UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 10-K/A

(Amendment No. 1)

☑ ANNUAL REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the fiscal year ended <u>December 31, 2024</u>

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For the	transition period from	to	
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(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)			(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)
5081 Howerton Way, Suite A Bowie, Maryland		_	20715
(Address of principal executive offices)			(Zip Code)
Registrar	nt's telephone number,	including area code: (3	305) 521-0200
Sec	urities registered pursu	uant to Section 12(b) of	f the Act:
Title of Each Class	Tradin	g Symbol(s) BLNK	Name of Each Exchange on Which Registered
Common Stock		BLNK	The NASDAQ Stock Market LLC
Securit	ies registered pursuan	t to Section 12(g) of th	e Act: None
Indicate by check mark if the registrant is a well-know	n seasoned issuer, as	defined in Rule 405 of	the Securities Act. Yes □ No 🗵
Indicate by check mark if the registrant is not required	to file reports pursuar	nt to Section 13 or Sect	ion 15(d) of the Act. Yes □ No ⊠
			tion 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the 2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days
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State the aggregate market value of the voting and non-voting common equity held by non-affiliates (101,064,244 shares) computed by reference to the price at which the common equity was last sold (\$2.74) as of the last business day of the registrant's most recently completed second fiscal quarter (June 30, 2024): \$270,806,708.

the registrant's executive officers during the relevant recovery period pursuant to § 240.10D-1(b).

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Act). Yes \square No \boxtimes

Indicate by check mark whether any of those error corrections are restatements that required a recovery analysis of incentive-based compensation received by any of

As of April 28, 2025, there were 102,717,131 shares of the registrant's common stock outstanding.

Documents Incorporated by Reference: None.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

Blink Charging Co. (the "Company," "we," "us" or "our") is filing this Amendment No. 1 to Annual Report on Form 10-K/A (this "Amendment") to amend the Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2024 (Commission File No. 001-38392), as filed with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") on April 9, 2025 (the "Original 10-K"). This Amendment is being filed for the sole purpose of including the information required by Part III of Form 10-K. The information required by Part III was previously omitted from the Original 10-K in reliance on General Instruction G(3) to Form 10-K, which permits the information in Part III to be incorporated in the Form 10-K by reference from our definitive proxy statement if such statement is filed no later than 120 days after our fiscal year end. We are filing this Amendment to include Part III information in our Form 10-K because we will not file a definitive proxy statement containing this information within 120 days after the end of the fiscal year covered by the Original 10-K. This Amendment amends and restates in their entirety Items 10, 11, 12, 13 and 14 of Part III and Item 15 of Part IV of the Original 10-K.

Pursuant to Rule 12b-15 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), this Amendment contains certifications pursuant to Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, which are attached hereto.

This Amendment does not reflect events occurring after the filing of the Original 10-K (i.e., those events occurring after April 9, 2025) or modify or update those disclosures that may be affected by subsequent events. Accordingly, this Amendment should be read in conjunction with the Original 10-K and our other filings with the SEC.

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PART III

ITEM 10. DIRECTORS, EXECUTIVE OFFICERS AND CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

Directors

The following information describes the biographical information, offices held, other business directorships, additional director experience, qualifications, attributes and skills and the class and term of each of our directors, as of April 29, 2025. There are no arrangements or understandings between a director and any other person pursuant to which such director was or is to be selected as a director or nominee.

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Director	Age	Director Since	Audit Committee	Compensation Committee	Nominating, Corporate Governance & Sustainability Committee	Strategy & Growth Committee
Ritsaart J.M. van Montfrans	53	2019	X	X (Chair)	X	X
Michael C. Battaglia	54	2025				X
Brendan S. Jones	61	2021				
Aviv Hillo	60	2023				X
Martha J. Crawford	57	2024				X (Chair)
Jack Levine	74	2019	X (Chair)	X	X	
Kristina A. Peterson	61	2023	X		X (Chair)	
Cedric L. Richmond	51	2022		X	X	X

Ritsaart J.M. van Montfrans

Ritsaart J.M. van Montfrans became a member of our Board of Directors ("Board") in December 2019 and was named the Chairman of the Board in May 2023. He is an experienced entrepreneur in Europe. He is currently the Chief Executive Officer of Incision Group, a medtech scale-up in team performance and education, since January 2017, and co-founded and led Scale-Up Nation, a growth accelerator for ventures with large scale-up potential, from February 2016 to January 2017, each in Amsterdam, the Netherlands.

In February 2009, Mr. van Montfrans founded NewMotion, which grew to become the leading service provider for electric vehicles in Europe, with the largest network of charging stations. Mr. van Montfrans served as Chief Executive Officer and International Business Development Director of NewMotion until February 2016, shortly before the company was purchased by Royal Dutch Shell. Prior to NewMotion, Mr. van Montfrans was a partner of H2 Equity Partners, an investment firm in Amsterdam, from September 2002 to February 2009, an engagement manager at McKinsey & Co. in Amsterdam from May 1999 to September 2002, and an associate in the mergers and acquisitions group of J.P. Morgan in London. Mr. van Montfrans received a Master of Business Administration degree from the University of Groningen in the Netherlands.

Mr. van Montfrans brings extensive EV charging industry knowledge and a deep background in technology growth companies, mergers and acquisitions, and capital market activities. His leadership of NewMotion and in-depth knowledge of the EV charging market and broad range of companies in the industry (with a focus on Western Europe) make him well qualified to be a member of the Board.

Michael C. Battaglia

Effective February 1, 2025, Michael C. Battaglia was appointed to be our President and Chief Executive Officer and was elected as a member of our Board. Mr. Battaglia is an automotive and EV charging veteran with more than 25 years of experience in the industry and has expertise in building high performing sales and operations teams. Prior to joining our company, Mr. Battaglia served in various management positions for J.D. Power from March 2006 to July 2020, assisting automotive OEMs and retailers improve operations through data-driven insights, analyses and consulting services. Prior to J.D. Power, Mr. Battaglia held various sales and management positions with SmartDisk Corporation and Toyota Motor Sales USA.

Mr. Battaglia joined our company as Vice President of Sales in August 2020. In January 2021, Mr. Battaglia was promoted to Senior Vice President of Sales and Business Development, and, in December 2022, he was promoted to Chief Revenue Officer. In September 2023, Mr. Battaglia was promoted to Chief Operating Officer. Throughout his time with our company, Mr. Battaglia has worked closely with the operations and finance teams to streamline systems and processes related to order processing and fulfillment, customer support structures, and new product procurement, which has led to increases in the company's operational efficiency. Mr. Battaglia received a B.S. degree in finance from the Carroll School of Management at Boston College.

Brendan S. Jones

Brendan S. Jones joined our company as Chief Operating Officer in April 2020 and became our President and was elected a member of our Board in February 2021. Effective May 1, 2023, Mr. Jones was appointed by our Board to be our Chief Executive Officer. Effective January 31, 2025, Mr. Jones retired from the company, but continues to serve as a director on the Board. From February 1, 2025 through March 2025, Mr. Jones served as an Executive Advisor to assist with the transition of his responsibilities to his successor. Prior to joining our company, he served as the Chief Operating Officer of Electrify America, LLC, the United States-based EV subsidiary of Volkswagen Group AG, from September 2016 to March 2020. Mr. Jones was Electrify America's first employee and is credited with building Electrify America from its original startup concept into one of the largest ultrafast EV charging companies in the world, establishing strategy, design implementation and management teams at Electrify America, negotiating numerous contracts for charging services with leading carmakers, retail property owners and EV infrastructure companies, and managing the installation and servicing of thousands of charging stations.

Mr. Jones previously served as Vice President - OEM Strategy and Business Development of EVgo, a subsidiary of NRG Energy which operates EV fast charging stations, from March 2014 to September 2016. Prior to these positions, Mr. Jones served in various leadership positions with Nissan North America, Inc., from April 1994 to March 2015. At Nissan, he assumed increasingly senior positions including Director - Electric Vehicle Sales Operations and Infrastructure Development from 2013 to 2015, Director - Chief Marketing Manager EV Model Line from 2011 to 2013, and Senior Manager of the Nissan LEAF Launch Team from 2009 to 2011. Mr. Jones has been a board member of several EV industry groups including the Electric Drive Transportation Association, a trade association that promotes electric drive technologies and infrastructure (2015 and 2016), and the ROEV Association, a collaboration between EV charging network operators and electric vehicle manufacturers to allow drivers to charge at multiple stations using one card (from 2015 to 2017). Mr. Jones received B.A. and M.A. degrees from George Mason University and a professional certificate from Vanderbilt University for completing the accelerated executive leadership development program.

Mr. Jones' more than 30 years of day-to-day operational experience in the electric vehicle ("EV") charging, automotive and alternative energy industries and in-depth knowledge in the areas of EV charging sales, technology and infrastructure development make him well qualified as a member of the Board.

Aviv Hillo

Aviv Hillo has served as our General Counsel since June 2018 and Executive Vice President of Mergers & Acquisitions since May 2022. He became a member of our Board in July 2023. Prior to joining our company, Mr. Hillo practiced law in New York and Israel as a partner in the law firm Schechter Hillo, which he founded in October 2004. Mr. Hillo has also been involved in starting and operating new businesses. He served as Chief Executive Officer of K-Lawyers.com, an internet legal platform, from February 2016 to June 2018, co-founder and general counsel of Ariel Photonics Assembly Ltd., a developer of lasers for defense applications, from September 2007 to September 2015, and in-house counsel at LSL Biotechnologies, Inc., a developer of seeds with long shelf-life qualities, from March 1998 to April 2006. Mr. Hillo received his law degree from Tel Aviv University in Israel and a Master of Laws degree (cum laude) from Fordham University in New York, where he specialized in banking, corporate and finance law. Mr. Hillo is a member of the New York State Bar Association, the Israeli Bar Association and is certified to practice as in-house counsel in Florida. Mr. Hillo is a veteran of the Israeli Defense Forces where he retired as a ranked Major.

Mr. Hillo is well qualified to serve as a member of our Board due to his substantial knowledge and more than 30 years of working experience in corporate controls and governance, corporate litigation and mergers and acquisitions.

Martha J. Crawford

Martha J. Crawford joined our Board in December 2024. During her 25-year executive career, she held C-suite positions in multi-national corporations in chemicals, energy, and environmental services companies. An internationally recognized technologist and business leader, Dr Crawford works with top private equity funds to build and scale environmental infrastructure companies. Dr Crawford is an Operating Partner at Macquarie Asset Management ("MAM"), a leading private equity fund in the infrastructure domain (\$80 billion in assets under management), and serves on the boards of two MAM-owned companies in the waste management sector since 2021.

From 1997 to 2016, Dr. Crawford led a distinguished career in France, where she was Global VP of Research and Development ("R&D") for Air Liquide and Areva (now Orano). Dr. Crawford led international R&D operations and was responsible for major developments of decarbonization technologies, including offshore wind and large-scale solar, Hydrogen for energy storage and propulsion, and carbon capture and sequestration. Dr. Crawford has previously served on the boards of three EURONEXT-listed public companies: Altran Technologies (engineering and R&D services), Ipsen SA (biopharmaceutical) and Suez SA (water and waste management, and decentralized energy). Dr Crawford was knighted by President Sarkozy in 2014 for her contributions to the greening of industry in France.

Dr. Crawford earned MS and PhD degrees in Chemical and Environmental engineering from Harvard University (1994, 1997), with most of her coursework at MIT. She also holds an M.B.A. from the French Collège des Ingénieurs (1998) and an Executive Certificate in Private Equity and Venture Capital from Columbia Business School (2022). Dr Crawford served on the faculty of Harvard Business School from 2016-2019, teaching courses on corporate governance and ethics, and on innovation in the clean energy sector.

An international businesswoman and recognized expert on technological innovation, Dr Crawford brings corporate C-suite experience from industry and energy sectors, and significant experience with innovation and commercialization of clean technologies. In addition, she brings 15 years of experience serving on public boards, making her highly qualified to serve on our Board.

Jack Levine

Jack Levine became a member of our Board in December 2019 where he serves as the Chair of the Audit Committee. He has been the President of Jack Levine, PA, a certified public accounting firm, since 1984. For more than 35 years, he has been advising corporations on financial and accounting matters and serving as an independent director on numerous boards, frequently as head of their audit committees. Since June 2021, Mr. Levine has served as a director, chairman of the audit committee and as a qualified SEC financial expert of Strawberry Fields REIT, Inc. (NYSE: STRW), a public company specializing in the acquisition, ownership and triple net leasing of skilled nursing facilities and other post-acute healthcare properties. In addition, Mr. Levine is currently a director and chairman of the audit committee of SignPath Pharma, Inc., a development-stage biotechnology company, since 2010.

Mr. Levine's previous board memberships included Provista Diagnostics, Inc., a cancer detection and diagnostics company focused on women's cancer, from 2011 to 2018 (also serving as chairman of its audit committee); Biscayne Pharmaceuticals, Inc., a biopharmaceutical company discovering and developing novel therapies based on growth hormone-releasing hormone analogs; Grant Life Sciences, a research and development company focused on early detection of cervical cancer, from 2004 to 2008 (also serving as chairman of its audit committee); and Pharmanet, Inc., a global drug development services company providing a comprehensive range of services to pharmaceutical, biotechnology, generic drug and medical device companies, from 1999 to 2007 (also serving as chairman of its audit and other committees). Mr. Levine also served as a director and audit committee chair of Beach Bank, a community bank, from 2000 to 2006, Prairie Fund, a mutual fund, from 2000 to 2006, and Bankers Savings Bank, a community bank, from 1996 to 1998, and was a member of the audit committee of Miami Dade County School Board, the nation's third largest school system, from 2004 to 2006. Mr. Levine is a certified public accountant licensed by the States of Florida and New York. He also is a member of the National Association of Corporate Directors, Association of Audit Committee Members and American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. Mr. Levine received a B.A. degree from Hunter College of the City University of New York and an M.A. from New York University.

Mr. Levine demonstrates extensive knowledge of complex financial, accounting, tax and operational issues highly relevant to our growing business. Through his decades of service as a board member, he also brings significant working experience with public company best practices.

Kristina A. Peterson

Kristina A. Peterson became a member of our Board in May 2023. She serves as Chair of the Nominating, Corporate Governance and Sustainability Committee and as a Member of the Audit Committee. She has an extensive background in infrastructure investments in electric utilities, independent private power producer power generation, interconnection, transmission, EV charging, and battery storage companies and has served on three public companies and two private company boards. Ms. Peterson has been the Chief Executive Officer of Mayflower Partners, a cleantech financial advisory firm, since 2000. Ms. Peterson was a senior executive at Brookfield Asset Management (NYSE:BAM), Brookfield Renewable Partners (NYSE: BEP), Terraform Power (Nasdaq: TERP), EDF Renewable Energy, Suntech and Greenwood Energy previously. Prior to that, she served as an investment banker at ABN AMRO Bank and Citibank for ten years in the global energy, infrastructure and telecom industries.

Ms. Peterson is a member of the National Association of Corporate Directors, recipient of the Board Leadership Fellow accreditation, and serves as Co-Chair of Women Corporate Directors Foundation, San Diego Chapter, a global group of women corporate board directors since 2016. She currently serves as Non-Executive Director, Chair of the Remuneration Committee and a member of the Audit Committee of Invinity Energy Systems PLC (LSE: IES), a utility-scale battery energy storage company (2021 to present) and Independent Director on the Board, Audit Committee Member and Sustainability Champion of Madison Energy Infrastructure, Inc., a distributed generation solar company owner-operator (2022 to present), which is a private equity portfolio company of EQT Group AB's Infrastructure Fund VI. Ms. Peterson was a director of Iteros, Inc., an energy management software firm (2015 to 2020), a director of Coalition for Green Capital, a non-profit with a mission to halt climate change by accelerating investment in clean energy technologies through creation of a national green bank (2019 to December 2023) and a director of Electriq Power Holdings, Inc., a renewable energy storage system design company (November 2023 to May 2024).

Ms. Peterson earned her MBA in Finance and Marketing from the University of Chicago Booth School of Business and received her B.S. Business Administration from Boston University. She completed additional graduate coursework at MIT Sloan School of Management. Ms. Peterson's executive leadership experience in energy, technology, investment finance and banking organizations, and board governance experience makes her well qualified to be a member of the Board.

Cedric L. Richmond

Cedric L. Richmond became a member of our Board in August 2022. He is currently the President of Richmond & Company, LLC, a governmental affairs consulting firm founded in May 2022. Prior to founding Richmond & Company, Mr. Richmond served as a Senior Advisor to the Executive Office of the President of the United States and Director of the White House Office of Public Engagement in the Biden Administration, serving in such positions from January 2021 to May 2022.

Prior to joining the Biden Administration in January 2021, Mr. Richmond served as a Member of the United States House of Representatives, representing Louisiana's Second District, from January 2011 to January 2021. While serving in the United States House of Representatives, Mr. Richmond served on the Committee on Small Business, the Committee on the Judiciary, the Committee on Homeland Security and the Committee on Ways and Means. Mr. Richmond was also elected as the youngest person to ever serve as the Chair of the Congressional Black Caucus, serving in such position from January 2017 to January 2019. From 2000 to 2010, Mr. Richmond served as a Member of the Louisiana House of Representatives where he represented the 101st District.

Mr. Richmond received a B.A. degree in Business Administration with a concentration in accounting from Morehouse College, a J.D. degree from Tulane University School of Law and is a graduate of Harvard's John F. Kennedy School of Government Executive Program for Senior Executives in Government. Mr. Richmond has also received honorary doctorate degrees from Southern University and A&M College in Baton Rouge, Louisiana and Xavier University in New Orleans, Louisiana.

Mr. Richmond's extensive experience in government service, insight into regulatory affairs, and his expertise in governance, oversight and ethics gained through service in the public sector, bring unique and valuable perspective to our Board and make him well qualified to be a member of our Board.

There are no family relationships among any of our directors and executive officers.

Executive Officers

The following information sets forth certain information regarding our executive officers as of April 29, 2025:

Executive Officer	Age	Position
Michael C. Battaglia	54	President and Chief Executive Officer
Michael P. Rama	59	Chief Financial Officer
Aviv Hillo	60	General Counsel and Executive Vice President – M&A
Harjinder Bhade	61	Chief Technology Officer

Biographical information for Messrs. Battaglia and Hillo is set forth under the heading "Directors" above.

Michael P. Rama

Mr. Rama has served as our Chief Financial Officer since February 2020. Prior to joining us, Mr. Rama was an independent financial consultant (not associated with Blink) from July 2019 until he joined us on February 10, 2020. Mr. Rama served as the Vice President and Chief Financial Officer of NV5 Global, Inc., a Nasdaq Capital Markets-traded company that provides professional and technical engineering and consulting solutions for public and private sector clients in the infrastructure, energy, construction, real estate and environmental markets, from September 2011 to June 2019. At NV5 Global, Mr. Rama was responsible for all accounting, finance and treasury functions and the company's SEC reporting. From October 1997 until August 2011, Mr. Rama held various accounting and finance roles with AV Homes, Inc. (formerly known as Avatar Holdings, Inc.), including as principal financial officer, chief accounting officer and controller. Mr. Rama has more than 20 years of experience with SEC compliance, establishment and maintenance of internal controls, and capital markets and acquisition transactions. Mr. Rama earned a Bachelor of Science degree in accounting from the University of Florida and is a Certified Public Accountant.

Harjinder Bhade

Mr. Bhade has served as our Chief Technology Officer since May 2021, where he is responsible for the maintenance of the Blink network and the development of our EV products. He was previously the Chief Technology Officer and Senior Vice President of Engineering at ENGIE North America Inc. (which acquired Green Charge Networks), a sustainable energy storage as a service company, from October 2014 to May 2021. Prior to that, Mr. Bhade was a founder and served as Vice President of Software Engineering at ChargePoint, a global EV charging infrastructure company, from November 2007 to September 2014, where he played a key role in that company's product development. Mr. Bhade served on ChargePoint's Advisory Board from September 2014 to May 2021. Mr. Bhade served as the Senior Director of Software Engineering of Carrier Ethernet Solutions at Lucent Technologies from May 2006 to April 2007, the Director of Software Engineering at Riverstone Networks (which was acquired by Lucent Technologies) from January 2003 to May 2006, and the Founder and Director of Software Engineering at Pipal Systems from November 2001 to January 2003. Mr. Bhade received a B.S. degree in computer science from California State University, Chico and an M.B.A. degree from the University of Phoenix.

Delinquent Section 16(a) Reports

Section 16(a) of the Exchange Act requires our executive officers, directors and holders of more than 10% of our common stock to file with the SEC initial reports of ownership and reports of changes in ownership of our common stock. Such persons are required by SEC regulations to furnish us with copies of all Section 16(a) forms they file

Based solely upon our review of the copies of such forms received by us, or representations from certain reporting persons that no year-end Forms 5 were required for those persons, we believe that, during the year ended December 31, 2024, all filing requirements applicable to our executive officers, directors and greater than 10% beneficial owners were complied with, except for one late Form 4 filing by Michael Battaglia which included one late transaction and one late Form 3 filing by Martha Crawford which included no late transaction.

Corporate Governance

Code of Business Conduct and Ethics

We adopted a Code of Business Conduct and Ethics in December 2013. Our Code of Business Conduct and Ethics applies to all our employees, officers and directors, including our principal executive and senior financial officers, and was updated in May 2024. A copy of our Code of Business Conduct and Ethics (2023 version) is posted on our website at www.blinkcharging.com. We intend to disclose future amendments to certain provisions of our Code of Conduct and Business Ethics, or waivers of these provisions with respect to executive officers on our website or in our public filings with the SEC. There were no waivers of the Code of Business Conduct and Ethics in 2024. A copy of our Code of Business Conduct and Ethics will be provided without charge to any person submitting a written request to the attention of the Chief Executive Officer at our principal executive office.

Board Committees and Charters

The Board has four standing committees - Audit Committee, Compensation Committee, Nominating, Corporate Governance & Sustainability Committee and the Strategy & Growth Committee. The Board maintains charters for each of these standing committees. To view the charters of our standing Board committees, please visit our website at https://ir.blinkcharging.com/corporate-governance/governance-documents.

Audit Committee

Our Audit Committee is currently comprised of Jack Levine (chair), Ritsaart J.M. van Montfrans and Kristina A. Peterson. Our Board has determined that each of the directors serving on the Audit Committee meets the requirements for financial literacy under applicable rules and regulations of the SEC and Nasdaq. In addition, our Board has determined that Mr. Levine meets the requirements of a financial expert as defined under the applicable rules and regulations of the SEC and has the requisite financial sophistication as defined under the applicable rules and regulations of Nasdaq. Our Board has considered the independence and other characteristics of each existing member and each proposed member of our Audit Committee, and our Board believes that each member meets the independence and other requirements of Nasdaq and the SEC. Our Audit Committee operates under a written charter that satisfies the applicable standards of the SEC and Nasdaq.

Our Audit Committee, among other things, is responsible for:

- selecting and hiring the independent registered public accounting firm to audit our financial statements;
- helping to ensure the independence and performance of the independent registered public accounting firm;
- · approving audit and non-audit services and fees;
- reviewing financial statements and discussing with management and the independent registered public accounting firm our annual audited and quarterly financial statements, the results of the independent audit and the quarterly reviews, and the reports and certifications regarding internal controls over financial reporting and disclosure controls;
- preparing the Audit Committee report that the SEC requires to be included in our annual proxy statement;

- reviewing reports and communications from the independent registered public accounting firm;
- reviewing earnings press releases and earnings guidance;
- reviewing the adequacy and effectiveness of our internal controls and disclosure controls and procedures;
- reviewing our policies on risk assessment and risk management;
- reviewing related party transactions;
- establishing and overseeing procedures for the receipt, retention and treatment of accounting related complaints and the confidential submission by our employees of concerns regarding questionable accounting or auditing matters; and
- reviewing and monitoring actual and potential conflicts of interest.

During 2024, the Audit Committee met six times.

Compensation Committee

Our Compensation Committee is currently comprised of Ritsaart J.M. van Montfrans (chair), Jack Levine and Cedric L. Richmond. Our Board has considered the independence and other characteristics of each current and anticipated member of our Compensation Committee. Our Board believes that each member of our Compensation Committee meets the requirements for independence under the current requirements of Nasdaq, is a nonemployee director as defined by Rule 16b-3 promulgated under the Exchange Act, and is an outside director as defined pursuant to Section 162(m) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "Code").

Our Compensation Committee operates under a written charter that satisfies the applicable rules and regulations of the SEC and the listing standards of Nasdaq.

Our Compensation Committee is, among other things, responsible for:

- reviewing, approving and determining, or making recommendations to our Board regarding, the compensation of our executive officers, including our Chief Executive Officer and other executive officers;
- administering our incentive compensation plans and programs;
- · reviewing and discussing with our management our SEC disclosures; and
- overseeing our submissions to stockholders on executive compensation matters.

During 2024, the Compensation Committee met eight times.

Nominating, Corporate Governance & Sustainability Committee

The Nominating, Corporate Governance & Sustainability Committee of the Board is currently comprised of Kristina A. Peterson (chair), Jack Levine, Cedric L. Richmond and Ritsaart J.M. van Montfrans. Our business and product roadmap are designed to support the global energy transition to low/no carbon transportation solutions. By providing clean electric vehicle charging solutions to corporations, other organizations and individual consumers, our products and solutions are designed to significantly lower harmful criteria pollutants and reduce global greenhouse gas emissions. In July 2023, we combined our Nominating and Corporate Governance Committee and our Environmental, Social and Governance Committee into the Nominating, Environmental, Social and Governance Committee, which is now called the Nominating, Corporate Governance & Sustainability Committee (the "Nominating and CGS Committee").

Under our policy, the independent directors of our Board nominate our directors. We also consider any nominations of director candidates validly made by our stockholders. When evaluating director nominees, our directors consider the following factors:

- the current size and composition of the Board and the needs of the Board and the respective committees of the Board;
- such factors as character, integrity, judgment, diversity of experience, independence, area of expertise, corporate experience, length of service, potential conflicts of interest, other commitments and the like;
- business experience, diversity and personal skills in technology, finance and financial reporting, marketing and international business; and
- other factors that the directors may consider appropriate.

Our goal is to assemble a Board that brings together a variety of skills derived from high quality business and professional experience.

Each of our directors is a member of the National Association of Corporate Directors, an independent non-profit membership organization of corporate board members that provides governance guidelines to assist directors in discharging their responsibilities and ensuring their commitment to the highest standards of corporate conduct, and the Association of Audit Committee Members Inc., a non-profit association of audit committee members dedicated to strengthening the audit committee by developing national best practices for corporate governance, corporate compliance and internal whistleblower policies.

Board Oversight of ESG

Our Nominating and CGS Committee operates under a written charter to reflect updated SEC disclosure requirements and corporate governance best practices. All of our Committee Charters and our Code of Business Conduct and Ethics were updated in May 2024 to comply with updated SEC disclosure requirements and evolving corporate governance best practices and are posted on our website.

The Nominating and CGS Committee ensures that we meet our ongoing sustainability goals and promote socially responsible practices within our company. This committee underscores our dedication to sustainability and acknowledges that responsible business conduct is crucial for sustained success. Through the Nominating and CGS Committee's efforts, we aim to make meaningful contributions to society and the environment while also delivering value to our stakeholders.

The principal environmental, social and governance ("ESG") responsibilities and duties of the Nominating, Corporate Governance & Sustainability Committee are to:

- recommend to the Board our overall general strategy concerning sustainability, environmental stewardship, health and safety, corporate social responsibility, philanthropy, diversity, equity and inclusion, community issues, and other public policy matters relevant to our company;
- · oversee our policies, practices and performance and manage disclosures with respect to ESG matters; and
- report to the Board current and emerging topics relating to ESG matters that may affect the business, operations, performance or public image of our company or are pertinent to us and our stakeholders in support of our evolving global business.

Organizational Structure for Managing ESG

During 2024, the Board's Nominating and CGS Committee met five times. Internally, environmental, social and governance risks and opportunities are managed by the Legal Department. Blink's cross-functional global Sustainability Committee reports to the Board's Nominating and CGS Committee and is composed of the Director of Sustainability, the General Counsel, Chief Marketing Officer, and ESG-focused managers in the U.S., UK, EU and India, and meets at least bi-weekly year-round.

The Director of Sustainability, Reed S. Fuller, is Blink's Corporate Secretary and Assistant General Counsel, reporting to the General Counsel, and plays a crucial role in overseeing and driving our sustainability initiatives. The Director ensures the integration of sustainable practices into our corporate strategy, identifies risk and improvement areas, and implements initiatives in alignment with our ESG goals. Serving as a liaison with the Nominating and CGS Committee Chair, the Director of Sustainability facilitates communication and reporting on our sustainability progress, steering our organization towards a more sustainable future.

With input from the global Sustainability Committee, Blink plans to publish a 2025 Corporate Sustainability Report. In order to comply with the European Union's Corporate Sustainability Reporting Directive ("CSRD"), we plan to undertake an enterprise-level Double Materiality Assessment ("DMA") as a necessary action to ensure compliance in relevant operations locations. The DMA will cover climate-related financial risks material to the company's operations and future, and social and environmental impacts material within the company's operations.

As part of planning for our first published Corporate Sustainability Report, Blink continues to improve its ESG efforts and activities across the globe, which include the following 2024 Impact and Sustainability Program Highlights:

Environmental

We are committed to implementing sustainable practices across our operations. By prioritizing environmental responsibility, we aim to contribute to a more sustainable future for our planet and society.

Blink's Environmental Management Systems leads report directly to the Board and CEO

Aviv Hillo and Jenifer Yokley share joint management supervision of the Sustainability Committee and ESG programs, respectively, and each report directly to the CEO and to the Chair of the Nominating and CGS Committee.

• ISO 9001, 14001, and 45001 certifications in the U.S., UK and India

Our UK and India operations are certified with environmental management systems ISO 14001 (both within Integrated Management Systems with ISO 9001 and 45001). Additionally, our U.S. Bowie, Maryland production facility is also ISO 9001 compliant, under certified Integrated Management Systems, as disclosed on our corporate website.

• Supplier Code of Conduct and Conflict Minerals Policy

We have adopted the Responsible Business Alliance ("RBA") Code of Conduct. The RBA Code of Conduct is applicable to both us and our suppliers and mirrors our commitment to ethical business practices, including labor rights, environmental responsibility, health and safety, and ethical sourcing. By implementing the RBA Code of Conduct, we are holding ourselves and our suppliers to the highest standards of accountability and sustainability. We believe that responsible business practices are not only the right thing to do, but also critical to the long-term success and well-being of our company, our suppliers, and the communities in which we operate. We require our suppliers to be in compliance with the RBA Code of Conduct. Our Supplier Code of Conduct is published on our corporate website.

We also announced our Conflict Minerals Policy in 2024, which can be found on our website, and continue to work with suppliers to enhance our conflict minerals program.

• Blink Employee Electric Vehicle (EV) Incentives

Globally, our employees are offered incentives if they own or lease an EV, hybrid plug-in, or electric scooter. In our U.S. Bowie, Maryland office, free EV charging is available to employees. Blink Europe entities own and lease a fleet of fully battery electric vehicles (BEV) (including vans). In the UK, we are certified as an ultra-low-emission vehicle (ULEV) Fleet Operator.

• Greenhouse Gas Emissions (GHG)/Scope 1, 2, 3 Benchmarking and Reporting

Blink UK has a published Carbon Reduction Plan. Blink's European group is underway with its GHG Emissions/Carbon Footprint benchmarking program, in order to receive its Planet Mark Business Certification (Scope 1, 2 and a subset of Scope 3), with a view to setting verified near-term targets. Additionally, in our European operations, no additional burning oils or gases are utilized for heating in leased office or warehouse premises.

• Waste Management

We have identified waste management as its primary focus area in its Environmental Impact Strategy, as part of its Global ESG Program (formed in 2024). Regional programs are in place to minimize and mitigate waste in offices, packaging, production, logistics and installation operations covering:

- Terracycle boxes for hard-to-recycle packaging (with signed public commitments not to mix waste streams),
- Nespresso pod (coffee) recycling,
- Separated recycling: card & paper, glass, plastics, metals,
- Printer toner cartridge recycling,
- Pallet system used to minimize waste in parcel deliveries (UK & EU),
- IT Departments electronic equipment recycling and refurb program and donation to schools and community groups in place,
- In the EU operations, all hazardous waste is handled by licensed carriers and complies with WEEE directives.
- In our Belgium operations, Blink contracts with a third-party recycling provider, dismantling used units for component parts, as well as recycling and repurposing unused, older units for other uses at trade shows.
- In 2024, Blink's Global ESG Program is establishing an end-of-life treatment program for hardware across operating systems.
- In 2024 Blink's Global ESG Program is establishing a packaging waste procedure.
- · Energy Conservation

Across our European operations, our offices have installed LED and ambient lighting, with motion sensors for efficient electricity consumption. In 2024, water conservation faucets, legionella testing and Indoor Air Quality Monitoring have been added to further enhance the working environment for employee well-being and reduced environmental impact. We are planning to implement further conservation measures and targets across our global operations.

Social

By prioritizing social responsibility, we aim to create value for our stakeholders while also contributing to a more just and equitable society.

Employee Wages and Pay Equity

When hiring and promoting employees, our Human Resources checks proposed salaries against comparable wage market values for each role. When appropriate, we make adjustments across departments, such as customer service, as the comparable market values for each role rises. In the UK, we are compliant with the government-mandated National Living Wage requirements for all employees, including interns and apprentices, as well as wage and market benchmarking requirements applied across all EU operations. In the U.S. and in other locations, we are compliant with all government, federal and state-mandated wage requirements.

Human Rights training

Modern Slavery and Forced Labour training is undertaken annually in our UK operations.

Employee Surveys

We conduct approximately three employee surveys per year. These surveys include an employee engagement survey, an employee benefits survey, and a DEI survey. Based on feedback from a recent employee benefits survey, we switched the company's chosen dental and vision plans to better suit employee needs. Another result from the same survey prompted us to further develop wellness plans for employees. The employee engagement survey is provided to the Board to report on overall company satisfaction, for their consideration on further action. The recent DEI survey is under review for next step implementations focusing on diversity, based on requests and feedback received.

Governance

We strive for accountability, transparency, and integrity across our operations to build long-term value for stakeholders and foster trust with customers, partners, and the community. The Board engages in continuing education in order to remain up to date regarding good corporate governance practices involving evolving disclosure requirements, succession planning, business ethics and compliance, anti-bribery and corruption, and political contributions and lobbying practices.

Board Continuing Education and Membership in Relevant Governance-Related Organizations

Blink holds a Board Membership with the National Association of Corporate Directors ("NACD"), the leading U.S. independent non-profit membership organization of corporate board members that provides governance guidelines to assist directors in discharging their responsibilities and ensuring their commitment to the highest standards of corporate conduct. Our CEO, CFO, General Counsel, Assistant General Counsel and all independent directors are NACD members. Jack Levine, Audit Chair, is a member of the Association of Audit Committee Members Inc., a non-profit association of audit committee members dedicated to strengthening the audit committee by developing national best practices for corporate governance, corporate compliance and internal whistleblower policies. Kristina A. Peterson, Chair, Nominating and CGS Committee, has held the Women Corporate Directors Foundation ("WCD") San Diego Chapter Co-Chair position since 2016. WCD is the leading non-profit organization for female directors, sponsored by KPMG with 2,500 corporate director members across 8,500 corporate boards and 70 Global Chapters.

Board Director Nominees and Succession Planning

The Nominating and CGS Committee, composed of Independent Directors of our Board, reviews candidates, makes recommendations to the Board to nominate new directors and manages the board succession planning process. We also consider any nominations of director candidates validly made by our stockholders. When evaluating director nominees, the Nominating and CGS Committee considers the following factors:

- the current size and composition of the Board and the needs of the Board and the respective committees of the Board;
- such factors as character, integrity, judgment, diversity of experience, independence, area of expertise, corporate experience, length of service, potential conflicts
 of interest, other commitments and the like;
- business experience, diversity and personal skills in technology, finance and financial reporting, marketing and international business; and
- other factors that the directors may consider appropriate.

Our goal is to assemble a Board that brings together a variety of skills derived from high quality business and professional experience.

While we do not have a formal diversity policy for Board membership, the Board does seek to ensure that its membership consists of sufficiently diverse backgrounds, meaning a mix of backgrounds and experiences that will enhance the quality of the Board's deliberations and decisions. In considering candidates for the Board, the Committee considers, among other factors, diversity with respect to viewpoints, skills, experience and other demographics.

Business Ethics and Compliance

The Code of Business Conduct and Ethics applies to our company and its subsidiaries and our employees, corporate officers and directors, as well as third-party contractors, and can be found on our corporate website. Key aspects of our Code of Business Conduct and Ethics include:

• Anti-bribery and Corruption (ABC) Training

All of our employees undertake anti-bribery and corruption training through the KnowBe4 platform during induction and through annual updates. In 2023 and 2024, some of these trainings included "Global Anti-Bribery and Corruption," "Ethics and Code of Conduct: Introduction" Ethical Business Conduct Around the World," and "2024 Your Role: Internet Security and You". Additional similar training is planned for 2025. Aviv Hillo, General Counsel and Executive Vice President of Mergers & Acquisitions, and Board Member oversees Blink's ABC program.

Political Contributions and Lobbying

Our in-house counsel and the Board's Strategy & Growth Committee oversees current policies with regard to political contributions, political advocacy and lobbying, and these policies are enclosed in our Employee Handbook and the Strategy & Growth Committee Charter. Political contributions are prohibited to be made to state candidates directly from corporate funds. Current federal law prohibits direct corporate contributions to candidates for federal office. Employee political action committees ("PACs"), however, may make contributions to federal candidates using funds voluntarily given by employees. Campaign finance laws vary by state. A10 Associates has been engaged to lobby for us at the federal level with Congress and the Administration. Matt Chen, Director of Government Affairs, is a registered federal lobbyist and a registered Maryland lobbyist. The monetary values of our lobbying activities vary from quarter to quarter based on the amount of time spent and compensation and are fully disclosed in our relevant ongoing SEC filings.

Strategy & Growth Committee

In January 2025, our Board established a Strategy & Growth Committee, which began as a separate standing committee of the Board on January 9, 2025. The principal responsibilities and duties of this committee are guiding the Company's long-term growth and strategic initiatives—including mergers, market expansion, and innovation—while overseeing governmental and regulatory affairs, assessing related risks, and regularly reporting to the Board. Additional information regarding the functions to be performed by the Strategy & Growth Committee is set forth in the Strategy & Growth Committee Charter.

The Strategy & Growth Committee is currently comprised of Martha J. Crawford (chair), Ritsaart J.M. van Montfrans, Cedric L. Richmond, Michael C. Battaglia and Aviv Hillo. The committee includes two management directors.

The Strategy & Growth Committee replaced the Government Affairs Committee. The principal responsibilities and duties of the Government Affairs Committee was to (i) to provide oversight and guidance to management with respect to the company's government affairs strategy and initiatives, (ii) to ensure that the company's government affairs activity reflects an honest and open communication with government and community decision-makers, (iii) to inform the Board in a timely manner of significant government affairs issues and proceedings that could have an effect on the company and (iv) to brief the Board at least quarterly regarding the company's performance of its government affairs activity.

The Government Affairs Committee was comprised of Cedric L. Richmond (chair), Ritsaart J.M. van Montfrans and Brendan S. Jones.

During 2024, the Government Affairs Committee met one time.

Board Leadership Structure

Michael Battaglia has been our President, Chief Executive Officer and a director since February 2025. Ritsaart J.M. van Montfrans has been a director since December 2019 and our Chairman of the Board since May 2023. We believe that having a Chief Executive Officer and an independent Chairman, each with distinct responsibilities, works well for us because all but three of our directors are independent, and our Chairman can cause the independent directors to meet in executive sessions at any time. Therefore, the Chairman can at any time bring to the attention of a majority of the directors any matters he thinks should be addressed by our Board. Other advantages to having an independent director serve as Chairman include facilitating relations among our Board, Chief Executive Officer and other senior management, assisting our Board in reaching consensus on particular strategies and policies, fostering robust evaluation processes, supporting the efficient allocation of oversight responsibilities between the independent directors and management, and enhancing stockholders' confidence in our company's governance practices.

The Chairman presides over Board meetings and presides at all meetings of our independent directors. The Chairman's additional duties include:

- at the request of our Board, presiding over meetings of stockholders;
- conveying recommendations of the independent directors to the full Board;
- serving as a liaison between our Board and management;
- ensuring that members of our Board receive accurate, timely and clear information, in particular about our company's performance, to enable our Board to make sound decisions and provide effective oversight and advice to promote the success of our company;
- monitoring effective implementation of our Board's decisions;
- establishing and maintaining a close relationship of trust with our Chief Executive Officer by providing support and advice while respecting executive responsibility and leadership;
- developing the Board by leading the effort to identify and recruit new Board members; and
- · leading succession efforts.

As described above, five of our Board members are independent. In addition, all of the directors on each of the Audit Committee, Compensation Committee, Nominating and CGS Committee and Strategy & Growth Committee are independent directors, with the exception of Messrs. Battaglia and Hillo on the Strategy & Growth Committee, and each of these committees is led by an independent committee chair. The committee chairs set the agendas for their committees and report to the full Board on their work. As required by Nasdaq, our independent directors meet in executive sessions without management present as frequently as they deem appropriate, typically at the time of each regular in-person Board meeting. All of our independent directors are highly accomplished and experienced business people in their respective fields, who have demonstrated leadership in significant enterprises and are familiar with Board processes. Our independent directors bring experience, oversight and expertise from outside our company and industry, while Messrs. Jones and Hillo bring company-specific experience and expertise.

Clawback Policy

The Board has the discretion to clawback any annual incentive or other performance-based compensation awards from executive officers and employees. This clawback applies when certain specified events occur. If the Board determines that compensation related to our financial performance would have been lower if it had been based on the restated financial performance results, the Board will, to the extent permitted by applicable law, seek recoupment from that executive officer or employee of any portion of such compensation as it deems appropriate after a review of all relevant facts and circumstances.

Director and Officer Derivative Trading Policy

Under our insider trading policy, our executive officers, directors and employees may not engage in derivative trading involving the company's securities.

Board Meetings

Audit Committee

The Board has four fixed regular meetings per year scheduled in accordance with the filing of periodic reports with the SEC. The Board held 11 meetings in 2024 and all of the directors attended at least 75% of the total number of meetings of the Board and committees on which they served during the period for which such director was serving as a director. In addition, the Board of Directors took action nine times during 2024 by unanimous written consent in lieu of a meeting, as permitted by applicable law. We, and the Board, expect all current directors to attend our annual meeting of stockholders barring unforeseen circumstances or irresolvable conflicts. All of the Board members attended last year's annual meeting. We do not have a written policy on Board attendance at annual meetings of stockholders; however, we do schedule a Board meeting immediately after the annual meeting for which members attending receive compensation.

Board Role in Risk Oversight

Risk assessment and oversight are integral parts of our governance and management processes. Our Board does not have a standing risk management committee, but rather administers this oversight function directly through our Board as a whole, as well as through various standing committees of our Board that address risks inherent in their respective areas of oversight.

Our Board oversees an enterprise-wide approach to risk management, which is designed to support the achievement of the company's objectives, including the strategic objective to improve long-term financial and operational performance and enhance stockholder value. Our Board believes that a fundamental part of risk management is understanding the risks that we face, monitoring these risks and adopting appropriate control and mitigation of these risks.

The Board discusses risks with our senior management on a regular basis, including as a part of its strategic planning process, annual budget review and approval, and thorough reviews of compliance issues in the appropriate committees of our Board. While the Board has the ultimate oversight responsibility for the risk management process, various committees of the Board are structured to oversee specific risks, as follows:

Primary Risk Oversight Responsibility

Oversees financial risk, including capital risk, financial compliance risk, internal controls over financial reporting and reporting of violations

	involving financial risk, internal controls and other non-compliance with our Code of Business Conduct and Ethics.
Compensation Committee	Oversees our compensation policies and practices to ensure compensation appropriately incentivizes and retains management and determines whether such policies and practices balance risk-taking and reward in an appropriate manner.
Nominating, Corporate Governance & Sustainability Committee	Oversees the assessment of each Board member's independence to avoid conflict, determine the effectiveness of the Board and committees, and maintain good governance practices through our corporate governance guidelines, committee charters and Code of Business Conduct and Ethics. Oversees our policies and practices, and reviews our reporting standards, with respect to complying with evolving ESG matters and disclosures.
Strategy & Growth Committee	Oversees risks associated with the Company's strategic growth initiatives and governmental or regulatory activities, including financial, operational, reputational and market risks, and advises the Board on appropriate mitigation strategies.

The Board also considers our internal control structure which, among other things, limits the number of persons authorized to execute material agreements, requires approval of our Board for matters outside of the ordinary course and includes our whistleblower policy. This policy establishes procedures for the submission by our employees and consultants, on a confidential and anonymous basis, of complaints and concerns regarding our financial statement disclosures, accounting practices, internal controls or auditing matters, or possible violations of the federal securities laws or the rules or regulations promulgated thereunder. Complaints submitted through this policy are promptly routed to the chair of our Audit Committee.

ITEM 11. EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION

Compensation Committee Report

The following Report of the Compensation Committee entitled "Compensation Discussion and Analysis" (the "Report") does not constitute soliciting material and the Report should not be deemed filed or incorporated by reference into any other previous or future filings by the Company under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act"), or the Exchange Act, except to the extent the Company specifically incorporates the Report by reference therein.

The Compensation Committee of the Board approves and oversees the administration of the Company's executive compensation program and senior leadership development and continuity programs. The Compensation Committee's primary objective is to establish a competitive executive compensation program that clearly links executive compensation to business performance and stockholder return. The Compensation Committee considers appropriate risk factors in structuring compensation to discourage unnecessary or excessive risk-taking behaviors and encourage long-term value creation.

Recommendation Regarding Compensation Discussion and Analysis

In performing its oversight function during 2024 with regard to the Compensation Discussion and Analysis prepared by management, the Compensation Committee relied on statements and information prepared by the Company's management. The Compensation Committee reviewed and discussed the Compensation Discussion and Analysis included in this Form 10-K/A with management. Based on this review and discussion, the Compensation Committee recommended to the Company's Board that the Compensation Discussion and Analysis be included in the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for 2024, as amended.

This report is furnished by the members of the Compensation Committee.

Ritsaart J.M. van Montfrans, Chairman Jack Levine Cedric L. Richmond

Compensation Discussion and Analysis

Compensation Philosophy

The primary goals of our Board with respect to executive compensation are to attract and retain talented and dedicated executives, to tie annual and long-term cash and stock incentives to the achievement of specified performance objectives, and to create incentives resulting in increased stockholder value. To achieve these goals, our Compensation Committee recommends to our Board executive compensation packages, generally comprising a mix of salary, discretionary bonus and equity awards. Although we have not adopted any formal guidelines for allocating total compensation between equity compensation and cash compensation, we have implemented and maintain compensation plans that tie a substantial portion of our executives' overall compensation to the achievement of corporate goals.

Role of Compensation Consultant

The Compensation Committee has the power to engage independent advisors to assist it in carrying out its responsibilities.

The Compensation Committee continued to engage Korn Ferry, an internationally recognized compensation consulting firm, as its compensation consultant in 2024. Korn Ferry reviewed and advised the Compensation Committee on our compensation practices. The Compensation Committee assessed the independence of Korn Ferry pursuant to SEC rules and concluded that the work of Korn Ferry has not raised any conflict of interest.

Korn Ferry provided a broad array of services during 2024, including, but not limited to, CEO benchmarking, executive employment contractual review and assessment, short- and long-term incentive design review, and other compensation-related items.

For purposes of benchmarking, Korn Ferry compared positions of similar scope and complexity with the data contained in the surveys. Korn Ferry then provided a salary range for each executive level. The Compensation Committee typically sets target compensation levels between the 25th to 75th percentile range as it believes the use of this range (i) helps ensure our compensation program provides sufficient compensation to attract and retain talented executives and (ii) maintains internal pay equity, without overcompensating our employees. Each executive's target compensation level for this purpose is based on the sum of his base salary, annual cash bonus and annual equity award but excludes one-time equity/option awards.

The Compensation Committee reviews pay practices at companies of similar size and industry. The current peer group data is used to evaluate the compensation arrangements for our named executive officers and directors. With respect to Korn Ferry's assessment, the comparable group of companies consisted of the companies listed below as determined to: (i) focus on the same industry or adjacent industry as us, (ii) generally have similar revenues as us, (iii) generally have similar market capitalization as us, (iv) generally have similar operating income as us, and (v) generally have the same number of employees as us. The comparable list of companies included Allego N.V., Beam Global, ChargePoint Holdings, EVgo, Inc., Nuvve Holding Corp., Tritium DCFC Limited and Wallbox N.V.

It is expected that Korn Ferry's assessment using both survey data and peer group analyses will continue to be considered in setting compensation and in renewing the terms of employment agreements with several of our executive officers.

Elements of Compensation

We evaluate individual executive performance with a goal of setting compensation at levels our Board or any applicable committee believes are comparable with executives in other companies of similar size and stage of development while taking into account our relative performance and our own strategic goals. The compensation received by our named executive officers consists of the following elements:

Base Salary

Base salaries for our executives are established based on the scope of their responsibilities and individual experience, taking into account competitive market compensation paid by other companies for similar positions within our industry.

The Compensation Committee considers compensation data from the peer companies to the extent the executive positions at these companies are considered comparable to our positions and informative of the competitive environment. Compensation data for our peer group were collected from available proxy-disclosed data. This information was gathered and analyzed for the 25th, 50th and 75th percentiles (or alternatively using low, medium and high categories) for annual base salary, short-term incentive pay elements and long-term incentive pay elements.

Variable Pay

We design our variable pay programs to be both affordable and competitive in relation to the market. We monitor the market and adjust our variable pay programs as needed. Our variable pay programs, such as our bonus program, are designed to motivate employees to achieve overall goals. Our programs are designed to avoid entitlements, to align actual payouts with the actual results achieved, and to be easy to understand and administer.

Equity-Based Incentives

Salaries and bonuses are intended to compensate our executive officers for short-term performance. We also have adopted an equity incentive program intended to reward longer-term performance and to help align the interests of our named executive officers with those of our stockholders. We believe that long-term performance is achieved through an ownership culture that rewards performance by our named executive officers through the use of equity incentives. Our equity incentive plan has been established to provide our employees, including our named executive officers, with incentives to help align those employees' interests with the interests of our stockholders.

When making equity-award decisions, the Compensation Committee considers market data, the grant size, the forms of long-term equity compensation available to it under our existing plans and the status of previously granted awards. The amount of equity incentive compensation granted reflects the executives' expected contributions to our future success. Existing ownership levels are not a factor in award determination, as the Compensation Committee does not want to discourage executives from holding significant amounts of our stock.

Future equity awards that we make to our named executive officers will be driven by our sustained performance over time, our named executive officers' ability to impact our results that drive stockholder value, their level of responsibility, their potential to fill roles of increasing responsibility, and competitive equity award levels for similar positions in comparable companies. Equity forms a key part of the overall compensation for each executive officer and is evaluated each year as part of the annual performance review process and incentive payout calculation.

The amounts awarded to the named executive officers are based on the Compensation Committee's subjective determination of what is appropriate to incentivize the executives. Generally, the grants to named executive officers vest 50% upon the date of grant and 50% over a three-year period with 33-1/3% vesting on each anniversary of the date of grant. All equity awards to our employees, including named executive officers, and to directors have been granted and reflected in our financial statements, based upon the applicable accounting guidance, with the exercise price of any stock options equal to the fair market value of one share of common stock on the grant date.

In order to encourage a long-term perspective and to encourage key employees to remain with us, our restricted stock units and stock options typically have annual vesting over a three-year period and the stock options have a term of five years. Generally, vesting ends upon termination of service and exercise rights of vested options cease three months after termination of service. Prior to the vesting of any restricted stock unit or exercise of any option, the holder has no rights as a stockholder with respect to the shares subject to such unit or option, including voting rights and the right to receive dividends or dividend equivalents. Except for option grants to employees in Europe, during the last two years we have generally granted restricted stock units to our employees rather than stock options.

Benefits Programs

We design our benefits programs to be both affordable and competitive in relation to the market while conforming to local laws and practices. We monitor the market and local laws and practices and adjust our benefits programs as needed. We design our benefits programs to provide an element of core benefits and, to the extent possible, offer options for additional benefits, be tax-effective for employees in any foreign country and balance costs and cost-sharing between our employees and us.

Timing of Equity Awards

Only the Compensation Committee may approve restricted stock, restricted stock units or stock option grants to our executive officers. Restricted stock, restricted stock units and stock options are generally granted at meetings of the Compensation Committee or pursuant to a unanimous written consent of the Compensation Committee. The exercise price of a newly granted option is the closing price of our common stock on the date of grant.

Executive Equity Ownership

We encourage our executives to hold a significant equity interest in our company. However, we do not have specific share retention and ownership guidelines for our executives.

Consideration of Advisory Votes to Approve the Compensation of our Named Executive Officers

We value the opinions of our stockholders, including as expressed through advisory votes to approve the compensation of our named executive officers ("Say-on-Pay Votes"). In our most recent Say-On-Pay Vote, conducted at our 2024 annual meeting of stockholders, held on July 16, 2024, our stockholders approved the compensation of our named executive officers on an advisory basis, with approximately 64% of the votes cast in favor of the fiscal 2023 compensation of our named executive officers. In setting fiscal 2025 compensation, we will consider the outcome of the Say-on-Pay Vote during our 2025 annual meeting of stockholders and will continue to consider the outcome of future Say-on-Pay Votes, as well as stockholder feedback received throughout the year, when making compensation decisions for our executive officers.

Effect of Accounting and Tax Treatment on Compensation Decisions

In the review and establishment of our compensation programs, we consider the anticipated accounting and tax implications for our executives and us.

Generally, Section 162(m) of the Code disallows public companies a tax deduction for federal income tax purposes of compensation in excess of \$1 million paid to their chief executive officer and certain other specified officers in any taxable year. For tax years ending prior to December 31, 2017, compensation in excess of \$1 million could only be deducted if it was "performance-based compensation" within the meaning of Section 162(m) of the Code or qualified for one of the other exemptions from the deduction limit. The exemption from Section 162(m) of the Code's deduction limit for performance-based compensation has been repealed, effective for taxable years beginning after December 31, 2017, such that compensation paid to our covered officers (which now also includes our Chief Financial Officer) in excess of \$1 million will generally not be deductible unless it qualifies for transition relief applicable to certain arrangements in place as of November 2, 2017. We seek to maintain flexibility in compensation our executives in a manner designed to promote our corporate goals and, therefore, while we are mindful of the benefit of the full deductibility of compensation, our Compensation Committee has not adopted a policy requiring that any or all compensation to be deductible. Our Compensation Committee may authorize compensation payments that are not fully tax deductible if we believe that such payments are appropriate to attract and retain executive talent or meet other business objectives.

Role of Executives in Executive Compensation Decisions

The Board and our Compensation Committee generally seek input from Michael C. Battaglia, our President and Chief Executive Officer, when discussing the performance of, and compensation levels for, executives other than himself. The Compensation Committee also works with Michael P. Rama, our Chief Financial Officer, to evaluate the financial, accounting, tax and retention implications of our various compensation programs. Mr. Battaglia, who is a director, does not participate in deliberations relating to his own compensation.

Compensation Risk Management

We have considered the risk associated with our compensation policies and practices for all employees, and we believe we have designed our compensation policies and practices in a manner that does not create incentives that could lead to excessive risk taking that would have a material adverse effect on us.

We structure our compensation to consist of base salary, variable pay, equity-based pay and benefits. The base portion of compensation is designed to provide a steady income regardless of our stock price performance so that executives do not feel pressured to focus exclusively on stock price performance to the detriment of other important business measures. Our variable pay and equity-based pay programs are designed to reward both short- and long-term corporate performance. For short-term performance, our variable pay programs are designed to motivate employees to achieve overall goals. For long-term performance, our stock option awards generally vest over four years and are only valuable if our stock price increases over time. We believe that these various elements of compensation are a sufficient percentage of overall compensation to motivate executives to produce superior short- and long-term corporate results, while the fixed element is also sufficiently high that the executives are not encouraged to take unnecessary or excessive risks in doing so.

Our bonus program has been structured around the attainment of overall corporate goals for the past several years and we have seen no evidence that it encourages unnecessary or excessive risk taking.

Summary Compensation Table

The following summary compensation table sets forth all compensation awarded to, earned by, or paid to our principal executive officers who served as such during 2024 (Brendan S. Jones), our principal financial officer who served as such during 2024 (Michael P. Rama) and our three most highly compensated executive officers other than our principal executive officer and principal financial officer who were serving as executive officers at the end of 2024 (Aviv Hillo, Harjinder Bhade and Michael C. Battaglia). We refer to these executive officers as our "named executive officers" or "NEOs."

Summary Compensation Table

		Award Compensation												
Name and Principal Position	Year	Salary (\$)	Bonu (\$)	18	A	Stock wards ⁽⁶⁾ (\$)	Aw	ption ards ⁽⁶⁾ (\$)	I	Non-Equity ncentive Plan Compensation (\$)	Pe No Co	Change in nsion Value and onqualified Deferred mpensation Earnings (\$)	All Other mpensation (\$)	Total (\$)
Brendan S. Jones ⁽¹⁾	2024	\$775,000	\$ 75,0	00	\$	467,790	\$		\$	133,813	\$		\$ 39,850	\$1,491,453
President and Chief	2023	\$681,759	\$ 75,0	00	\$	258,875	\$	-	\$	467,790	\$	-	\$ 29,917	\$1,513,341
Executive Officer	2022	\$493,011	\$	-	\$ 1	1,184,859	\$	-	\$	310,650	\$	=	\$ 64,242	\$2,052,762
Michael P. Rama ⁽²⁾	2024	\$446,450	\$	-	\$	206,230	\$	-	\$	62,532	\$	-	\$ 22,433	\$ 737,645
Chief Financial	2023	\$423,056	\$	-	\$	212,500	\$	-	\$	206,230	\$	-	\$ 354,051	\$1,195,837
Officer	2022	\$408,003	\$	-	\$	701,807	\$	-	\$	212,550	\$	-	\$ 282,646	\$1,605,006
Aviv Hillo ⁽³⁾	2024	\$443,375	\$	-	\$	206,230	\$	-	\$	61,942	\$	-	\$ 15,233	\$ 726,780
General Counsel and	2023	\$423,000	\$	-	\$	197,790	\$	-	\$	206,230	\$	-	\$ 18,972	\$ 845,992
Executive Vice President - M&A	2022	\$377,167	\$	-	\$	701,807	\$	-	\$	197,790	\$	-	\$ 52,206	\$1,328,970
Harjinder Bhade ⁽⁴⁾	2024	\$527,753	\$	-	\$	301,800	\$	-	\$	90,647	\$	-	\$ 16,530	\$ 936,730
Chief Technology Officer	2023	\$477,212	\$	-	\$	218,000	\$	-	\$	5,301,800	\$	-	\$ 29,917	\$6,026,929
6.	2022	\$403,602	\$	-	\$	665,116	\$	-	\$	218,000	\$	-	\$ 68,304	\$1,355,022
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Michael C. Battaglia ⁽⁵⁾	2024	\$385,801	\$	-	\$	215,711	\$	_	\$	53,393	\$	-	\$ 34,784	\$ 689,689
Chief Operating Officer	2023	\$327,515	\$	-	\$, <u>-</u>	\$	-	\$		\$	-	\$ 29,917	\$ 533,520

- (1) Mr. Jones served as our President from February 2021 to January 2025 and as our Chief Executive Officer from May 2023 to January 2025. Included in Bonus for Mr. Jones is a cash signing bonus of \$75,000 in 2024 and 2023 in accordance with his employment agreement. Included in All Other Compensation for Mr. Jones are (i) company-paid health insurance benefits of \$34,850, \$29,917 and \$33,827 in 2024, 2023 and 2022, respectively; (ii) \$5,000 in 2024 related to moving allowance in conjunction with the Company's relocation of the headquarters from Miami Beach, Florida to Bowie, Maryland in 2024; and (iii) a tax gross-up of \$0, \$0 and \$30,416 relating to the vesting of stock awards in 2024, 2023 and 2022, respectively. The 2022 tax gross-up payment was from the vesting of stock awards that were granted prior to the termination of such benefit.
- (2) Mr. Rama has served as our Chief Financial Officer since February 2020. Included in All Other Compensation for Mr. Rama are (i) company-paid health insurance benefits of \$22,433, \$29,917 and \$32,356 in 2024, 2023 and 2022, respectively and (ii) a tax gross-up of \$0, \$324,133 and \$250,290 relating to the vesting of stock awards in 2024, 2023 and 2022, respectively. The 2023 and 2022 tax gross-up payment was from the vesting of stock awards that were granted prior to the termination of such benefit.
- (3) Mr. Hillo has served as our General Counsel since April 2018 and our Executive Vice President of Mergers & Acquisitions since May 2022. Included in All Other Compensation for Mr. Hillo are (i) company-paid health insurance benefits of \$15,233, \$18,972 and \$19,256 in 2024, 2023 and 2022, respectively and (ii) a tax gross-up of \$0, \$0 and \$32,950 relating to the vesting of stock awards in 2024, 2023 and 2022, respectively. The 2022 tax gross-up payment was from the vesting of stock awards that were granted prior to the termination of such benefit.
- (4) Mr. Bhade has served as our Chief Technology Officer since May 2021. Included in All Other Compensation for Mr. Bhade is company-paid health insurance benefits of \$16,530, \$29,917 and \$32,356 in 2024, 2023 and 2022, respectively and (ii) a tax gross-up of \$0, \$0 and \$35,948 relating to the vesting of stock awards in 2024, 2023 and 2022, respectively. The 2022 tax gross-up payment was from the vesting of stock awards that were granted prior to the termination of such benefit.
- (5) Mr. Battaglia served as our Chief Operating Officer from September 2023 to January 2025. Included in All Other Compensation for Mr. Battaglia is company-paid health insurance benefits of \$34,784 and \$29,917 in 2024 and 2023, respectively.
- (6) Represents stock and option awards granted in 2024, 2023 and 2022 pursuant to our 2018 Plan. The aggregate grant date fair value of such awards was calculated in accordance with FASB ASC Topic 718. These amounts do not represent actual amounts paid or to be realized. Amounts shown are not necessarily indicative of values to be achieved, which may be more or less than the amounts shown as awards are subject to time-based vesting. The assumptions used in calculating these amounts are discussed in Note 11 of the Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements included in the Original 10-K.

Grant of Plan-Based Awards

The following table sets forth information concerning grants of plan-based awards made by us during the year ended December 31, 2024 to each of the NEOs:

		Under N	ted Future Non-Equity I Plan Award	Incentive			Payouts ntive Plan	Other Stock Awards: Number of Shares of Stock	All Other Option Awards: Number of Securities Underlying	Exercise or Base Price of Options	Grant Date Fair Value of Stock and Option
Name	Grant	Threshold	Target	Maximum	Threshold	9		or Units (#) ⁽¹⁾	Options	Awards	Awards
	<u>Date</u>	(\$)	(\$)	(\$)	(#)	(#)	(#)	(#)``	(#)	(\$/sh)	(\$)
Brendan S. Jones	4/5/2024	\$ - \$ -	\$465,000 \$ -	\$ - \$ -	-	-	-	168,878	- -	\$ - \$ -	\$ - \$467,790
Michael P. Rama			\$205,000		-	-	-	-			\$ -
	4/5/2024	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	-	-	-	74,452	-	\$ -	\$206,230
Aviv Hillo		\$ -	\$205,000	\$ -	_	_	_	_	<u>_</u>	\$ -	\$ -
AVIV IIIIO	4/5/2024		\$ -	\$ -	-	-	-	74,452			\$206,230
Harjinder Bhade			\$300,000		-	-	-	-		*	\$ -
	4/5/2024	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	-	-	-	108,954	-	\$ -	\$301,800
Michael C. Battaglia		\$ -	\$175,038	\$ -	_		_		_	\$ -	\$ -
Whender C. Buttagna	1/25/2024		\$ 173,030	\$ -	_		_	16,107		•	A 20 (22
	4/5/2024	*	*	\$ -	_	_	_	63,570	_		\$176,088
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⁽¹⁾ The size of each individual's grant is determined after consideration of performance criteria established in the prior fiscal year. After the conclusion of each fiscal year, the members of the Compensation Committee review corporate performance goals established for the recently completed year. The Compensation Committee then adjusts the size of each individual's grant in accordance with performance. With respect to grants made to Messrs. Jones, Battaglia and Bhade, 50% of the restricted stock vested on the first anniversary of the grant date with the remaining 75% vesting over a three-year period with 33-1/3% vesting on each anniversary of the grant date. Pursuant to their employment agreements, 50% of the annual grants for Messrs. Rama and Hillo vest immediately with the remainder vesting in equal increments on each anniversary of the grant date. All equity awards to our employees, including NEOs, and to directors have been granted and reflected in our financial statements, based upon the applicable accounting guidance, with the exercise price equal to the fair market value of one share of Common Stock on the grant date.

Outstanding Equity Awards at Fiscal Year-End

The following table provides information on outstanding equity awards as of December 31, 2024 to the NEOs:

		Option Awards						Stock Awards					
Name	Grant Date	Number of Securities Underlying Unexercised Options (#) Exercisable	Number of Securities Underlying Unexercised Options (#) Unexercisable	Equity Incentive Plan Awards: Number of Securities Underlying Unexercised Unearned Options (#)	E	Option Exercise Price (\$)	Option Expiration Date	Number of Shares or Units of Stock That Have Not Vested (#)	SI U	Market Value of hares or Units of Stock hat Have ot Vested (\$)	Equity Incentive Plan Awards: Number of Unearned Shares, Units or Other Rights That Have Not Vested (#)	Inc F Aw Mar Pa Va Unc Sh Un O Ri T Hav	quity pentive Plan vards: rket or ayout lue of earned nares, nits or other ights that ve Not sted (1) (8)
Brendan S. Jones	02/25/2021	33,333	-	-	\$	38.39	02/25/27	-	\$	-	-	\$	-
Brendan S. Jones	04/12/2021	648	-	-	\$	40.82	04/11/27	-	\$	-	-	\$	-
Brendan S. Jones	02/25/2021	33,333	-	-	\$	38.39	02/25/28	-	\$	-	-	\$	-
Brendan S. Jones	04/12/2021	648	-	-	\$	40.82	04/11/28	-	\$	-	-	\$	-
Brendan S. Jones	02/25/2021 04/12/2021	33,334 648	=	=	\$ \$	38.39 40.82	02/25/29 04/11/29	-	\$ \$	-	-	\$ \$	-
Brendan S. Jones		048	-	-		40.82		-		-			-
Brendan S. Jones ⁽²⁾	03/21/2022	-	-		\$	-	-	1,908	\$	2,652	-	\$	-
Brendan S. Jones ⁽³⁾	03/15/2023	-	-	-	\$	-	-	11,135		15,478	-	\$	-
Brendan S. Jones ⁽⁴⁾	04/05/2024	-	-	-	\$	-	-	84,439	\$	117,370	-	\$	-
Brendan S. Jones ⁽⁵⁾	04/05/2024	-	-	-	\$	-	-	84,438	\$	117,369	-	\$	-
Michael P. Rama	06/05/2020	50,000	=	-	\$	2.20	02/07/26	-	\$	-	-	\$	-
Michael P. Rama	06/05/2020	50,000	-	-	\$	2.20	02/07/27	-	\$	-	-	\$	-
Michael P. Rama	04/12/2021	885	-	-		40.82	04/11/27	-	\$	-	-	\$	-
Michael P. Rama	06/05/2020	50,000	-	-	\$	2.20	02/07/28	-	\$	-	-	\$	-
Michael P. Rama	04/12/2021	885	=	-	\$	40.82	04/11/28	-	\$	-	-	\$	-
Michael P. Rama	04/12/2021	884	-	-	\$	40.82	04/11/29	2.067	\$	- 0.72	-	\$	-
Michael P. Rama ⁽²⁾	03/21/2022	-	-		\$	-	-	2,067	\$	2,873	-	\$	-
Michael P. Rama ⁽³⁾	03/15/2023	-	-	-	\$	-	-	9,142	\$	12,707	-	\$	-
Michael P. Rama ⁽⁵⁾	04/05/2024	-	-	-	\$	-	-	37,227		51,746	-	\$	-
Aviv Hillo	03/31/2019	3,879	-	-	\$	3.13	03/31/27	-	\$	-	-	\$	-
Aviv Hillo	04/12/2021	990	-	-	\$	40.82	04/11/27	-	\$	-	-	\$	-
Aviv Hillo	04/20/2020	16,517	-	-	\$	1.83	04/20/27	-	\$	-	-	\$	-
Aviv Hillo Aviv Hillo	04/12/2021 04/20/2020	991	-	-	\$ \$	40.82 1.83	04/11/28 04/20/28	-	\$ \$	-	-	\$ \$	-
Aviv Hillo	04/20/2020	16,286 991	<u>-</u>	-	\$	40.82	04/20/28	<u>-</u>	\$	-	-	\$	-
Aviv Hillo	05/17/2022	12,441	_	-	\$	15.70	05/17/28	_	\$	_	-	\$	-
Aviv Hillo	05/17/2022	12,441	_	_	-	15.70	05/17/29	_	\$	_	-	\$	_
Aviv Hillo	05/17/2022	12,441	-	-	\$	15.70	05/17/30	_	\$	_	-	\$	-
Aviv Hillo ⁽²⁾	03/21/2022	_	_	_	\$	_	_	2,067	\$	2,873	_	\$	-
Aviv Hillo ⁽³⁾	03/15/2023	_	_	_	\$	_	-	8,507	\$	11,825	_	\$	_
Aviv Hillo ⁽⁵⁾	04/05/2024				\$	_	_	37,227		51,746		\$	_
Harjinder Bhade ⁽²⁾		-	-		\$	-							-
	03/21/2022	-	-			-	-	2,544	\$	3,481	-	\$	-
Harjinder Bhade ⁽³⁾	03/15/2023	-	-	-	\$	-	-	14,065		19,550	-	\$	-
Harjinder Bhade ⁽⁴⁾	04/05/2024	-	-	-	\$	-	-	54,477		75,723	-	\$	
Harjinder Bhade ⁽⁵⁾	04/05/2024	-	-		\$		-	54,477	\$	75,723	-	\$	-
Michael C. Battaglia	05/6/2021	18,000	-	-	\$	32.27	05/06/2027	-	\$	-	-	\$	-
Michael C. Battaglia	05/6/2021	18,000	=	=	\$	32.27	05/06/2028	-	\$	-		\$	-
Michael C. Battaglia Michael C.	05/6/2021	18,000	-	-	\$	32.27	05/06/2029	-	\$	-	-	\$	-
Battaglia ⁽⁶⁾	04/01/2022	-	-	-	\$	-	-	1,120	\$	1,557	_	\$	-
Michael C. Battaglia ⁽⁷⁾	01/25/2024	-	-	-	\$	_	-	10,738	\$	14,926	_	\$	_
Michael C. Battaglia ⁽⁴⁾	04/05/2024	_			\$		_	31,785		44,181		\$	_
Michael C.		_					_						
Battaglia ⁽⁵⁾	04/05/2024	-	-	-	\$	-	-	31,785	\$	44,181	-	\$	-

⁽¹⁾ Calculated by multiplying the number of shares of common stock by \$1.39, which is the quoted market price per share of our common stock as of December 31, 2024.

⁽²⁾ These shares vest in full on March 21, 2025, subject to immediate vesting upon an event constituting a change of control of the company.

⁽³⁾ These shares vest in two equal increments on March 15, 2025 and 2026, subject to immediate vesting upon an event constituting a change of control of the company.

⁽⁴⁾ These shares vest in full on April 5, 2025, subject to immediate vesting upon an event constituting a change of control of the company.

⁽⁵⁾ These shares vest in three equal increments on April 5, 2025, 2026 and 2027, subject to immediate vesting upon an event constituting a change of control of the company.

- (6) These shares vested in full on April 1, 2025.(7) These shares vest in two equal increments on April 1, 2025 and 2026, subject to immediate vesting upon an event constituting a change of control of the company.

Option Exercises and Stock Vested During 2024

The following table sets forth information concerning the option exercises and stock awards vested of each of the NEOs during the year ended December 31, 2024:

	Option Awards			Stock Awards				
	Number of			Number of				
	Shares		Value	Shares		Value		
	Acquired on		Realized on	Acquired On		Realized on		
	Exercise		Exercise	Vesting		Vesting		
Name	(#)		(\$)	(#)		(\$)		
Brendan S. Jones		\$	=	26,370	\$	81,152		
Michael P. Rama	-	\$	-	16,085	\$	48,710		
Aviv Hillo	-	\$	-	15,767	\$	47,781		
Harjinder Bhade	-	\$	-	18,173	\$	54,919		
Michael C. Battaglia	-	\$	-	12,218	\$	28,853		

Pension Benefits

We have not adopted a pension plan and do not provide pension benefits to NEOs.

Non-Qualified Deferred Compensation

We have not adopted a non-qualified deferred compensation plan and do not provide non-qualified deferred compensation to NEOs.

Employment and Management Contracts, Termination of Employment and Change-in-Control Arrangements

Michael C. Battaglia Employment Agreement

In connection with Mr. Battaglia's appointment as the President and Chief Executive Officer, on January 23, 2025, we entered into an employment agreement with Mr. Battaglia, superseding his prior employment agreement, pursuant to which Mr. Battaglia will serve as the Company's President and Chief Executive Officer for a two-year term commencing on February 1, 2025. The employment term is automatically renewable for successive one-year periods thereafter unless either party provides timely notice of intent to terminate the employment agreement. Mr. Battaglia will receive an annual base salary of \$575,000 and will be eligible for annual grants under our Executives' Short-Term Incentive bonus plan ("STI Plan"), with an annual target amount of 60% of his base salary, and our Executives' Long-Term Incentive bonus plan ("LTI Plan"), with an annual target amount of 100% of his base salary, as described below. Within 30 days following the effective date of the employment agreement, he also received a one-time equity signing bonus of \$150,000 worth of restricted common stock that vests annually in equal one-third installments beginning on the first anniversary of the grant date.

Mr. Battaglia's STI bonus is a performance-based cash award, subject to the determination of performance results in accordance with the terms of the STI Plan. Specific performance targets and potential awards will be determined by the Board's Compensation Committee in accordance with the STI Plan and will reflect distinct key performance indicator ("KPI") goals tailored specifically for each component, developed collaboratively by the Board, the Compensation Committee and our executive team.

Mr. Battaglia's LTI bonus is comprised of two components governed by the LTI Plan. The LTI Plan provides that 50% of the bonus is designated as performance-based stock awards in the form of restricted stock units ("RSUs") that vest in four equal installments upon the achievement of specific stock price performance targets, and 50% of the bonus as time-based stock awards in the form of RSUs that vest annually in equal one-third increments on each anniversary of the grant date.

The above bonuses and equity grants are subject to our clawback policies.

If Mr. Battaglia's employment is terminated by us without Cause (which includes willful material misconduct and willful failure to materially perform his responsibilities to the company) or by him for Good Reason (which includes a material adverse change in Mr. Battaglia's authority, duties or responsibilities), he is entitled to receive severance equal to 12 months of base salary plus his target STI and LTI bonuses for the year of termination in return for his signing of a general release in favor of the company. If such termination occurs within six months before or after a "change of control," the severance payments above will be doubled and all unvested RSUs will vest. RSUs with performance components will vest and be prorated according to the performance achieved as of the change of control.

Under the employment agreement, Mr. Battaglia is prohibited from disclosure of confidential information, which includes all information not generally known to the public regarding the company and its affiliates, subsidiaries or its businesses. Mr. Battaglia further agreed that during his employment with the company and for 12 months thereafter he will not solicit or attempt to solicit any of our clients, customers or vendors for the purpose of providing services or products that compete with those offered by us for the same 12 month period and, for the same period, he will not solicit, hire, recruit or attempt to hire or recruit, or induce the termination of employment of any employee of the company.

Michael P. Rama Employment Agreement

On May 19, 2022, we entered into a new employment agreement with Michael P. Rama, our Chief Financial Officer, renewing his prior employment offer letter, dated as of February 7, 2020. The term of his new employment agreement started on January 1, 2022 and extended until March 31, 2025. Pursuant to the employment agreement, Mr. Rama agreed to devote his full business efforts and time to our company. The employment agreement provides that Mr. Rama will receive an initial annual base salary of \$390,000, payable on our regular scheduled payday. Mr. Rama will be eligible for an annual performance cash bonus of up to 50% of his annual base salary based on meeting pre-determined periodic key performance indicators every year set by the mutual agreement of our Board's Compensation Committee and Mr. Rama. Mr. Rama will also be eligible to receive aggregate annual equity awards under our incentive compensation plan equal to 50% of his annual base salary. Such awards will be comprised of restricted common stock. 50% of the restricted common stock granted will vest immediately on the grant date, and the remaining 50% will vest in equal one-third increments on each anniversary of the grant date, in each instance subject to satisfying key performance indicators and other performance criteria and his continued employment with us on the applicable vesting date. Mr. Rama is entitled to a monthly electric vehicle and auto insurance allowance of up to \$1,500 per month, and other employee benefits in accordance with our policies.

If Mr. Rama's employment is terminated by us other than for Cause (which includes willful material misconduct and willful failure to materially perform his responsibilities to our company), he is entitled to receive severance equal to the number of months of his actual employment under the new employment agreement prior to the termination capped at a maximum payment of 12 months of his base salary.

If we undergo a "change in control" (which generally means a merger or acquisition of our company as a result of which the acquirer obtains more than 50% of our total voting power), Mr. Rama will receive a severance payment equal to 2.99 times his annual base salary if (i) he loses his position as our Chief Financial Officer (excluding elevation to a more senior position), (ii) his title is changed to a lesser role, (iii) his compensation is materially decreased, or (iv) he is terminated without Cause during the merger/acquisition process or within one year after the closing of such transaction. Additionally, all restricted common stock and stock options held by Mr. Rama will immediately vest upon a change in control.

Aviv Hillo Employment Agreement

On May 19, 2022, we entered into a new employment agreement with Aviv Hillo, our General Counsel, renewing his prior employment offer letter, dated as of June 18, 2018, which had been renewed on September 25, 2020. The term of his new employment agreement started on June 1, 2022 and extends until May 31, 2025. Pursuant to the employment agreement, Mr. Hillo agreed to devote his full business efforts and time to our company. The employment agreement provides that Mr. Hillo will receive an initial annual base salary of \$390,000, payable on our regular scheduled payday. Mr. Hillo will be eligible for an annual performance cash bonus of up to 50% of his annual base salary based on meeting pre-determined periodic key performance indicators every year set by the mutual agreement of our Board's Compensation Committee and Mr. Hillo. Mr. Hillo will also be eligible to receive aggregate annual equity awards under our incentive compensation plan equal to 50% of his annual base salary. Such awards will be comprised of restricted common stock. 50% of the restricted common stock granted will vest immediately on the grant date, and the remaining 50% will vest in equal one-third increments on each anniversary of the grant date, in each instance subject to satisfying key performance indicators and other performance criteria and his continued employment with us on the applicable vesting date. As a signing bonus, Mr. Hillo received stock options to purchase 37,324 shares of common stock at \$15.70 per share, which will vest in equal one-third increments on each anniversary of the grant date. Mr. Hillo is entitled to a monthly electric vehicle and auto insurance allowance of up to \$1,500 per month, and other employee benefits in accordance with our policies.

If Mr. Hillo's employment is terminated by us other than for Cause (which includes willful material misconduct and willful failure to materially perform his responsibilities to our company), he is entitled to receive severance equal to the number of months of his actual employment under the new employment agreement prior to the termination capped at a maximum payment of 12 months of his base salary.

If we undergo a "change in control" (which generally means a merger or acquisition of our company as a result of which the acquirer obtains more than 50% of our total voting power), Mr. Hillo will receive a severance payment equal to 2.99 times his annual base salary if (i) he loses his position as our General Counsel (excluding elevation to a more senior position), (ii) his title is changed to a lesser role, (iii) his compensation is materially decreased, or (iv) he is terminated without Cause during the merger/acquisition process or within one year after the closing of the transaction. Additionally, all restricted common stock and stock options held by Mr. Hillo will immediately vest upon a change in control.

On April 25, 2025, we entered into a new employment agreement with Aviv Hillo, who has been the Company's General Counsel since June 2018 and Executive Vice President of Mergers and Acquisitions since May 2022. The new employment agreement, which goes into effect as of June 1, 2025, extends Mr. Hillo's employment through June 1, 2027, and is automatically renewable for successive one-year periods thereafter unless either party provides timely notice of intent to terminate the agreement. The employment agreement provides that Mr. Hillo will receive an annual base salary of \$456,000. In 2025, Mr. Hillo will be eligible for an annual performance-based cash bonus subject to the terms of the 2018 Plan and prorated based on the number of days from the effective date until the end of the year. Starting in 2026, and in subsequent years, Mr. Hillo will be eligible to receive an annual performance-based cash bonus in accordance with the STI Plan. In both 2025 and subsequent years, the target amount of such bonus will be equal to 55% of his annual base salary and the bonus amount will be based on meeting key performance indicators involving financial and strategic goals established by us with specific performance targets and potential awards determined by the Compensation Committee. Mr. Hillo will also be eligible to receive aggregate annual equity awards in accordance with the LTI Plan equal to 55% of his annual base salary during the remainder of 2025 and through 2026. Such awards will be issued in the form of restricted stock units. Of such restricted stock units, 50% of the restricted stock units are designated as performance-based stock awards and will vest in four equal installments upon the achievement of specified escalating stock price thresholds, and 50% of the restricted stock units are designated as time-based stock awards and will vest in equal one-third increments on each anniversary of the grant date, in each instance subject to his continued employment with the Company on the applicable vesting date and satisfying the key performance indicators and other performance criteria. In 2027 and any renewal terms, performance-based and time-based equity awards will be made at the discretion of the Compensation Committee and vesting terms will be included in any award agreements, with a bonus amount of up to 55% of Mr. Hillo's annual base salary. We also agreed to grant Mr. Hillo a one-time performance-based award of \$100,000 worth of restricted stock, vesting annually in equal one-third installments beginning on the first anniversary of the grant date. The above cash bonus and equity awards are subject to the Company's "clawback" policies.

Harjinder Bhade Employment Agreement

On October 30, 2023, we entered into a new employment offer letter with Harjinder Bhade, who has been our Chief Technology Officer since April 2021. The new offer letter, which extends Mr. Bhade's employment through October 2025 (and is automatically renewable for an additional one-year term unless either party provides timely notice of non-renewal), provides that Mr. Bhade will receive an annual base salary of \$500,000. Mr. Bhade will be eligible for an annual performance cash bonus equal to 60% of his annual base salary based on meeting or exceeding key performance indicators established by the Compensation Committee of our Board and Mr. Bhade for the relevant 12-month period. Mr. Bhade will also be eligible to receive aggregate annual equity awards under our 2018 Incentive Compensation Plan equal to 60% of his annual base salary. Such awards will be issued in the form of restricted stock units. Of such restricted stock units, 50% of the restricted stock units will vest on the first anniversary of the grant date, and 50% of the restricted stock units will vest in equal one-third increments on each anniversary of the grant date, in each instance subject to his continued employment with us on the applicable vesting date and satisfying the key performance indicators and other performance criteria. We also granted to Mr. Bhade, upon the execution of the new offer letter, a signing bonus of 150,000 restricted stock units, vesting immediately. The above bonus and equity grants are subject to our clawback policies.

The other terms of Mr. Bhade's new offer employment letter closely followed the terms of his original employment letter, dated April 20, 2021.

If Mr. Bhade's employment is terminated by us other than for Cause (which includes willful material misconduct, willful failure to materially perform his job duties to our company and material violation of our company's code of conduct and policies), he is entitled to receive severance equal to the number of months of his actual employment under the new employment agreement prior to the termination capped at a maximum payment of 12 months of his base salary and accelerated vesting of his annual equity award for up to 12 months. If there is a buy-out or a "change of control," Mr. Bhade will also be entitled to obtain his base salary for a period of 12 months as a severance payment and, if Mr. Bhade is terminated without Cause, the balance of the additional \$5.5 million in awards, any unvested equity awards and his annual performance bonus will immediately vest and be paid upon execution of a release and waiver agreement with the company.

As part of his original employment letter, dated April 20, 2021, Mr. Bhade entered into our standard Employee Confidentiality and Assignment of Inventions Agreement prohibiting Mr. Bhade from disclosure of confidential and/or proprietary information relating to the operations, products and services of our company and our clients and acknowledging that all intellectual property developed by Mr. Bhade relating to our business constitutes our exclusive property. Mr. Bhade further agreed that during his employment with our company he will not engage in, or have any direct or indirect interest in, any person, firm, corporation or business (whether as an employee, officer, director, agent, security holder, creditor, consultant, partner or otherwise) that is competitive with the business of our company, including, without limitation, planning, developing, installing, marketing, selling, leasing and providing services relating to electric vehicle charging stations.

Compensation of Directors

The following table provides information for 2024 regarding all compensation awarded to, earned by or paid to each person who served as a director for all or some portion of 2024:

Name	Fees Earned or Paid in Cash (\$)	Stock Awards ⁽¹⁾ (\$)	Option Awards (\$)	Non-Equity Incentive Plan Compensation (\$)		All Other Compensation (\$)	Total (\$)
Martha J. Crawford	\$ 5,435	\$ -	\$ -	\$	-	\$ -	\$ 5,435
Jack Levine	\$ 105,000	\$ 150,000	\$ -	\$		\$ -	\$ 255,000
Ritsaart J.M. van Montfrans	\$ 158,700	\$ 180,000	\$ -	\$		\$ -	\$ 338,700
Mahidhar (Mahi) Reddy ⁽²⁾	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$		\$ 137,191	\$ 137,191
Kristina A. Peterson	\$ 97,500	\$ 150,000	\$ -	\$		\$ -	\$ 247,500
Cedric L. Richmond	\$ 100,000	\$ 150,000	<u>\$</u> -	\$	- \$ -	\$ -	\$ 250,000
Total	\$ 466,635	\$ 630,000	\$ -	\$	<u> </u>	\$ 137,191	\$1,233,826

⁽¹⁾ Mr. van Montfrans was awarded 48,649 restricted stock units representing a contingent right to receive one share of Common Stock and Messrs. Levine and Richmond and Ms. Peterson were each awarded 40,541 restricted stock units representing a contingent right to receive one share of Common Stock. These awards were granted on July 18, 2024 pursuant to the 2018 Incentive Compensation Plan with respect to service as a director during 2024-2025. The restricted stock units vest upon the earlier of (a) July 18, 2025 or (b) the date immediately preceding the next annual meeting of the stockholders of our company.

⁽²⁾ Mr. Reddy was elected to our Board on July 29, 2022. The compensation reported for Mr. Reddy in this table is for compensation he received as an employee. Employee members of the Board are not paid separate compensation for serving on the Board. Mr. Reddy did not stand for reelection to the Board at the July 16, 2024 annual meeting of stockholders.

Agreements Regarding Board Service

In June 2022, the Board approved a Board compensation plan (the "2022 Board Plan"), superseding the prior compensation structure adopted by the Board in December 2017. The 2022 Board Plan only applies to the non-employee members of the Board. The employee members of the Board are not paid separate compensation for serving on the Board. The 2022 Board Plan superseded all prior compensation arrangements with the Board members.

Pursuant to the 2022 Board Plan, each non-employee member of the Board receives an annual cash retainer of \$80,000. The chairman or lead independent director of the Board (currently, Mr. van Montfrans) receives a supplemental annual cash retainer in the amount of \$30,000. Each non-employee member of the Board that serves in a chairperson role or as a member of a committee receives a supplemental annual cash retainer in an amount equal to the corresponding role: (i) Chair of the Audit Committee - \$15,000; Member of the Audit Committee - \$5,000; (ii) Chair of the Nominating and CGS Committee - \$10,000; Member of the Strategy & Growth Committee - \$10,000; Member

In addition, each non-employee director will receive an annual award for the number of shares of our common stock that have a market value of \$150,000 based on the closing price of the common stock on the last business day preceding the grant date. The lead independent director will receive an additional annual award for the number of shares of our common stock that have a market value of \$30,000. Equity-based compensation will be granted on or about March 31 of each year, based on the fair market value of our common stock on the grant date. We believe that equity compensation helps to further align the interests of our directors with those of our stockholders because the value of directors' share ownership will rise and fall with that of our other stockholders. No equity awards will include any form of "gross-up payment" to cover taxes. Additionally, there is a limit on the number of shares of common stock granted to each non-employee director such that the fair market value of equity-based awards and the amount of any cash-based awards granted to a non-employee director during any calendar year will not exceed \$200,000.

In connection with the 2022 Board Plan, the Board implemented the following procedures for future issuances of stock awards: (i) stock awards are formally approved through a Board or committee resolution; (ii) the terms of each stock award in an award agreement are executed contemporaneously with the grant; (iii) stock awards to non-employee directors are counted towards the \$200,000 maximum stated above and measured by the fair market value of those awards as of the grant date set forth in the award agreement; and (iv) an individual has been appointed to ensure the shares of stock are promptly issued pursuant to the award agreement.

Retirement and Savings Plan - 401(k)

We maintain a tax qualified retirement plan (the "401(k) Plan") that provides eligible employees with an opportunity to save for retirement on a tax advantaged basis. Eligible employees may participate in the 401(k) Plan on the entry date coincident with or following the date they meet the 401(k) Plan's age and service eligibility requirements. The entry date is either January 1 or July 1. In order to meet the age and service eligibility requirements, otherwise eligible employees must be age 21 or older and complete three consecutive months of employment. Participants are able to defer up to 100% of their eligible compensation subject to applicable annual Code limits. All participants' interest in their deferrals are 100% vested when contributed. Currently, the 401(k) Plan does not provide for any matching contributions on employee deferrals.

Incentive Compensation Plans

In July 2018, our Board adopted the 2018 Plan. The holders of a majority of our shares of common stock approved the 2018 Plan at our stockholders meeting held on September 7, 2018. The 2018 Plan enables us to grant stock options, restricted stock, dividend equivalents, stock payments, deferred stock, restricted stock units, stock appreciation rights, performance share awards, and other incentive awards to employees, directors, consultants and advisors, and to improve our ability to attract, retain and motivate individuals upon whom our sustained growth and financial success depend, by providing such persons with an opportunity to acquire or increase their proprietary interest in us. Stock options granted under the 2018 Plan may be non-qualified stock options or incentive stock options, within the meaning of Section 422(b) of the Code, except that stock options granted to outside directors and any consultants or advisers providing services to us or an affiliate shall in all cases be non-qualified stock options. The option price must be at least 100% of the fair market value on the date of the grant.

The 2018 Plan is administered by the Compensation Committee of the Board, which has discretion over the awards and grants thereunder. At our stockholders meeting held on July 24, 2023, stockholders approved an amendment to the 2018 Plan to increase the aggregate maximum number of shares of common stock for which stock options or awards may be granted pursuant to the 2018 Plan from 5,000,000 to 7,000,000. No awards may be issued on or after September 7, 2028.

As of December 31, 2024, stock options to purchase an aggregate of 986,165 shares of common stock and 4,974,178 restricted shares of our common stock were outstanding and issued to employees and members of the Board under the 2018 Plan.

Pay Ratio Disclosure

As required by Section 953(b) of the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act, our company is providing the following information about the relationship between the annual total compensation of the company's employees and the annual total compensation of the chief executive officer during the 2024 fiscal year. The CEO pay ratio figures below are a reasonable estimate calculated in a manner consistent with Item 402(u) of Regulation S-K under the Exchange Act.

As of December 31, 2024, we had 594 employees, including 542 full-time employees.

We determined the total annual compensation for our employees for the year ended December 31, 2024 using data from our payroll records for the month of December 2024, which we then extrapolated for the full year of 2024. The components of total annual compensation for our employees are the same as those used to determine the total compensation of our NEOs for the purposes of the Summary Compensation Table. Total annual compensation for our CEO during the 2024 fiscal year was annualized based on Mr. Jones' employment agreement entered into in May 2023. We did not make any full-time equivalent adjustments for part-time employees. The results were then ranked, excluding the chief executive officer, from lowest to highest, and the median employee was identified. We then compared the total annual compensation of the median employee to that of the chief executive officer. The total annual compensation of the median employee for the year ended December 31, 2024 was \$51,500. For the year ended December 31, 2024, the ratio of our chief executive officer's total annual compensation to that of our median employee was approximately 29:1.

The SEC rules for identifying the median employee and calculating the pay ratio based on that employee's total annual compensation allow companies to adopt a variety of methodologies, to apply certain exclusions and to make reasonable estimates and assumptions that reflect their compensation practices. As such, the pay ratio reported by other companies may not be comparable to the pay ratio reported above, as other companies may have different employment and compensation practices and may utilize different methodologies, exclusions, estimates and assumptions in calculating their own pay ratios.

Compensation Committee Interlocks and Insider Participation

No member of the Compensation Committee was an officer or employee of our company or any subsidiary of the company during the fiscal year ended December 31, 2024. No member of the Compensation Committee was a member of the compensation committee of another entity during the fiscal year ended December 31, 2024. None of our executive officers was a director or a member of the compensation committee of another entity during the fiscal year ended December 31, 2024. There were no transactions between any member of the Compensation Committee and the company during the fiscal year ended December 31, 2024 requiring disclosure pursuant to Item 404 of Regulation S-K promulgated under the Exchange Act.

ITEM 12. SECURITY OWNERSHIP OF CERTAIN BENEFICIAL OWNERS AND MANAGEMENT AND RELATED STOCKHOLDER MATTERS

Security Ownership of Certain Beneficial Owners and Management

The following table sets forth certain information regarding our shares of common stock beneficially owned as of April 28, 2025, for (i) each stockholder known to be the beneficial owner of 5% or more of our outstanding shares of common stock, (ii) each NEO and director, and (iii) all executive officers and directors as a group. A person is considered to beneficially own any shares: (i) over which such person, directly or indirectly, exercises sole or shared voting or investment power, or (ii) of which such person has the right to acquire beneficial ownership at any time within 60 days after such date upon the exercise of stock options, warrants, convertible securities or the vesting of RSUs. Unless otherwise indicated, voting and investment power relating to the shares shown in the table for our directors and executive officers is exercised solely by the beneficial owner or shared by the owner and the owner's spouse or children.

For purposes of this table, a person or group of persons is deemed to have "beneficial ownership" of any shares of common stock that such person has the right to acquire within 60 days after April 28, 2025. For purposes of computing the percentage of outstanding shares of common stock held by each person or group of persons, any shares that such person or persons has the right to acquire within 60 days after April 28, 2025 is deemed to be outstanding but is not deemed to be outstanding for the purpose of computing the percentage ownership of any other person. The inclusion of any shares listed as beneficially owned does not constitute an admission of beneficial ownership.

Name and Address of Beneficial Owner ⁽¹⁾	Stock Beneficially	Percentage of Common Stock Outstanding ⁽²⁾
Directors and Named Executive Officers:	Oviica	rutstanung
Brendan S. Jones	291,871 ₍₃₎	*
Michael P. Rama	301,208 ₍₄₎	*
Aviv Hillo	246,257 ₍₅₎	*
Harjinder Bhade	268,855 ₍₇₎	*
Michael C. Battaglia	111,556 ₍₆₎	*
Martha J. Crawford	.	*
Jack Levine	216,259(8)	*
Kristina A. Peterson	40,541 ₍₉₎	*
Ritsaart J.M. van Montfrans	94,427 ₍₁₀₎	*
Cedric L. Richmond	70,484 ₍₁₁₎	*
5% Stockholders: State Street Corporation	5,445,183 ₍₁₂₎	5.3%
The Vanguard Group	5,561,541 ₍₁₃₎	5.4%
Blackrock, Inc.	6,832,027 ₍₁₄₎	6.7%
All directors and executive officers as a group (10 persons)	1,641,458 ₍₁₅₎	1.6%

^{*} Less than 1% of the outstanding shares.

⁽¹⁾ Each person maintains a mailing address at c/o Blink Charging Co., 5081 Howerton Way, Suite A, Bowie, Maryland 20715, except as noted below.

- (2) Applicable percentage ownership is based on 102,717,131 shares of common stock outstanding as of April 28, 2025.
- (3) Includes 101,944 shares of common stock issuable upon the exercise of stock options and 112,585 shares of common stock issuable upon the vesting of restricted stock units
- (4) Includes 152,654 shares of common stock issuable upon the exercise of stock options and 49,635 shares of common stock issuable upon the vesting of restricted stock units.
- (5) Includes 76,977 shares of common stock issuable upon the exercise of stock options and 49,635 shares of common stock issuable upon the vesting of restricted stock units.
- (6) Includes 54,000 shares of common stock issuable upon the exercise of stock options and 53,118 shares of common stock issuable upon the vesting of restricted stock units.
- (7) Includes 72,636 shares of common stock issuable upon the vesting of restricted stock units.
- (8) Includes 40,541 shares of common stock issuable upon the vesting of restricted stock units.
- (9) Includes 40,541 shares of common stock issuable upon the vesting of restricted stock units.
- (10) Includes 48,649 shares of common stock issuable upon the vesting of restricted stock units.
- (11) Includes 40,541 shares of common stock issuable upon the vesting of restricted stock units.
- (12) Consists of 5,445,183 shares of common stock beneficially owned by State Street Corporation ("State Street"), over which State Street has shared voting power over 5,338,049 shares and shared dispositive power over 5,445,183 shares. The principal business address of State Street is One Congress Street, Suite 1, Boston, MA 02114. The foregoing information is based solely upon a Schedule 13G filed by State Street on February 5, 2025.
- (13) Consists of 5,561,541 shares of common stock beneficially owned by The Vanguard Group, over which The Vanguard Group has sole dispositive power over 5,432,240 shares, shared voting power over 93,688 shares and shared dispositive power over 129,301 shares. The principal business address of The Vanguard Group is 100 Vanguard Blvd., Malvern, Pennsylvania 19355. The foregoing information is based solely upon a Schedule 13G/A filed by The Vanguard Group on November 11, 2024.
- (14) Consists of 6,832,027 shares of common stock beneficially owned by Blackrock, Inc. ("Blackrock"), over which Blackrock has sole voting power of 6,756,185 shares and sole dispositive power over 6,832,027 shares. The principal business address of Blackrock is 50 Hudson Yards, New York, New York 10001. The foregoing information is based solely upon a Schedule 13G filed by Blackrock on November 8, 2024.
- (15) Includes currently exercisable stock options to purchase an aggregate of 385,575 shares of common stock and 507,881 shares of common stock issuable upon the vesting of restricted stock units.

Securities Authorized for Issuance Under Equity Compensation Plans

The following table sets forth information as of December 31, 2024 with respect to our common stock that may be issued under our incentive compensation plans and other option grants.

Number of

				Number of Securities		
				Remaining		
				Available for		
	Number of			Future Issuance		
	Securities to be			Under Equity		
	Issued Upon	Weigh	ted-Average	Compensation		
	Exercise of	Exer	cise Price	Plans		
	Outstanding	of O	ıtstanding	(Excluding		
	Options,	O	ptions,	Securities		
	Warrants and	War	rants and	Reflected in		
	Rights]	Rights	Column		
Plan Category	(a)		(b)	(a))		
Equity Compensation Plans Approved by Security Holders	2,117,994	\$	17.42	2,025,822		
Equity Compensation Plans Not Approved by Security Holders	-		-	-		
Total	2,117,994	\$	17.42	2,025,822		
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ITEM 13. CERTAIN RELATIONSHIPS AND RELATED TRANSACTIONS, AND DIRECTOR INDEPENDENCE

Related Person Transaction Policy

Our policy with regard to related party transactions is for the Board as a whole to approve any material transactions involving our directors, executive officers or holders of more than 5% of our outstanding shares of common stock.

Certain Relationships and Related Transactions

In addition to the compensation arrangements, including employment, termination of employment and change in control arrangements, the section titled "Employment and Management Contracts, Termination of Employment and Change-in-Control Arrangements," the following is a description of each transaction since January 1, 2024 and each currently proposed transaction in which:

- we have been or are to be a participant;
- the amount involved exceeds \$120,000; and
- any related person had or will have a direct or indirect material interest.

There have been no transactions between the company and a related person that would be reportable under SEC rules or regulations.

Director Independence

At least annually, the Nominating and CGS Committee reviews the independence of each non-employee director and makes recommendations to the Board and the Board affirmatively determines whether each director qualifies as independent. No director qualifies as "independent" unless the Board affirmatively determines that the director has no material relationship with our company (either directly or as a stockholder or officer of an organization that has a relationship with the company). In addition, in affirmatively determining the independence of any director who will serve on the Compensation Committee, the Board must consider all factors specifically relevant to determining whether a director has a relationship to the company which is material to that director's ability to be independent of management in connection with the duties of a Compensation Committee member. Each director must keep the Nominating and CGS Committee fully and promptly informed as to any development affecting a director's independence.

Our shares of common stock are listed for trading on The Nasdaq Capital Market. Under the rules of Nasdaq, "independent" directors must make up a majority of a listed company's board of directors. In addition, applicable Nasdaq rules require that, subject to specified exceptions, each member of a listed company's audit and compensation committees be independent within the meaning of the applicable Nasdaq rules. Audit Committee members must also satisfy the independence criteria set forth in Rule 10A-3 under the Exchange Act.

The Board has determined that each of our non-employee directors that served during 2024 (Messrs. Levine, van Montfrans and Richmond, and Mses. Peterson and Crawford) were independent under the listing standards of Nasdaq and the requirements of the SEC. Messrs. Jones and Hillo are not independent based on their current service as employees of our company. In making its independence determinations, the Board reviewed direct and indirect transactions and relationships between each director, or any member of his or her immediate family, and us or one of our subsidiaries or affiliates based on information provided by the director, our records and publicly available information. None of our directors directly or indirectly provides any professional or consulting services to us.

As a result, a majority of our directors are independent, as required under applicable Nasdaq rules. As required under applicable Nasdaq rules, we anticipate that our independent directors will meet in regularly scheduled executive sessions at which only independent directors are present.

ITEM 14. PRINCIPAL ACCOUNTANT FEES AND SERVICES

As reported on our Current Report on Form 8-K filed on May 17, 2024, the Audit Committee of the Board conducted a competitive selection process to determine our independent registered public accounting firm for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2024. The Audit Committee invited several public accounting firms to participate in this process. As a result of this process, on May 14, 2024, the Audit Committee approved the appointment of Grant Thornton LLP ("Grant Thornton") as our independent registered public accounting firm for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2024.

As reported on our Current Report on Form 8-K filed on May 17, 2024, we dismissed Marcum LLP ("Marcum"), our independent registered public accounting firm for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2023, as our independent registered public accounting firm as of May 14, 2024.

The reports of Marcum on our consolidated financial statements for the fiscal years ended December 31, 2023 and 2022 did not contain an adverse opinion or disclaimer of opinion and were not qualified or modified as to uncertainty, audit scope or accounting principles, except for an adverse opinion on internal controls over financial reporting for the fiscal years ended December 31, 2023 and 2022. In connection with the audits of our consolidated financial statements for the fiscal years ended December 31, 2023 and 2022, and in the subsequent interim period through May 14, 2024, there were no disagreements with Marcum on any matters of accounting principles or practices, financial statement disclosure or auditing scope and procedures which, if not resolved to the satisfaction of Marcum, would have caused Marcum to make reference to the matter in their report. There were no reportable events (as that term is described in Item 304(a)(1)(v) of Regulation S-K) during the two fiscal years ended December 31, 2023 and 2022, or in the subsequent period through May 14, 2024.

We have provided a copy of the foregoing disclosures to Marcum and requested that Marcum furnish it with a letter addressed to the SEC stating whether Marcum agrees with the above statements. A copy of Marcum's letter, dated May 17, 2024, was filed as Exhibit 16.1 to the May 17, 2024 Form 8-K.

During the two most recent fiscal years and in the subsequent interim period through May 14, 2024, we have not consulted with Grant Thornton with respect to the application of accounting principles to a specified transaction, either completed or proposed, or the type of audit opinion that would have been rendered on our consolidated financial statements, or any other matters set forth in Item 304(a)(2)(i) or (ii) of Regulation S-K.

The following table sets forth the aggregate accounting fees paid by us for the year ended December 31, 2024 and the year ended December 31, 2023. The below audit fees were paid to Grant Thornton for the year ended December 31, 2024 and to Marcum for the years ended December 31, 2023 and 2024:

	Grant Thornton Year Ended December 31, 2024		Marcum Year Ended December 31, 2024		Marcum Year Ended December 31, 2023	
Audit Fees ⁽¹⁾	\$ 1,353,620	\$	1,336,699	\$	2,746,757	
Audit-related fees ⁽²⁾	-		-		-	
Tax fees ⁽³⁾	-		-		-	
All other fees ⁽⁴⁾	-		-		100,628	
Total	\$ 1,353,620	\$	1,336,699	\$	2,847,385	

- (1) Audit fees consist of fees billed for professional services rendered for the audit of our consolidated annual financial statements including fees related to compliance with the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, review of our quarterly consolidated financial statements included in our Quarterly Reports on Form 10-Q and services that are normally provided in connection with statutory and regulatory filings or engagements, consultations in connection with acquisitions and issuances of auditor consents and comfort letters in connection with SEC registration statements.
- (2) Audit-related fees consist of fees billed for assurance and related services that are reasonably related to the performance of the audit or review of our consolidated financial statements and are not reported under "Audit Fees."
- (3) Tax fees consist of fees billed for professional services rendered for tax compliance, tax advice and tax planning (domestic and international). These services include assistance regarding federal, state and international tax compliance, acquisitions and international tax planning.
- (4) All other fees consist of fees for products and services other than the services reported above. All other fees in 2023 represents financial and tax diligence in connection with our company's acquisition of Envoy Technologies, Inc. in April 2023. These fees were pre-approved by the Audit Committee.

Pre-Approval Policies

All audit and non-audit services provided by our independent registered public accounting firm must be pre-approved by the Audit Committee. Unless the specific service has been previously pre-approved with respect to that year, the Audit Committee must approve the permitted service before the independent registered public accounting firm is engaged to perform it. The Audit Committee uses the following procedures in pre-approving all audit and non-audit services provided by our independent registered public accounting firm. At or before the first meeting of the Audit Committee each year, the Audit Committee is presented with a detailed listing of the individual audit and non-audit services and fees (separately describing audit-related services, tax services and other services) expected to be provided by our independent registered public accounting firm during the year. Quarterly, the Audit Committee is presented with an update of any new audit and non-audit services to be provided. The Audit Committee reviews the quarterly update and approves the services outlined therein if such services are acceptable to the Audit Committee.

PART IV

ITEM 15. EXHIBITS, FINANCIAL STATEMENT SCHEDULES.

(a) FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND FINANCIAL STATEMENT SCHEDULES

- 1. Consolidated Financial Statements are listed in the Index to Consolidated Financial Statements on page F-1 of the Original 10-K.
- 2. Other schedules are omitted because they are not applicable, not required, or because required information is included in the Consolidated Financial Statements or notes thereto.

(b) EXHIBITS

We have filed the exhibits listed in the Exhibit Index below in this Form 10-K/A:

Exhibit			rated by rence	Filed or Furnished	
Number	Exhibit Description		Exhibit	Filing Date	Herewith
2.4	Agreement and Plan of Merger, dated as of April 18, 2023, by and among Blink Charging Co., Blink	8-K	2.1	04/24/2023	
	Mobility, LLC, Mobility Merger Sub Inc., Envoy Technologies, Inc., and Fortis Advisors LLC (as				
	Equityholders' Agent)				
2.5	Amendment No. 2, dated as of August 4, 2023, to Agreement and Plan of Merger, dated as of June	10-Q	2.2	08/09/2023	
	13, 2022, by and among Blink Charging Co., SemaConnect LLC and Shareholder Representative				
	Services LLC, as Stockholders' Representative.				
3.1	Articles of Incorporation, as amended most recently on August 17, 2017	10-K	3.1	04/17/2018	
3.2	Bylaws, as amended most recently on January 29, 2018	10-K	3.2	04/17/2018	
3.4	Certificate of Withdrawal for Series A Convertible Preferred Stock	8-K	3.1	04/07/2022	
3.5	Certificate of Withdrawal for Series B Preferred Stock	8-K	3.2	04/07/2022	
3.6	Certificate of Withdrawal for Series C Convertible Preferred Stock	8-K	3.3	04/07/2022	
3.7	Certificate of Withdrawal for Series D Convertible Preferred Stock	8-K	3.4	04/07/2022	
4.2	Form of Common Stock Purchase Warrant dated April 9, 2018	8-K	4.1	04/19/2018	
4.3	Description of the Securities Registered Pursuant to Section 12 of the Securities Exchange Act of	10-K	4.3	04/02/2020	
	1934				
10.14*	2018 Incentive Compensation Plan	Proxy	-	08/14/2018	
10.18*	Employment Offer Letter, dated February 7, 2020, between Blink Charging Co. and Michael P. Rama	8-K	10.1	02/11/2020	
10.20*	Employment Offer Letter, dated as of March 29, 2020, between Blink Charging Co. and Brendan S.	8-K	10.1	04/20/2020	
	<u>Jones</u>				
10.22*	Employment Agreement, dated December 27, 2021, between Blink Charging Co. and Brendan S.	8-K	10.1	12/29/2021	
	<u>Jones</u>				
10.23*	Employment Agreement, dated April 20, 2021, between Blink Charging Co. and Harjinder Bhade	10-K/A	10.20	04/29/2022	
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10.24*	Employment Agreement, dated May 19, 2022, between Blink Charging Co. and Michael P. Rama	8-K	10.1	05/24/2022	
10.25*	Employment Agreement, dated May 19, 2022, between Blink Charging Co. and Aviv Hillo	8-K	10.2	05/24/2022	
10.29	Sales Agreement, dated September 2, 2022, between Blink Charging Co. and the Sales Agents	8-K	10.1	09/02/2022	
10.31*	Employment Agreement, dated May 1, 2023, between Blink Charging Co, and Brendan S, Jones	8-K	10.1	05/05/2023	
10.32*	Amendment to Blink Charging Co. 2018 Incentive Compensation Plan	14A	Α	06/14/2023	
10.33*	Separation and General Release Agreement, dated as of June 20, 2023, between Blink Charging Co.	8-K	10.1	06/23/2023	
	and Michael D. Farkas				
10.34*	Employment Offer Letter, dated October 30, 2023, between Blink Charging Co. and Harjinder Bhade	8-K	10.1	11/03/2023	
10.35	Amendment to Sales Agreement, dated as of November 2, 2023, between Blink Charging Co. and the	8-K	10.1	11/22/2023	
	Agents				
10.36*	Executive Advisor Employment Agreement, dated August 27, 2024, by and between Blink Charging	8-K	10.1	08/30/2024	
	Co. and Brendan S. Jones				
10.37*	Chief Executive Officer Employment Agreement, dated January 23, 2025, between Michael Battaglia	8-K	10.1	01/28/2025	
	and Blink Charging Co.				
21.1	Subsidiaries of the Registrant	10-K	21.1	04/09/2025	
23.1	Consent of Grant Thornton LLP	10-K	23.1	04/09/2025	
23.2	Consent of Marcum LLP	10-K	23.2	04/09/2025	
31.1	Rule 13a-14(a) Certification of Principal Executive Officer	10-K	31.1	04/09/2025	
31.2	Rule 13a-14(a) Certification of Principal Financial Officer	10-K	31.2	04/09/2025	
31.3	Rule 13a-14(a) Certification of Principal Executive Officer				X
31.4	Rule 13a-14(a) Certification of Principal Financial Officer				X
32.1**	Section 1350 Certification of Principal Executive Officer	10-K	32.1	04/09/2025	
32.2**	Section 1350 Certification of Principal Financial Officer	10-K	32.2	04/09/2025	
97.1*	Blink Charging Co. Policy for Recovery of Erroneously Awarded Compensation	10-K	97.1	03/18/2024	
101.INS	Inline XBRL Instance.				X
101.XSD	Inline XBRL Schema.				X
101.PRE	Inline XBRL Presentation.				X
101.CAL	Inline XBRL Calculation.				X
101.DEF	Inline XBRL Definition.				X
101.LAB	Inline XBRL Label.				X
104	Cover Page Interactive Data File (Embedded within the Inline XBRL document)				

^{*} Indicates a management contract or compensatory plan or arrangement.

** In accordance with SEC Release 33-8238, Exhibits 32.1 and 32.2 are being furnished and not deemed filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Exchange Act.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

BLINK CHARGING CO.

Date: April 29, 2025

By: /s/ Michael C. Battaglia

Michael C. Battaglia President and Chief Executive Officer

(Principal Executive Officer)

Date: April 29, 2025

By: /s/ Michael P. Rama Michael P. Rama

Chief Financial Officer

(Principal Financial and Accounting Officer)

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CERTIFICATION OF PRINCIPAL EXECUTIVE OFFICER PURSUANT TO EXCHANGE ACT RULES 13a-14(a) AND 15d-14(a) AS ADOPTED PURSUANT TO SECTION 302 OF THE SARBANES-OXLEY ACT OF 2002

I, Michael C. Battaglia, certify that:

- 1. I have reviewed this annual report on Form 10-K/A of Blink Charging Co.; and
- 2. Based on my knowledge, this report does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which such statements were made, not misleading with respect to the period covered by this report.

By: /s/ Michael C. Battaglia

Michael C. Battaglia President and Chief Executive Officer (Principal Executive Officer) April 29, 2025

CERTIFICATION OF PRINCIPAL FINANCIAL OFFICER PURSUANT TO EXCHANGE ACT RULES 13a-14(a) AND 15d-14(a) AS ADOPTED PURSUANT TO SECTION 302 OF THE SARBANES-OXLEY ACT OF 2002

I, Michael P. Rama, certify that:

- 1. I have reviewed this annual report on Form 10-K/A of Blink Charging Co.; and
- 2. Based on my knowledge, this report does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which such statements were made, not misleading with respect to the period covered by this report.

By: /s/ Michael P. Rama

Michael P. Rama Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial and Accounting Officer) April 29, 2025