) any consumption and/or losses incurred in the transport, treatment and compression of gas before delivery; (ii) any volume to be allocated for regulated royalties auctions, if applicable; and (iii) any other volume contractually allocated to other parties before August 31, 2022. Future sales under the GSA are contingent upon the commencement of gas production.

REPORT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM

To the Board of Directors of AleAnna Energy, LLC

Opinion on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying consolidated balance sheets of AleAnna Energy, LLC and subsidiaries (the "Company") as of December 31, 2023, and 2022, the related consolidated statements of operations and comprehensive loss, changes in temporary equity and members' equity, and cash flows, for each of the two years in the period ended December 31, 2023, and the related notes (collectively referred to as the "financial statements"). In our opinion, the financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Company as of December 31, 2023, and 2022, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for each of the two years in the period ended December 31, 2023, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Basis for Opinion

These financial statements are the responsibility of the Company's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Company's financial statements based on our audits. We are a public accounting firm registered with the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States) (PCAOB) and are required to be independent with respect to the Company in accordance with the U.S. federal securities laws and the applicable rules and regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission and the PCAOB.

We conducted our audits in accordance with the standards of the PCAOB and in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement, whether due to error or fraud. The Company is not required to have, nor were we engaged to perform, an audit of its internal control over financial reporting. As part of our audits, we are required to obtain an understanding of internal control over financial reporting but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we express no such opinion.

Our audits included performing procedures to assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to error or fraud, and performing procedures that respond to those risks. Such procedures included examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. Our audits also included evaluating the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

/s/ Deloitte & Touche LLP

Dallas, Texas
July 3, 2024

We have served as the Company's auditor since 2023.

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ALEANNA ENERGY, LLC
CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

	December 31, 2023	December 31, 2022
ASSETS		
Current Assets:		
Cash	\$ 6,759,265	\$ 293,679
Prepaid Expenses	27,485	—
Total Current Assets	<u>6,786,750</u>	<u>293,679</u>
Non-current Assets:		
Natural gas and other properties, successful efforts method, net of accumulated depreciation of \$0 and \$2,133, respectively	21,531,101	12,468,133
Value-added tax refund receivable	4,425,353	3,007,122
Total Non-current Assets	<u>25,956,454</u>	<u>15,475,255</u>
Total Assets	<u>\$ 32,743,204</u>	<u>\$ 15,768,934</u>
LIABILITIES AND MEMBERS' EQUITY		
Current Liabilities:		
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	\$ 1,053,819	\$ 270,122
Related party payables	525,276	—
Contingent consideration, short term	14,888,021	—
Derivative liability, at fair value	173,177	882,046
Total Current Liabilities	<u>16,640,293</u>	<u>1,152,168</u>
Non-current Liabilities:		
Asset retirement obligation	4,242,680	3,847,783
Contingent consideration, long term	11,594,661	25,616,163
Total Non-current Liabilities	<u>15,837,341</u>	<u>29,463,946</u>
Total Liabilities	<u>32,477,634</u>	<u>30,616,114</u>
Commitments and Contingencies (Note 6)		
Temporary Equity:		
Class 1 Preferred Units, no par value; 43,611 and 22,606 units authorized, issued and outstanding; liquidation preference of \$152,637,776 and \$79,123,314 as of December 31, 2023, and 2022, respectively	152,464,599	78,241,267
Members' Equity:		
Common Member Units, no par value, 266,503 units authorized, issued and outstanding as of December 31, 2023, and 2022, respectively	—	—
Additional paid-in capital	—	13,173,784
Accumulated other comprehensive loss	(4,943,143)	(5,078,841)
Accumulated deficit	(147,255,886)	(101,183,390)
Members' Equity	(152,199,029)	(93,088,447)
Total Liabilities, Temporary Equity, and Members' Equity	<u>\$ 32,743,204</u>	<u>\$ 15,768,934</u>

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

ALEANNA ENERGY, LLC
CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS AND COMPREHENSIVE LOSS

	For the Year Ended December 31,	
	2023	2022
Operating Expenses:		
General and administrative	\$ 5,634,150	\$ 2,004,660
Depreciation	—	2,133
Accretion of asset retirement obligation	133,239	123,867
Increase in contingent consideration liability	866,519	223,152
Total Operating Expenses	<u>6,633,908</u>	<u>2,353,812</u>
 Operating Loss	 <u>(6,633,908)</u>	 <u>(2,353,812)</u>
 Other Income (Expense):		
Other income and expenses	(102,041)	(65,382)
Change in fair value of derivative liability	708,869	(863,776)
Total Other Income (Expense)	<u>606,828</u>	<u>(929,158)</u>
 Net Loss	 <u>\$ (6,027,080)</u>	 <u>\$ (3,282,970)</u>
Deemed dividend to Class 1 Preferred Units redemption value	(53,219,200)	(25,814,723)
Net Loss attributable to holders of Common Member Units	<u>\$ (59,246,280)</u>	<u>\$ (29,097,693)</u>
 Other Comprehensive Income (Loss)		
Currency translation adjustment	135,698	(658,636)
Comprehensive Loss	<u>\$ (5,891,382)</u>	<u>\$ (3,941,606)</u>
 Weighted average Common Member Units outstanding	 266,503	 266,503
Net loss per Common Member Unit	\$ (222.31)	\$ (109.18)

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

ALEANNA ENERGY, LLC
CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN TEMPORARY EQUITY AND MEMBERS'
EQUITY

Temporary Equity		Members' Equity					
Class 1 Preferred Units		Common Member Units		Additional Paid-In Capital	Accumulated deficit	Other Comprehensive Loss	Members' Equity
	Units	Amount	Units	Amount			
Balance, December 31, 2021	11,935	\$ 41,755,144	266,503	\$ —	\$ 38,988,507	\$ (97,900,420)	\$ (4,420,205)
Units issued	10,671	10,671,400	—	—	—	—	—
Deemed dividend to redemption value	—	25,814,723	—	—	(25,814,723)	—	(25,814,723)
Foreign exchange on translation	—	—	—	—	—	(658,636)	(658,636)
Net loss	—	—	—	—	(3,282,970)	—	(3,282,970)
Balance, December 31, 2022	22,606	\$ 78,241,267	266,503	\$ —	\$ 13,173,784	\$ (101,183,390)	\$ (5,078,841)
Units issued	21,005	21,004,132	—	—	—	—	—
Deemed dividend to redemption value	—	53,219,200	—	—	(13,173,784)	(40,045,416)	—
Foreign exchange on translation	—	—	—	—	—	135,698	135,698
Net loss	—	—	—	—	(6,027,080)	—	(6,027,080)
Balance, December 31, 2023	43,611	\$ 152,464,599	266,503	\$ —	\$ (147,255,886)	\$ (4,943,143)	\$ (152,199,029)

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

ALEANNA ENERGY, LLC
CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

	For the Year Ended December 31,	
	2023	2022
Cash flows from operating activities:		
Net loss	\$ (6,027,080)	\$ (3,282,970)
Adjustments to reconcile net loss to net cash used in operating activities:		
Depreciation of furniture and equipment	—	2,133
Impairment of assets	30,786	—
Accretion of asset retirement obligation	133,239	123,867
Change in fair value of contingent consideration	866,519	223,152
Change in fair value of derivative liability	(708,869)	863,776
Changes in working capital items:		
Prepaid expenses	(29,618)	—
VAT refund receivable	(1,418,231)	(2,117,870)
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	878,675	22,725
Related party payable	525,276	—
Net cash used in operating activities	(5,749,303)	(4,165,187)
Cash flows from investing activities		
Additions to natural gas properties	(8,924,941)	(9,072,390)
Net cash used in investing activities	(8,924,941)	(9,072,390)
Cash flows from financing activities		
Preferred units issued for cash	21,004,132	10,649,400
Net cash provided by financing activities	21,004,132	10,649,400
Effect of foreign exchange on cash	135,698	(660,052)
Change in cash during the year	6,465,586	(3,248,229)
Cash, beginning of year	293,679	3,541,908
Cash, end of year	\$ 6,759,265	\$ 293,679
Supplemental Disclosure		
Additions to natural gas properties included in accounts payable	\$ —	\$ 94,978
Related party notes payable converted to Class 1 Preferred Units	\$ —	\$ 22,000
Deemed dividend to Class 1 Preferred Units redemption value (see Note 7)	\$ 53,219,200	\$ 25,814,723

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

ALEANNA ENERGY, LLC
NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 1 — NATURE OF OPERATIONS

AleAnna Energy, LLC (the "Company" or "AleAnna"), a Delaware Limited Liability Company, was formed on July 13, 2007. AleAnna Energy, LLC is comprised of wholly owned subsidiaries AleAnna Resources, LLC, and AleAnna Italia S.p.A. As of December 31, 2023, the Company was majority-owned by its immediate parent, Nautilus Resources, LLC ("Nautilus"), with the remainder owned by a minority shareholder, BRS Resources Limited.

AleAnna is a natural gas resource company focused on delivering critical natural gas supplies to Europe through both onshore conventional natural gas exploration and renewable natural gas development in Italy. AleAnna has several successful conventional natural gas discoveries including its primary development, the Longanesi field, located in the Po Valley in Northern Italy, which is one of Italy's largest modern gas developments. AleAnna retains a 33.5% working interest in the Longanesi field with its working interest partner, and operator, Societa Padana Energia ("Padana") representing the other 66.5% working interest. AleAnna acquired its working interest in the Longanesi field through a 2016 transaction, accounted for as an asset acquisition. AleAnna also retains wholly-owned concessions, permits, and pending applications on other exploration and development prospects across Italy which are supported by proprietary modern 3D seismic reservoir imaging. In 2021, AleAnna also launched a renewable natural gas ("RNG") development business focused on bringing to market carbon negative renewable natural gas derived from animal and agricultural waste.

Planned principal operations have not yet commenced. As of December 31, 2023, and December 31, 2022, the Company had not derived revenue from its principal business activities. During the years ended December 31, 2023, and December 31, 2022, AleAnna's primary activities involved the drilling and testing of three Longanesi development wells together with its working interest partner Padana. Following tie-in of these wells and the installation of a temporary processing facility over the course of 2024, AleAnna and Padana expect to achieve first production of the five wells in the Longanesi field in the first quarter of 2025 through use of a temporary processing skid. The permanent processing facility is expected to be constructed over the course of 2025 and commissioned in 2026.

On June 4, 2024, the Company entered into a Business Combination Agreement with a Nasdaq publicly traded special purpose acquisition company (as it may be amended, supplemented or otherwise modified from time to time, the "Business Combination Agreement" and the transactions contemplated thereby, collectively, the "Business Combination"). The Business Combination is expected to be completed in the second half of 2024, subject to stockholder approval and other customary closing conditions. Upon the closing of the transaction, subject to approval from the Securities and Exchange Commission, the combined company will be named AleAnna, Inc. and is expected to be publicly listed on the Nasdaq stock exchange.

NOTE 2 — SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of Presentation — The Company's consolidated financial statements have been prepared in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("U.S. GAAP") as determined by the Financial Accounting Standards Board ("FASB") Accounting Standards Codification ("ASC").

Principles of Consolidation — The Company's policy is to consolidate all entities that the Company controls by ownership interest or other contractual rights giving the Company control over the most significant activities of an investee. The consolidated financial statements include the accounts of AleAnna Energy, LLC and its wholly owned subsidiaries AleAnna Resources, LLC, and AleAnna Italia S.p.A. All intercompany balances and transactions have been eliminated in consolidation.

Use of Estimates — The preparation of consolidated financial statements in conformity with accounting principles U.S. GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of expenses, assets, and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities. The Company regularly assesses these estimates; however, actual amounts could differ from those estimates. The most significant items involving management's estimates include estimates of contingencies including contingent consideration and estimates of the timing and amount of asset retirement obligations. The impact of changes in estimates is recorded in the period in which they become known.

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NOTE 2 — SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (cont.)

Emerging Growth Company — The Company is an “emerging growth company,” as defined in Section 2(a) of the Securities Act, as modified by the Jumpstart Our Business Startups Act of 2012 (the “JOBS Act”), and it may take advantage of certain exemptions from various reporting requirements that are applicable to other public companies that are not emerging growth companies including, but not limited to, not being required to comply with the auditor attestation requirements of Section 404 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, reduced disclosure obligations regarding executive compensation in its periodic reports and proxy statements, and exemptions from the requirements of holding a nonbinding advisory vote on executive compensation and stockholder approval of any golden parachute payments not previously approved.

Further, Section 102(b)(1) of the JOBS Act exempts emerging growth companies from being required to comply with new or revised financial accounting standards until private companies (that is, those that have not had a Securities Act registration statement declared effective or do not have a class of securities registered under the Exchange Act) are required to comply with the new or revised financial accounting standards. The JOBS Act provides that an emerging growth company can elect to opt out of the extended transition period and comply with the requirements that apply to non-emerging growth companies but any such an election to opt out is irrevocable. The Company has elected not to opt out of such extended transition period, which means that when a standard is issued or revised and it has different application dates for public or private companies, the Company, as an emerging growth company, can adopt the new or revised standard at the time private companies adopt the new or revised standard. This may make comparison of the Company’s consolidated financial statements with another public company that is neither an emerging growth company nor an emerging growth company that has opted out of using the extended transition period difficult because of the potential differences in accounting standards used.

Risks and Uncertainties — The Company is currently in the development stage and has not yet commenced principal operations or generated revenue. The development of the Company’s projects is subject to a number of risks and uncertainties including, but not limited to, the receipt of the necessary permits and regulatory approvals, commodity price risk impacting the decision to go forward with the projects, the availability and ability to obtain the necessary financing for the development of projects. Various social and political circumstances in the United States and around the world (including wars and other forms of conflict, including rising trade tensions between the United States and China, and other uncertainties regarding actual and potential shifts in the United States and foreign, trade, economic and other policies with other countries, terrorist acts, security operations and catastrophic events such as fires, floods, earthquakes, tornadoes, hurricanes and global health epidemics), may also contribute to increased market volatility and economic uncertainties or deterioration in the United States and worldwide. Specifically, the conflict between Russia and Ukraine which began in February 2022, and resulting market volatility could adversely affect the Company’s ability to complete a Business Combination. In response to the conflict between Russia and Ukraine, the United States and other countries have imposed sanctions or other restrictive actions against Russia. Any of the above factors, including sanctions, export controls, tariffs, trade wars and other governmental actions, could have a material adverse effect on the Company’s ability to complete a Business Combination and the value of the Company’s securities.

Additionally, management is continuing to evaluate: the geopolitical conditions resulting from the invasion of Ukraine by Russia and subsequent sanctions against Russia, Belarus and related individuals and entities; the war between Israel and Hamas; the possibility of the aforementioned conflicts spreading in the surrounding regions; the status of debt and equity markets; protectionist legislation in our target markets; and any lingering impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic on the industry.

Management has concluded that while it is reasonably possible that any of the foregoing could have a negative effect on the Company’s financial position, results of its operations and/or that of AleAnna or any other target company, the specific impact is not readily determinable as of the date of these financial statements. The financial statements do not include any adjustments that might result from the outcome of this uncertainty.

ALEANNA ENERGY, LLC
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NOTE 2 — SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (cont.)

Functional and Reporting Currency — The functional currency of an entity is the currency of the primary economic environment in which the entity operates. The functional currency of the Italian subsidiary is the Euro, and the Company is the United States Dollar ("USD" or "U.S. Dollar"). The determination of functional currency was made in accordance with 830, Foreign Currency Matters.

The Company's reporting currency is the USD. For the purposes of presenting consolidated financial statements, the assets and liabilities of the Company's Euro operations are translated to USD at the exchange rate at the end of each month prior to consolidation procedures. The income and expenses are translated using average exchange rates for the applicable period. Foreign currency differences that arise on translation for consolidated purposes are recognized in accumulated other comprehensive loss on the consolidated balance sheet and in other comprehensive loss on the consolidated statements of operations and comprehensive loss.

Segments — The Company's operations consist of one reportable segment. The Company has a single, company-wide management team that administers all properties as a whole rather than by discrete operating segments. The Company measures financial performance as a single enterprise and not on an area-by-area basis. Substantially all of the Company's activities and assets are generated and located in Italy.

Concentration of Credit Risk — Financial instruments that potentially subject the Company to concentrations of credit risk consist of a cash account in a financial institution which, at times may exceed the Federal Depository Insurance Coverage of \$250,000. The Company has not experienced losses on this account and management believes the Company is not exposed to significant risks on such account.

Cash and Cash Equivalents — Cash and cash equivalents represent cash and short -term, highly liquid investments with maturities of three months or less at the time of purchase. The Company did not have any cash equivalents as of December 31, 2023, and December 31, 2022.

Financial Instruments — The carrying value of the Company's financial instruments, consisting of cash, accounts payable, approximates their fair value due to the short maturity of such instruments. Unless otherwise noted, it is management's opinion that the Company is not exposed to significant interest or currency risks arising from these financial instruments.

Fair Value Measurement — The Company applies fair value accounting for all financial assets and liabilities measured on a recurring and nonrecurring basis. Fair value is defined as an exit price, representing the amount 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. As such, fair value is a market-based measurement that should be determined based on assumptions that market participants would use in pricing an asset or a liability.

The accounting guidance established a fair value hierarchy based on three levels of inputs, of which the first two are considered observable and the last unobservable, used to determine the fair value of its financial instruments. A financial instrument's level within the fair value hierarchy is based on the lowest level of any input that is significant to the fair value measurement.

Level 1	Quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities that the entity has the ability to access.
Level 2	Inputs other than Level 1 that are observable, either directly or indirectly, such as quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities, quoted prices in markets that are not active, or other inputs that are observable or can be corroborated by observable market data for substantially the full term of the assets and liabilities.
Level 3	Unobservable inputs that are supported by little or no market activity and that are significant to the fair value of the assets and liabilities.

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In some circumstances, the inputs used to measure fair value might be categorized within different levels of the fair value hierarchy. In those instances, the fair value measurement is categorized in its entirety in the fair value hierarchy based on the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement.

Natural Gas Properties — The Company uses the successful efforts method of accounting for gas producing activities. Under this method, the cost of productive wells and related equipment, development dry holes, and any permits related to productive acreage are capitalized, and depleted using the unit-of-production method. These costs include other internal costs directly attributable to production activities. AleAnna is not yet recognizing depletion as assets are not yet producing and therefore have not yet been placed in service. Costs for exploratory dry holes, exploratory geological and geophysical activities, and delay rentals as well as other property carrying costs are charged to exploration expense.

There were no exploratory wells drilled during 2023 and 2022, and there were no capitalized exploratory well costs for the years ended December 31, 2023, and 2022. All asset additions in 2023 and 2022 relate to the drilling of three Longanesi development wells. Such wells are expected to begin production in the first quarter of 2025.

The estimates of proved natural gas reserves ("SEC Case") utilized in the preparation of the Consolidated Financial Statements are estimated in accordance with the rules established by the Securities and Exchange Commission ("the SEC") and the FASB. These rules require that reserve estimates be prepared under existing economic and operating conditions using a trailing 12-month average price with no provision for price and cost escalations in future years except by contractual arrangements. The development of the Company's natural gas reserve quantities requires management to make significant estimates and assumptions related to the intent and ability to complete undeveloped proved reserves within a five-year development period, as prescribed by SEC guidelines. Management engaged DeGolyer and MacNaughton, independent reserve engineers, to prepare reserves estimates for the Company's estimated proved reserves at December 31, 2023, and 2022. The technologies used in the estimation of the Company's net proved undeveloped reserves include, but are not limited to, empirical evidence through drilling results and well performance, production data, decline curve analysis, well logs, geologic maps, core data, seismic data, demonstrated relationship between geologic parameters and performance, and the implementation and application of statistical analysis.

Management has confirmed that none of the Unitized Operating Agreement' ("UOA's") nor the Proved Undeveloped Reserve's ("PUDs") are scheduled to be developed on a date more than five years from the date the reserves were initially recognized as PUDs as prescribed by the SEC guidelines. PUDs are converted from undeveloped to developed as applicable wells begin production.

Reserve estimates are inherently imprecise. Accordingly, the estimates are expected to change as more current information becomes available. Such estimates are subject to the uncertainties inherent in the application of judgmental factors in interpreting such information. It is possible that, because of changes in market conditions or the inherent imprecision of reserve estimates, the estimates of future cash inflows, future gross revenues, the amount of natural gas reserves, the remaining estimated lives of natural gas properties, or any combination of the above may be increased or decreased. Increases in recoverable economic volumes generally reduce per unit depletion rates, while decreases in recoverable economic volumes generally increase per unit depletion rates.

Impairment of Natural Gas Properties — The carrying values of the Company's oil and gas properties are reviewed for impairment when events or circumstances indicate that the remaining carrying value may not be recoverable. To determine whether impairment of the Company's oil and gas properties has occurred, the Company compares the estimated expected undiscounted future cash flows to the carrying values of those properties. Estimated future cash flows are based on proved and, if determined reasonable by management, risk-adjusted probable reserves and assumptions generally consistent with the assumptions used by the Company for internal planning and budgeting purposes, including, among other things, the intended use of the asset, anticipated production from reserves, future market prices for natural gas adjusted for basis differentials, future operating costs and inflation. Proved oil and gas properties that have carrying amounts in excess of estimated future undiscounted cash flows are written down to fair value, which is estimated by discounting the estimated future cash flows using discount rates and other assumptions that marketplace participants would use in their fair value estimates. The company recorded no impairment of natural gas properties during 2023 nor in 2022.

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Other Property and Equipment — Property and equipment are stated at cost. Expenditures for maintenance and repairs which do not extend the life of the related assets are charged to expense as incurred. Upon retirement or sale of the assets, the cost and related accumulated depreciation are removed from the accounts and any gain or loss is included in the statements of operations and comprehensive loss for the period.

The estimated useful lives and cost of other property and equipment by asset type as of December 31, 2023, and 2022, is as follows:

	Useful Lives	2023	2022
Office furniture and equipment	7 years	\$ 11,863	\$ 11,863
Buildings and improvements	5 years	18,923	18,923
		\$ 30,786	\$ 30,786
Less impairment		(30,786)	—
Less accumulated depreciation		—	2,133
Other properties, net		<u>\$ —</u>	<u>\$ 28,653</u>

The Company recorded no depreciation expense for year ended December 31, 2023, and \$2,133 for the year ended December 31, 2022, which is included in depreciation expense on the consolidated statements of operations and comprehensive loss.

Value-Added Tax Refund Receivable — The Valued-Added Tax ("VAT") is a broadly-based consumption tax that is assessed to the value that is added to goods and services. The VAT applies to nearly all goods and services that are bought and sold within the European Union. Italian law allows for certain VAT payments to be recovered through ongoing applications for refunds. The Company has incurred higher VAT input paid (i.e., VAT paid on purchases) than the VAT output collected (i.e., VAT collected on sales), resulting in a net VAT refund receivable.

Leases — The Company recognizes right-of-use assets and lease liabilities for leases with terms greater than 12 months. Leases are classified as either finance or operating leases. This classification dictates whether lease expense is recognized based on an effective interest method or on a straight-line basis over the term of the lease.

Short-term leases (leases with an initial term of 12 months or less or leases that are cancelable by the lessee and lessor without significant penalties) are not capitalized but are expensed on a straight-line basis over the lease term. All of the leases in AleAnna's portfolio are short-term leases (12 months or less) and do not require recognition on the balance sheet.

Credit Losses — The Company uses a forward-looking expected credit loss model for in-scope financial assets. Provisions for credit losses that are estimated through the Company's prescribed method of estimating losses are recorded against earnings through a corresponding entry to Allowance for Credit Losses. Financial assets are presented net of the Allowance for Credit Losses. Any recoveries of amounts previously estimated as a credit loss are recorded against Allowance for Credit Losses.

In accordance with ASC 326, Financial Instruments — Credit Losses, the Company estimates the allowance for credit losses using relevant available information about expected credit losses. Inputs to the model include benchmarking against other companies, customer attributes, past events, current conditions, and reasonable and supportable forecasts. Adjustments to historical loss information are made for differences in current receivable-specific risk characteristics such as changes in the economy and demand trends, or other relevant factors. The Company's financial assets measured at amortized cost primarily consist of trade receivables.

The assessment of the correlation between historical losses, current conditions, and forecasted economic conditions requires judgment. Alternative interpretations of these factors could have resulted in different conclusions regarding the allowance for credit losses. The amount of credit loss is sensitive to changes in circumstances and forecasted economic conditions. The Company's experience, current conditions, and forecast of economic conditions may also not be representative of the customers' actual default experience in the future.

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NOTE 2 — SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (cont.)

Executive Compensation Plan — The Company has a Medium/Long Term Incentive Plan, which includes cash bonus amounts to be paid based on the completion of certain milestones within the established thresholds. Management has determined that the achievement of milestones in the current periods as of December 31, 2023, and 2022 are not probable. Management will continue to assess the probability of achievement of the performance indicators for the executive compensation package based on the applicable market conditions or occurrence of events. See Note 8 for further information.

Income Taxes — The Company is not directly subject to federal income taxes under the provisions of the Internal Revenue Code and applicable state laws as the Company has elected to be taxed as a partnership and therefore taxable income or loss is reported to the individual partners for inclusion in their respective tax returns and no provision for federal and state income taxes at the AleAnna level has been included in the accompanying consolidated financial statements.

However, the Company's consolidated Italian subsidiary (AleAnna Italia S.p.A.) is subject to Italian corporate income taxes. In December 2022, the Company merged its Italian subsidiaries (AleAnna Italia S.r.l. and AleAnna Europa S.r.l.) into AleAnna Italia as a single entity and converted the Italia entity from an S.r.l. (flow through entity under the Italian tax code) into a S.p.A (corporation under the Italian tax code). Therefore, the income tax consequences of such entity have been reflected in the Company's consolidated financial statements in accordance with ASC 740, *Income Taxes*.

As of December 31, 2023, the statutorily determined cumulative taxable loss of AleAnna Italia was tax affected and recognized as a deferred tax asset as of December 31, 2023, and we have provided deferred taxes for temporary differences between the book and tax basis in the underlying assets and liabilities resulting in a net deferred tax asset. Given AleAnna's history of cumulative financial reporting losses a full valuation allowance was applied against the deferred tax asset as of December 31, 2023. See Note 9 for further information.

Derivative Liability — The Company evaluates the existence of separable embedded features within applicable debt or equity instruments pursuant to FASB ASC 815, Derivatives and Hedging ("ASC 815"). Professional standards generally provide three criteria that, if met, require companies to bifurcate embedded features from their host instruments and separately account for them as derivative. These three criteria include circumstances in which (a) the economic characteristics and risks of the embedded derivative instrument are not clearly and closely related to the economic characteristics and risks of the host contract, (b) the hybrid instrument that embodies both the embedded derivative instrument and the host contract is not re-measured at fair value under otherwise applicable generally accepted accounting principles with changes in fair value reported in earnings as they occur and (c) a separate instrument with the same terms as the embedded derivative instrument would be considered a derivative instrument. See Note 4 for a discussion of the Company's derivative liability.

Asset Retirement Obligations — The Company recognizes a liability for asset retirement obligations ("AROs") based on an estimate of the amount and timing of settlement at the time a legal obligation is incurred. Upon initial recognition of an ARO, the Company increases the carrying amount of the long-lived asset by the same amount as the liability.

The initial capitalized costs will be depleted over the useful (productive) lives of the related assets.

The Company's asset retirement obligations relate to the abandonment of gas production facilities including reclaiming well pads, reclaiming water impoundments, plugging wells and dismantling related structures. Estimates are based on historical experience of plugging and abandoning wells and reclaiming or disposing other assets and estimated remaining (productive) lives of the wells and assets.

The following table presents a reconciliation of the beginning and ending carrying amounts of the Company's asset retirement obligations included in non-current liabilities in the Consolidated Balance Sheets.

	December 31,	
	2023	2022
Balance January 1	\$ 3,847,783	3,206,807
Liabilities incurred	261,657	517,109
Accretion	133,240	123,867
Balance at December 31	<u>\$ 4,242,680</u>	<u>\$ 3,847,783</u>

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For year ended December 31, 2023, the Company incurred incremental ARO liabilities, for one new development area associated with Longanesi (Casale Cocchi 1). For the year ended December 31, 2022, the Company incurred incremental ARO liabilities for two new development areas associated with Longanesi (Longanesi Phase 3 and Casale Cocchi 1). Otherwise, changes between 2023 and 2022 only relate to the accretion of the liability. The Company does not have any assets that are legally restricted for purposes of settling these obligations. These values are discounted to present value at 4.22% and 3.88% per annum for the years ended December 31, 2023, and 2022, respectively.

Contingent Consideration liability — The Company recognized a liability for the contingent consideration in accounting for the asset acquisition in accordance with ASC 450, Contingencies ("contingent consideration liability") based on our assessment of probability of the occurrence of payment and deemed the liability estimable based on the formulaic nature. See Note 3 for more information.

Recently Issued Accounting Standards — In August 2020, the FASB issued Accounting Standards Update (ASU) No. 2020-06, Debt—Debt with Conversion and Other Options (Subtopic 470-20) and Derivatives and Hedging — Contracts in Entity's Own Equity (Subtopic 815-40): Accounting for Convertible Instruments and Contracts in an Entity's Own Equity. ASU No. 2020-06 simplifies the accounting for convertible instruments by removing major separation models required under current U.S. GAAP. Consequently, more convertible debt instruments will be reported as a single liability instrument and more convertible preferred stock will be reported as a single equity instrument, with no separate accounting for embedded conversion features. The ASU also removes certain settlement conditions that are required for equity contracts to qualify for the derivative scope exception, which will permit more equity contracts to qualify for the exception. In addition, ASU No. 2020-06 simplifies the diluted earnings per share (EPS) calculation in certain areas. ASU No. 2020-06 is effective for public business entities that meet the definition of an SEC filer, excluding entities eligible to be smaller reporting companies as defined by the SEC, for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2021, including interim periods within those fiscal years. For all other entities, ASU No. 2020-06 will be effective for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2023, including interim periods within those fiscal years. Early adoption is permitted in fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2020. An entity should adopt the guidance as of the beginning of its annual fiscal year. The Company is currently evaluating the impact of this accounting pronouncement on its financial statements.

In November 2023, the FASB issued ASU 2023 -07 to enhance disclosures of significant expense and segment profitability categories and amounts for each of the Company's reportable business segments. These enhanced disclosures apply to entities that have a single reportable segment. The amendments are effective in annual periods beginning after December 15, 2023 and subsequent interim periods, with early adoption permitted. The Company is currently evaluating the provisions of the amendments and the impact on its future consolidated statements.

In December 2023, the FASB issued ASU 2023 -09 to improve disclosures and presentation requirements to the transparency of the income tax disclosures by requiring consistent categories and greater disaggregation of information in the rate reconciliation and income taxes paid disaggregated by jurisdiction. The amendments are effective in annual periods beginning after December 15, 2024, with early adoption permitted. The Company is currently evaluating the provisions of the amendments and the impact on its future consolidated statements.

Other recent accounting pronouncements issued by the FASB, including its Emerging Issues Task Force, the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants, and the SEC did not or in management's opinion will not have a material impact on the Company's present or future consolidated financial statements.

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NOTE 3 — ACQUISITIONS AND CONTINGENT CONSIDERATION LIABILITY

On July 13, 2016, AleAnna Europa S.r.l., a former subsidiary of AleAnna Resources LLC (which was subsequently merged into AleAnna Italia S.p.A. in December 2022), purchased a 33.5% working interest in the Longanesi field, which was accounted for as an asset acquisition. Consideration paid included €7 million cash and up to €24 million of deferred consideration payable upon production of the Longanesi field. The deferred consideration is payable based on a formulaic calculation which is predominantly dependent on sales volumes and spot natural gas prices during the first 12 years of production (the “Earn-Out Period”). There will be no deferred consideration due if Longanesi is not developed and no deferred consideration due if average annual gas prices are less than €3.65/Mcf over the Earn-Out Period.

We recognized a liability for the contingent consideration in accounting for the asset acquisition in accordance with ASC 450, Contingencies (“contingent consideration liability”).

In 2019, following repeated development delays and severely depressed European natural gas prices, Nautilus, AleAnna’s primary shareholder, considered no longer funding capital contributions to AleAnna Energy. Due to restricted access to capital, the potential of bankruptcy, and the improbability of developing Longanesi or any of AleAnna’s other prospects, AleAnna Energy’s gas assets were fully impaired, and the corresponding contingent consideration liability was reduced to \$0 as such payment was no longer probable. However, by 2021 European natural gas prices had recovered substantially and AleAnna and Padana began drilling Longanesi development wells. As such, it became probable that the Longanesi field would enter production and AleAnna again recognized the contingent consideration liability.

As of December 31, 2023, and 2022, the contingent consideration liability was recorded at \$26,482,682 and \$25,616,163, respectively. The estimate of the contingent consideration liability was determined based on inputs including the following as of December 31, 2023, and 2022: the intercontinental exchange futures prices for European natural gas, a Euro to USD exchange rate of 1.11 and 1.07, respectively, and management’s future expected annual Longanesi production. AleAnna is required to make formulaic deferred consideration payments effectively equating to 20-50% of revenue above certain European natural gas threshold prices. The calculation and timing of such payments are primarily driven by future expected Longanesi production, as modeled by DeGolyer and MacNaughton, as well as forward European natural gas prices. Changes in our estimate of the contingent liability are recognized in the consolidated statements of operations and comprehensive loss for the years ended December 31, 2023, and 2022 totaled \$866,519 and \$223,152.

NOTE 4 — DERIVATIVE LIABILITY

We have recorded a derivative liability, associated with certain embedded features of our Class 1 Preferred Units which entitle holders to a payout of 3.5x times the investment in the event of a company sale transaction or redemption at the option of the Company (the “3.5x Redemption Feature”). Since the payoff upon occurrence of company sale transaction and redemption at the option of the Company is the same, we analyzed the features as a single embedded feature for bifurcation.

Based on our analysis of the host contract pursuant to ASC 815, we have concluded the Class 1 Preferred Units represent a debt host. The embedded 3.5x Redemption Feature involves a substantial premium and is contingent upon occurrence of company sale transaction, thus is not clearly and closely related to the debt host contract.

Further, the feature meets the definition of a derivative and other criteria under ASC 815, as such, requires bifurcation and separate recognition from the host contract as a derivative.

Accordingly, the Company has recorded a derivative liability representing the estimated fair value of the 3.5x Redemption Feature. Fair value is determined using a discounted cash flow model to isolate the excess fair value attributable to the 3.5x redemption above the 35% rate of return stated in the Class 1 Preferred agreement. Further, we develop probability-weighted redemption scenarios which could occur during the time period in which a 3.5x payoff would be applicable, to determine the ultimate fair value. The derivative liability is adjusted to reflect fair value using these Level 3 inputs at each period end (i.e., measured on a recurring basis) with changes in fair value recorded in the consolidated statements of operations.

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NOTE 4 — DERIVATIVE LIABILITY (cont.)

The following table provides a summary of the changes in the derivative liability measured at fair value on a recurring basis using significant unobservable inputs:

Balance December 31, 2022	\$ 882,046
Change in fair value ⁽¹⁾	(708,869)
Balance December 31, 2023	\$ 173,177

(1) This decrease is primarily due to an increase in the liquidation preference used in the calculation of the derivative liability as a result of new issuances of Class 1 Preferred Units during the year

The following is a summary of the assumptions used in calculating the estimated fair value of such derivative liability:

	December 31, 2023	December 31, 2022
Range of assumed years of company sale transaction	2024 to 2026	2023 to 2026
Range of probability weights of a company sale transaction occurring in a given year	15% – 35%	5% – 30%
Overall probability of company sale transaction occurring at any point in the future	26%	18%
Discount rate applied to company sale transaction scenarios	35%	35%
Discount rate for business valuation utilized in company sale transaction scenarios	10%	10%

NOTE 5 — NATURAL GAS PROPERTIES, SUCCESSFUL EFFORTS METHOD

Major classes of natural gas properties are as follows:

	December 31,	
	2023	2022
Natural gas properties	44,529,178	35,437,557
Less: Accumulated Impairment	(22,998,077)	(22,998,077)
Natural gas properties, net	21,531,101	12,439,480
Other properties, at cost less accumulated depreciation	—	28,653
Natural gas and other properties, net	\$ 21,531,101	\$ 12,468,133

The Company uses the successful efforts method of accounting for natural gas -producing activities.

Under this method, the cost of productive wells and related equipment, development dry holes, and any permits related to productive acreage are capitalized, and depleted using the unit-of-production method.

NOTE 6 — COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES***Participation Agreements***

On June 26, 2009, the Company entered into a Participation Agreement with Societa Padana Energia ("Padana") termed the Longanesi field for the drilling of the 'Longanesi 1 exploration well, 'San Potito' concession and 'Abbadessee 1' exploration' collectively referred to as the Longanesi field.

The Unified Operating Agreement ("UOA") arrangement was originally signed between ENI and Grove and dated September 26, 2009. However, Padana has succeeded ENI as the operator, and AleAnna has succeeded Grove as the non-operator. Under the UOA, AleAnna and Padana have agreed to develop the Longanesi field to optimize the economic value of the identified reserves. AleAnna and Padana entered the UOA arrangement with initial participating

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shares in the Longanesi field equal to 33.5% for AleAnna and 66.5% for Padana, with Padana appointed as the operator. Padana is obliged to maintain the accounting records concerning the operations in compliance with the laws and generally accepted accounting practices followed in the Italian oil industry for the UOA arrangement.

AleAnna and Padana fund their respective working interest shares of the capital required for Longanesi development and will receive their respective shares of the production output from the unitized field. However, such working interest percentages may be subsequently amended as more certainty is obtained over the Gas Originally in Place ("GOIP") through redetermination procedures prescribed by the UOA. The redetermination process evaluates the results of the current development drilling program (well logs, production tests, etc.) and other new data that may be gathered from time to time (such as 3D seismic imaging) to determine if changes in GOIP have changed the respective working interest percentages. If a redetermination process suggests GOIP changes, but AleAnna and Padana do not agree on revised working interest percentages, an independent third party will opine and set the revised working interest allocations. Adjustments to future production entitlements and capital contributions may be made accordingly. Cash payments may be made between the participants where there is insufficient production to true up contributions to date. If a true up of historical capital contributions is required as a result of redetermination, such capital true-up amounts will include an interest charge based on the six-month EURIBOR rate and the date of the original capital contribution.

On October 26, 2023, Padana formally called for the First Redetermination process as defined in the UOA to begin. However, the outcome of this or any future redetermination, which may impact working interest percentages, and require a capital contribution rebalancing, is highly uncertain and such amounts are not estimable at this time. Accordingly, AleAnna has not recorded any receivable from or payable to Padana related to the redetermination process.

Contingencies and Legal Proceedings

The Company is subject to loss contingencies related to litigation, claims, investigations and legal and administrative cases and proceedings arising in the ordinary course of business. The Company evaluates these contingencies on a regular basis and accrues a liability for such matters when the Company believes that a loss is probable, and the amount of the loss can be reasonably estimated. Any such accruals are adjusted thereafter as appropriate to reflect changed circumstances. In the event the Company determines that (i) a loss to the Company is probable, but the amount of the loss cannot be reasonably estimated, or (ii) a loss to the Company is less likely than probable but is reasonably possible, then the Company is required to disclose the matter herein, although the Company is not required to accrue such loss.

When able, the Company determines an estimate of reasonably possible losses or ranges of reasonably possible losses, whether in excess of any related accrued liability or where there is no accrued liability, for legal proceedings. In instances where such estimates can be made, any such estimates are based on the Company's analysis of currently available information and are subject to significant judgment and a variety of assumptions and uncertainties and may change as new information is obtained.

The ultimate outcome of the matters described below, such as whether the likelihood of loss is remote, reasonably possible, or probable, or if and when the range of loss is reasonably estimable, is inherently uncertain.

Furthermore, due to the inherent subjectivity of the assessments and unpredictability of outcomes of legal proceedings, any amounts accrued or estimated as possible losses may not represent the ultimate loss to the Company from the legal proceedings in question and the Company's exposure and ultimate losses may be higher, and possibly significantly so, than the amounts accrued or estimated.

As described in Note 1, AleAnna acquired a 33.5% working interest in the Longanesi field. As part of the purchase, a legacy owner, Blugas Infrastructure S.r.l. ("Blugas"), retained an interest akin to an overriding royalty interest ("ORRI"), whereby Blugas is entitled to physical delivery of 20% of the first 350 million standard cubic meters ("SCM") produced from the Longanesi field. In accounting for the acquisition of the 33.5% working interest, we did

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not recognize an asset or liability in the consolidated financial statements related to the Blugas ORRI. Further, the Company's SEC Case reserves estimates contemplate the contractual arrangement and physical gas delivery to Blugas, such that the net cash flows attributable to the Company's 33.5% working interest have been reduced to reflect expected future volumes due to Blugas.

As of December 31, 2023, the physical volumes due to Blugas were being contested by AleAnna as usury because AleAnna considered, among other reasons, that extraction services and all associated risks are executed by AleAnna and that participation by Blugas is limited to financing a part of the sum necessary to start drilling, without participation in the construction and exploitation of the reservoir, and therefore did not share the risks or costs, which have increased compared to the initial forecast of the investment. AleAnna was continuing to evaluate the merits of the ORRI as of the reporting date and was evaluating potential legal remedies. Such remedies may have included future litigation, arbitration, or settlement. The outcome of the matter, including any potential lawsuit, arbitration, or settlement was uncertain as of the reporting date. As such, we did not recognize any benefit of the ORRI in the consolidated financial statements as of December 31, 2023, and 2022 as such matter represented a gain contingency that does not meet the criteria for realization. On May 28, 2024, the Company reached a settlement agreement with Blugas regarding the Blugas ORRI. See Note 12 for details of this settlement.

Leases

Leases to explore for or use minerals, oil, natural gas, and similar nonregenerative resources (see Topics 930, Extractive Activities — Mining, and 932, Extractive Activities — Oil and Gas) are excluded from the scope of ASC 842. The Company has surface and use agreements for Longanesi, Gradizza, Trava, and Armonia in Italy. These agreements are directly related to accessing the subsurface minerals and are assessed as part of the oil and gas properties. As of December 31, 2023, and 2022, all leases in AleAnna Energy's portfolio are short-term leases (12 months or less) and do not require recognition on the balance sheet.

NOTE 7 — TEMPORARY EQUITY AND MEMBERS' EQUITY

As of December 31, 2023, and 2022, the Company had 266,503 Common Units authorized, issued, and outstanding, authorized, respectively. The Common Units have no par value.

As of December 31, 2023, and 2022, the Company had 43,611 and 22,606 Class 1 Preferred Units authorized, issued, and outstanding, respectively. The Class 1 Preferred Units have no par value. The Class 1 Preferred Units are held by the majority equity owner, Nautilus.

Common Member Units

Dividend Rights

To the extent the Board reasonably determines that the Company has funds on hand available for distribution, distributions of Cumulative Available Funds shall be made first to the holders of Class 1 Preferred Units until Class 1 Payout has occurred (as defined in the subsequent discussion of Class 1 Preferred Units) with respect to all outstanding Class 1 Preferred Units.

Voting Rights

Voting Interest is comprised of Common Member Units and Class 1 Preferred Units (together, "Voting Units"). Matters requiring a vote are determined upon obtaining a majority of the Voting Interest attributable to the Voting Units.

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NOTE 7 — TEMPORARY EQUITY AND MEMBERS' EQUITY (cont.)

Liquidation

In the event of the Company's liquidation, dissolution or winding up ("Dissolution Event"), holders of the Company's equity will be entitled to share ratably with shares of the net assets legally available for distribution to equity holders after the payment of all of the Company's debts and other liabilities. The liquidation priority to equity holders is first to Class 1 Preferred Units and second to Common Member Units.

Rights and Preferences

If the Company proposes to issue any of its Units or other securities or other rights convertible into or containing options or rights to acquire any Units or other securities existing equity holders shall have the right to purchase its Voting Interest of the offered units.

Class 1 Preferred Units

Dividend Rights

To the extent the Board reasonably determines that the Company has funds on hand available for distribution, distributions of Cumulative Available Funds shall be made first to the holders of Class 1 Preferred Units until Class 1 Payout has occurred (as defined below) with respect to all outstanding Class 1 Preferred Units.

Redemption

The Company, upon approval by the Board, may redeem the Class 1 Preferred Units at any time in whole or in part, for cash, equal to the greater of:

- (i) the amount that, if distributed to the holder of such Class 1 Preferred Unit on the applicable redemption date, would cause Class 1 Payout to occur on such Class 1 Preferred Unit and
- (ii) the amount that the holder of such Class 1 Preferred Unit would receive in respect of such Class 1 Preferred Unit if, on the applicable redemption date, (a) all of the assets of the Company were sold for their fair market value and (b) the proceeds of such sale (net of any liabilities of the Company) were distributed to the Members in accordance with the distribution priority above.

Conversion Rights

The Class 1 Preferred Units will not be convertible, at the option of the holders or the Company, into Investor Units or otherwise.

Class 1 Payout

Upon liquidation or with respect to any distributions, Class 1 Preferred units are first in the liquidation priority and receive a Class 1 Payout in the amount equal to the greater of:

- A. The amount of the Capital Contribution made in exchange for such Class 1 Preferred Units multiplied by 3.5; and
- B. An amount equal to 35% of the issue price of such Preferred Stock per annum, calculated as if such amount were accruing daily and compounding annually on the anniversary of December 16, 2019, in each calendar year; less.
- C. The amount of any dividends or other distributions paid in respect of such Preferred Stock before the relevant return of capital.

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NOTE 7 — TEMPORARY EQUITY AND MEMBERS' EQUITY (cont.)

There are no events which require AleAnna Energy, LLC to repay the Class 1 Payout amount until deemed liquidation. Separately, there is no fixed interest on the units, and the stockholders are entitled to dividends as approved by AleAnna Energy, LLC's board. Due to the redemption features of the Class 1 Preferred Units, they are recorded at redemption value and classified as temporary equity in the consolidated balance sheets. The difference between the book value of Class 1 Preferred Units issued and the redemption value, less the amount attributable to the derivative liability discussed in Note 4, is recorded as a deemed dividend.

NOTE 8 — EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION

On September 1, 2022, the Company entered into an employment agreement with the CEO. Within this employment agreement, there is a Medium/Long Term Incentive Plan ("M/LTIP" or the "Plan") outlined, which includes cash bonus amounts to be paid based on the completion of certain milestones within the established thresholds. Such payments could result in total payments ranging from €375,000 to €1,125,000. Threshold dates for such payments range from May 31, 2024, through December 31, 2026.

The Company tracks each of the milestones for the executive compensation package based on the current and future business plans. Based on the metrics and performance indicators outlined in the executive compensation package, management has identified that the likelihood of achieving each of these metrics is not probable based on the financial performance as of December 31, 2023.

NOTE 9 — INCOME TAXES

No U.S. income tax expense was recorded by the Company for the years ended December 31, 2023, and 2022 as the Company has elected to be taxed as a partnership. However, AleAnna Energy's Italian subsidiary (AleAnna Italia, S.p.A.) is a joint stock company or S.p.A and is considered a corporation under the Italian tax code. In December 2022, the Company merged its Italian subsidiaries (AleAnna Italia S.r.l. and AleAnna Europa S.r.l.) into AleAnna Italia as a single entity and converted the Italia entity from an S.r.l. (flow-through entity under the Italian tax code) into a S.p.A (corporation under the Italian tax code). Therefore, the statutorily determined cumulative taxable loss of AleAnna Italia was tax affected and recognized as a deferred tax asset as of December 31, 2023, and 2022. The net operating loss carryforwards can be carried forward indefinitely. We have also recorded deferred tax assets for temporary differences between the book and tax basis in the underlying assets and liabilities.

The applicable Italian corporate tax rate is 24%, and the effective tax rates were 0% in 2023 and 2022. There are no reconciling items between the statutory rate and the effective tax rate other than the valuation allowance applied against our net deferred tax assets.

Given AleAnna's history of losses, and because future production remains uncertain, a full valuation allowance was applied against the deferred tax asset. The table below reconciles the Company's deferred tax assets:

	2023	2022
Deferred tax assets:		
Net operating loss carryforwards	\$ 11,128,340	\$ 10,223,786
Property and equipment	2,414,550	2,300,352
Asset retirement obligation	664,855	565,835
Contingent consideration	<u>6,065,049</u>	<u>6,160,110</u>
Total deferred tax assets	\$ 20,272,794	\$ 19,250,083
Valuation allowance	<u>(20,272,794)</u>	<u>(19,250,083)</u>
Net deferred tax asset	<u>\$ —</u>	<u>\$ —</u>

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NOTE 10 — RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

The Company follows FASB ASC subtopic 850 -10, Related Party Disclosures, for the identification of related parties and disclosure of related party transactions.

During the year ended December 31, 2021, the Company entered into a \$22,000 short -term loan from the Company's majority owner, Nautilus, which in 2022, was converted into a capital contribution with corresponding Class 1 Preferred Units issued. Due to the nature of the related party payable, there was no interest charged or term assigned to this note.

As of December 31, 2023, AleAnna had outstanding payables of \$525,276 to its parent company, Nautilus, primarily related to the payment of legal fees by Nautilus on behalf of AleAnna. These intercompany payables are presented as related party payables on the accompanying consolidated balance sheets and will be settled in the normal course of business.

There were no other related party transactions entered into for the year ended December 31, 2023, or 2022.

NOTE 11 — LOSS PER UNIT

The Company's net loss per Common Member Unit was calculated as follows:

	Year Ended December 31,	
	2023	2022
Net Loss	\$ (6,027,080)	\$ (3,282,970)
Deemed dividend to Class 1 Preferred Units redemption value	(53,219,200)	(25,814,723)
Net Loss attributable to holders of Common Member Units	<u>(59,246,280)</u>	<u>(29,097,693)</u>
Weighted average Common Member Units outstanding, basic and diluted	266,503	266,503
Net loss per Common Member Unit, basic and diluted	\$ (222.31)	\$ (109.18)

The Company calculates net loss per unit under ASC 260-10, *Earnings per Share*. The Class 1 Preferred Units were not considered to be participating based on their contractual rights. However, due to the redemption features of the Class 1 Preferred Units, they are recorded at redemption value and classified as temporary equity in the consolidated balance sheets. The difference between the book value of Class 1 Preferred Units issued and the redemption value, less the amount attributable to the derivative liability discussed in Note 4, is recorded as a deemed dividend. The deemed dividend reduced the net loss attributable to holders of Common Member Units in the calculation of the numerator above.

Basic loss per Common Member Unit is calculated by dividing net loss attributable to holders of Common Member Units by the weighted-average number of Common Member Units outstanding. The Class 1 Preferred Units have been excluded from the calculation as they are not convertible to Common Member Units. Further, any inclusion of such Class 1 Preferred Units, even if they were convertible to Common Member Units, would be anti-dilutive given the net loss in both periods. As such, the Company has not assumed conversion of the 43,611 and 22,606 Class 1 Preferred Units as of December 31, 2023 and 2022, respectively.

NOTE 12 — SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

The Company evaluated subsequent events and transactions that occurred after the balance sheet date up to July 3, 2024, the date that the financial statements were issued. See Note 1 for more information regarding the Business Combination.

Capital Contributions

Between January 2024 and May 2024, AleAnna received an aggregate of \$62.1 million in capital contributions from its members, resulting in the issuance of 62,100 Class 1 Preferred Units. These funds will be used to fund the Longanesi gas pipeline and plant activity obligations, as well as general and administrative expenses of AleAnna and its subsidiaries.

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NOTE 12 — SUBSEQUENT EVENTS (cont.)

Gas Sale Agreement

On March 8, 2024, the Company entered into a non-binding term sheet for a gas sale agreement ("GSA") with Shell Energy Europe Limited ("SEEL"), whereby SEEL will become the exclusive buyer of AleAnna's share of the natural gas produced from the Longanesi field net of (i) any consumption and/or losses incurred in the transport, treatment and compression of gas before delivery; (ii) any volume to be allocated for regulated royalties auctions, if applicable; and (iii) any other volume contractually allocated to other parties before August 31, 2022. The closing of the GSA is contingent upon the commencement of gas production and other customary closing conditions.

RNG Acquisition

On March 20, 2024, the Company closed the acquisition of the Campagnatico Greenfield natural gas plant in Tuscany, Italy for €2,000,000, or approximately \$2,150,000. The plant is fully permitted, and construction is scheduled to start in the fourth quarter of 2024. The Company is evaluating the accounting implications of this transaction.

Blugas Settlement

On May 28, 2024, the Company reached a settlement agreement with Blugas regarding the Blugas ORRI as detailed in Note 6. Under the terms of this agreement, AleAnna paid Blugas approximately €5 million, plus an additional €1.1 million in applicable VAT. In exchange, AleAnna is released from any future liability related to the Blugas ORRI. As a result of the transactions contemplated by the Blugas Settlement Agreement, AleAnna's 33.5% working interest in the Longanesi field is now unencumbered except for normal government royalties (10%). The Company is currently evaluating the accounting for this transaction.

NOTE 13 — NATURAL GAS PRODUCING ACTIVITIES (UNAUDITED)

The following supplemental information presents the results of natural gas activities in accordance with the successful efforts method of accounting.

The following table presents capitalized costs related to the development of natural gas discoveries (primarily the Longanesi field). See Note 5 for aggregate capitalized costs.

	For the Year Ended December 31,	
	2023	2022
Capitalized costs		
Proved properties	\$ 9,091,621	\$ 9,653,690
Less: Accumulated depreciation and depletion	—	—
Net capitalized costs	<u>\$ 9,091,621</u>	<u>\$ 9,653,690</u>

The following table presents costs incurred for acquisition of properties, exploration costs and development costs. As the Company's primary activities in 2022 and 2023 involved the development of the Longanesi field, and there were no new acquisitions and minimal exploration activities, the primary costs incurred during 2022 and 2023 were development costs.

	For the Year Ended December 31,	
	2023	2022
Acquisition of properties	\$ —	\$ —
Exploration costs	—	60,311
Development costs	9,091,621	9,653,690

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NOTE 13 — NATURAL GAS PRODUCING ACTIVITIES (UNAUDITED) (cont.)

Reserve Information

Proved developed reserves represent only those reserves expected to be recovered from existing wells and support equipment. Proved undeveloped reserves represent proved reserves expected to be recovered from new wells after substantial development costs are incurred.

The net reserve information disclosed herein encompasses only the Company's proved undeveloped Gradizza, Longanesi, and Trava discoveries. Other probable and possible reserves related to Gradizza, Longanesi, and Trava have been excluded. Other prospective resources related to AleAnna's additional exploration prospects beyond Gradizza, Longanesi, and Trava have also been excluded. The following table summarizes estimated net natural gas reserves in millions of cubic feet.

	December 31,	
	2023	2022
(10 ⁶ ft ³)		
Natural gas		
Proved developed and undeveloped reserves:		
Balance at January 1	13,778	11,735
Revision of previous estimates		
Due to extensions ⁽¹⁾	3,911	2,043
Due to discoveries ⁽¹⁾	—	—
Due to changes in sales prices ⁽¹⁾	—	—
Due to other additions ⁽¹⁾	—	—
Balance at December 31	<u>17,689</u>	<u>13,778</u>
Proved developed reserves:		
Balance at January 1	—	—
Balance at December 31	—	—
Proved undeveloped reserves:		
Balance at January 1	13,778	11,735
Revision of previous estimates		
Due to extensions ⁽¹⁾	3,911	2,043
Due to discoveries ⁽¹⁾	—	—
Due to changes in sales prices ⁽¹⁾	—	—
Due to other additions ⁽¹⁾	—	—
Balance at December 31	<u>17,689</u>	<u>13,778</u>

(1) Increases from extensions are solely related to the Company's recent Longanesi development drilling. Recent drilling activity consisted of the following: drilling of two gross Longanesi development wells (0.67 net wells to AleAnna's interest) during the year ended December 31, 2022, and drilling of one gross Longanesi development well (0.335 net to AleAnna's interest) during the year ended December 31, 2023. The 2,043 10⁶ft³ of reserves added during the year ended December 31, 2022 relate to the drilling of two gross Longanesi development wells (0.67 net wells to AleAnna's interest) during the year ended December 31, 2022. The 3,911 10⁶ft³ of reserves added during the year ended December 31, 2023 relate to the drilling of one gross Longanesi development well (0.335 net to AleAnna's interest) during the year ended December 31, 2023. There were no other positive or negative revisions to reserves other than the reserves added as a result of drilling. We had no other exploratory or development drilling during the years ended December 31, 2023 or 2022. AleAnna's existing reserves were considered economic and were expected to be recovered at the volume-weighted average price attributable to the estimated proved reserves of \$14.13 and \$24.55 per thousand cubic feet of gas for the year ended December 31, 2023, and 2022. As a result, there were no revisions to volumes in either year as a result of changes in sales prices during the years ended December 31, 2023 and 2022. The Company also had no other additions during the years ended December 31, 2023 or 2022.

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NOTE 13 — NATURAL GAS PRODUCING ACTIVITIES (UNAUDITED) (cont.)

Standard Measure of Discounted Future Cash Flow

Future net cash flows represent projected revenues from the sale of proved reserves, net of production and development costs (including transportation and gathering expenses, operating expenses and production taxes). Revenues are based on a twelve-month unweighted average of the first-day-of-the-month pricing, without escalation. Future cash flows are reduced by estimated production costs, administrative costs, costs to develop and produce the proved reserves and abandonment costs, all based on current economic conditions at each year-end. There can be no assurance that the proved reserves will be produced in the future or that prices, production or development costs will remain constant. There are numerous uncertainties inherent in estimating reserves and related information.

Management cautions that the standard measure of discounted future cash flows should not be viewed as an indication of the fair market value of natural gas producing properties, nor of the future cash flows expected to be generated. The information presented does not give recognition to future changes in estimated reserves, selling prices or costs and has been discounted at a rate of 10%. Further, the Company's SEC Case reserves estimates contemplate the contractual arrangement and physical gas delivery to Blugas, such that the net cash flows attributable to the Company's 33.5% working interest have been reduced, as previously discussed in Note 3. AleAnna's year-end December 31, 2023 reserve quantities included the 20% of 350 million standard cubic meters (approximately 2,472 an 10⁶ft³) allocable to the Blugas ORRI in its proved gas reserves. As such, utilizing the same assumptions as the December 31, 2023 DeGolyer & MacNaughton reserve report, if the cash payments allocable to Blugas were added back to AleAnna's December 31, 2023 future net cash flows and standardized measure of discounted future net cash flow, such amounts would have increased \$35.3 million and \$30.0 million, respectively. AleAnna's working interest (net revenue interest) as established under the terms of The Unified Operating Agreement ("UOA") arrangement originally signed between ENI and Grove and dated September 26, 2009, remains unchanged at 33.5%. The total \$6.6 million in acquisition costs related to the Blugas ORRI acquisition were not contemplated as part of the December 31, 2023 DeGolyer & MacNaughton reserve report and such amounts do not appear in AleAnna's December 31, 2023 future net cash flows and standardized measure of discounted future net cash flow as settlement discussions had not commenced (and did not commence until late first quarter 2024) and any potential settlement outcomes or amounts were unknown as of December 31, 2023.

The following table summarizes the estimated future net cash flows from natural gas reserves (in thousands). All amounts noted relate to the Company's onshore Italian oil and gas assets. The Company has no other oil and gas assets in other jurisdictions.

	December 31,	
	2023	2022
Consolidated entities:		
Future cash inflows ⁽¹⁾	\$ 249,944	\$ 338,267
Future production and development costs ⁽¹⁾	(117,452)	(147,351)
Future income tax expenses ⁽¹⁾	(41,888)	(66,399)
Future net cash flows	90,604	124,517
10% annual discount for estimated timing of cash flows	(20,680)	(34,043)
Standardized measure of discounted future net cash flows	<u>\$ 69,924</u>	<u>\$ 90,474</u>
Total consolidated interests in the standardized measure of discounted future cash flows	<u>\$ 69,924</u>	<u>\$ 90,474</u>

(1) Gas prices are based on a reference price. Gross gas price is calculated as the unweighted arithmetic average of the first day-of-the-month price for each month within a 12-month period prior to the end of the reporting period. The volume-weighted average price attributable to the estimated proved reserves was \$14.13 and \$24.55 per thousand cubic feet of gas for the year ended December 31, 2023, and 2022, respectively. Future net cash flows were computed using the volume-weighted average price used in estimating AleAnna's proved oil and gas reserves, and year-end costs, and statutory tax rates that relate to existing proved oil and gas reserves.

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NOTE 13 — NATURAL GAS PRODUCING ACTIVITIES (UNAUDITED) (cont.)

The following table summarizes the aggregate change in the standardized measure of discounted future net cash flows for individually significant sources of change (in thousands).

	December 31,	
	2023	2022
Beginning standardized measure of discounted future net cash flows	\$ 90,474	\$ 4,984
Net change in sales prices related to future production ⁽¹⁾	(96,635)	85,224
Net change due to extensions ⁽²⁾	51,044	11,050
Previously estimated development costs incurred during the period	3,281	7,943
Net change in income taxes	21,579	(19,164)
Accretion of discount	\$ 181	\$ 437
Aggregate change in the standardized measure of discounted future net cash flows ⁽³⁾	(20,550)	85,490
Ending standardized measure of discounted future net cash flows	\$ 69,924	\$ 90,474

(1) Gas prices are based on a reference price. Gross gas price is calculated as the unweighted arithmetic average of the first day-of-the-month price for each month within a 12-month period prior to the end of the reporting period. The volume-weighted average price attributable to the estimated proved reserves was \$14.13 and \$24.55 per thousand cubic feet of gas for the year ended December 31, 2023, and 2022, respectively.

(2) Increases from extensions are solely related to the Company's recent Longanesi development drilling. Recent drilling activity consisted of the following: drilling of two gross Longanesi development wells (0.67 net wells to AleAnna's interest) during the year ended December 31, 2022, and drilling of one gross Longanesi development well (0.335 net to AleAnna's interest) during the year ended December 31, 2023. The 2,043 10^6ft^3 of reserves added during the year ended December 31, 2022 relate to the drilling of two gross Longanesi development wells (0.67 net wells to AleAnna's interest) during the year ended December 31, 2022. The 3,911 10^6ft^3 of reserves added during the year ended December 31, 2023 relate to the drilling of one gross Longanesi development well (0.335 net to AleAnna's interest) during the year ended December 31, 2023. There were no other positive or negative revisions to reserves other than the reserves added as a result of drilling. We had no other exploratory or development drilling during the years ended December 31, 2023 or 2022. AleAnna's existing reserves were considered economic and were expected to be recovered at the volume-weighted average price attributable to the estimated proved reserves of \$14.13 and \$24.55 per thousand cubic feet of gas for the year ended December 31, 2023, and 2022. As a result, there were no revisions to volumes in either year as a result of changes in sales prices during the years ended December 31, 2023 and 2022. The Company also had no other additions during the years ended December 31, 2023 or 2022.

(3) From December 31, 2021 to December 31, 2022, the standardized measure of discounted future net cash flows increased due to both the increase in reserves from extensions as well as an increase in the volume-weighted average price attributable to the estimated proved reserves. From December 31, 2022 to December 31, 2023, the standardized measure of discounted future net cash flows decreases as a result of lower prices as noted immediately above in footnote 1. The decrease in price more than offset the increase in reserves from extensions during the year ended December 31, 2023, resulting in a net decrease to the standardized measure of discounted future cash flows from December 31, 2022 to December 31, 2023.

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SWIFTMERGE ACQUISITION CORP.
CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

	September 30, 2024 (Unaudited)	December 31, 2023
ASSETS		
Current assets:		
Cash	\$ 9,520	\$ 148,349
Prepaid expenses	22,543	—
Total current assets	<u>32,063</u>	<u>148,349</u>
Investments held in Trust Account	13,713,477	24,376,178
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>\$ 13,745,540</u>	<u>\$ 24,524,527</u>
LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' DEFICIT		
Current liabilities:		
Accounts payable	\$ 2,334,642	\$ 2,015,734
Accrued offering costs	311,430	311,430
Due to Sponsor	2,284	2,284
Accrued expenses	321,994	185,310
Accrued expenses – related party	64,516	55,516
Promissory note – related party	1,006,000	600,000
Due to related party	200,000	—
Total current liabilities and total liabilities	<u>4,240,866</u>	<u>3,170,274</u>
Commitments and Contingencies (Note 6)		
Class A ordinary shares subject to possible redemption, \$ 0.0001 par value; 1,214,913 and 2,246,910 shares issued and outstanding at redemption value of \$11.21 and \$10.80 per share as of September 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, respectively	13,613,477	24,276,178
Shareholders' Deficit		
Preference shares, \$0.0001 par value; 1,000,000 shares authorized; no shares issued and outstanding	—	—
Class A ordinary shares, \$0.0001 par value; 200,000,000 shares authorized; 3,375,000 shares issued and outstanding as of September 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, respectively (excluding 1,214,913 and 2,246,910 shares subject to possible redemption as of September 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, respectively)	337	337
Class B ordinary shares, \$0.0001 par value; 20,000,000 shares authorized; 2,250,000 issued and outstanding as of September 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, respectively	225	225
Additional paid-in capital	—	—
Accumulated deficit	(4,109,365)	(2,922,487)
Total Shareholders' Deficit	<u>(4,108,803)</u>	<u>(2,921,925)</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' DEFICIT	<u>\$ 13,745,540</u>	<u>\$ 24,524,527</u>

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

SWIFTMERGE ACQUISITION CORP.
UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS

	For the Three Months Ended September 30,		For the Nine Months Ended September 30,	
	2024	2023	2024	2023
Formation and operating costs	\$ 256,436	\$ 850,085	\$ 1,186,878	\$ 3,281,394
Loss from operations	(256,436)	(850,085)	(1,186,878)	(3,281,394)
Gain on investments held in Trust Account	179,258	1,198,052	663,121	6,212,416
Net (loss) income	\$ (77,178)	\$ 347,967	\$ (523,757)	\$ 2,931,022
 Basic and diluted weighted average shares outstanding, Class A redeemable ordinary shares	 1,214,913	 5,621,910	 1,542,591	 15,004,121
Basic and diluted net (loss) income per share, Class A redeemable ordinary shares	\$ (0.01)	\$ 0.04	\$ (0.07)	\$ 0.17
 Basic and diluted weighted average shares outstanding, Class A non-redeemable ordinary shares	 3,375,000	 —	 3,375,000	 —
Basic and diluted net loss per share, Class A non-redeemable ordinary shares	\$ (0.01)	\$ 0.00	\$ (0.07)	\$ 0.00
 Basic and diluted weighted average shares outstanding, Class B ordinary shares	 2,250,000	 2,250,000	 2,250,000	 2,097,527
Basic and diluted net (loss) income per share, Class B ordinary shares	\$ (0.01)	\$ 0.04	\$ (0.07)	\$ 0.17

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SWIFTMERGE ACQUISITION CORP.
UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN SHAREHOLDERS'
DEFICIT

FOR THE THREE AND NINE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2024

	Class A Ordinary Shares		Class B Ordinary Shares		Additional Paid-in Capital	Retained Earnings (Accumulated Deficit)	Total Shareholders' Deficit
	Shares	Amount	Shares	Amount			
Balance at							
January 1, 2024	3,375,000	\$ 337	2,250,000	\$ 225	—	\$ (2,922,487)	\$ (2,921,925)
Accretion of Class A ordinary shares to redemption amount							
—	—	—	—	—	—	(309,906)	(309,906)
Contribution from Sponsor of shares to be issued under non-redemption agreements							
—	—	—	—	—	326,773	—	326,773
Finance cost of shares to be issued under non-redemption agreements							
—	—	—	—	—	(326,773)	—	(326,773)
Net loss	—	—	—	—	—	(91,069)	(91,069)
Balance at							
March 31, 2024	3,375,000	337	2,250,000	225	—	(3,323,462)	(3,322,900)
Accretion of Class A ordinary shares to redemption amount							
—	—	—	—	—	—	(173,957)	(173,957)
Net loss	—	—	—	—	—	(355,510)	(355,510)
Balance at June 30,							
2024	3,375,000	337	2,250,000	225	\$ —	(3,852,929)	(3,852,367)
Accretion of Class A ordinary shares to redemption amount							
—	—	—	—	—	—	(179,258)	(179,258)
Net loss	—	—	—	—	—	(77,178)	(77,178)
Balance at							
September 30,	2024	3,375,000	\$ 337	2,250,000	\$ 225	\$ —	\$ (4,109,365)
							\$ (4,108,803)

FOR THE THREE AND NINE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2023

	Class A Ordinary Shares		Class B Ordinary Shares		Additional Paid-in Capital	Retained Earnings (Accumulated Deficit)	Total Shareholders' (Deficit) Equity
	Shares	Amount	Shares	Amount			
Balance at							
January 1, 2023	—	\$ —	5,625,000	\$ 562	\$ —	\$ 162,688	\$ 163,250
Accretion of Class A ordinary shares to redemption amount							
—	—	—	—	—	—	(2,328,946)	(2,328,946)
Net income	—	—	—	—	—	1,110,240	1,110,240
Balance at							
March 31, 2023	—	\$ —	5,625,000	562	\$ —	(1,056,018)	(1,055,456)
Conversion of Founder Shares to Class A							
Ordinary Shares	3,375,000	337	(3,375,000)	(337)	—	—	—
Accretion of Class A ordinary shares to redemption amount							
—	—	—	—	—	—	(2,685,418)	(2,685,418)
Net income	—	—	—	—	—	1,472,815	1,472,815

Balance at June 30, 2023	3,375,000	337	2,250,000	225	—	(2,268,621)	(2,268,059)
Accretion of Class A ordinary shares to redemption amount	—	—	—	—	—	(1,198,052)	(1,198,052)
Net income	—	—	—	—	—	347,967	347,967
Balance at September 30, 2023	<u>3,375,000</u>	<u>\$ 337</u>	<u>2,250,000</u>	<u>\$ 225</u>	<u>\$ —</u>	<u>\$ (3,118,708)</u>	<u>\$ (3,118,144)</u>

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SWIFTMERGE ACQUISITION CORP.
UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

	For the Nine Months Ended September 30,	
	2024	2023
Cash Flows from Operating Activities:		
Net (loss) income	\$ (523,757)	\$ 2,931,022
Adjustments to reconcile net (loss) income to net cash used in operating activities:		
Gain on investments held in Trust Account	(663,121)	(6,212,416)
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:		
Prepaid expenses	(22,543)	385,954
Accounts payable	318,908	1,817,266
Accrued expenses	136,684	277,037
Accrued expenses – related party	9,000	9,000
Net cash used in operating activities	(744,829)	(792,137)
Cash Flows from Investing Activities:		
Proceeds from Trust Account for payment to redeeming shareholders	11,325,822	211,918,104
Net cash provided by investing activities	11,325,822	211,918,104
Cash Flows from Financing Activities:		
Payment to redeeming shareholders	(11,325,822)	(211,918,104)
Proceeds from Promissory note – related party	406,000	400,000
Proceeds from related party loans	200,000	—
Net cash used in financing activities	(10,719,822)	(211,518,104)
Net Change in Cash		
Cash – Beginning of period	148,349	461,914
Cash – End of period	\$ 9,520	\$ 69,777
Non-cash investing and financing activities:		
Shareholder non-redemption agreement	\$ 326,773	\$ —
Accretion of Class A ordinary shares subject to redemption value	\$ 663,121	\$ 6,212,416
Conversion of Founder Shares to Class A ordinary shares	\$ —	\$ 337

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

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NOTE 1. DESCRIPTION OF ORGANIZATION, BUSINESS OPERATIONS, LIQUIDITY AND GOING CONCERN

Swiftmerge Acquisition Corp. (the "Company") is a blank check company incorporated as a Cayman Islands exempted company on February 3, 2021. The Company was formed for the purpose of entering into a merger, share exchange, asset acquisition, share purchase, reorganization or similar business combination with one or more businesses (a "Business Combination"). The Company is not limited to a particular industry or geographic region for purposes of consummating a Business Combination. The Company is an early stage and emerging growth company and, as such, the Company is subject to all of the risks associated with early stage and emerging growth companies.

As of September 30, 2024, the Company had not commenced any operations. All activity for the period from February 3, 2021 (inception) through September 30, 2024 relates to the Company's formation, the initial public offering ("Initial Public Offering") as described below, and since the closing of the Initial Public Offering, the search for a prospective initial Business Combination. The Company will not generate any operating revenues until after the completion of a Business Combination, at the earliest. The Company will generate non-operating income in the form of interest income from the proceeds derived from the Initial Public Offering. The Company has selected December 31 as its fiscal year end.

The registration statement for the Company's Initial Public Offering was declared effective on December 14, 2021. On December 17, 2021, the Company consummated the Initial Public Offering of 20,000,000 units (the "Units" and, with respect to the Class A ordinary shares included in the Units sold, the "Public Shares") at \$10.00 per Unit, generating total gross proceeds of \$ 200,000,000, which is described in Note 4.

Simultaneously with the closing of the Initial Public Offering, the Company consummated the sale of 8,600,000 warrants (the "Private Placement Warrants") at a price of \$1.00 per Private Placement Warrant in a private placement to Swiftmerge Holdings, LP (the "Sponsor") and eleven qualified institutional buyers or institutional accredited investors (the "Anchor Investors") generating gross proceeds of \$8,600,000, which is described in Note 5.

On January 18, 2022, the Company announced the closing of its sale of an additional 2,500,000 Units pursuant to the partial exercise by the underwriter of its over-allotment option (the "Over-Allotment Option"). The Units were sold at an offering price of \$ 10.00 per Unit, generating gross proceeds of \$25,000,000. Simultaneously with the partial exercise of the Over-Allotment Option, the Company sold an additional 750,000 Private Placement Warrants to the Sponsor, generating gross proceeds to the Company of \$750,000.

Following the closing of the Initial Public Offering (including the closing of the Over-Allotment Option), an aggregate amount of \$227,250,000 was placed in the Company's trust account (the "Trust Account") established in connection with the Initial Public Offering, invested only in U.S. government treasury obligations with maturities of 185 days or less or in money market funds meeting certain conditions under Rule 2a-7 under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended (the "Investment Company Act"), which invest only in direct U.S. government treasury obligations, until the earlier of: (i) the completion of a Business Combination and (ii) the distribution of the funds held in the Trust Account, as described below.

Transaction costs related to the issuances described above amounted to \$ 26,958,716, consisting of \$4,500,000 of cash underwriting fees, \$7,875,000 of deferred underwriting fees, \$13,605,750 for the excess fair value of Founder Shares attributable to the Anchor Investors (as described in Note 6) and \$977,966 of other offering costs.

The Company's management has broad discretion with respect to the specific application of the net proceeds of the Initial Public Offering and the sale of the Private Placement Warrants, although substantially all of the net proceeds are intended to be applied generally toward consummating a Business Combination. There is no assurance that the Company will be able to complete a Business Combination successfully. The Company must complete a Business Combination with one or more target businesses that together have an aggregate fair market value of at least 80% of the value of the Trust Account (excluding the deferred underwriting commissions and taxes payable on income earned on the Trust Account) at the time of the agreement to enter into an initial Business Combination. The Company will only complete a Business Combination if the post-transaction company owns or acquires 50% or more of the outstanding voting securities of the target or otherwise acquires a controlling interest in the target sufficient for it not to be required to register as an investment company under the Investment Company Act.

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The Company will provide its holders of Public Shares (the "Public Shareholders") with the opportunity to redeem all or a portion of their Public Shares upon the completion of a Business Combination either (i) in connection with a shareholder meeting called to approve the Business Combination or (ii) by means of a tender offer. The decision as to whether the Company will seek shareholder approval of a Business Combination or conduct a tender offer will be made by the Company, solely in its discretion. The Public Shareholders will be entitled to redeem their Public Shares for a pro rata portion of the amount then in the Trust Account (\$10.10 per Public Share, plus any pro rata interest earned on the funds held in the Trust Account and not previously released to the Company to pay its tax obligations). There will be no redemption rights upon the completion of a Business Combination with respect to the Company's warrants. The Public Shares subject to redemption are recorded at redemption value and classified as temporary equity upon the completion of the Initial Public Offering in accordance with the Financial Accounting Standards Board's ("FASB") Accounting Standards Codification ("ASC") Topic 480, Distinguishing Liabilities from Equity ("ASC 480").

The Company will proceed with a Business Combination only if the Company has net tangible assets of at least \$5,000,001 either prior to or upon such consummation of a Business Combination and, if the Company seeks shareholder approval, a majority of the shares voted are voted in favor of the Business Combination. If a shareholder vote is not required by law and the Company does not decide to hold a shareholder vote for business or other reasons, the Company will, pursuant to its Amended and Restated Memorandum and Articles of Association (the "Amended and Restated Memorandum and Articles of Association"), conduct the redemptions pursuant to the tender offer rules of the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") and file tender offer documents with the SEC prior to completing a Business Combination. If, however, shareholder approval of the transaction is required by law, or the Company decides to obtain shareholder approval for business or other reasons, the Company will offer to redeem shares in conjunction with a proxy solicitation pursuant to the proxy rules and not pursuant to the tender offer rules. If the Company seeks shareholder approval in connection with a Business Combination, the Sponsor has agreed to vote its Founder Shares (as defined in Note 6) and any Public Shares it holds purchased during or after the Initial Public Offering in favor of approving a Business Combination. Additionally, each Public Shareholder may elect to redeem their Public Shares irrespective of whether they vote for or against the proposed transaction or do not vote at all.

Notwithstanding the above, if the Company seeks shareholder approval of a Business Combination and it does not conduct redemptions pursuant to the tender offer rules, the Amended and Restated Memorandum and Articles of Association provides that a Public Shareholder, together with any affiliate of such shareholder or any other person with whom such shareholder is acting in concert or as a "group" (as defined under Section 13 of the Exchange Act), will be restricted from redeeming its shares with respect to more than an aggregate of 15% or more of the Public Shares, without the prior consent of the Company.

The Company's Sponsor, directors, advisors, Anchor Investors (as described in Note 6) and executive officers have agreed to waive (i) redemption rights with respect to their Founder Shares and Public Shares held by them in connection with the completion of a Business Combination, (ii) redemption rights with respect to any Founder Shares and Public Shares held by them in connection with a shareholder vote to amend the Amended and Restated Memorandum and Articles of Association to modify the substance or timing of the Company's obligation to allow redemption in connection with an initial Business Combination or to redeem 100% of their Public Shares if the Company does not complete an initial Business Combination within 18 months from the closing of the Initial Public Offering, unless extended, or with respect to any other material provision relating to shareholders' rights or pre-initial Business Combination activity and (iii) rights to liquidating distributions from the Trust Account with respect to any Founder Shares held if the Company fails to complete an initial Business Combination within 18 months from the closing of the Initial Public Offering, unless extended. However, if the Sponsor acquires Public Shares in or after the Initial Public Offering, such Public Shares will be entitled to liquidating distributions from the Trust Account if the Company fails to complete a Business Combination within 18 months from the closing of the Initial Public Offering, unless extended.

The Company had until 18 months from the closing of the Initial Public Offering, unless extended, to complete a Business Combination (the "Combination Period"). If the Company is unable to complete a Business Combination within the Combination Period, the Company will (i) cease all operations except for the purpose of winding up;

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(ii) as promptly as reasonably possible but no more than ten business days thereafter, redeem the Public Shares, at a per-share price, payable in cash, equal to the aggregate amount then on deposit in the Trust Account, including interest earned on the funds held in the Trust Account and not previously released to the Company to pay income taxes, if any (less up to \$100,000 of interest to pay dissolution expenses) divided by the number of the then-outstanding Public Shares, which redemption will completely extinguish Public Shareholders' rights as shareholders (including the right to receive further liquidation distributions, if any); and (iii) as promptly as reasonably possible following such redemption, subject to the approval of the Company's remaining shareholders and board of directors, liquidate and dissolve, subject in each case to the Company's obligations under Cayman Islands law to provide for claims of creditors and the requirements of other applicable law. There will be no redemption rights or liquidating distributions with respect to the Company's warrants, which will expire worthless if the Company fails to complete a Business Combination within the Combination Period.

The underwriter agreed to waive its rights to their deferred underwriting commission (see Note 7) held in the Trust Account in the event the Company does not complete a Business Combination within the Combination Period and, in such event, such amounts will be included with the other funds held in the Trust Account that will be available to fund the redemption of the Public Shares. In the event of such distribution, it is possible that the per share value of the assets remaining available for distribution will be less than the initial redemption amount of \$10.10 per share.

In November 2022, the Company obtained a waiver letter (the "Waiver Letter") from the underwriter that waived all rights to the deferred underwriting commissions payable to the underwriter at the closing of the Company's initial Business Combination.

On June 15, 2023, the Company reconvened the extraordinary general meeting of the Company's shareholders, which had been adjourned from June 12, 2023 (the "June 2023 Meeting"). At the June 2023 Meeting, the shareholders of the Company approved an amendment of the investment management trust agreement, dated December 17, 2021 (the "Trust Agreement"), by and between the Company and Continental Stock Transfer & Trust Company ("Continental"), to change the date on which Continental must commence liquidation of the Trust Account to the earliest of (i) the Company's completion of an initial business combination or (ii) March 15, 2024. At the June 2023 Meeting, the Company's shareholders approved (i) a proposal to amend the Company's Amended and Restated Memorandum and Articles of Association to provide the Company with the right to extend the date by which the Company must consummate its initial Business Combination, from June 17, 2023 to March 15, 2024 and (ii) a proposal to provide for the right of a holder of the Company's Class B ordinary shares to convert such shares into Class A ordinary shares on a one-for-one basis at any time and from time to time prior to the closing of a business combination at the election of the holder (the "Founder Share Amendment Proposal").

In connection with the shareholders' vote at the June 2023 Meeting, the holders of 20,253,090 Class A ordinary shares properly exercised their right to redeem their shares for cash at a redemption price of approximately \$10.40 per share, for an aggregate redemption amount of \$211,918,105.

Immediately following the approval of the proposals at the June 2023 Meeting, the Sponsor, as the holder of 3,375,000 Class B ordinary shares, converted all 3,375,000 of such shares into the same number of Class A ordinary shares.

On March 15, 2024, the Company reconvened the extraordinary general meeting of the Company's shareholders, which had been adjourned from March 13, 2024 (the "March 2024 Meeting"). At the March 2024 Meeting, the shareholders of the Company approved a second amendment (the "Second Trust Amendment") of the Trust Agreement to change the date on which Continental must commence liquidation of the Trust Account to the earliest of (i) the Company's completion of an initial business combination or (ii) June 17, 2025 ("the Extension Date"). At the March 2024 Meeting, the Company's shareholders also approved a proposal to amend the Company's Amended and Restated Memorandum and Articles of Association to provide the Company with the right to extend the date by which the Company must consummate its initial Business Combination (the "Extension"), from March 15, 2024 to June 17, 2025 (the "Extension Amendment Proposal").

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In connection with the shareholders' vote at the March 2024 Meeting, the holders of 1,031,997 Class A ordinary shares properly exercised their right to redeem their shares for cash at a redemption price of approximately \$10.92 per share, for an aggregate redemption amount of approximately \$11.3 million.

As a result of the redemptions described above and the conversion of the Sponsor's Class B ordinary shares, there are an aggregate of 4,589,913 Class A ordinary shares outstanding.

Under Cayman Islands law, the amendments described above took effect immediately upon approval by the shareholders of the applicable Extension Amendment Proposal, Trust Amendment Proposal and the Founder Share Amendment Proposal.

In order to protect the amounts held in the Trust Account, the Sponsor has agreed that it will be liable to the Company if and to the extent any claims by a third party for services rendered or products sold to the Company (other than the Company's independent registered public accounting firm), or a prospective target business with which the Company has discussed entering into a transaction agreement, reduce the amounts in the Trust Account to below the lesser of (i) \$10.10 per Public Share and (ii) the actual amount per Public Share held in the Trust Account as of the date of the liquidation of the Trust Account if less than \$10.10 per Public Share due to reductions in the value of the trust assets, in each case net of the interest that may be withdrawn to pay tax obligations, provided that such liability will not apply to any claims by a third party or prospective target business that executed a waiver of any and all rights to seek access to the Trust Account nor will it apply to any claims under the indemnity of the underwriter of the Initial Public Offering against certain liabilities, including liabilities under the Securities Act. The Company will seek to reduce the possibility that the Sponsor will have to indemnify the Trust Account due to claims of creditors by endeavoring to have all vendors, service providers (other than the Company's independent registered public accounting firm), prospective target businesses or other entities with which the Company does business, execute agreements with the Company waiving any right, title, interest or claim of any kind in or to monies held in the Trust Account.

On March 14, 2024, the Company and the Sponsor entered into non-redemption agreements (each, a "Non-Redemption Agreement") with one or more unaffiliated third party or parties (the "Investors") in exchange for each such third party or third parties agreeing not to redeem certain public Class A ordinary shares of the Company sold in its initial public offering (the "Non-Redeemed Shares") at the March 2024 Meeting. In exchange for the foregoing commitments not to redeem such Non-Redeemed Shares, the Company and the Sponsor agreed, among other items, that the Sponsor will assign an economic interest in certain of its Founder Shares to the Investor at the rate of 3 Founder Shares for each 10 Non-Redeemed Shares.

The Non-Redemption Agreements increased the likelihood that the Extension Amendment Proposal would be approved by the Company's shareholders, and increase the amount of funds that remain in the Trust Account following the March 2024 Meeting, relative to the amount of funds that would be expected to be remaining in the Trust Account following the March 2024 Meeting had the Non-Redemption Agreements not been entered into and the shares subject to such agreements had been redeemed.

The Original Merger Agreement and Subsequent Termination

On August 11, 2023, Swiftmerge entered into a Merger Agreement (the "Original Merger Agreement") with HDL Therapeutics, Inc., a Delaware corporation ("HDL"), and IVCP Merger Sub, Inc., a Delaware corporation and a direct wholly owned subsidiary of Swiftmerge ("Original Merger Sub" and, together with Swiftmerge and HDL the "Parties").

On February 14, 2024, the Company, HDL and Original Merger Sub entered into a Mutual Termination Agreement (the "Mutual Termination Agreement") pursuant to which they terminated the Original Merger Agreement by mutual agreement and each party, on behalf of itself and its agents, released, waived and forever discharged the other parties and their agents of and from any and all obligation or liability arising under the Original Merger Agreement. No termination fee or other payment is due to either party from the other as a result of the termination.

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The Merger Agreement

On June 4, 2024, the Company entered into an Agreement and Plan of Merger (the "Merger Agreement") with Swiftmerge HoldCo LLC, a Delaware limited liability company and wholly-owned subsidiary of Swiftmerge ("HoldCo"), Swiftmerge Merger Sub LLC, a Delaware limited liability company and wholly-owned subsidiary of HoldCo ("Merger Sub" and, together with the Company and HoldCo, collectively, the "Swiftmerge Parties"), and AleAnna Energy, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("AleAnna"). Pursuant to the Merger Agreement, (i) the Company will de-register as an exempted company in the Cayman Islands and transfer by way of continuation as a Delaware corporation (the "Domestication") and (ii) on the Closing Date, following the Domestication, Merger Sub will merge with and into AleAnna (the "Merger" and together with the Domestication and the other transactions contemplated by the Merger Agreement, the "Business Combination") with AleAnna continuing as the surviving entity of the Merger and a subsidiary of the Company.

At the closing of the Business Combination (the "Closing") on the date the Business Combination is consummated (the "Closing Date"), Swiftmerge will domesticate from a Cayman Islands exempted company to a Delaware corporation (the "Domestication"), upon which, (a) Swiftmerge will change its name to "AleAnna, Inc." ("Surviving PubCo"); (b) each Class A ordinary share, par value \$0.0001 per share, of Swiftmerge ("Swiftmerge Class A Ordinary Shares") will convert into one share of Class A common stock, par value \$0.0001 per share, of Surviving PubCo ("Surviving PubCo Class A Common Stock"); (c) each Class B ordinary share, par value \$0.0001 per share, of Swiftmerge ("Swiftmerge Class B Ordinary Shares" and together with the Swiftmerge Class A Ordinary Shares, the "Swiftmerge Ordinary Shares") will convert into one share of Class B common stock, par value \$0.0001 per share, of Surviving PubCo; (d) each warrant to purchase Swiftmerge Class A Ordinary Shares will convert on a one-to-one basis into a warrant to acquire shares of Surviving PubCo Class A Common Stock on the same terms and conditions as the converted warrants; and (e) a series of Class C common stock, par value \$0.0001 per share, of Surviving PubCo ("Surviving PubCo Class C Common Stock") will be authorized, each share of which will have voting rights equal to a share of Surviving PubCo Class A Common Stock but which shall have no entitlement to earnings or distributions of Surviving PubCo.

The aggregate merger consideration to be issued to equity holders of the Company immediately prior to the Closing is equal to 65,098,476 shares of either or a combination of (a) Surviving PubCo Class A Common Stock or (b) Surviving PubCo Class C Common Stock (with one Class C HoldCo Unit to accompany each share of Surviving PubCo Class C Common Stock) (the "Merger Consideration"). At the effective time of the Merger, each membership unit of the Company shall convert into and become the right to receive a portion of the Merger Consideration based on such unit holder's right to certain distributions upon a sale of AleAnna in accordance with AleAnna's operating agreement, as more particularly set forth in the Merger Agreement.

Concurrently with the execution of the Merger Agreement, Swiftmerge, the Company, Swiftmerge Holdings LP, a Delaware limited partnership ("Sponsor") and certain affiliates and representatives of Sponsor (including the officers and directors of Swiftmerge) (together with Sponsor, collectively, the "Sponsor Related Parties") entered into an amended and restated letter agreement (the "A&R Sponsor Letter Agreement"), pursuant to which each Sponsor Related Party has agreed to, among other things, (a) vote its Swiftmerge Ordinary Shares in favor of the Merger Agreement and the Business Combination, including the Merger, (b) take all other actions necessary to consummate the Business Combination, (c) not transfer the Swiftmerge Ordinary Shares beneficially owned by such Sponsor Related Party prior to the Closing, (d) certain lock-up provisions with respect to such Sponsor Related Party's shares of Surviving PubCo Class A Common Stock for twelve (12) months following the Closing, (e) waive and not otherwise perfect any anti-dilution or similar protection with respect to any Swiftmerge Ordinary Shares beneficially owned by such Sponsor Related Party, (f) waive any and all redemption rights in connection with the Business Combination, (g) with respect to Sponsor, assume liability and responsibility for certain liabilities of Swiftmerge and (h) effective immediately prior to the Domestication and conditioned upon the Closing, surrender all Swiftmerge Ordinary Shares and all warrants to purchase Swiftmerge Class A Ordinary Shares issued by Swiftmerge in a private placement to Sponsor and the Anchor Investors (as defined below) in connection with Swiftmerge's initial public offering ("Swiftmerge Private Warrants"), in each case held by such Sponsor Related Party, other than a number of Swiftmerge Class A Ordinary Shares to be retained by such Sponsor Related Party.

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On October 8, 2024, the Swiftmerge Parties and AleAnna entered into the First Amendment to the Merger Agreement (the "Merger Agreement Amendment"), which, among other things, revised certain provisions relating to the payment of SPAC Transaction Expenses or other SPAC Liabilities upon the closing of the Business Combination, including the addition of a closing condition that all such payments have been made, removed the requirement that the Company, HoldCo and certain of the Company Members enter into a Tax Receivable Agreement and revised the Amended and Restated HoldCo LLC Agreement to eliminate cash settlement in the mechanics for exchanges of Class C HoldCo Units and Surviving PubCo Class C Common Stock for Surviving PubCo Class A Common Stock.

Liquidity, Capital Resources, and Going Concern

As of September 30, 2024, the Company had cash held outside of the Trust Account of \$ 9,520 and a working capital deficit of \$4,208,803.

Prior to the completion of the Initial Public Offering, substantial doubt about the Company's ability to continue as a going concern existed as the Company lacked the liquidity it needed to sustain operations for a reasonable period of time, which is considered to be one year from the issuance date of the financial statements. The Company has since completed its Initial Public Offering at which time capital in excess of the funds deposited in the Trust Account and/or used to fund offering expenses was released to the Company for general working capital purposes.

Furthermore, the Company will have until June 17, 2025 to complete a Business Combination. If a Business Combination is not consummated by June 17, 2025 and an extension has not been effected, there will be a mandatory liquidation and subsequent dissolution of the Company.

Based on historical and expected future cash outflows, the amounts held in the operating account will not provide the Company with sufficient funds to meet its operational and liquidity obligations up to the expiration date of June 17, 2025.

Based on the liquidity condition and the mandatory liquidation, management has determined that there is substantial doubt about the Company's ability to continue as a going concern for a period of time within one year after the date that these financial statements are issued. Management plans to address this uncertainty through a Business Combination, additional working capital loans or extension as discussed above. There is no assurance that the Company's plans to consummate a Business Combination, obtain additional working capital loans, or extension will be successful. While management expects to have sufficient access to additional sources of capital if necessary, there is no current confirmed financing commitment, and no assurance can be provided that such additional financing will become available to the Company.

The financial statements do not include any adjustments that might result from the outcome of this uncertainty.

NOTE 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of Presentation

The accompanying financial statements are presented in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("US GAAP") and pursuant to the rules and regulations of the SEC.

Certain information or footnote disclosures normally included in financial statements prepared in accordance with GAAP have been condensed or omitted, pursuant to the rules and regulations of the SEC for interim financial reporting. Accordingly, they do not include all the information and footnotes necessary for a comprehensive presentation of financial position, results of operations, or cash flows. In the opinion of management, the accompanying condensed consolidated financial statements include all adjustments, consisting of a normal recurring nature, which are necessary for a fair presentation of the financial position, operating results and cash flows for the periods presented. The accompanying unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements should be read in conjunction with the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K as filed with the SEC on April 1, 2024. The interim results for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2024 are not necessarily indicative of the results to be expected for the year ending December 31, 2024 or for any future periods.

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NOTE 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (cont.)

Emerging Growth Company

The Company is an "emerging growth company," as defined in Section 2(a) of the Securities Act, as modified by the Jumpstart Our Business Startups Act of 2012 (the "JOBS Act"), and it may take advantage of certain exemptions from various reporting requirements that are applicable to other public companies that are not emerging growth companies including, but not limited to, not being required to comply with the independent registered public accounting firm attestation requirements of Section 404 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act, reduced disclosure obligations regarding executive compensation in its periodic reports and proxy statements, and exemptions from the requirements of holding a nonbinding advisory vote on executive compensation and shareholder approval of any golden parachute payments not previously approved.

Further, Section 102(b)(1) of the JOBS Act exempts emerging growth companies from being required to comply with new or revised financial accounting standards until private companies (that is, those that have not had a Securities Act registration statement declared effective or do not have a class of securities registered under the Exchange Act) are required to comply with the new or revised financial accounting standards. The JOBS Act provides that a company can elect to opt out of the extended transition period and comply with the requirements that apply to non-emerging growth companies but any such election to opt out is irrevocable. The Company has elected not to opt out of such extended transition period which means that when a standard is issued or revised and it has different application dates for public or private companies, the Company, as an emerging growth company, can adopt the new or revised standard at the time private companies adopt the new or revised standard. This may make comparison of the Company's financial statements with another public company which is neither an emerging growth company nor an emerging growth company which has opted out of using the extended transition period difficult or impossible because of the potential differences in accounting standards used.

Use of Estimates

The preparation of the financial statements in conformity with US GAAP requires the Company's management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period.

Making estimates requires management to exercise significant judgment. It is at least reasonably possible that the estimate of the effect of a condition, situation or set of circumstances that existed at the date of the financial statements, which management considered in formulating its estimate, could change in the near term due to one or more future confirming events. Accordingly, the actual results could differ significantly from those estimates.

Cash and Cash Equivalents

The Company considers all short-term investments with an original maturity of three months or less when purchased to be cash equivalents. The Company had \$9,520 and \$148,349 in cash as of September 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, respectively. The Company did not have any cash equivalents as of September 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023.

Investments Held in Trust Account

As of September 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, the assets held in the Trust Account were held in money market funds, which are invested in U.S. Treasury securities. As of September 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, the Company had \$13,713,477 and \$24,376,178 in investments held in the Trust Account, respectively.

The Company's portfolio of investments is comprised of U.S. government securities, within the meaning set forth in Section 2(a)(16) of the Investment Company Act, with a maturity of 185 days or less, or investments in money market funds that invest in U.S. government securities and generally have a readily determinable fair value, or a combination thereof. When the Company's investments held in the Trust Account are comprised of U.S. government

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securities, the investments are classified as trading securities. When the Company's investments held in the Trust Account are comprised of money market funds, the investments are recognized at fair value. Trading securities and investments in money market funds are presented on the balance sheets at fair value at the end of each reporting period. Gains and losses resulting from the change in fair value of these securities is included in unrealized gains on investments held in the Trust Account in the accompanying statements of operations. The estimated fair values of investments held in the Trust Account are determined using available market information.

Ordinary Shares Subject to Possible Redemption

All of the 22,500,000 Class A ordinary shares, of which 1,214,913 Class A ordinary shares remain outstanding at September 30, 2024, sold as part of the Units in the Initial Public Offering contain a redemption feature which allows for the redemption of such Public Shares in connection with the Company's liquidation, if there is a shareholder vote or tender offer in connection with the Business Combination and in connection with certain amendments to the Amended and Restated Memorandum and Articles of Association. In accordance with ASC 480-10-S99, redemption provisions not solely within the control of the Company require ordinary shares subject to redemption to be classified outside of permanent equity. Therefore, the Class A ordinary shares not under the control of the Company have been classified outside of permanent equity.

The Company recognizes changes in redemption value immediately as they occur and adjusts the carrying value of redeemable ordinary shares to equal the redemption value at the end of each reporting period. Increases or decreases in the carrying amount of redeemable ordinary shares are affected by charges against additional paid-in capital and accumulated deficit. The redemption value of the redeemable ordinary shares as of September 30, 2024 increased as the income earned on the Trust Account exceeds the Company's expected dissolution expenses (up to \$100,000). As such, the Company recorded an increase in the carrying amount of the redeemable ordinary shares of \$179,258 in the three months ended September 30, 2024.

As of September 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, the Class A ordinary shares reflected in the balance sheets are reconciled in the following table:

Class A ordinary shares subject to possible redemption at January 1, 2024	\$ 24,276,178
Less:	
Redemptions	(11,325,822)
Plus:	
Remeasurement of carrying value to redemption value	309,906
Class A ordinary shares subject to possible redemption at March 31, 2024	13,260,262
Plus:	
Remeasurement of carrying value to redemption value	173,957
Class A ordinary shares subject to possible redemption at June 30, 2024	13,434,219
Plus:	
Remeasurement of carrying value to redemption value	179,258
Class A ordinary shares subject to possible redemption at September 30, 2024	\$ 13,613,477

Offering Costs associated with the Initial Public Offering

The Company complies with the requirements of ASC 340-10-S99-1 and SEC Staff Accounting Bulletin Topic 5A — *Expenses of Offering*. Offering costs consist principally of professional and registration fees incurred through the balance sheet date that are related to the Initial Public Offering. Offering costs directly attributable to the issuance of an equity contract to be classified in equity are recorded as a reduction in equity. Offering costs for equity contracts that are classified as assets and liabilities are expensed immediately. The Company incurred offering costs amounting to \$26,958,716, consisting of \$4,500,000 of cash underwriting fees, \$7,875,000 of deferred underwriting

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fees (subsequently derecognized), \$13,605,750 for the excess fair value of Founder Shares attributable to the Anchor Investors (as described in Note 5) and \$977,966 of other offering costs. As such, the Company recorded \$24,864,388 of offering costs as a reduction of temporary equity and \$ 2,094,328 of offering costs as a reduction of permanent equity.

Income Taxes

The Company accounts for income taxes under ASC 740, *Income Taxes* ("ASC 740"). ASC 740 requires the recognition of deferred tax assets and liabilities for both the expected impact of differences between the financial statements and tax basis of assets and liabilities and for the expected future tax benefit to be derived from tax loss and tax credit carry forwards. ASC 740 additionally requires a valuation allowance to be established when it is more likely than not that all or a portion of deferred tax assets will not be realized.

ASC 740 also clarifies the accounting for uncertainty in income taxes recognized in an enterprise's financial statements and prescribes a recognition threshold and measurement process for financial statements recognition and measurement of a tax position taken or expected to be taken in a tax return. For those benefits to be recognized, a tax position must be more-likely-than-not to be sustained upon examination by taxing authorities. ASC 740 also provides guidance on derecognition, classification, interest and penalties, accounting in interim period, disclosure and transition. Based on the Company's evaluation, it has been concluded that there are no significant uncertain tax positions requiring recognition in the Company's financial statements.

The Company recognizes accrued interest and penalties related to unrecognized tax benefits as income tax expense. There were no unrecognized tax benefits and no amounts accrued for interest and penalties as of September 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023. The Company is currently not aware of any issues under review that could result in significant payments, accruals or material deviation from its position. The Company is considered an exempted Cayman Islands Company and is presently not subject to income taxes or income tax filing requirements in the Cayman Islands or the United States. Consequently, income taxes are not reflected in the Company's financial statements.

Net (Loss) Income Per Ordinary Share

Net (loss) income per ordinary share is computed by dividing income by the weighted -average number of ordinary shares outstanding during the period. The Company has not considered the effect of the warrants sold in the Initial Public Offering and private placement to purchase an aggregate of 20,600,000 shares in the calculation of diluted income per ordinary share, since the exercise of the Warrants are contingent upon the occurrence of future events or the inclusion of such Warrants would be anti-dilutive.

The following table reflects the calculation of basic and diluted net (loss) income per ordinary share (in dollars, except per share amounts):

	Three Months Ended September 30, 2024		Three Months Ended September 30, 2023			Nine Months Ended September 30, 2024			Nine Months Ended September 30, 2023			
	Class A						Class A					
	Non-Redeemable Shares	Redeemable Shares	Class B	Class A	Class B	Non-Redeemable Shares	Redeemable Shares	Class B	Class A	Class B	Class A	Class B
Basic and diluted net (loss) income per share												
Numerator:												
Net (loss) income	\$ (13,708)	\$ (38,082)	\$ (25,388)	\$ 248,509	\$ 99,458	\$ (112,722)	\$ (246,621)	\$ (164,414)	\$ 2,571,530	\$ 359,492		
Denominator:												
Basic and diluted weighted average shares outstanding	1,214,913	3,375,000	2,250,000	5,621,910	2,250,000	1,542,591	3,375,000	2,250,000	15,004,121	2,097,527		
Basic and diluted net (loss) income per ordinary share	\$ (0.01)	\$ (0.01)	\$ (0.01)	\$ 0.04	\$ 0.04	\$ (0.07)	\$ (0.07)	\$ (0.07)	\$ 0.17	\$ 0.17		

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Concentration of Credit Risk

Financial instruments that potentially subject the Company to concentration of credit risk consist of a cash account in a financial institution which, at times may exceed the Federal depositary insurance coverage of \$250,000. The Company has not experienced losses on this account and management believes the Company is not exposed to significant risks on such account.

Fair Value of Financial Instruments

The Company applies ASC Topic 820, *Fair Value Measurement* ("ASC 820"), which establishes a framework for measuring fair value and clarifies the definition of fair value within that framework. ASC 820 defines fair value as an exit price, which is the price that would be received for an asset or paid to transfer a liability in the Company's principal or most advantageous market in an orderly transaction between market participants on the measurement date. The fair value hierarchy established in ASC 820 generally requires an entity to maximize the use of observable inputs and minimize the use of unobservable inputs when measuring fair value. Observable inputs reflect the assumptions that market participants would use in pricing the asset or liability and are developed based on market data obtained from sources independent of the reporting entity. Unobservable inputs reflect the entity's own assumptions based on market data and the entity's judgments about the assumptions that market participants would use in pricing the asset or liability and are to be developed based on the best information available in the circumstances.

The carrying amounts reflected in the balance sheet for current assets and current liabilities approximate fair value due to their short-term nature.

Level 1 — Assets and liabilities with unadjusted, quoted prices listed on active market exchanges. Inputs to the fair value measurement are observable inputs, such as quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities.
Level 2 — Inputs to the fair value measurement are determined using prices for recently traded assets and liabilities with similar underlying terms, as well as direct or indirect observable inputs, such as interest rates and yield curves that are observable at commonly quoted intervals.
Level 3 — Inputs to the fair value measurement are unobservable inputs, such as estimates, assumptions, and valuation techniques when little or no market data exists for the assets or liabilities.

Warrant Classification

The Company accounts for the warrants issued in connection with the Initial Public Offering and the private placement in accordance with the guidance contained in ASC 815, *Derivatives and Hedging* ("ASC 815") under which the warrants meet the criteria for equity treatment and are recorded as equity.

Recent Accounting Standards

On December 14, 2023, the FASB issued ASU 2023-09, *Income Taxes (Topic 740): Improvements to Income Tax Disclosures*, which is intended to enhance the transparency and decision usefulness of income tax disclosures. The amendments in ASU 2023-09 address investor requests for enhanced income tax information primarily through changes to the rate reconciliation and income taxes paid information. The update will be effective for annual periods beginning after December 15, 2024, and early adoption is permitted. The accounting pronouncement is not expected to have a material impact on the Company's financial statements and related disclosures.

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NOTE 3. INITIAL PUBLIC OFFERING

The registration statement for the Company's Initial Public Offering was declared effective on December 14, 2021. On December 17, 2021, the Company consummated the Initial Public Offering of 20,000,000 Units generating gross proceeds of \$200,000,000. Each Unit consists of one Class A ordinary share and one-half of one redeemable warrant ("Public Warrant").

On January 18, 2022, the Company announced the closing of its sale of an additional 2,500,000 Units pursuant to the partial exercise by the underwriter of its Over -Allotment Option. The Units were sold at an offering price of \$10.00 per Unit, generating gross proceeds of \$25,000,000.

NOTE 4. PRIVATE PLACEMENT

Simultaneously with the closing of the Initial Public Offering, the Company's Sponsor and Anchor Investors purchased an aggregate of 8,600,000 Private Placement Warrants, at a price of \$1.00 per Private Placement Warrant in a private placement. Each Private Placement Warrant is exercisable to purchase one Class A ordinary share at a price of \$ 11.50 per share. The Private Placement Warrants were sold in a private placement consisting of the following amounts: (i) the Sponsor, 5,600,000 warrants (which can increase to 6,500,000 warrants if the Over-Allotment Option is exercised in full) for \$5,600,000 in aggregate (which can increase to \$ 6,500,000 if the Over-Allotment Option is exercised in full) and (ii) Anchor Investors, 3,000,000 warrants for \$3,000,000 in aggregate. An amount of \$6,000,000 of proceeds from the sale of the Private Placement Warrants was added to the Trust Account and an amount of \$2,600,000 was deposited into the Company's operating account. There will be no redemption rights with respect to the Private Placement Warrants if the Company does not complete a Business Combination within the Combination Period.

Simultaneously with the partial exercise of the Over-Allotment Option, the Company sold an additional 750,000 Private Placement Warrants to the Sponsor, generating gross proceeds to the Company of \$750,000, which was added to the Trust Account.

NOTE 5. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

Founder Shares

On February 8, 2021, the Sponsor paid an aggregate of \$25,000 to cover certain expenses on behalf of the Company in exchange for the issuance of 7,187,500 Class B ordinary shares (the "Founder Shares"). In July 2021, the Sponsor surrendered 1,437,500 Class B ordinary shares for no consideration, resulting in an aggregate of 5,750,000 Class B ordinary shares outstanding (see Note 7). The Founder Shares included an aggregate of up to 750,000 Class B ordinary shares subject to repurchase by the Sponsor to the extent that the underwriter's Over-Allotment Option was not exercised in full or in part, so that the holders of the Founder Shares will own, on an as-converted basis, 20% of the Company's issued and outstanding shares after the Initial Public Offering. On January 18, 2022, in connection with the partial exercise of the underwriter's Over-Allotment Option, the Sponsor irrevocably surrendered to the Company for cancellation and for no consideration 125,000 Class B ordinary shares resulting in 5,625,000 Class B ordinary shares outstanding. On June 15, 2023, the Sponsor converted 3,375,000 of its Class B ordinary shares into 3,375,000 non-public Class A ordinary shares, which Class A shares have no redemption rights.

The Sponsor, the directors and the executive officers have agreed not to transfer, assign or sell their Founder Shares until the earliest of (x) with respect to one-half of such shares, until consummation of an initial Business Combination, (y) with respect to one-fourth of such shares, until the closing price of the Company's Class A ordinary shares equals or exceeds \$12.00 (as adjusted for share subdivisions, share capitalizations, reorganizations, recapitalizations and other similar transactions) for any 20 trading days within a 30-trading day period following the consummation of an initial Business Combination (the "Requisite Trading Period") and (z) with respect to one-fourth of such shares, until the closing price of the Company's Class A ordinary shares equals or exceeds \$14.00 (as adjusted for share subdivisions, share capitalizations, reorganizations, recapitalizations and other similar transactions) for the Requisite Trading Period. Any permitted transferees will be subject to the same restrictions and other agreements of the Sponsor with respect to any Founder Shares. The Anchor Investors have agreed not to transfer, assign or sell any of their Founder

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Shares until the earliest of (A) one year after the completion of an initial Business Combination and (B) subsequent to the completion of an initial Business Combination, (x) if the closing price of the Company's Class A ordinary shares equals or exceeds \$12.00 per share (as adjusted for share subdivisions, share capitalizations, reorganizations, recapitalizations and other similar transactions) for any 20 trading days within any 30-trading day period following the consummation of an initial Business Combination, or (y) the date on which the Company completes a liquidation, merger, share exchange or other similar transaction that results in all of the Company's Public Shareholders having the right to exchange their ordinary shares for cash, securities or other property. Additionally, the holders of the Founder Shares have agreed that the Founder Shares will not be transferred, assigned or sold until one year after the date of the consummation of an initial Business Combination provided that, such holders shall be permitted to transfer such Founder Shares if, subsequent to an initial Business Combination, (i) the last sales price of the Company's Class A ordinary shares equals or exceeds \$12.00 per share (as adjusted for stock share subdivisions, share capitalizations, reorganizations, recapitalizations and other similar transactions) for any 20 trading days within any 30-trading day period commencing at least 150 days after the initial Business Combination or (ii) the Company consummates a subsequent liquidation, merger, share exchange or other similar transaction which results in all of the Company's shareholders having the right to exchange their ordinary shares for cash, securities or other property.

The Anchor Investors purchased a total of 19,800,000 units and 3,000,000 Private Placement Warrants in the Initial Public Offering at the offering price of \$10.00 per unit. Each such Anchor Investor entered into a separate agreement with the Company to purchase up to 225,000 Founder Shares at the original Founder Share purchase price of approximately \$0.003 per share, or 2,250,000 Founder Shares in the aggregate. These Founder Shares were forfeited by the Sponsor back to the Company and subsequently reissued to the Anchor Investors.

The Company estimated the fair value of the Founder Shares attributable to the Anchor Investors to be \$13,612,500 or \$6.05 per share. The excess of the fair value of the Founder Shares sold over the purchase price of \$6,750 (or \$0.003 per share) was determined to be an offering cost in accordance with Staff Accounting Bulletin Topic 5A. Accordingly, the offering cost was allocated to the separable financial instruments issued in the Initial Public Offering based on a relative fair value basis, compared to total proceeds received. Offering costs allocated to warrants were charged to shareholders' deficit. Offering costs allocated to the Public Shares were charged to temporary equity upon the completion of the Initial Public Offering. See Note 1 for more information on the effect of the Non-Redemption Agreements on the Company's Founder Shares.

Promissory Note — Related Party

On May 19, 2023, the Sponsor provided a \$200,000 advance ("Advance") to the Company. On September 15, 2023, the Company issued an unsecured promissory note (the "Note") with the Sponsor of up to \$500,000 in the aggregate for costs and expenses reasonably related to the Company's working capital needs prior to the consummation of the Business Combination and the Advance was converted into the first proceeds on the Note. This note was subsequently amended for a principal balance of \$600,000 in November 2023, with an additional \$85,000 in April 2024, and an additional \$ 26,000 in May 2024. The Note is non-interest bearing and is due the earlier of the consummation of a business combination or the date of liquidation. As of September 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, the balance under the Note was \$1,006,000 and \$600,000.

Due to Sponsor

Due to Sponsor consists of advances from the Sponsor to pay for offering costs and formation costs on behalf of the Company, are payable on demand and are non-interest bearing. As of September 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, there was \$2,284 due to Sponsor.

Administrative Services Agreement

The Company entered into an agreement, commencing on the effective date of the Initial Public Offering, to pay an affiliate of the Sponsor a total of up to \$10,000 per month for office space, administrative and support services. On April 8, 2022, the Company entered into Amendment no. 1 to the administrative services agreement with the Sponsor,

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pursuant to which the payment for office space and certain administrative and support services was reduced from up to \$10,000 per month to up to \$1,000 per month. Upon the completion of an initial Business Combination, the Company will cease paying these monthly fees.

For the three and nine months ended September 30, 2024, the Company incurred \$ 3,000 and \$9,000 in administrative services agreement expenses, respectively. For the three and nine months ended September 30, 2023, the Company incurred \$3,000 and \$9,000, respectively. These amounts are included within formation and operation costs on the accompanying statements of operations. As of September 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, the Company incurred \$64,516 and \$55,516 in administrative services expenses which are included in Accrued expenses — related party in the accompanying balance sheet.

Related Party Loans

In order to finance transaction costs in connection with an intended initial Business Combination, the Sponsor or an affiliate of the Sponsor or certain of the Company's officers and directors may, but are not obligated to, loan the Company funds as may be required. If the Company completes an initial Business Combination, the Company may repay such loaned amounts out of the proceeds of the Trust Account released to the Company. Otherwise, such loans may be repaid only out of funds held outside the Trust Account. In the event that an initial Business Combination does not close, the Company may use a portion of the working capital held outside the Trust Account to repay such loaned amounts but no proceeds from the Trust Account would be used to repay such loaned amounts. Up to \$1,500,000 of such loans may be convertible into warrants of the post-Business Combination entity at a price of \$ 1.00 per warrant at the option of the lender. The warrants would be identical to the Private Placement Warrants. As of September 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, no amount was outstanding under related party loans.

Non-Redemption Agreement

On March 14, 2024, the Company and the Sponsor entered into Non-Redemption Agreements with the Investors in exchange for each such third party or third parties agreeing not to redeem the Non-Redeemed Shares at the Adjourned Meeting. In exchange for the foregoing commitments not to redeem such Non-Redeemed Shares, the Company and the Sponsor agreed, among other items, that the Sponsor will assign an economic interest in certain of its Founder Shares to the Investor at the rate of 3 Founder Shares for each 10 Non-Redeemed Shares. See Note 1 for information on the effect of the Non-Redemption Agreements on the Company's Founder Shares.

The Non-Redemption Agreements are expected to increase the likelihood that the Extension Proposal is approved by the Company's shareholders, and increase the amount of funds that remain in the Trust Account following the Adjourned Meeting, relative to the amount of funds that would be expected to be remaining in the Trust Account following the Adjourned Meeting had the Non-Redemption Agreements not been entered into and the shares subject to such agreements had been redeemed.

Investor Letter Agreement

Concurrently with the execution of the Merger Agreement, Swiftmerge and Sponsor entered into letter agreements with certain qualified institutional buyers or institutional accredited investors (the "Anchor Investors") and certain unaffiliated third-party investors (the "NRA Investors" and together with the Anchor Investors, collectively, the "Investors") (collectively, the "Investor Letter Agreements"), pursuant to which such each Investor has agreed to, among other things, (a) be bound by certain voting, lock-up and transfer restrictions set forth in the A&R Sponsor Letter Agreement, (b) with respect to each NRA Investor, other than the Swiftmerge Ordinary Shares retained by such NRA Investor pursuant to such Investor Letter Agreement, irrevocably surrender to Swiftmerge all of the Swiftmerge Ordinary Shares acquired by such NRA Investor pursuant to the terms set forth in the Non-Redemption Agreement and Assignment of Economic Interest, dated as of March 14, 2024, by and among Swiftmerge, Sponsor and such NRA Investor, and each of the Swiftmerge Private Warrants held by such NRA Investor, with no shares of Surviving PubCo Class A Common Stock being issued in respect thereof, and (c) with respect to each Anchor Investor, other than the Swiftmerge Ordinary Shares retained by such Anchor Investor pursuant to such Investor Letter Agreement, irrevocably

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surrender to Swiftmerge all of the Swiftmerge Ordinary Shares acquired by such Anchor Investor pursuant to the terms of the Securities Subscription Agreement, dated as of December 14, 2021, by and between Swiftmerge and such Anchor Investor, and each of each of the Swiftmerge Private Warrants held by such Anchor Investor, with no shares of Surviving PubCo Class A Common Stock being issued in respect thereof.

Advisory Services Agreement — Related Party

In April 2024, the Company entered into an advisory services agreement ("Advisory Agreement") with Rowdeston Capital Corp. ("Rowdeston"), an entity owned by Thomas J. Loch, its Managing Director and Chief Executive Officer, to provide financial advisory services to the Company. Mr. Thomas Loch is the father of Aston Loch, the Company's Chief Operating Officer and Secretary and a control person of the Sponsor. The Advisory Agreement provides for a one -time engagement fee of \$25,000 upon signing of the Advisory Agreement, an additional consulting fee on an on-going, hourly basis, and a potential additional payment if the Business Combination is consummated, payable at the sole discretion of SPAC. The Advisory Agreement will terminate six months from date of the Advisory Agreement. For the nine months ended September 30, 2024, the Company has incurred fees under the Advisory Agreement of \$200,100. As of September 30, 2024, the Company has an outstanding balance of \$175,100 due to Rowdeston for advisory services provided, which has been recorded in Accrued Expenses on the unaudited condensed consolidated balance sheet.

NOTE 6. COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

Registration and Shareholder Rights Agreement

The holders of the Founder Shares, Private Placement Warrants and warrants that may be issued upon conversion of working capital loans (and any Class A ordinary shares issuable upon the exercise of the Private Placement Warrants and warrants issued upon conversion of the working capital loans) have registration and shareholder rights to require the Company to register a sale of any of its securities held by them pursuant to a registration and shareholder rights agreement entered into on the date of the Initial Public Offering. The holders of these securities are entitled to make up to three demands, excluding short form demands, that the Company register such securities. In addition, the holders have certain "piggy-back" registration rights with respect to registration statements filed subsequent to the completion of an initial Business Combination. The Company will bear the expenses incurred in connection with the filing of any such registration statements.

Cohen Letter Agreement

On March 12, 2024, the Company formally engaged J.V.B Financial Group, LLC acting through its Cohen & Company Capital Markets division ("Cohen") to serve as its capital markets advisor in connection with (i) potential business combination transactions, (ii) placement agent services for capital raising transactions in connection therewith and (iii) any extensions sought by the Company of its deadline to complete its initial business combination. Pursuant to the engagement, the Company agreed to pay Cohen (i) an advisory fee upon the closing of the Company's initial business combination for Cohen's services in connection with such initial business combination and any extensions and (ii) a transaction fee of 5% or \$3,000,000 of the gross proceeds raised in any capital raising transactions and certain non-redemptions from the Trust Account.

The Company and Cohen separately negotiated a letter agreement with respect to the Company's March 2024 engagement of Cohen. On or about September 20, 2024, Cohen entered into a release and termination agreement with the Company, in which those parties agreed to reduce the advisory fee to which Cohen would be entitled upon closing of the Business Combination from \$3,000,000 to \$500,000, which was reduced to reflect their limited role in the Business Combination and the consideration for their work in connection with the Company's extension proposal at its extraordinary general meeting of the Company's shareholders convened on March 15, 2024.

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NOTE 6. COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES (cont.)

PurePlay Settlement and Release Agreement

On July 5, 2024, the Company received a demand letter from Pureplay Holdings LLC, ("Pureplay") to resolve claims (the "Claims") demanding compensation for Pureplay's role in facilitating the Business Combination, including Pureplay's introduction of the Company to AleAnna in March 2024. Beyond the introduction to AleAnna and preliminary discussions, Pureplay did not have any material role in the Business Combination or the negotiation thereof.

On September 5, 2024, Pureplay entered into a settlement and release agreement (the "Settlement and Release Agreement") with the Company, in which those parties released all claims, including those related to the Claims or the Business Combination (the "Released Claims"), in consideration of a cash payment of \$1,300,000 payable to Pureplay, contingent upon closing of the Business Combination. Following the Company entering into the Settlement and Release Agreement, and in order to mitigate future claim and litigation risks by Pureplay following the closing of the Business Combination, on September 8, 2024, Pureplay, the two co-founders of Pureplay and AleAnna similarly entered into a mutual release agreement with respect to the Released Claims.

NOTE 7. SHAREHOLDERS' DEFICIT

Preference shares — The Company is authorized to issue 1,000,000 preference shares with a par value of \$0.0001 per share with such designations, voting and other rights and preferences as may be determined from time to time by the Company's board of directors. As of September 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, there were no preference shares issued or outstanding.

Class A ordinary shares — The Company is authorized to issue 200,000,000 Class A ordinary shares with a par value of \$0.0001 per share. Holders of Class A ordinary shares are entitled to one vote for each share. As of September 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, there were 4,589,913 and 5,621,910 Class A ordinary shares issued and outstanding, respectively, including 1,214,913 and 2,246,910 Class A ordinary shares subject to possible redemption, respectively.

Class B ordinary shares — The Company is authorized to issue 20,000,000 Class B ordinary shares with a par value of \$0.0001 per share. Holders of Class B ordinary shares are entitled to one vote for each share. As of September 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, there were 2,250,000 Class B ordinary shares issued and outstanding. Changes arising from the conversion of 3,375,000 Class B shares to Class A are discussed below.

On February 8, 2021, the Sponsor paid an aggregate of \$25,000 to cover certain expenses on behalf of the Company in exchange for the issuance of 7,187,500 Class B ordinary shares. In July 2021, the Sponsor surrendered 1,437,500 Class B ordinary shares for no consideration, resulting in an aggregate of 5,750,000 Class B ordinary shares outstanding. On January 18, 2022, in connection with the partial exercise of the underwriter's Over-Allotment Option, the Sponsor irrevocably surrendered to the Company for cancellation and for no consideration 125,000 Class B ordinary shares resulting in 5,625,000 Class B ordinary shares outstanding.

Ordinary shareholders of record are entitled to one vote for each share held on all matters to be voted on by shareholders. Except as described below, holders of Class A ordinary shares and holders of Class B ordinary shares will vote together as a single class on all matters submitted to a vote of the Company's shareholders except as required by law. Prior to an initial Business Combination, only holders of the Founder Shares will have the right to vote on the election of directors. Holders of the Public Shares will not be entitled to vote on the appointment of directors during such time.

The Class B ordinary shares will automatically convert into Class A ordinary shares (which such Class A ordinary shares delivered upon conversion will not have redemption rights or be entitled to liquidating distributions from the Trust Account if the Company does not consummate an initial Business Combination) at the time of an initial Business Combination or earlier at the option of the holders thereof at a ratio such that the number of Class A ordinary shares issuable upon conversion of all Founder Shares will equal, in the aggregate, on an as-converted basis, 20% of the sum of (i) the total number of ordinary shares issued and outstanding upon the completion of the Initial Public Offering,

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plus (ii) the total number of Class A ordinary shares issued or deemed issued or issuable upon conversion or exercise of any equity-linked securities or rights issued or deemed issued, by the Company in connection with or in relation to the consummation of the initial Business Combination, excluding any Class A ordinary shares or equity-linked securities exercisable for or convertible into Class A ordinary shares issued, deemed issued or to be issued to any seller in the initial Business Combination and any Private Placement Warrants issued to the Sponsor, its affiliates or any member of the Company's management team upon conversion of working capital loans. In no event will the Class B ordinary shares convert into Class A ordinary shares at a rate of less than one-to-one.

On June 15, 2023, the Company reconvened the extraordinary general meeting of the Company which had been adjourned from June 12, 2023. At the Meeting, the shareholders of the Company approved an amendment that certain investment management trust agreement, dated December 17, 2021 to change the date on which Continental must commence liquidation of the trust account established in connection with the Company's initial public offering to the earliest of (i) the Company's completion of an initial business combination and (ii) March 15, 2024 (the "Extension Date").

The Company's shareholders also approved a proposal (the "Founder Share Amendment Proposal") to provide for the right of a holder of the Company's Class B ordinary shares, par value \$0.0001 per share, to convert such shares into Class A ordinary shares, par value \$ 0.0001 per share, on a one-for-one basis at any time and from time to time prior to the closing of a business combination at the election of the holder; provided that as a condition of such conversion of Class B ordinary shares converted into Class A ordinary shares the holder has no redemption right.

At the Meeting, the Company's shareholders approved the following items: (i) the Extension Amendment Proposal; (ii) a proposal to approve the Trust Amendment (such proposal, the "Trust Amendment Proposal"); (iii) the Founder Share Amendment Proposal; and (iv) a proposal to approve the adjournment of the Meeting to a later date or dates if necessary (such proposal, the "Adjournment Proposal").

In connection with the vote to approve the Extension Amendment Proposal, the holders of 20,253,090 Class A Ordinary Shares properly exercised their right to redeem their shares for cash at a redemption price of approximately \$10.40 per share, for an aggregate redemption amount of \$211,918,104.

Immediately following the approval of the proposals at the Meeting, Swiftmerge Holdings, L.P. as the holder of 3,375,000 Class B Ordinary Shares, converted all 3,375,000 of such shares into the same number of Class A Ordinary Shares. As a result of the redemptions described above and the conversion of the Sponsor's Class B Ordinary Shares, there are an aggregate of 5,621,910 Class A Ordinary Shares outstanding. The 3,375,000 Class A Ordinary Shares held by the Sponsor do not have a redemption right.

Warrants — Public Warrants may only be exercised for a whole number of shares. No fractional shares will be issued upon exercise of the Public Warrants. The Public Warrants will become exercisable 30 days after the consummation of a Business Combination. The Public Warrants will expire five years from the consummation of a Business Combination or earlier upon redemption or liquidation.

The Company will not be obligated to deliver any Class A ordinary shares pursuant to the exercise of a Public Warrant and will have no obligation to settle such Public Warrant exercise unless a registration statement under the Securities Act covering the issuance of the Class A ordinary shares issuable upon exercise of the Public Warrants is then effective and a prospectus relating thereto is current, subject to the Company satisfying its obligations with respect to registration. No Public Warrant will be exercisable for cash or on a cashless basis, and the Company will not be obligated to issue any shares to holders seeking to exercise their Public Warrants, unless the issuance of the shares upon such exercise is registered or qualified under the securities laws of the state of the exercising holder, or an exemption from registration is available.

The Company has agreed that as soon as practicable, but in no event later than 20 business days, after the closing of a Business Combination, the Company will use its commercially reasonable efforts to file with the SEC a registration statement registering the issuance of the shares of Class A ordinary shares issuable upon exercise of the warrants, to cause such registration statement to become effective and to maintain a current prospectus relating

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NOTE 7. SHAREHOLDERS' DEFICIT (cont.)

to those shares of Class A ordinary shares until the warrants expire or are redeemed, as specified in the warrant agreement. Because the warrants are not exercisable until 30 days after the completion of the initial business combination, the Company does not currently intend to update the registration statement of which the prospectus forms a part or file a new registration statement covering the shares of Class A ordinary shares issuable upon exercise of the warrants until after the initial business combination has been consummated. If a registration statement covering the shares of Class A ordinary shares issuable upon exercise of the warrants is not effective by the 60th business day after the closing of a Business Combination or within a specified period following the consummation of a Business Combination, warrant holders may, until such time as there is an effective registration statement and during any period when the Company will have failed to maintain an effective registration statement, exercise warrants on a "cashless basis" pursuant to the exemption provided by Section 3(a)(9) of the Securities Act; provided that such exemption is available. If that exemption, or another exemption, is not available, holders will not be able to exercise their warrants on a cashless basis.

The Company may call the warrants for redemption, in whole and not in part, at a price of \$ 0.01 per warrant:

- at any time after the warrants become exercisable;
- upon a minimum of 30 days' prior written notice of redemption to each warrant holder;
- if, and only if, the reported last sale price of the Class A ordinary shares equals or exceeds \$18.00 per share (as adjusted for stock splits, stock dividends, reorganizations and recapitalizations), for any 20 trading days within a 30 trading day period commencing at any time after the warrants become exercisable and ending on the third business day prior to the notice of redemption to warrant holders; and
- if, and only if, there is a current registration statement in effect with respect to the Class A ordinary shares underlying such warrants.

The exercise price and number of Class A ordinary shares issuable upon exercise of the Public Warrants may be adjusted in certain circumstances including in the event of a share dividend, extraordinary dividend or recapitalization, reorganization, merger or consolidation. However, except as described below, the Public Warrants will not be adjusted for issuances of Class A ordinary shares at a price below its exercise price. Additionally, in no event will the Company be required to net cash settle the Public Warrants. If the Company is unable to complete a Business Combination within the Combination Period and the Company liquidates the funds held in the Trust Account, holders of Public Warrants will not receive any of such funds with respect to their Public Warrants, nor will they receive any distribution from the Company's assets held outside of the Trust Account with respect to such Public Warrants. Accordingly, the Public Warrants may expire worthless.

In addition, if (x) the Company issues additional Class A ordinary shares or equity -linked securities (as defined below) for capital raising purposes in connection with the closing of an initial Business Combination at an issue price or effective issue price of less than \$9.20 per ordinary share (with such issue price or effective issue price to be determined in good faith by the Company's board of directors and, in the case of any such issuance to the Sponsor or their respective affiliates, without taking into account any Founder Shares held by the Sponsor or such affiliates, as applicable, prior to such issuance) (the "Newly Issued Price"), (y) the aggregate gross proceeds from such issuances represent more than 60% of the total equity proceeds, and interest thereon, available for the funding of an initial Business Combination on the date of the consummation of an initial Business Combination (net of redemptions), and (z) the volume weighted average trading price of the Class A ordinary shares during the 20-trading day period starting on the trading day prior to the day on which the Company consummates an initial Business Combination (such price, the "Market Value") is below \$9.20 per share, the exercise price of the warrants will be adjusted (to the nearest cent) to be equal to 115% of the greater of (i) the Market Value or (ii) the Newly Issued Price, and the \$18.00 per share redemption trigger price of the warrants will be adjusted (to the nearest cent) to be equal to 180% of the greater of (i) the Market Value or (ii) the Newly Issued Price.

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NOTE 7. SHAREHOLDERS' DEFICIT (cont.)

The Private Placement Warrants are identical to the Public Warrants underlying the Units being sold in the Initial Public Offering, except that the Private Placement Warrants and ordinary shares issuable upon the exercise of the Private Placement Warrants are not transferable, assignable or salable until 30 days after the completion of a Business Combination, subject to certain limited exceptions. Additionally, the Private Placement Warrants are exercisable on a cashless basis and will be non-redeemable.

At September 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, there were 11,250,000 Public Warrants outstanding, and 9,350,000 Private Placement Warrants outstanding. The Company accounts for the Public Warrants and Private Placement Warrants issued in connection with the Initial Public Offering in accordance with the guidance contained in ASC 815. Such guidance provides that the warrants described above are not precluded from equity classification. Equity-classified contracts are initially measured at fair value (or allocated value). Subsequent changes in fair value are not recognized as long as the contracts continue to be classified in equity.

NOTE 8. FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS

The following table presents information about the Company's financial assets that are measured at fair value on a recurring basis as of September 30, 2024 and December 31, 2023, and indicates the fair value hierarchy of the valuation inputs the Company utilized to determine such fair value:

Description	Amount at Fair Value	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3
September 30, 2024 (Unaudited)				
Assets				
Investments held in Trust Account:				
U.S. Treasury Securities Money Market Funds	\$ 13,713,477	\$ 13,713,477	\$ —	\$ —
December 31, 2023				
Assets				
Investments held in Trust Account:				
U.S. Treasury Securities Money Market Funds	\$ 24,376,178	\$ 24,376,178	\$ —	\$ —

NOTE 9. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

The Company evaluated subsequent events and transactions that occurred after the balance sheet date up to the date that the financial statements were issued. Other than the developments described below, the Company did not identify any subsequent events that have occurred that would have required adjustment or disclosure in the unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements.

On October 4, 2024, the Company and Rowdeston Capital Corp. ("Rowdeston") entered into an amendment to the advisory services agreement (the "Amended Advisory Agreement"). Per the Amended Advisory Agreement, Rowdeston has agreed to decrease the fees payable and already invoiced to the Company as of September 30, 2024. The Company agrees to pay Rowdeston a minimum fee of \$117,000 on completion of the Business Combination and an additional fee up to a maximum of \$ 83,600 being the remaining amounts invoiced to Swiftmerge to the end of September 30, 2024 that Rowdeston has agreed to forgo subject to the availability of funds within the \$5.75 million expense agreed to be funded by the surviving company on completion of the Merger.

REPORT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM

To the Shareholders and Board of Directors of
Swiftmerge Acquisition Corp.

Opinion on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying balance sheets of Swiftmerge Acquisition Corp. (the "Company") as of December 31, 2023 and 2022, the related statements of operations, stockholders' (deficit) equity and cash flows for each of the two years in the period ended December 31, 2023, and the related notes (collectively referred to as the "financial statements"). In our opinion, the financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Company as of December 31, 2023 and 2022, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for each of the two years in the period ended December 31, 2023, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Explanatory Paragraph — Going Concern

The accompanying financial statements have been prepared assuming that the Company will continue as a going concern. As described in Note 1 to the financial statements, the Company is a Special Purpose Acquisition Corporation that was formed for the purpose of completing a merger, capital stock exchange, asset acquisition, stock purchase, reorganization or similar business combination with one or more businesses or entities on or before June 17, 2025. There is no assurance that the Company will obtain the necessary approvals or raise the additional capital it needs to fund its business operations and complete any business combination prior to June 17, 2025, if at all. The Company also has no approved plan in place to extend the business combination deadline beyond June 17, 2025 and lacks the capital resources needed to fund operations and complete any business combination, even if the deadline to complete a business combination is extended to a later date. These matters raise substantial doubt about the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. Management's plans with regard to these matters are also described in Note 1. The financial statements do not include any adjustments that might result from the outcome of this uncertainty.

Basis for Opinion

These financial statements are the responsibility of the Company's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Company's financial statements based on our audits. We are a public accounting firm registered with the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States) ("PCAOB") and are required to be independent with respect to the Company in accordance with the U.S. federal securities laws and the applicable rules and regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission and the PCAOB.

We conducted our audits in accordance with the standards of the PCAOB. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audits to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement, whether due to error or fraud. The Company is not required to have, nor were we engaged to perform, an audit of its internal control over financial reporting. As part of our audits we are required to obtain an understanding of internal control over financial reporting but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we express no such opinion.

Our audits included performing procedures to assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to error or fraud, and performing procedures that respond to those risks. Such procedures included examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. Our audits also included evaluating the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

/s/ Marcum LLP

Marcum LLP

We have served as the Company's auditor since 2021.

Hartford, CT
April 1, 2024

SWIFTMERGE ACQUISITION CORP.
BALANCE SHEETS

	December 31, 2023	December 31, 2022
ASSETS		
Current assets:		
Cash	\$ 148,349	\$ 461,914
Prepaid expenses	—	514,200
Total current assets	148,349	976,114
Investments held in Trust Account	24,376,178	229,792,494
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 24,524,527	\$ 230,768,608
LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' (DEFICIT) EQUITY		
Current liabilities:		
Accounts payable	\$ 2,015,734	\$ 51,453
Accrued offering costs	311,430	311,430
Due to Sponsor	2,284	2,284
Accrued expenses	185,310	504,181
Accrued expenses – related party	55,516	43,516
Promissory note – related party	600,000	—
Total current liabilities and total liabilities	3,170,274	912,864
Commitments and Contingencies (Note 6)		
Class A ordinary shares subject to possible redemption, \$ 0.0001 par value; 2,246,910 and 22,500,000 shares issued and outstanding at redemption value of \$10.80 and \$10.21 per share as of December 31, 2023 and 2022, respectively	24,276,178	229,692,494
Shareholders' (Deficit) Equity		
Preference shares, \$0.0001 par value; 1,000,000 shares authorized; no shares issued and outstanding	—	—
Class A ordinary shares, \$0.0001 par value; 200,000,000 shares authorized; 3,375,000 and no shares issued and outstanding as of December 31, 2023 and 2022, respectively (excluding 2,246,910 and 22,500,000 shares subject to possible redemption as of December 31, 2023 and 2022, respectively)	337	—
Class B ordinary shares, \$0.0001 par value; 20,000,000 shares authorized; 2,250,000 and 5,625,000 issued and outstanding as of December 31, 2023 and 2022, respectively	225	562
Additional paid-in capital	—	—
(Accumulated deficit) retained earnings	(2,922,487)	162,688
Total Shareholders' (Deficit) Equity	(2,921,925)	163,250
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' (DEFICIT) EQUITY	\$ 24,524,527	\$ 230,768,608

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

SWIFTMERGE ACQUISITION CORP.
STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS

	For the Years Ended December 31,	
	2023	2022
Formation and operating costs	\$ 3,085,175	\$ 1,452,694
Loss from operations	(3,085,175)	(1,452,694)
Loss on sale of Private Placement Warrants	—	(30,000)
Gain on investments held in Trust Account	6,501,789	2,542,494
Gain on waiver of deferred underwriting fee payable	—	442,750
Net income	\$ 3,416,614	\$ 1,502,550
Basic and diluted weighted average shares outstanding, Class A redeemable ordinary shares	<u>10,232,877</u>	<u>22,376,712</u>
Basic and diluted net income per share, Class A redeemable ordinary shares	<u>\$ 0.22</u>	<u>\$ 0.05</u>
Basic and diluted weighted average shares outstanding, Class A non-redeemable ordinary shares	<u>1,840,068</u>	<u>—</u>
Basic and diluted net income per share, Class A non-redeemable ordinary shares	<u>\$ 0.22</u>	<u>\$ —</u>
Basic and diluted weighted average shares outstanding, Class B ordinary shares	<u>3,784,932</u>	<u>5,594,178</u>
Basic and diluted net income per share, Class B ordinary shares	<u>\$ 0.22</u>	<u>\$ 0.05</u>

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

SWIFTMERGE ACQUISITION CORP.
STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN SHAREHOLDERS' (DEFICIT) EQUITY
FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2023 AND 2022

	Class A Ordinary Shares		Class B Ordinary Shares		Additional Paid-in Capital	Retained Earnings (Accumulated Deficit)	Total Shareholders' (Deficit) Equity
	Shares	Amount	Shares	Amount			
Balance at January 1, 2022	—	\$ —	5,750,000	\$ 575	\$ —	\$ (5,484,631)	\$ (5,484,056)
Proceeds from Initial Public Offering allocated to Public Warrants, net of offering costs	—	—	—	—	1,181,250	—	1,181,250
Issuance of Private Placement Warrants	—	—	—	—	780,000	—	780,000
Forfeiture of Class B Shares by Sponsor	—	—	(125,000)	(13)	—	13	—
Accretion of Class A ordinary shares subject to redemption value	—	—	—	—	(912,664)	(1,529,830)	(2,442,494)
Initial accretion of Class A ordinary shares from issuance of over-allotment warrants	—	—	—	—	(1,048,586)	(1,757,664)	(2,806,250)
Forgiveness of deferred underwriting fee payable	—	—	—	—	—	7,432,250	7,432,250
Net income	—	—	—	—	—	1,502,550	1,502,550
Balance at December 31, 2022	—	—	5,625,000	562	—	162,688	163,250
Conversion of Founder Shares to Class A Ordinary Shares	3,375,000	337	(3,375,000)	(337)	—	—	—
Accretion of Class A ordinary shares to redemption amount	—	—	—	—	—	(6,501,789)	(6,501,789)
Net income	—	—	—	—	—	3,416,614	3,416,614
Balance at December 31, 2023	3,375,000	\$ 337	2,250,000	\$ 225	\$ —	\$ (2,922,487)	\$ (2,921,925)

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

SWIFTMERGE ACQUISITION CORP.
STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

	For the Years Ended December 31,	
	2023	2022
Cash Flows from Operating Activities:		
Net income	\$ 3,416,614	\$ 1,502,550
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash used in operating activities:		
Loss on sale of Private Placement Warrants	—	30,000
Gain on investments held in Trust Account	(6,501,789)	(2,542,494)
Gain on waiver of deferred underwriting fee payable	—	(442,750)
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:		
Prepaid expenses	514,200	560,833
Accounts payable	1,964,281	18,394
Accrued expenses	(318,871)	429,305
Accrued offering costs	—	(8,755)
Accrued expenses – related party	12,000	39,000
Net cash used in operating activities	(913,565)	(413,917)
Cash Flows from Investing Activities:		
Cash deposited in Trust Account	—	(25,250,000)
Proceeds from Trust Account for payment to redeeming shareholders	211,918,105	—
Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities	211,918,105	(25,250,000)
Cash Flows from Financing Activities:		
Proceeds from Initial Public Offering, net of underwriting discount paid	—	24,500,000
Proceeds from sale of Private Placement Warrants	—	750,000
Payment to redeeming shareholders	(211,918,105)	—
Proceeds from Promissory note – related party	600,000	—
Net cash (used in) provided by financing activities	(211,318,105)	25,250,000
Net Change in Cash	(313,565)	(413,917)
Cash – Beginning of period	461,914	875,831
Cash – End of period	\$ 148,349	\$ 461,914
Non-cash investing and financing activities:		
Conversion of Founder Shares to Class A ordinary shares	\$ 337	\$ —
Total Accretion of Class A ordinary shares subject to redemption value	\$ 6,501,789	\$ 5,248,744
Forgiveness of deferred underwriting fee payable allocated to equity	\$ —	\$ (6,557,250)
Forfeiture of Class B ordinary shares by Sponsor	\$ —	\$ 13

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

SWIFTMERGE ACQUISITION CORP.
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 1. DESCRIPTION OF ORGANIZATION, BUSINESS OPERATIONS, LIQUIDITY AND GOING CONCERN

Swiftmerge Acquisition Corp. (the "Company") is a blank check company incorporated as a Cayman Islands exempted company on February 3, 2021. The Company was formed for the purpose of entering into a merger, share exchange, asset acquisition, share purchase, reorganization or similar business combination with one or more businesses (a "Business Combination"). The Company is not limited to a particular industry or geographic region for purposes of consummating a Business Combination. The Company is an early stage and emerging growth company and, as such, the Company is subject to all of the risks associated with early stage and emerging growth companies.

As of December 31, 2023, the Company had not commenced any operations. All activity for the period from February 3, 2021 (inception) through December 31, 2023 relates to the Company's formation, the initial public offering ("Initial Public Offering") as described below, and since the closing of the Initial Public Offering, the search for a prospective initial Business Combination. The Company will not generate any operating revenues until after the completion of a Business Combination, at the earliest. The Company will generate non-operating income in the form of interest income from the proceeds derived from the Initial Public Offering. The Company has selected December 31 as its fiscal year end.

The registration statement for the Company's Initial Public Offering was declared effective on December 14, 2021. On December 17, 2021, the Company consummated the Initial Public Offering of 20,000,000 units (the "Units" and, with respect to the Class A ordinary shares included in the Units sold, the "Public Shares") at \$10.00 per Unit, generating total gross proceeds of \$ 200,000,000, which is described in Note 4.

Simultaneously with the closing of the Initial Public Offering, the Company consummated the sale of 8,600,000 warrants (the "Private Placement Warrants") at a price of \$1.00 per Private Placement Warrant in a private placement to Swiftmerge Holdings, LP (the "Sponsor") and eleven qualified institutional buyers or institutional accredited investors (the "Anchor Investors") generating gross proceeds of \$8,600,000, which is described in Note 5.

On January 18, 2022, the Company announced the closing of its sale of an additional 2,500,000 Units pursuant to the partial exercise by the underwriter of its over-allotment option (the "Over-Allotment Option"). The Units were sold at an offering price of \$ 10.00 per Unit, generating gross proceeds of \$25,000,000. Simultaneously with the partial exercise of the Over-Allotment Option, the Company sold an additional 750,000 Private Placement Warrants to the Sponsor, generating gross proceeds to the Company of \$750,000.

Following the closing of the Initial Public Offering (including the closing of the Over-Allotment Option), an aggregate amount of \$227,250,000 was placed in the Company's trust account (the "Trust Account") established in connection with the Initial Public Offering, invested only in U.S. government treasury obligations with maturities of 185 days or less or in money market funds meeting certain conditions under Rule 2a-7 under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended (the "Investment Company Act"), which invest only in direct U.S. government treasury obligations, until the earlier of: (i) the completion of a Business Combination and (ii) the distribution of the funds held in the Trust Account, as described below.

Transaction costs related to the issuances described above amounted to \$ 26,958,716, consisting of \$4,500,000 of cash underwriting fees, \$7,875,000 of deferred underwriting fees, \$13,605,750 for the excess fair value of Founder Shares attributable to the Anchor Investors (as described in Note 6) and \$977,966 of other offering costs.

The Company's management has broad discretion with respect to the specific application of the net proceeds of the Initial Public Offering and the sale of the Private Placement Warrants, although substantially all of the net proceeds are intended to be applied generally toward consummating a Business Combination. There is no assurance that the Company will be able to complete a Business Combination successfully. The Company must complete a Business Combination with one or more target businesses that together have an aggregate fair market value of at least 80% of the value of the Trust Account (excluding the deferred underwriting commissions and taxes payable on income earned on the Trust Account) at the time of the agreement to enter into an initial Business Combination. The Company will only complete a Business Combination if the post-transaction company owns or acquires 50% or more of the outstanding voting securities of the target or otherwise acquires a controlling interest in the target sufficient for it not to be required to register as an investment company under the Investment Company Act.

SWIFTMERGE ACQUISITION CORP.
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 1. DESCRIPTION OF ORGANIZATION, BUSINESS OPERATIONS, LIQUIDITY AND GOING CONCERN (cont.)

The Company will provide its holders of Public Shares (the "Public Shareholders") with the opportunity to redeem all or a portion of their Public Shares upon the completion of a Business Combination either (i) in connection with a shareholder meeting called to approve the Business Combination or (ii) by means of a tender offer. The decision as to whether the Company will seek shareholder approval of a Business Combination or conduct a tender offer will be made by the Company, solely in its discretion. The Public Shareholders will be entitled to redeem their Public Shares for a pro rata portion of the amount then in the Trust Account (\$10.10 per Public Share, plus any pro rata interest earned on the funds held in the Trust Account and not previously released to the Company to pay its tax obligations). There will be no redemption rights upon the completion of a Business Combination with respect to the Company's warrants. The Public Shares subject to redemption are recorded at redemption value and classified as temporary equity upon the completion of the Initial Public Offering in accordance with the Financial Accounting Standards Board's ("FASB") Accounting Standards Codification ("ASC") Topic 480, Distinguishing Liabilities from Equity ("ASC 480").

The Company will proceed with a Business Combination only if the Company has net tangible assets of at least \$5,000,001 either prior to or upon such consummation of a Business Combination and, if the Company seeks shareholder approval, a majority of the shares voted are voted in favor of the Business Combination. If a shareholder vote is not required by law and the Company does not decide to hold a shareholder vote for business or other reasons, the Company will, pursuant to its Amended and Restated Memorandum and Articles of Association (the "Amended and Restated Memorandum and Articles of Association"), conduct the redemptions pursuant to the tender offer rules of the SEC and file tender offer documents with the SEC prior to completing a Business Combination. If, however, shareholder approval of the transaction is required by law, or the Company decides to obtain shareholder approval for business or other reasons, the Company will offer to redeem shares in conjunction with a proxy solicitation pursuant to the proxy rules and not pursuant to the tender offer rules. If the Company seeks shareholder approval in connection with a Business Combination, the Sponsor has agreed to vote its Founder Shares (as defined in Note 6) and any Public Shares it holds purchased during or after the Initial Public Offering in favor of approving a Business Combination. Additionally, each Public Shareholder may elect to redeem their Public Shares irrespective of whether they vote for or against the proposed transaction or do not vote at all.

Notwithstanding the above, if the Company seeks shareholder approval of a Business Combination and it does not conduct redemptions pursuant to the tender offer rules, the Amended and Restated Memorandum and Articles of Association provides that a Public Shareholder, together with any affiliate of such shareholder or any other person with whom such shareholder is acting in concert or as a "group" (as defined under Section 13 of the Exchange Act), will be restricted from redeeming its shares with respect to more than an aggregate of 15% or more of the Public Shares, without the prior consent of the Company.

The Company's Sponsor, directors, advisors, Anchor Investors (as described in Note 6) and executive officers have agreed to waive (i) redemption rights with respect to their Founder Shares and Public Shares held by them in connection with the completion of a Business Combination, (ii) redemption rights with respect to any Founder Shares and Public Shares held by them in connection with a shareholder vote to amend the Amended and Restated Memorandum and Articles of Association to modify the substance or timing of the Company's obligation to allow redemption in connection with an initial Business Combination or to redeem 100% of their Public Shares if the Company does not complete an initial Business Combination within 18 months from the closing of the Initial Public Offering, unless extended, or with respect to any other material provision relating to shareholders' rights or pre-initial Business Combination activity and (iii) rights to liquidating distributions from the Trust Account with respect to any Founder Shares held if the Company fails to complete an initial Business Combination within 18 months from the closing of the Initial Public Offering, unless extended. However, if the Sponsor acquires Public Shares in or after the Initial Public Offering, such Public Shares will be entitled to liquidating distributions from the Trust Account if the Company fails to complete a Business Combination within 18 months from the closing of the Initial Public Offering, unless extended.

**SWIFTMERGE ACQUISITION CORP.
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

NOTE 1. DESCRIPTION OF ORGANIZATION, BUSINESS OPERATIONS, LIQUIDITY AND GOING CONCERN (cont.)

The Company has until 18 months from the closing of the Initial Public Offering, unless extended, to complete a Business Combination (the "Combination Period"). If the Company is unable to complete a Business Combination within the Combination Period, the Company will (i) cease all operations except for the purpose of winding up; (ii) as promptly as reasonably possible but no more than ten business days thereafter, redeem the Public Shares, at a per-share price, payable in cash, equal to the aggregate amount then on deposit in the Trust Account, including interest earned on the funds held in the Trust Account and not previously released to the Company to pay income taxes, if any (less up to \$100,000 of interest to pay dissolution expenses) divided by the number of the then-outstanding Public Shares, which redemption will completely extinguish Public Shareholders' rights as shareholders (including the right to receive further liquidation distributions, if any); and (iii) as promptly as reasonably possible following such redemption, subject to the approval of the Company's remaining shareholders and board of directors, liquidate and dissolve, subject in each case to the Company's obligations under Cayman Islands law to provide for claims of creditors and the requirements of other applicable law. There will be no redemption rights or liquidating distributions with respect to the Company's warrants, which will expire worthless if the Company fails to complete a Business Combination within the Combination Period.

The underwriter agreed to waive its rights to their deferred underwriting commission (see Note 7) held in the Trust Account in the event the Company does not complete a Business Combination within the Combination Period and, in such event, such amounts will be included with the other funds held in the Trust Account that will be available to fund the redemption of the Public Shares. In the event of such distribution, it is possible that the per share value of the assets remaining available for distribution will be less than the initial redemption amount of \$10.10 per share.

In November 2022, the Company obtained a waiver letter (the "Waiver Letter") from the underwriter that waived all rights to the deferred underwriting commissions payable to the underwriter at the closing of the Company's initial Business Combination.

On June 15, 2023, the Company reconvened the extraordinary general meeting of the Company which had been adjourned from June 12, 2023 (the "Meeting"). At the Meeting, the shareholders of the Company approved an amendment (the "Trust Amendment") of that certain investment management trust agreement, dated December 17, 2021 (the "Trust Agreement"), by and between the Company and Continental Share Transfer & Trust Company ("Continental"), to change the date on which Continental must commence liquidation of the Trust Account to the earliest of (i) the Company's completion of an initial business combination or (ii) March 15, 2024 (the "Extension Date"). At the Meeting, the Company's shareholders approved a proposal to amend the Company's Amended and Restated Memorandum and Articles of Association to provide the Company with the right to extend the date by which the Company must consummate its initial Business Combination (the "Extension"), from June 17, 2023 to March 15, 2024 (the "Extension Amendment Proposal"). On March 14, 2024 the Company, convened an extraordinary general meeting of shareholders to amend the amended and restated memorandum and articles of association to extend the date by which the Company has to consummate an initial business combination from March 15, 2024 to June 17, 2025 (the "Extended Date").

In connection with the shareholders' vote at the Meeting, the holders of 20,253,090 Class A ordinary shares properly exercised their right to redeem their shares for cash at a redemption price of approximately \$10.46 per share, for an aggregate redemption amount of \$211,918,105.

Immediately following the approval of the proposals at the Meeting, the Sponsor, as the holder of 3,375,000 Class B ordinary shares, converted all 3,375,000 of such shares into the same number of Class A ordinary shares.

As a result of the redemptions described above and the conversion of the Sponsor's Class B ordinary shares, there are an aggregate of 5,621,910 Class A ordinary shares outstanding.

Under Cayman Islands law, the amendments described above took effect immediately upon approval by the shareholders of the Extension Amendment Proposal, Trust Amendment Proposal and the Founder Share Amendment Proposal.

**SWIFTMERGE ACQUISITION CORP.
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

NOTE 1. DESCRIPTION OF ORGANIZATION, BUSINESS OPERATIONS, LIQUIDITY AND GOING CONCERN (cont.)

In order to protect the amounts held in the Trust Account, the Sponsor has agreed that it will be liable to the Company if and to the extent any claims by a third party for services rendered or products sold to the Company (other than the Company's independent registered public accounting firm), or a prospective target business with which the Company has discussed entering into a transaction agreement, reduce the amounts in the Trust Account to below the lesser of (i) \$10.10 per Public Share and (ii) the actual amount per Public Share held in the Trust Account as of the date of the liquidation of the Trust Account if less than \$10.10 per Public Share due to reductions in the value of the trust assets, in each case net of the interest that may be withdrawn to pay tax obligations, provided that such liability will not apply to any claims by a third party or prospective target business that executed a waiver of any and all rights to seek access to the Trust Account nor will it apply to any claims under the indemnity of the underwriter of the Initial Public Offering against certain liabilities, including liabilities under the Securities Act. The Company will seek to reduce the possibility that the Sponsor will have to indemnify the Trust Account due to claims of creditors by endeavoring to have all vendors, service providers (other than the Company's independent registered public accounting firm), prospective target businesses or other entities with which the Company does business, execute agreements with the Company waiving any right, title, interest or claim of any kind in or to monies held in the Trust Account.

The Merger Agreement and Subsequent Termination

On August 11, 2023, Swiftmerge entered into a Merger Agreement (the "Merger Agreement") with HDL Therapeutics, Inc., a Delaware corporation ("HDL"), and IVCP Merger Sub, Inc., a Delaware corporation and a direct wholly owned subsidiary of Swiftmerge ("Merger Sub" and, together with Swiftmerge and HDL the "Parties").

On February 14, 2024, the Company, HDL and Merger Sub entered into a Mutual Termination Agreement (the "Mutual Termination Agreement") pursuant to which they terminated the Merger Agreement by mutual agreement and each party, on behalf of itself and its agents, released, waived and forever discharged the other parties and their agents of and from any and all obligation or liability arising under the Merger Agreement. No termination fee or other payment is due to either party from the other as a result of the termination.

Liquidity, Capital Resources, and Going Concern

As of December 31, 2023, the Company had cash held outside of the Trust Account of \$ 148,349 and a working capital deficit of \$3,021,925.

Prior to the completion of the Initial Public Offering, substantial doubt about the Company's ability to continue as a going concern existed as the Company lacked the liquidity it needed to sustain operations for a reasonable period of time, which is considered to be one year from the issuance date of the financial statements. The Company has since completed its Initial Public Offering at which time capital in excess of the funds deposited in the Trust Account and/or used to fund offering expenses was released to the Company for general working capital purposes.

Furthermore, the Company will have until June 17, 2025 to complete a Business Combination. If a Business Combination is not consummated by June 17, 2025 and an extension has not been effected, there will be a mandatory liquidation and subsequent dissolution of the Company.

Based on the cash forecast prepared by management as of December 31, 2023, the amounts held in the operating account will not provide the Company with sufficient funds to meet its operational and liquidity obligations up to the expiration date of June 17, 2025.

Based on the liquidity condition and the mandatory liquidation, management has determined that there is substantial doubt about the Company's ability to continue as a going concern for a period of time within one year after the date that these financial statements are issued. Management plans to address this uncertainty through a Business Combination, additional working capital loans, or extension as discussed above. There is no assurance that the Company's plans to consummate a Business Combination, obtain additional working capital loans, or extension

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NOTE 1. DESCRIPTION OF ORGANIZATION, BUSINESS OPERATIONS, LIQUIDITY AND GOING CONCERN (cont.)

will be successful. While management expects to have sufficient access to additional sources of capital if necessary, there is no current confirmed financing commitment, and no assurance can be provided that such additional financing will become available to the Company.

The financial statements do not include any adjustments that might result from the outcome of this uncertainty.

Risks and Uncertainties

On August 16, 2022, the Inflation Reduction Act of 2022 (the "IR Act") was signed into federal law. The IR Act provides for, among other things, a new U.S. federal 1% excise tax on certain repurchases of stock by publicly traded U.S. domestic corporations and certain U.S. domestic subsidiaries of publicly traded foreign corporations occurring on or after January 1, 2023 (the "Excise Tax"). The Excise Tax is imposed on the repurchasing corporation itself, not its shareholders from which shares are repurchased. The amount of the Excise Tax is generally 1% of the fair market value of the shares repurchased at the time of the repurchase. However, for purposes of calculating the Excise Tax, repurchasing corporations are permitted to net the fair market value of certain new stock issuances against the fair market value of stock repurchases during the same taxable year. In addition, certain exceptions apply to the Excise Tax. The U.S. Department of the Treasury (the "Treasury") has been given authority to provide regulations and other guidance to carry out and prevent the abuse or avoidance of the Excise Tax.

Any redemption or other repurchase that occurs on or after January 1, 2023, in connection with a business combination, votes relating to certain amendments to the Company's Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation or otherwise, may be subject to the Excise Tax. Whether and to what extent the Company would be subject to the Excise Tax in connection with a business combination, votes relating to certain amendments to the Company's Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation or otherwise would depend on a number of factors, including (i) the fair market value of the redemptions and repurchases in connection with the business combination, extension or otherwise, (ii) the structure of a business combination, (iii) the nature and amount of any "PIPE" or other equity issuances in connection with a business combination (or otherwise issued not in connection with a business combination but issued within the same taxable year of a business combination) and (iv) the content of regulations and other guidance from the Treasury. The mechanics of any required payment of the Excise Tax have not been determined. The foregoing could cause a reduction in the cash available on hand to complete a business combination and in the Company's ability to effect an extension of the time in which the Company must complete a business combination or complete a business combination.

NOTE 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of Presentation

The accompanying financial statements are presented in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("US GAAP") and pursuant to the rules and regulations of the SEC.

Emerging Growth Company

The Company is an "emerging growth company," as defined in Section 2(a) of the Securities Act, as modified by the Jumpstart Our Business Startups Act of 2012 (the "JOBS Act"), and it may take advantage of certain exemptions from various reporting requirements that are applicable to other public companies that are not emerging growth companies including, but not limited to, not being required to comply with the independent registered public accounting firm attestation requirements of Section 404 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act, reduced disclosure obligations regarding executive compensation in its periodic reports and proxy statements, and exemptions from the requirements of holding a nonbinding advisory vote on executive compensation and shareholder approval of any golden parachute payments not previously approved.

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NOTE 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (cont.)

Further, Section 102(b)(1) of the JOBS Act exempts emerging growth companies from being required to comply with new or revised financial accounting standards until private companies (that is, those that have not had a Securities Act registration statement declared effective or do not have a class of securities registered under the Exchange Act) are required to comply with the new or revised financial accounting standards. The JOBS Act provides that a company can elect to opt out of the extended transition period and comply with the requirements that apply to non-emerging growth companies but any such election to opt out is irrevocable. The Company has elected not to opt out of such extended transition period which means that when a standard is issued or revised and it has different application dates for public or private companies, the Company, as an emerging growth company, can adopt the new or revised standard at the time private companies adopt the new or revised standard. This may make comparison of the Company's financial statements with another public company which is neither an emerging growth company nor an emerging growth company which has opted out of using the extended transition period difficult or impossible because of the potential differences in accounting standards used.

Use of Estimates

The preparation of the financial statements in conformity with US GAAP requires the Company's management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period.

Making estimates requires management to exercise significant judgment. It is at least reasonably possible that the estimate of the effect of a condition, situation or set of circumstances that existed at the date of the financial statements, which management considered in formulating its estimate, could change in the near term due to one or more future confirming events. Accordingly, the actual results could differ significantly from those estimates.

Cash and Cash Equivalents

The Company considers all short-term investments with an original maturity of three months or less when purchased to be cash equivalents. The Company had \$148,349 and \$461,914 in cash as of December 31, 2023 and 2022, respectively. The Company did not have any cash equivalents as of December 31, 2023 and 2022.

Investments Held in Trust Account

As of December 31, 2023 and 2022, the assets held in the Trust Account were held in money market funds, which are invested in U.S. Treasury securities. As of December 31, 2023 and 2022, the Company had \$24,376,178 and \$229,792,494 in investments held in the Trust Account, respectively.

The Company's portfolio of investments is comprised of U.S. government securities, within the meaning set forth in Section 2(a)(16) of the Investment Company Act, with a maturity of 185 days or less, or investments in money market funds that invest in U.S. government securities and generally have a readily determinable fair value, or a combination thereof. When the Company's investments held in the Trust Account are comprised of U.S. government securities, the investments are classified as trading securities. When the Company's investments held in the Trust Account are comprised of money market funds, the investments are recognized at fair value. Trading securities and investments in money market funds are presented on the balance sheets at fair value at the end of each reporting period. Gains and losses resulting from the change in fair value of these securities is included in unrealized gains on investments held in the Trust Account in the accompanying statements of operations. The estimated fair values of investments held in the Trust Account are determined using available market information.

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NOTE 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (cont.)

Ordinary Shares Subject to Possible Redemption

All of the 22,500,000 Class A ordinary shares of which, 2,246,910 Class A ordinary shares remain outstanding at December 31, 2023, sold as part of the Units in the Initial Public Offering contain a redemption feature which allows for the redemption of such Public Shares in connection with the Company's liquidation, if there is a shareholder vote or tender offer in connection with the Business Combination and in connection with certain amendments to the Amended and Restated Memorandum and Articles of Association. In accordance with ASC 480-10-S99, redemption provisions not solely within the control of the Company require ordinary shares subject to redemption to be classified outside of permanent equity. Therefore, the Class A ordinary shares not under the control of the Company have been classified outside of permanent equity.

The Company recognizes changes in redemption value immediately as they occur and adjusts the carrying value of redeemable ordinary shares to equal the redemption value at the end of each reporting period. Increases or decreases in the carrying amount of redeemable ordinary shares are affected by charges against additional paid-in capital and accumulated deficit. The redemption value of the redeemable ordinary shares as of December 31, 2023 increased as the income earned on the Trust Account exceeds the Company's expected dissolution expenses (up to \$100,000). As such, the Company recorded an increase in the carrying amount of the redeemable ordinary shares of \$6,501,789 in the year ended December 31, 2023.

As of December 31, 2023 and 2022, the Class A ordinary shares reflected in the balance sheets are reconciled in the following table:

Class A ordinary shares subject to possible redemption at January 1, 2022	\$ 202,000,000
Less:	
Proceeds allocated to Public Warrants	(1,250,000)
Issuance costs allocated to Class A ordinary shares	(1,556,250)
Plus:	
Proceeds from over-allotment warrants	750,000
Proceeds from over-allotment units less cash underwriting discount	24,500,000
Initial accretion of Class A ordinary shares from issuance of over-allotment warrants	2,806,250
Accretion of carrying value to redemption value	<u>2,442,494</u>
Class A ordinary shares subject to possible redemption at December 31, 2022	229,692,494
Less:	
Redemptions	(211,918,105)
Plus:	
Remeasurement of carrying value to redemption value	6,501,789
Class A ordinary shares subject to possible redemption at December 31, 2023	\$ 24,276,178

Offering Costs associated with the Initial Public Offering

The Company complies with the requirements of ASC 340 -10-S99-1 and SEC Staff Accounting Bulletin Topic 5A — *Expenses of Offering*. Offering costs consist principally of professional and registration fees incurred through the balance sheet date that are related to the Initial Public Offering. Offering costs directly attributable to the issuance of an equity contract to be classified in equity are recorded as a reduction in equity. Offering costs for equity contracts that are classified as assets and liabilities are expensed immediately. The Company incurred offering costs amounting to \$26,958,716, consisting of \$4,500,000 of cash underwriting fees, \$7,875,000 of deferred underwriting fees (subsequently derecognized), \$13,605,750 for the excess fair value of Founder Shares attributable to the Anchor Investors (as described in Note 5) and \$977,966 of other offering costs. As such, the Company recorded \$24,864,388 of offering costs as a reduction of temporary equity and \$ 2,094,328 of offering costs as a reduction of permanent equity.

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NOTE 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (cont.)

Income Taxes

The Company accounts for income taxes under ASC 740, *Income Taxes* ("ASC 740"). ASC 740 requires the recognition of deferred tax assets and liabilities for both the expected impact of differences between the financial statements and tax basis of assets and liabilities and for the expected future tax benefit to be derived from tax loss and tax credit carry forwards. ASC 740 additionally requires a valuation allowance to be established when it is more likely than not that all or a portion of deferred tax assets will not be realized.

ASC 740 also clarifies the accounting for uncertainty in income taxes recognized in an enterprise's financial statements and prescribes a recognition threshold and measurement process for financial statements recognition and measurement of a tax position taken or expected to be taken in a tax return. For those benefits to be recognized, a tax position must be more-likely-than-not to be sustained upon examination by taxing authorities. ASC 740 also provides guidance on derecognition, classification, interest and penalties, accounting in interim period, disclosure and transition. Based on the Company's evaluation, it has been concluded that there are no significant uncertain tax positions requiring recognition in the Company's financial statements.

The Company recognizes accrued interest and penalties related to unrecognized tax benefits as income tax expense. There were no unrecognized tax benefits and no amounts accrued for interest and penalties as of December 31, 2023 and 2022. The Company is currently not aware of any issues under review that could result in significant payments, accruals or material deviation from its position. The Company is considered an exempted Cayman Islands Company and is presently not subject to income taxes or income tax filing requirements in the Cayman Islands or the United States. Consequently, income taxes are not reflected in the Company's financial statements.

Net Income Per Ordinary Share

Net income per ordinary share is computed by dividing income by the weighted-average number of ordinary shares outstanding during the period. The Company has not considered the effect of the warrants sold in the Initial Public Offering and private placement to purchase an aggregate of 20,600,000 shares in the calculation of diluted income per ordinary share, since the exercise of the Warrants are contingent upon the occurrence of future events and the inclusion of such Warrants would be anti-dilutive.

The following table reflects the calculation of basic and diluted net income per ordinary share (in dollars, except per share amounts):

For the Years Ended December 31,					
	2023		2022		
	Class A				
	Non- Redeemable Shares	Redeemable Shares	Class B	Class A	Class B
Basic and diluted net income per share					
Numerator:					
Net income	\$ 2,204,696	\$ 396,447	\$ 815,472	\$ 1,202,040	\$ 300,510
Denominator:					
Basic and diluted weighted average shares outstanding	10,232,877	1,840,068	3,784,932	22,376,712	5,594,178
Basic and diluted net income per ordinary share	\$ 0.22	\$ 0.22	\$ 0.22	\$ 0.05	\$ 0.05

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NOTE 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (cont.)

Concentration of Credit Risk

Financial instruments that potentially subject the Company to concentration of credit risk consist of a cash account in a financial institution which, at times may exceed the Federal depositary insurance coverage of \$250,000. The Company has not experienced losses on this account and management believes the Company is not exposed to significant risks on such account.

Fair Value of Financial Instruments

The Company applies ASC Topic 820, *Fair Value Measurement* ("ASC 820"), which establishes a framework for measuring fair value and clarifies the definition of fair value within that framework. ASC 820 defines fair value as an exit price, which is the price that would be received for an asset or paid to transfer a liability in the Company's principal or most advantageous market in an orderly transaction between market participants on the measurement date. The fair value hierarchy established in ASC 820 generally requires an entity to maximize the use of observable inputs and minimize the use of unobservable inputs when measuring fair value. Observable inputs reflect the assumptions that market participants would use in pricing the asset or liability and are developed based on market data obtained from sources independent of the reporting entity. Unobservable inputs reflect the entity's own assumptions based on market data and the entity's judgments about the assumptions that market participants would use in pricing the asset or liability and are to be developed based on the best information available in the circumstances.

The carrying amounts reflected in the balance sheet for current assets and current liabilities approximate fair value due to their short-term nature.

Level 1 — Assets and liabilities with unadjusted, quoted prices listed on active market exchanges. Inputs to the fair value measurement are observable inputs, such as quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities.

Level 2 — Inputs to the fair value measurement are determined using prices for recently traded assets and liabilities with similar underlying terms, as well as direct or indirect observable inputs, such as interest rates and yield curves that are observable at commonly quoted intervals.

Level 3 — Inputs to the fair value measurement are unobservable inputs, such as estimates, assumptions, and valuation techniques when little or no market data exists for the assets or liabilities.

Warrant Classification

The Company accounts for the warrants issued in connection with the Initial Public Offering and the private placement in accordance with the guidance contained in ASC 815, *Derivatives and Hedging* ("ASC 815") under which the warrants meet the criteria for equity treatment and are recorded as equity.

Recent Accounting Standards

Management does not believe that any other recently issued, but not yet effective, accounting standards, if currently adopted, would have a material effect on the Company's financial statements.

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NOTE 3. INITIAL PUBLIC OFFERING

The registration statement for the Company's Initial Public Offering was declared effective on December 14, 2021. On December 17, 2021, the Company consummated the Initial Public Offering of 20,000,000 Units generating gross proceeds of \$200,000,000. Each Unit consists of one Class A ordinary share and one-half of one redeemable warrant ("Public Warrant"). Each Public Warrant entitles the holder to purchase one Class A ordinary share at an exercise price of \$11.50 per whole share (see Note 7).

On January 18, 2022, the Company announced the closing of its sale of an additional 2,500,000 Units pursuant to the partial exercise by the underwriter of its Over-Allotment Option. The Units were sold at an offering price of \$10.00 per Unit, generating gross proceeds of \$25,000,000.

NOTE 4. PRIVATE PLACEMENT

Simultaneously with the closing of the Initial Public Offering, the Company's Sponsor and Anchor Investors purchased an aggregate of 8,600,000 Private Placement Warrants, at a price of \$1.00 per Private Placement Warrant in a private placement. Each Private Placement Warrant is exercisable to purchase one Class A ordinary share at a price of \$11.50 per share. The Private Placement Warrants were sold in a private placement consisting of the following amounts: (i) the Sponsor, 5,600,000 warrants (which can increase to 6,500,000 warrants if the Over-Allotment Option is exercised in full) for \$5,600,000 in aggregate (which can increase to \$6,500,000 if the Over-Allotment Option is exercised in full) and (ii) Anchor Investors, 3,000,000 warrants for \$3,000,000 in aggregate. An amount of \$6,000,000 of proceeds from the sale of the Private Placement Warrants was added to the Trust Account and an amount of \$2,600,000 was deposited into the Company's operating account. There will be no redemption rights with respect to the Private Placement Warrants if the Company does not complete a Business Combination within the Combination Period.

Simultaneously with the partial exercise of the Over-Allotment Option, the Company sold an additional 750,000 Private Placement Warrants to the Sponsor, generating gross proceeds to the Company of \$750,000, which was added to the Trust Account.

NOTE 5. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

Founder Shares

On February 8, 2021, the Sponsor paid an aggregate of \$25,000 to cover certain expenses on behalf of the Company in exchange for the issuance of 7,187,500 Class B ordinary shares (the "Founder Shares"). In July 2021, the Sponsor surrendered 1,437,500 Class B ordinary shares for no consideration, resulting in an aggregate of 5,750,000 Class B ordinary shares outstanding (see Note 7). The Founder Shares included an aggregate of up to 750,000 Class B ordinary shares subject to repurchase by the Sponsor to the extent that the underwriter's Over-Allotment Option was not exercised in full or in part, so that the holders of the Founder Shares will own, on an as-converted basis, 20% of the Company's issued and outstanding shares after the Initial Public Offering. On January 18, 2022, in connection with the partial exercise of the underwriter's Over-Allotment Option, the Sponsor irrevocably surrendered to the Company for cancellation and for no consideration 125,000 Class B ordinary shares resulting in 5,625,000 Class B ordinary shares outstanding. On June 15, 2023, the Sponsor converted 3,375,000 of its Class B ordinary shares into 3,375,000 non-public Class A ordinary shares, which Class A shares have no redemption rights.

The Sponsor, the directors and the executive officers have agreed not to transfer, assign or sell their Founder Shares until the earliest of (x) with respect to one-half of such shares, until consummation of an initial Business Combination, (y) with respect to one-fourth of such shares, until the closing price of the Company's Class A ordinary shares equals or exceeds \$12.00 (as adjusted for share subdivisions, share capitalizations, reorganizations, recapitalizations and other similar transactions) for any 20 trading days within a 30-trading day period following the consummation of an initial Business Combination (the "Requisite Trading Period") and (z) with respect to one-fourth of such shares, until the closing price of the Company's Class A ordinary shares equals or exceeds \$14.00 (as adjusted for share subdivisions,

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NOTE 5. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS (cont.)

share capitalizations, reorganizations, recapitalizations and other similar transactions) for the Requisite Trading Period. Any permitted transferees will be subject to the same restrictions and other agreements of the Sponsor with respect to any Founder Shares. The Anchor Investors have agreed not to transfer, assign or sell any of their Founder Shares until the earliest of (A) one year after the completion of an initial Business Combination and (B) subsequent to the completion of an initial Business Combination, (x) if the closing price of the Company's Class A ordinary shares equals or exceeds \$12.00 per share (as adjusted for share subdivisions, share capitalizations, reorganizations, recapitalizations and other similar transactions) for any 20 trading days within any 30-trading day period following the consummation of an initial Business Combination, or (y) the date on which the Company completes a liquidation, merger, share exchange or other similar transaction that results in all of the Company's Public Shareholders having the right to exchange their ordinary shares for cash, securities or other property. Additionally, the holders of the Founder Shares have agreed that the Founder Shares will not be transferred, assigned or sold until one year after the date of the consummation of an initial Business Combination provided that, such holders shall be permitted to transfer such Founder Shares if, subsequent to an initial Business Combination, (i) the last sales price of the Company's Class A ordinary shares equals or exceeds \$12.00 per share (as adjusted for stock share subdivisions, share capitalizations, reorganizations, recapitalizations and other similar transactions) for any 20 trading days within any 30-trading day period commencing at least 150 days after the initial Business Combination or (ii) the Company consummates a subsequent liquidation, merger, share exchange or other similar transaction which results in all of the Company's shareholders having the right to exchange their ordinary shares for cash, securities or other property.

The Anchor Investors purchased a total of 19,800,000 units and 3,000,000 Private Placement Warrants in the Initial Public Offering at the offering price of \$10.00 per unit. Each such Anchor Investor entered into a separate agreement with the Company to purchase up to 225,000 Founder Shares at the original Founder Share purchase price of approximately \$0.003 per share, or 2,250,000 Founder Shares in the aggregate. These Founder Shares were forfeited by the Sponsor back to the Company and subsequently reissued to the Anchor Investors.

The Company estimated the fair value of the Founder Shares attributable to the Anchor Investors to be \$13,612,500 or \$6.05 per share. The excess of the fair value of the Founder Shares sold over the purchase price of \$6,750 (or \$0.003 per share) was determined to be an offering cost in accordance with Staff Accounting Bulletin Topic 5A. Accordingly, the offering cost was allocated to the separable financial instruments issued in the Initial Public Offering based on a relative fair value basis, compared to total proceeds received. Offering costs allocated to warrants were charged to shareholders' deficit. Offering costs allocated to the Public Shares were charged to temporary equity upon the completion of the Initial Public Offering.

Promissory Note — Related Party

On May 19, 2023, the Sponsor provided a \$200,000 advance ("Advance") to the Company. On September 15, 2023, the Company issued an unsecured promissory note (the "Note") with the Sponsor of up to \$500,000 in the aggregate for costs and expenses reasonably related to the Company's working capital needs prior to the consummation of the Business Combination and the Advance was converted into the first proceeds on the Note. The Note is non-interest bearing and is due the earlier of the consummation of a business combination or the date of liquidation. The Sponsor may elect to convert all or any portion of the unpaid principal balance of this Note into warrants, at a price of \$1.00 per warrant. As of December 31, 2023, the balance under the Note was \$600,000. As of December 31, 2023, the Sponsor did not elect to convert any of the principal to warrants. There were no amounts outstanding in 2022.

Due to Sponsor

Due to Sponsor consists of advances from the Sponsor to pay for offering costs and formation costs on behalf of the Company, are payable on demand and are non-interest bearing. As of December 31, 2023 and 2022, there was \$2,284 due to Sponsor.

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NOTE 5. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS (cont.)

Administrative Services Agreement

The Company entered into an agreement, commencing on the effective date of the Initial Public Offering, to pay an affiliate of the Sponsor a total of up to \$10,000 per month for office space, administrative and support services. On April 8, 2022, the Company entered into Amendment no. 1 to the administrative services agreement with the Sponsor, pursuant to which the payment for office space and certain administrative and support services was reduced from up to \$10,000 per month to up to \$1,000 per month. Upon the completion of an initial Business Combination, the Company will cease paying these monthly fees.

The Company incurred \$12,000 and \$43,516 in administrative services agreement expenses during the years ended December 31, 2023 and 2022, respectively and these amounts are included within formation and operation costs on the accompanying statements of operations. As of December 31, 2023 and 2022, the Company has \$55,516 and \$43,516 in administrative services expenses which are included in accrued expenses — related party in the accompanying balance sheet.

Related Party Loans

In order to finance transaction costs in connection with an intended initial Business Combination, the Sponsor or an affiliate of the Sponsor or certain of the Company's officers and directors may, but are not obligated to, loan the Company funds as may be required. If the Company completes an initial Business Combination, the Company may repay such loaned amounts out of the proceeds of the Trust Account released to the Company. Otherwise, such loans may be repaid only out of funds held outside the Trust Account. In the event that an initial Business Combination does not close, the Company may use a portion of the working capital held outside the Trust Account to repay such loaned amounts but no proceeds from the Trust Account would be used to repay such loaned amounts. Up to \$1,500,000 of such loans may be convertible into warrants of the post-Business Combination entity at a price of \$1.00 per warrant at the option of the lender. The warrants would be identical to the Private Placement Warrants. As of December 31, 2023 and 2022, there was \$0 outstanding on related party loans.

NOTE 6. COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

Registration and Shareholder Rights Agreement

The holders of the Founder Shares, Private Placement Warrants and warrants that may be issued upon conversion of working capital loans (and any Class A ordinary shares issuable upon the exercise of the Private Placement Warrants and warrants issued upon conversion of the working capital loans) have registration and shareholder rights to require the Company to register a sale of any of its securities held by them pursuant to a registration and shareholder rights agreement entered into on the date of the Initial Public Offering. The holders of these securities are entitled to make up to three demands, excluding short form demands, that the Company register such securities. In addition, the holders have certain "piggy-back" registration rights with respect to registration statements filed subsequent to the completion of an initial Business Combination. The Company will bear the expenses incurred in connection with the filing of any such registration statements.

Underwriting Agreement

The Company granted the underwriter a 45-day option from the date of the Initial Public Offering to purchase up to 3,000,000 additional Units to cover over-allotments, if any, at the Initial Public Offering price less the underwriting discounts and commissions. On January 18, 2022, the Company announced the closing of its sale of an additional 2,500,000 Units pursuant to the partial exercise by the underwriter of its Over-Allotment Option. The Units were sold at an offering price of \$10.00 per Unit, generating gross proceeds of \$25,000,000.

The underwriter was paid a cash underwriting discount of \$0.20 per Unit, or \$4,500,000 in the aggregate, upon the closing of the Initial Public Offering and including the Units sold pursuant to the Over-Allotment Option. In addition, \$0.35 per Unit, or \$7,875,000 in the aggregate would have been payable to the underwriter for deferred

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NOTE 6. COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES (cont.)

underwriting commissions. The deferred fee would have become payable to the underwriter from the amounts held in the Trust Account solely in the event that the Company completed a Business Combination, subject to the terms of the underwriting agreement. In November 2022, the Company obtained the Waiver Letter from the underwriter that waived all rights to the deferred underwriting commissions payable to the underwriter at the closing of the Company's initial Business Combination.

NOTE 7. SHAREHOLDERS' DEFICIT

Preference shares — The Company is authorized to issue 1,000,000 preference shares with a par value of \$0.0001 per share with such designations, voting and other rights and preferences as may be determined from time to time by the Company's board of directors. As of December 31, 2023 and 2022, there were no preference shares issued or outstanding.

Class A ordinary shares — The Company is authorized to issue 200,000,000 Class A ordinary shares with a par value of \$0.0001 per share. Holders of Class A ordinary shares are entitled to one vote for each share. As of December 31, 2023 and 2022, there were 5,621,910 and 22,500,000 Class A ordinary shares issued and outstanding, respectively, including 2,246,910 and 22,500,000 Class A ordinary shares subject to possible redemption, respectively.

Class B ordinary shares — The Company is authorized to issue 20,000,000 Class B ordinary shares with a par value of \$0.0001 per share. Holders of Class B ordinary shares are entitled to one vote for each share. As of December 31, 2023 and 2022, there were 2,250,000 and 5,625,000 Class B ordinary shares issued and outstanding, respectively. Movement relates from the conversion of 3,375,000 Class B shares to Class A discussed below.

On February 8, 2021, the Sponsor paid an aggregate of \$25,000 to cover certain expenses on behalf of the Company in exchange for the issuance of 7,187,500 Class B ordinary shares. In July 2021, the Sponsor surrendered 1,437,500 Class B ordinary shares for no consideration, resulting in an aggregate of 5,750,000 Class B ordinary shares outstanding. On January 18, 2022, in connection with the partial exercise of the underwriter's Over-Allotment Option, the Sponsor irrevocably surrendered to the Company for cancellation and for no consideration 125,000 Class B ordinary shares resulting in 5,625,000 Class B ordinary shares outstanding.

Ordinary shareholders of record are entitled to one vote for each share held on all matters to be voted on by shareholders. Except as described below, holders of Class A ordinary shares and holders of Class B ordinary shares will vote together as a single class on all matters submitted to a vote of the Company's shareholders except as required by law. Prior to an initial Business Combination, only holders of the Founder Shares will have the right to vote on the election of directors. Holders of the Public Shares will not be entitled to vote on the appointment of directors during such time.

The Class B ordinary shares will automatically convert into Class A ordinary shares (which such Class A ordinary shares delivered upon conversion will not have redemption rights or be entitled to liquidating distributions from the Trust Account if the Company does not consummate an initial Business Combination) at the time of an initial Business Combination or earlier at the option of the holders thereof at a ratio such that the number of Class A ordinary shares issuable upon conversion of all Founder Shares will equal, in the aggregate, on an as-converted basis, 20% of the sum of (i) the total number of ordinary shares issued and outstanding upon the completion of the Initial Public Offering, plus (ii) the total number of Class A ordinary shares issued or deemed issued or issuable upon conversion or exercise of any equity-linked securities or rights issued or deemed issued, by the Company in connection with or in relation to the consummation of the initial Business Combination, excluding any Class A ordinary shares or equity-linked securities exercisable for or convertible into Class A ordinary shares issued, deemed issued or to be issued to any seller in the initial Business Combination and any Private Placement Warrants issued to the Sponsor, its affiliates or any member of the Company's management team upon conversion of working capital loans. In no event will the Class B ordinary shares convert into Class A ordinary shares at a rate of less than one-to-one.

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NOTE 7. SHAREHOLDERS' DEFICIT (cont.)

On June 15, 2023, the Company reconvened the extraordinary general meeting of the Company which had been adjourned from June 12, 2023. At the Meeting, the shareholders of the Company approved an amendment that certain investment management trust agreement, dated December 17, 2021 to change the date on which Continental must commence liquidation of the trust account established in connection with the Company's initial public offering to the earliest of (i) the Company's completion of an initial business combination and (ii) March 15, 2024 (the "Extension Date"). On March 14, 2024 the Company, convened an extraordinary general meeting of shareholders to amend the amended and restated memorandum and articles of association to extend the date by which the Company has to consummate an initial business combination from March 15, 2024 to June 17, 2025.

The Company's shareholders also approved a proposal (the "Founder Share Amendment Proposal") to provide for the right of a holder of the Company's Class B ordinary shares, par value \$0.0001 per share, to convert such shares into Class A ordinary shares, par value \$ 0.0001 per share, on a one-for-one basis at any time and from time to time prior to the closing of a business combination at the election of the holder.

At the Meeting, the Company's shareholders approved the following items: (i) the Extension Amendment Proposal; (ii) a proposal to approve the Trust Amendment (such proposal, the "Trust Amendment Proposal"); (iii) the Founder Share Amendment Proposal; and (iv) a proposal to approve the adjournment of the Meeting to a later date or dates if necessary (such proposal, the "Adjournment Proposal").

In connection with the vote to approve the Extension Amendment Proposal, the holders of 20,253,090 Class A Ordinary Shares properly exercised their right to redeem their shares for cash at a redemption price of approximately \$10.46 per share, for an aggregate redemption amount of \$211,918,105.

Immediately following the approval of the proposals at the Meeting in June 2023, Swiftmerge Holdings, L.P. as the holder of 3,375,000 Class B Ordinary Shares, converted all 3,375,000 of such shares into the same number of Class A Ordinary Shares. As a result of the redemptions described above and the conversion of the Sponsor's Class B Ordinary Shares, there are an aggregate of 5,621,910 Class A Ordinary Shares outstanding.

Warrants — Public Warrants may only be exercised for a whole number of shares. No fractional shares will be issued upon exercise of the Public Warrants. The Public Warrants will become exercisable 30 days after the consummation of a Business Combination. The Public Warrants will expire five years from the consummation of a Business Combination or earlier upon redemption or liquidation.

The Company will not be obligated to deliver any Class A ordinary shares pursuant to the exercise of a Public Warrant and will have no obligation to settle such Public Warrant exercise unless a registration statement under the Securities Act covering the issuance of the Class A ordinary shares issuable upon exercise of the Public Warrants is then effective and a prospectus relating thereto is current, subject to the Company satisfying its obligations with respect to registration. No Public Warrant will be exercisable for cash or on a cashless basis, and the Company will not be obligated to issue any shares to holders seeking to exercise their Public Warrants, unless the issuance of the shares upon such exercise is registered or qualified under the securities laws of the state of the exercising holder, or an exemption from registration is available.

The Company has agreed that as soon as practicable, but in no event later than 20 business days, after the closing of a Business Combination, the Company will use its commercially reasonable efforts to file with the SEC a registration statement registering the issuance of the shares of Class A ordinary shares issuable upon exercise of the warrants, to cause such registration statement to become effective and to maintain a current prospectus relating to those shares of Class A ordinary shares until the warrants expire or are redeemed, as specified in the warrant agreement. Because the warrants are not exercisable until 30 days after the completion of the initial business combination, the Company does not currently intend to update the registration statement of which the prospectus forms a part or file a new registration statement covering the shares of Class A ordinary shares issuable upon exercise of the warrants until after the initial business combination has been consummated. If a registration statement covering the shares of Class A ordinary shares issuable upon exercise of the warrants is not effective by the 60th business day after the closing of a Business

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NOTE 7. SHAREHOLDERS' DEFICIT (cont.)

Combination or within a specified period following the consummation of a Business Combination, warrant holders may, until such time as there is an effective registration statement and during any period when the Company will have failed to maintain an effective registration statement, exercise warrants on a "cashless basis" pursuant to the exemption provided by Section 3(a)(9) of the Securities Act; provided that such exemption is available. If that exemption, or another exemption, is not available, holders will not be able to exercise their warrants on a cashless basis.

The Company may call the warrants for redemption, in whole and not in part, at a price of \$ 0.01 per warrant:

- at any time after the warrants become exercisable;
- upon a minimum of 30 days' prior written notice of redemption to each warrant holder;
- if, and only if, the reported last sale price of the Class A ordinary shares equals or exceeds \$18.00 per share (as adjusted for stock splits, stock dividends, reorganizations and recapitalizations), for any 20 trading days within a 30 trading day period commencing at any time after the warrants become exercisable and ending on the third business day prior to the notice of redemption to warrant holders; and
- if, and only if, there is a current registration statement in effect with respect to the Class A ordinary shares underlying such warrants.

The exercise price and number of Class A ordinary shares issuable upon exercise of the Public Warrants may be adjusted in certain circumstances including in the event of a share dividend, extraordinary dividend or recapitalization, reorganization, merger or consolidation. However, except as described below, the Public Warrants will not be adjusted for issuances of Class A ordinary shares at a price below its exercise price. Additionally, in no event will the Company be required to net cash settle the Public Warrants. If the Company is unable to complete a Business Combination within the Combination Period and the Company liquidates the funds held in the Trust Account, holders of Public Warrants will not receive any of such funds with respect to their Public Warrants, nor will they receive any distribution from the Company's assets held outside of the Trust Account with respect to such Public Warrants. Accordingly, the Public Warrants may expire worthless.

In addition, if (x) the Company issues additional Class A ordinary shares or equity -linked securities (as defined below) for capital raising purposes in connection with the closing of an initial Business Combination at an issue price or effective issue price of less than \$9.20 per ordinary share (with such issue price or effective issue price to be determined in good faith by the Company's board of directors and, in the case of any such issuance to the Sponsor or their respective affiliates, without taking into account any Founder Shares held by the Sponsor or such affiliates, as applicable, prior to such issuance) (the "Newly Issued Price"), (y) the aggregate gross proceeds from such issuances represent more than 60% of the total equity proceeds, and interest thereon, available for the funding of an initial Business Combination on the date of the consummation of an initial Business Combination (net of redemptions), and (z) the volume weighted average trading price of the Class A ordinary shares during the 20-trading day period starting on the trading day prior to the day on which the Company consummates an initial Business Combination (such price, the "Market Value") is below \$9.20 per share, the exercise price of the warrants will be adjusted (to the nearest cent) to be equal to 115% of the greater of (i) the Market Value or (ii) the Newly Issued Price, and the \$18.00 per share redemption trigger price of the warrants will be adjusted (to the nearest cent) to be equal to 180% of the greater of (i) the Market Value or (ii) the Newly Issued Price.

The Private Placement Warrants are identical to the Public Warrants underlying the Units being sold in the Initial Public Offering, except that the Private Placement Warrants and ordinary shares issuable upon the exercise of the Private Placement Warrants are not transferable, assignable or salable until 30 days after the completion of a Business Combination, subject to certain limited exceptions. Additionally, the Private Placement Warrants are exercisable on a cashless basis and will be non-redeemable.

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NOTE 7. SHAREHOLDERS' DEFICIT (cont.)

At December 31, 2023 and 2022, there were 11,250,000 Public Warrants outstanding, and 9,350,000 Private Placement Warrants outstanding. The Company accounts for the Public Warrants and Private Placement Warrants issued in connection with the Initial Public Offering in accordance with the guidance contained in ASC 815. Such guidance provides that the warrants described above are not precluded from equity classification. Equity-classified contracts are initially measured at fair value (or allocated value). Subsequent changes in fair value are not recognized as long as the contracts continue to be classified in equity.

NOTE 8. FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS

The following table presents information about the Company's financial assets that are measured at fair value on a recurring basis as of December 31, 2023 and 2022, and indicates the fair value hierarchy of the valuation inputs the Company utilized to determine such fair value:

Description	Amount at Fair Value	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3
December 31, 2023				
Assets				
Investments held in Trust Account:				
U.S. Treasury Securities Money Market Funds	\$ 24,376,178	\$ 24,376,178	\$ —	\$ —
December 31, 2022				
Assets				
Investments held in Trust Account:				
U.S. Treasury Securities Money Market Funds	\$ 229,792,494	\$ 229,792,494	\$ —	\$ —

NOTE 9. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

The Company evaluated subsequent events and transactions that occurred after the balance sheet date up to the date that the financial statements were issued.

On February 14, 2024, the Company entered into the Mutual Termination Agreement with HDL.

On March 14, 2024, the Company extended the date by which the Company has to consummate an initial business combination from March 15, 2024 to June 17, 2025.

On March 14, 2024 the Company and the Sponsor entered into non-redemption agreements (each, a "Non-Redemption Agreement") with one or more unaffiliated third party or parties (the "Investors") in exchange for each such third party or third parties agreeing not to redeem certain public Class A ordinary shares, \$0.001 par value per share of the Company sold in its initial public offering (the "Non-Redeemed Shares") at the Adjourned Meeting. In exchange for the foregoing commitments not to redeem such Non-Redeemed Shares, the Company and the Sponsor agreed, among other items, that the Sponsor will assign an economic interest in certain of its Founder Shares to the Investor at the rate of 3 Founder Shares for each 10 Non-Redeemed Shares.

On March 15, 2024 the Company convened an extraordinary general meeting of the Company's shareholders (the "2024 Meeting"). At the 2024 Meeting, the shareholders of the Company approved the Second Trust Amendment of that certain investment management trust agreement, dated December 17, 2021, as amended on June 15, 2023, by and between the Company and Continental, to change the date on which Continental must commence liquidation of the Trust Account to the earliest of (i) the Company's completion of an initial Business Combination and (ii) June 17, 2025. At the 2024 Meeting, the Company's shareholders also approved a proposal to amend the Company's Amended

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NOTE 9. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS (cont.)

and Restated Memorandum and Articles of Association to provide the Company with the right to extend the date by which the Company must consummate its initial Business Combination, from March 15, 2024 to June 17, 2025 (the "Extension Amendment Proposal").

In connection with the shareholders' vote at the 2024 Meeting, the holders of 1,031,997 public Class A Ordinary Shares properly exercised their right to redeem their shares for cash at a redemption price of approximately \$10.92 per share, for an aggregate redemption amount of approximately \$ 11.3 million. After the satisfaction of such redemptions, the Company expects the balance in the Trust Account will be approximately \$13.3 million.

PART II**INFORMATION NOT REQUIRED IN PROSPECTUS****Item 13. Other Expenses of Issuance and Distribution.**

The following table sets forth all costs and expenses, other than underwriting discounts and commissions, payable by us in connection with the Class A Common Stock being registered. All amounts shown are estimates except for the SEC registration fee.

	Amount Paid or to be Paid
SEC Registration Fee	\$ 19,807.31
Printing and miscellaneous expenses	\$ *
Legal fees and expenses	\$ *
Accounting fees and expenses	\$ *
Total:	\$ 19,807.31

* These fees are calculated based on the securities offered and the number of issuances and accordingly cannot be defined at this time.

Item 14. Indemnification of Directors and Officers.

The registrant's Certificate of Incorporation and Bylaws require it to indemnify any director, officer, employee or agent of the registrant who was or is a party to, or is threatened to be made a party to, or is otherwise involved in, any proceeding, by reason of the fact that he or she is or was a director, officer, employee or agent of the registrant or is or was serving at the request of the registrant as a director, officer, employee or agent of, or in any other capacity for, another corporation, partnership, joint venture, limited liability company, trust, or other enterprise, to the fullest extent permitted under Delaware law, against all expense, liability and loss (including attorneys' fees, judgments, fines, taxes, penalties and amounts paid or to be paid in settlement) reasonably incurred or suffered by such person in connection with such proceeding if the person acted in good faith and in a manner reasonably believed to be in or not opposed to the best interests of the registrant and, with respect to any criminal action or proceeding, had no reasonable cause to believe his or her conduct was unlawful.

We have entered into agreements with our officers and directors to provide contractual indemnification in addition to the indemnification provided for in its Certificate of Incorporation and Bylaws. We have purchased a policy of directors' and officers' liability insurance that insures our officers and directors against the cost of defense, settlement or payment of a judgment in some circumstances and insures us against our obligations to indemnify our officers and directors.

The limitation of liability and indemnification provisions in these indemnification agreements and our Certificate of Incorporation and Bylaws may discourage stockholders from bringing a lawsuit against our directors for breach of fiduciary duty. These provisions also may reduce the likelihood of derivative litigation against our directors and officers, even though such an action, if successful, might otherwise benefit us and our stockholders. In addition, your investment in the registrant's securities may be adversely affected to the extent we pay the costs of settlement and damage awards under these indemnification provisions.

Item 15. Recent Sales of Unregistered Securities.

During the three years preceding the filing of this registration statement on Form S -1, of which this prospectus is a part, AleAnna has granted or issued the following securities of AleAnna, which were not registered under the Securities Act.

- On December 13, 2024, AleAnna issued 25,994,400 shares of Class C Common Stock in connection with the close of the Business Combination. Such securities were issued pursuant to the exemption from registration contained in Section 4(a)(2) of the Securities Act.
- On January 18, 2022, the underwriter in Swiftmerge's initial public offering partially exercised its over-allotment option and purchased an additional 2,500,000 units, at a price of \$10.00 per unit, generating gross proceeds of \$25,000,000. Simultaneously with the partial exercise of the over-allotment option,

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Swiftmerge sold an additional 750,000 private placement warrants to Sponsor, generating gross proceeds to the company of \$750,000. Such securities were issued pursuant to the exemption from registration contained in Section 4(a)(2) of the Securities Act.

The sales of the above securities were exempt from the registration requirements of the Securities Act in reliance on the exemptions afforded by Section 4(a)(2) of the Securities Act.

Item 16. Exhibits and Financial Statement Schedules.

See the Exhibit Index immediately following the signature page hereto, which is incorporated by reference as if fully set forth herein.

Item 17. Undertakings.

(a) The undersigned registrant hereby undertakes:

- (1) To file, during any period in which offers or sales are being made, a post -effective amendment to this Registration Statement:
 - (i) To include any prospectus required by section 10(a)(3) of the Securities Act;
 - (ii) To reflect in the prospectus any facts or events arising after the effective date of this Registration Statement (or the most recent post-effective amendment thereof) which, individually or in the aggregate, represent a fundamental change in the information set forth in the registration statement. Notwithstanding the foregoing, any increase or decrease in volume of securities offered (if the total dollar value of securities offered would not exceed that which was registered) and any deviation from the low or high end of the estimated maximum offering range may be reflected in the form of prospectus filed with the SEC pursuant to Rule 424(b) if, in the aggregate, the changes in volume and price represent no more than 20% change in the maximum aggregate offering price set forth in the "Calculation of Registration Fee" table in the effective registration statement; and
 - (iii) To include any material information with respect to the plan of distribution not previously disclosed in this Registration Statement or any material change to such information in this Registration Statement;

provided, however, that paragraphs (a)(1)(i), (ii), (iii) above do not apply if the registration statement is on Form S-1 and the information required to be included in a post-effective amendment by those paragraphs is contained in reports filed with or furnished to the SEC by the registrant pursuant to section 13 or section 15(d) of the Exchange Act that are incorporated by reference in the registration statement or is contained in a form of prospectus filed pursuant to Rule 424(b) that is part of the registration statement.

- (2) That, for the purpose of determining any liability under the Securities Act of 1933, each such post-effective amendment shall be deemed to be a new registration statement relating to the securities offered therein, and the offering of such securities at that time shall be deemed to be the initial bona fide offering thereof.
- (3) To remove from registration by means of a post -effective amendment any of the securities being registered which remain unsold at the termination of the offering.
- (4) That, for the purpose of determining liability under the Securities Act of 1933 to any purchaser: each prospectus filed pursuant to Rule 424(b) as part of a registration statement relating to an offering, other than registration statements relying on Rule 430B or other than prospectuses filed in reliance on Rule 430A (§230.430A of this chapter), shall be deemed to be part of and included in the registration statement as of the date it is first used after effectiveness. *Provided, however, that no statement made in a registration statement or prospectus that is part of the registration statement or made in a document incorporated or deemed incorporated by reference into the registration statement or prospectus that is part of the registration statement will, as to a purchaser with a time*

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of contract of sale prior to such first use, supersede or modify any statement that was made in the registration statement or prospectus that was part of the registration statement or made in any such document immediately prior to such date of first use.

(5) that, for the purpose of determining liability of the registrant under the Securities Act to any purchaser in the initial distribution of the securities, the undersigned registrant undertakes that in a primary offering of securities of the undersigned registrant pursuant to this Registration Statement, regardless of the underwriting method used to sell the securities to the purchaser, if the securities are offered or sold to such purchaser by means of any of the following communications, the undersigned registrant will be a seller to the purchaser and will be considered to offer or sell such securities to such purchaser:

- (a) any preliminary prospectus or prospectus of the undersigned registrant relating to the offering required to be filed pursuant to Rule 424;
- (b) any free writing prospectus relating to the offering prepared by or on behalf of the undersigned registrant or used or referred to by the undersigned registrant;
- (c) the portion of any other free writing prospectus relating to the offering containing material information about the undersigned registrant or its securities provided by or on behalf of an undersigned registrant; and
- (d) any other communication that is an offer in the offering made by the undersigned registrant to the purchaser.

(b) Insofar as indemnification for liabilities arising under the Securities Act of 1933, may be permitted to directors, officers and controlling persons of the registrant pursuant to the foregoing provisions, or otherwise, the registrant has been advised that in the opinion of the SEC such indemnification is against public policy as expressed in the Act and is, therefore, unenforceable. In the event that a claim for indemnification against such liabilities (other than the payment by the registrant of expenses incurred or paid by a director, officer or controlling person of the registrant in the successful defense of any action, suit or proceeding) is asserted by such director, officer or controlling person in connection with the securities being registered, the registrant will, unless in the opinion of its counsel the matter has been settled by controlling precedent, submit to a court of appropriate jurisdiction the question whether such indemnification by it is against public policy as expressed in the Act and will be governed by the final adjudication of such issue.

EXHIBIT INDEX**Item 18. Exhibits**

Exhibits	Description
2.1†	Agreement and Plan of Merger, dated as of June 4, 2024, by and among Swiftmerge, HoldCo, Merger Sub and AleAnna (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 2.1 to the Company's Registration Statement on Form S-4 (File No. 333-280699) filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on July 5, 2024).
2.2	First Amendment to Agreement and Plan of Merger, dated as of October 8, 2024, by and among Swiftmerge, HoldCo, Merger Sub and the Company (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 2.2 to the Company's Registration Statement on Form S-4/A (File No. 333-280699) filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on October 8, 2024).
3.1	Certificate of Incorporation of AleAnna, Inc. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 3.1 of the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K (File No. 001-41164), filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on December 19, 2024).
3.2	Bylaws of AleAnna, Inc. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 3.2 of the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K (File No. 001-41164), filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on December 19, 2024).
4.1	Specimen Warrant Certificate of Swiftmerge (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 4.3 of the Company's Registration Statement on Form S-1/A (File No. 333-254633), filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on October 4, 2021).
4.2	Warrant Agreement, dated as of December 14, 2021, by and between Continental Stock Transfer & Trust Company and Swiftmerge (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 4.1 of the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K (File No. 001-41164), filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on December 20, 2021).
5.1*	Opinion of Haynes and Boone, LLP.
10.1	Amended and Restated Letter Agreement, dated June 4, 2024, by and between Swiftmerge Holdings, LP, Swiftmerge and the Company (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.1 of the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K (File No. 001-41164), filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on December 19, 2024).
10.2	Investment Management Trust Agreement, dated as of December 17, 2021, by and between Swiftmerge and Continental Stock Transfer & Trust Company (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.3 of the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K (File No. 001-41164), filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on December 20, 2021).
10.3	Amended and Restated Limited Liability Company Agreement of HoldCo (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.15 of the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K (File No. 001-41164), filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on December 19, 2024).
10.4	Form of Investor Letter, dated June 4, 2024, by and between Swiftmerge, certain qualified institutional buyers or institutional accredited investors and certain unaffiliated third-party investors (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.16 of the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K (File No. 001-41164), filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on December 19, 2024).
10.5	Amended and Restated Registration Rights Agreement, dated as of December 13, 2024, by and among the Company, Swiftmerge Holdings, LP, Nautilus Resources LLC, and certain other persons named therein (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.17 of the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K (File No. 001-41164), filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on December 19, 2024).
10.6+	Form of Indemnification Agreement for directors and executive officers of AleAnna, Inc. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.18 of the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K (File No. 001-41164), filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on December 19, 2024).
10.7+	Employment Agreement, dated as of September 1, 2022, by and between Marco Brun and AleAnna (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 10.25 to the Company's Registration Statement on Form S-4/A (File No. 333-280699) filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on November 5, 2024).
16.1	Letter from Marcum LLP to the Securities and Exchange Commission dated December 18, 2025 (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 16.1 of the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K (File No. 001-41164), filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on December 19, 2024).
21.1	Subsidiaries of the Company (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 21.1 of the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K (File No. 001-41164), filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on December 19, 2024).

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Exhibits	Description
23.1*	Consent of Deloitte & Touche LLP, independent registered accounting firm for the Company.
23.2*	Consent of DeGolyer and MacNaughton.
23.3*	Consent of Marcum LLP.
23.4*	Opinion of Haynes Boone, LLP (included in Exhibit 5.1).
24.1*	Power of Attorney (included in signature page).
99.1*	Report of DeGolyer and MacNaughton, Summary of Reserves at December 31, 2023.
101.INS*	Inline XBRL Instance Document (the instance document does not appear in the Interactive Data File because its XBRL tags are embedded within the Inline XBRL document).
101.SCH*	Inline XBRL Taxonomy Extension Schema Document.
101.CAL*	Inline XBRL Taxonomy Extension Calculation Linkbase Document.
101.DEF*	Inline XBRL Taxonomy Extension Definition Linkbase Document.
101.LAB*	Inline XBRL Taxonomy Extension Label Linkbase Document.
101.PRE*	Inline XBRL Taxonomy Extension Presentation Linkbase Document.
104*	Cover Page Interactive Data File (formatted as Inline XBRL and contained in Exhibit 101).
107*	Filing Fee Table.

† Certain schedules or similar attachments to this exhibit have been omitted pursuant to Item 601(a)(5) of Regulation S-K. The Company agrees to provide a copy of any omitted schedule or similar attachment to the SEC upon request.
+ Indicates management contract or compensatory plan.
* Filed herewith.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, the registrant certifies that it has reasonable grounds to believe that it meets all of the requirements for filing on Form S-1 and has duly caused this Registration Statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, on January 13, 2025.

AleAnna, Inc.
By: <u>/s/ Tristan Yopp</u>
Name: Tristan Yopp
Title: Chief Financial Officer

POWER OF ATTORNEY

KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS, that each person whose signature appears below constitutes and appoints Tristan Yopp his or her true and lawful attorney-in-fact, with full power of substitution and resubstitution for such person in his or her name, place and stead, in any and all capacities, to sign this Registration Statement on Form S-1 (including all pre-effective and post-effective amendments and registration statements filed pursuant to Rule 462 under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended), and to file the same, with all exhibits thereto, and other documents in connection therewith, with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, granting unto said attorney-in-fact, acting alone, full power and authority to do and perform each and every act and thing requisite and necessary to be done in and about the premises, as fully to all intents and purposes as he or she might or could do in person, hereby ratifying and confirming that such attorney-in-fact, or his substitute or substitutes, may lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue hereof.

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, this Registration Statement has been signed by the following persons in the capacities and on the dates indicated below.

Signature	Title	Date
<u>/s/ Marco Brun</u> Marco Brun	Chief Executive Officer and Director (Principal Executive Officer)	January 13, 2025
<u>/s/ Tristan Yopp</u> Tristan Yopp	Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial Officer)	January 13, 2025
<u>/s/ Charles Roscopf</u> Charles Roscopf	Chief Accounting Officer (Principal Accounting Officer)	January 13, 2025
<u>/s/ Graham van't Hoff</u> Graham van't Hoff	Director	January 13, 2025
<u>/s/ William K. Dirks</u> William K. Dirks	Director	January 13, 2025
<u>/s/ Duncan Palmer</u> Duncan Palmer	Director	January 13, 2025
<u>/s/ Curtis Hébert</u> Curtis Hébert	Director	January 13, 2025

HAYNES BOONE



January 13, 2025

AleAnna, Inc.
300 Crescent Court, Suite 1860
Dallas, Texas 75201

Re: AleAnna, Inc. Registration Statement on Form S-1

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We have acted as counsel to AleAnna, Inc., a Delaware corporation f/k/a Swiftmerge Acquisition Corp. (the “**Company**”), in connection with the preparation and filing with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the “**Commission**”) under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the “**Securities Act**”), of a registration statement on Form S-1, initially filed by the Company on January 13, 2025 (as thereafter amended or supplemented, the “**Registration Statement**”).

The Registration Statement relates to the issuance by the Company of up to 11,250,000 shares (the “**Warrant Shares**”) of Class A common stock, par value \$0.0001 per share, of the Company (the “**Class A Common Stock**”) issuable upon exercise of an aggregate of 11,250,000 warrants (the “**Public Warrants**”), each of which is exercisable at a price per share of \$11.50 per share.

In rendering the opinion set forth herein, we have examined the originals, or photostatic or certified copies, of (i) the Certificate of Incorporation and Bylaws of the Company; (ii) certain resolutions of the Board of Directors of the Company related to the filing of the Registration Statement, the authorization and issuance of the Warrant Shares and related matters; (iii) the Registration Statement and all exhibits included or incorporated by reference thereto; (iv) a certificate executed by an officer of the Company, dated as of the date hereof; (v) a copy of that certain Warrant Agreement, dated December 14, 2021, by and between Continental Stock Transfer & Trust Company and the Company (the “**Warrant Agreement**”); and (vi) such other records, documents and instruments as we deemed relevant and necessary for purposes of the opinion stated herein.

In making the foregoing examination, we have assumed the genuineness of all signatures, the legal capacity of all natural persons, the authenticity of all documents submitted to us as originals, the conformity to original documents of all documents submitted to us as photostatic or certified copies, and the authenticity of the originals of such copies. As to all questions of fact material to this opinion, where such facts have not been independently established, we have relied, to the extent we have deemed reasonably appropriate, upon representations or certificates of officers of the Company or governmental officials.

We have not considered, and express no opinion herein as to, the laws of any state or jurisdiction other than the Delaware General Corporation Law as in effect on the date hereof.

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Based upon the foregoing, and subject to the qualifications, assumptions, limitations and exceptions stated herein, we are of the opinion that the Warrant Shares are duly authorized, and, when issued by the Company against payment therefor in accordance with the terms of the Warrant Agreement, such Warrant Shares will have been validly issued, fully paid and nonassessable.

We hereby consent to the filing of this opinion with the Commission as an exhibit to the Registration Statement. We further consent to the reference to our firm under the caption “Legal Matters” in the prospectus constituting a part of the Registration Statement. In giving this consent, we are not admitting that we are within the category of persons whose consent is required under Section 7 of the Securities Act or the rules and regulations of the Commission. This opinion is given as of the date hereof and we assume no obligation to update or supplement such opinion after the date hereof to reflect any facts or circumstances that may thereafter come to our attention or any changes that may thereafter occur.

Very truly yours,

/s/ Haynes and Boone, LLP
Haynes and Boone, LLP

CONSENT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM

We consent to the use in this Registration Statement on Form S-1 of our report dated July 3, 2024, relating to the financial statements of AleAnna Energy, LLC. We also consent to the reference to us under the heading "Experts" in such Registration Statement.

/s/ Deloitte & Touche LLP

Dallas, Texas
January 13, 2025

DeGolyer and
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January 13, 2025

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Ladies and Gentlemen:

We hereby consent to the references to DeGolyer and MacNaughton, to the inclusion of our estimates of reserves contained in the report of third party dated August 19, 2024, and to the specific references to DeGolyer and MacNaughton as an independent petroleum engineering firm that appear in the Registration Statement on Form S-1 of AleAnna, Inc.

Very truly yours,

/s/ DeGOLYER and MacNAUGHTON
DeGOLYER and MacNAUGHTON
Texas Registered Engineering Firm F-716

INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM'S CONSENT

We consent to the inclusion in this Registration Statement of AleAnna, Inc. on Form S-1 of our report dated April 1, 2024, which includes an explanatory paragraph as to Swiftmerge Acquisition Corp.'s ability to continue as a going concern, with respect to our audits of the financial statements of Swiftmerge Acquisition Corp. as of December 31, 2023 and 2022 and for the years ended, which report appears in the Prospectus, which is part of this Registration Statement. We were dismissed as auditors on December 13, 2024 and, accordingly, we have not performed any audit or review procedures with respect to any financial statements appearing in such Registration Statement for the periods after the date of our dismissal. We also consent to the reference to our Firm under the heading "Experts" in such Prospectus.

/s/ Marcum LLP

Marcum LLP
Hartford, CT
January 13, 2025

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August 19, 2024

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Ladies and Gentlemen:

Pursuant to your request, this report of third party presents an independent evaluation, as of December 31, 2023, of the extent of the estimated net proved sales gas reserves of certain properties in which AleAnna Italia S.p.A. (AleAnna) has represented it holds an interest. This evaluation was completed on August 19, 2024. The properties evaluated herein consist of working interests located in Italy (Table 1). AleAnna has represented that these properties account for 100 percent on a net equivalent barrel basis of AleAnna's net proved reserves as of December 31, 2023. The net proved reserves estimates have been prepared in accordance with the reserves definitions of Rules 4-10(a) (1)-(32) of Regulation S-X of the United States Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC). This report was prepared in accordance with guidelines specified in Item 1202 (a)(8) of Regulation S-K and is to be used for inclusion in certain SEC filings by AleAnna.

Reserves estimated herein are expressed as net reserves. Gross reserves are defined as the total estimated petroleum remaining to be produced from these properties after December 31, 2023. Net reserves are defined as that portion of the gross reserves attributable to the interests held by AleAnna after deducting all interests held by others.

Estimates of reserves should be regarded only as estimates that may change as further production history and additional information become available. Not only are such estimates based on that information which is currently available, but such estimates are also subject to the uncertainties inherent in the application of judgmental factors in interpreting such information.

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Information used in the preparation of this report was obtained from AleAnna. In the preparation of this report we have relied, without independent verification, upon information furnished by AleAnna with respect to the property interests being evaluated, production from such properties, current costs of operation and development, current prices for production, agreements relating to current and future operations and sale of production, and various other information and data that were accepted as represented. A field examination was not considered necessary for the purposes of this report.

This report was prepared in August 2024; therefore, certain events that may have occurred before the preparation of this report but after the "as-of" date of December 31, 2023, which might have affected the estimates presented herein, were not taken into account.

Definition of Reserves

Petroleum reserves included in this report are classified as proved. Only proved reserves have been evaluated for this report. Reserves classifications used in this report are in accordance with the reserves definitions of Rules 4-10(a) (1)-(32) of Regulation S-X of the SEC. Reserves are judged to be economically producible in future years from known reservoirs under existing economic and operating conditions and assuming continuation of current regulatory practices using conventional production methods and equipment. In the analyses of production-decline curves, reserves were estimated only to the limit of economic rates of production under existing economic and operating conditions using prices and costs consistent with the effective date of this report, including consideration of changes in existing prices provided only by contractual arrangements but not including escalations based upon future conditions. The petroleum reserves are classified as follows:

Proved oil and gas reserves – Proved oil and gas reserves are those quantities of oil and gas, which, by analysis of geoscience and

engineering data, can be estimated with reasonable certainty to be economically producible—from a given date forward, from known reservoirs, and under existing economic conditions, operating methods, and government regulations—prior to the time at which contracts providing the right to operate expire, unless evidence indicates that renewal is reasonably certain, regardless of whether deterministic or probabilistic methods are used for the estimation. The project to extract the hydrocarbons must have commenced or the operator must be reasonably certain that it will commence the project within a reasonable time.

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(i) The area of the reservoir considered as proved includes:

(A) The area identified by drilling and limited by fluid contacts, if any, and (B) Adjacent undrilled portions of the reservoir that can, with reasonable certainty, be judged to be continuous with it and to contain economically producible oil or gas on the basis of available geoscience and engineering data.

(ii) In the absence of data on fluid contacts, proved quantities in a reservoir are limited by the lowest known hydrocarbons (LKH) as seen in a well penetration unless geoscience, engineering, or performance data and reliable technology establishes a lower contact with reasonable certainty.

(iii) Where direct observation from well penetrations has defined a highest known oil (HKO) elevation and the potential exists for an associated gas cap, proved oil reserves may be assigned in the structurally higher portions of the reservoir only if geoscience, engineering, or performance data and reliable technology establish the higher contact with reasonable certainty.

(iv) Reserves which can be produced economically through application of improved recovery techniques (including, but not limited to, fluid injection) are included in the proved classification when:

(A) Successful testing by a pilot project in an area of the reservoir with properties no more favorable than in the reservoir as a whole, the operation of an installed program in the reservoir or an analogous reservoir, or other evidence using reliable technology establishes the reasonable certainty of the engineering analysis on which the project or program was based; and (B) The project has been approved for development by all necessary parties and entities, including governmental entities.

(v) Existing economic conditions include prices and costs at which economic producibility from a reservoir is to be determined. The price shall be the average price during the 12-month period prior to the ending date of the period covered by the report, determined as an unweighted arithmetic average of the first-day-of-the-month price for each month within such period, unless prices are defined by contractual arrangements, excluding escalations based upon future conditions.

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Developed oil and gas reserves – Developed oil and gas reserves are reserves of any category that can be expected to be recovered:

- (i) Through existing wells with existing equipment and operating methods or in which the cost of the required equipment is relatively minor compared to the cost of a new well; and
- (ii) Through installed extraction equipment and infrastructure operational at the time of the reserves estimate if the extraction is by means not involving a well.

Undeveloped oil and gas reserves – Undeveloped oil and gas reserves are reserves of any category that are expected to be recovered from new wells on undrilled acreage, or from existing wells where a relatively major expenditure is required for recompletion.

- (i) Reserves on undrilled acreage shall be limited to those directly offsetting development spacing areas that are reasonably certain of production when drilled, unless evidence using reliable technology exists that establishes reasonable certainty of economic producibility at greater distances.
- (ii) Undrilled locations can be classified as having undeveloped reserves only if a development plan has been adopted indicating that they are scheduled to be drilled within five years, unless the specific circumstances justify a longer time.
- (iii) Under no circumstances shall estimates for undeveloped reserves be attributable to any acreage for which an application of fluid injection or other improved recovery technique is contemplated, unless such techniques have been proved effective by actual projects in the same reservoir or an analogous reservoir, as defined in [section 210.4–10 (a) Definitions], or by other evidence using reliable technology establishing reasonable certainty.

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Methodology and Procedures

Estimates of reserves were prepared by the use of appropriate geologic, petroleum engineering, and evaluation principles and techniques that are in accordance with the reserves definitions of Rules 4–10(a) (1)–(32) of Regulation S–X of the SEC and with practices generally recognized by the petroleum industry as presented in the publication of the Society of Petroleum Engineers entitled “Standards Pertaining to the Estimating and Auditing of Oil and Gas Reserves Information (revised June 2019) Approved by the SPE Board on 25 June 2019.” The method or combination of methods used in the analysis of each reservoir was tempered by experience with similar reservoirs, stage of development, quality and completeness of basic data, and

production history.

Based on the current stage of field development, production performance, the development plans provided by AleAnna, and analyses of areas offsetting existing wells with test or production data, reserves were classified as proved.

The proved undeveloped reserves estimates were based on opportunities identified in the plans of development provided by AleAnna.

AleAnna has represented that its senior management is committed to the development plans provided by AleAnna and that AleAnna has the financial capability to execute the development plans, including the drilling and completion of wells and the installation of equipment and facilities.

The volumetric method was used to estimate the original gas in place (OGIP). Structure maps were prepared to delineate each reservoir, and isopach maps were constructed to estimate reservoir volume. Electrical logs, radioactivity logs, core analyses, and other available data were used to prepare these maps as well as to estimate representative values for porosity and water saturation.

Estimates of ultimate recovery were obtained after applying recovery factors to OGIP. These recovery factors were based on consideration of the type of energy inherent in the reservoirs, analyses of the petroleum, the structural positions of the properties, and the production histories.

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In certain cases, reserves were estimated by incorporating elements of analogy with similar wells or reservoirs for which more complete data were available.

Data provided by AleAnna from wells drilled through December 31, 2023, and made available for this evaluation were used to prepare the reserves estimates herein. The reserves estimates were based on consideration of production data available through December 2023. The fields evaluated herein have not yet been placed on production and are expected to begin production in 2024.

Gas quantities estimated herein are expressed as sales gas. Sales gas is defined as the total gas to be produced from the reservoirs, measured at the point of delivery, after reduction for fuel usage, flare, and shrinkage resulting from field separation and processing. Gas reserves estimated herein are reported as sales gas. Gas quantities are expressed at a temperature base of 60 degrees Fahrenheit (°F) and at a pressure base of 14.7 pounds per square inch absolute (psia). Gas quantities included in this report are expressed in millions of cubic feet (10^6ft^3).

Gas quantities are identified by the type of reservoir from which the gas will be produced. Nonassociated gas is gas at initial reservoir conditions with no oil present in the reservoir. Associated gas is both gas-cap gas and solution gas. Gas-cap gas is gas at initial reservoir conditions and is in communication with an underlying oil zone. Solution gas is gas dissolved in oil at initial reservoir conditions. Gas quantities estimated herein consist of nonassociated gas.

Primary Economic Assumptions

This report has been prepared using initial prices, expenses, and costs provided by AleAnna in United States dollars (U.S.\$). Future prices were estimated using guidelines established by the SEC and the Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB). The following economic assumptions were used for estimating the reserves reported herein:

Gas Prices

AleAnna has represented that the provided gas prices were based on a reference price, calculated as the unweighted arithmetic average of the first-day-of-the-month price prevailing in Italy for each month within the 12-month period prior to the end of the reporting period, unless prices are defined by contractual agreements. AleAnna has represented that the Punto di Scambio Virtuale price is the expected reference price for production for the fields evaluated herein and that no adjustments for differentials have been applied. The average price attributable to the estimated proved reserves was U.S.\$14.13 per thousand cubic feet of gas.

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Operating Expenses and Gas Processing Fee

Current operating expenses and operating expense forecasts, provided by AleAnna and based on existing economic conditions, together with known gas processing fees, were used in estimating future expenses required to operate the Gradizza, Longanesi, and Trava fields. In certain situations, future expenditures, either higher or lower than current expenditures, may have been used because of anticipated changes in operating conditions, but no general escalation that might result from inflation was applied.

Capital and Abandonment Costs

Future capital expenditures and abandonment costs were estimated using current forecasts provided by AleAnna and were not adjusted for inflation. Abandonment costs are represented by AleAnna to be inclusive of those costs associated with the removal of equipment, plugging of wells, and reclamation and restoration associated with the abandonment. Operating expenses and capital and abandonment costs were considered, as appropriate, in determining the economic viability of the undeveloped reserves estimated herein.

Government Royalty

A cash royalty is paid to the government on the basis of wellhead prices less certain deductions and exemptions. Government gas royalties are assessed at a rate of 10 percent for onshore fields. Gas production for royalty is assessed after fuel usage and flare. A small quantity of production (1,766 thousand cubic feet (10^6ft^3) per year) is exempt from the royalty payment each year and may result in no royalty being paid in years when production falls below that certain threshold.

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Production and Other Taxes

AleAnna makes a payment to a third party, BluGas. The basis of the BluGas payment is a portion of the gas revenue from a fixed quantity of 2,472 million cubic feet (10^6ft^3) of future gas production. This quantity of gas is included in the net proved sales gas reserves reported herein. Additionally, AleAnna has represented that the approximately U.S.\$23 million still owed by AleAnna for the acquisition of the Longanesi field will be paid out of future profits. The deferred acquisition payments paid by AleAnna come from a contractually calculated portion of its future gas revenue. The portion is a varying percentage of annual production multiplied by the current price less a "threshold price." Payments to BluGas and the payments still owed for the acquisition of Longanesi field are reported herein as Production and Other Taxes.

Income Taxes

An Italian national income tax (IRES) is assessed on revenues less costs and depreciation (as defined in IRES). An IRES of 24 percent was applied herein for all years. An Italian regional income tax (IRAP) of 4.82 percent was also assessed. Taxes are paid on the level of the legal entity, so any abandonment tax losses for a specific field may be offset on the company's total income. For Italian tax purposes, AleAnna's share of the tax reimbursement of abandonment costs is included in the economic evaluation herein.

In our opinion, the information relating to estimated proved reserves of condensate and sales gas contained in this report has been prepared in accordance with Paragraphs 932-235-50-4, 932-235-50-6, 932-235-50-7, and 932-235-50-9 of the Accounting Standards Update 932-235-50, *Extractive Industries – Oil and Gas (Topic 932): Oil and Gas Reserve Estimation and Disclosures* (January 2010) of the FASB and Rules 4-10(a) (1)-(32) of Regulation S-X and Rules 302(b), 1201, 1202(a) (1), (2), (3), (4), (8), and 1203(a) of Regulation S-K of the SEC; provided, however, that estimates of proved developed and proved undeveloped reserves are not presented at the beginning of the year.

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To the extent the above-enumerated rules, regulations, and statements require determinations of an accounting or legal nature, we, as engineers, are necessarily unable to express an opinion as to whether the above-described information is in accordance therewith or sufficient therefor.

Summary of Conclusions

DeGolyer and MacNaughton has performed an independent evaluation of the extent of the estimated net proved sales gas reserves of certain properties in which AleAnna has represented it holds an interest. The Gradizza, Longanesi, and Trava fields are located in the eastern Po Valley, onshore Italy and are evaluated herein.

DeGolyer and MacNaughton's independent estimates of AleAnna's net proved reserves, as of December 31, 2023, attributable to the evaluated properties were based on the definition of reserves of the SEC and are summarized as follows, expressed in millions of cubic feet (10^6ft^3):

	Estimated by DeGolyer and MacNaughton Net Reserves as of December 31, 2023
	Sales Gas (10^6ft^3)
Proved	
Developed	0
Undeveloped	17,689
Total Proved	17,689

While the oil and gas industry may be subject to regulatory changes from time to time that could affect an industry participant's ability to recover its reserves, we are not aware of any such governmental actions which would restrict the recovery of the December 31, 2023, estimated reserves.

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DeGolyer and MacNaughton is an independent petroleum engineering consulting firm that has been providing petroleum consulting services throughout the world since 1936. DeGolyer and MacNaughton does not have any financial interest, including stock ownership, in AleAnna. Our fees were not contingent on the results of our evaluation. This report has been prepared at the request of AleAnna. DeGolyer and MacNaughton has used all assumptions, data, procedures, and methods that it considers necessary and appropriate to prepare this report.

Submitted,

/s/ DeGOLYER and MacNAUGHTON



/s/ Regnald A. Boles, P.E.

Regnald A. Boles, P.E.
Executive Vice President
DeGolyer and MacNaughton

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CERTIFICATE of QUALIFICATION

I, Regnald A. Boles, Petroleum Engineer with DeGolyer and MacNaughton, 5001 Spring Valley Road, Suite 800 East, Dallas, Texas, 75244 U.S.A., hereby certify:

1. That I am an Executive Vice President with DeGolyer and MacNaughton, which firm did prepare the report of third party addressed to AleAnna dated August 19, 2024, and that I, as Executive Vice President, was responsible for the preparation of this report of third party.
2. That I attended Texas A&M University, and that I graduated with a Bachelor of Science degree in Petroleum Engineering in the year 1983; that I am a Registered Professional Engineer in the State of Texas; that I am a member of the Society of Petroleum Engineers, the Society of Petroleum Evaluation Engineers, and the European Association of Geoscientist & Engineers; and that I have more than 40 years of experience in oil and gas reservoir studies and evaluations.



/s/ Regnald A. Boles, P.E.

Regnald A. Boles, P.E.
Executive Vice President
DeGolyer and MacNaughton

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TABLE 1

Country	Field	Working Interest %
Italy	Gradizza	100.00
	Longanesi	33.50
	Trava	100.00

Calculation of Filing Fee Table

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(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

Table 1: Newly Registered Securities

	Security Type	Security Class Title	Fee Calculation or Carry Forward Rule	Amount Registered	Proposed Maximum Offering Price Per Unit	Maximum Aggregate Offering Price	Fee Rate	Amount of Registration Fee
Fees to be paid								
	Equity	Class A Common Stock, par value \$0.0001, underlying the Warrants	457(g)	11,250,000(1)(2)	\$ 11.50(3)	\$129,375,000	0.00015310	\$ 19,807.31
			Total Offering Amounts			\$129,375,000		\$ 19,807.31
			Total Fees Previously Paid					\$ —
			Total Fee Offsets					\$ —
			Net Fee Due					\$ 19,807.31

- (1) Pursuant to Rule 416(a) under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act"), this Registration Statement shall also cover any additional shares of Class A common stock, par value \$0.0001 per share ("Class A Common Stock"), of AleAnna, Inc., a Delaware corporation (f/k/a Swiftmerge Acquisition Corp.) (the "Registrant"), that become issuable as a result of any stock dividend, stock split, recapitalization, or other similar transaction effected without the receipt of consideration that results in an increase to the number of outstanding shares of Class A Common Stock, as applicable.
- (2) Consists of 11,250,000 shares of Class A Common Stock issuable upon the exercise of the warrants, each to purchase one share of Class A Common Stock at an exercise price of \$11.50 (the "Warrants").
- (3) Calculated pursuant to Rule 457(g) under the Securities Act, based on the exercise price of the Warrants.