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Name of issuer:
Franzese Wine LLC

Legal status of issuer:
Form: Limited Liability Company
Jurisdiction of Incorporation/Organization: CA
Date of organization: 7/14/2021

Physical address of issuer:
11346 Sunco Drive unit 106
Rancho Cordova CA 95742

Website of issuer:
https://franzesewine.com

Name of intermediary through which the offering will be conducted:
Webunder Portal LLC

CIK number of intermediary:
0001670254

SEC file number of intermediary:
007-C0033

CRD number, if applicable, of intermediary:
283903

Amount of compensation to be paid to the intermediary, whether as a dollar amount or a percentage of the offering amount, or a good faith estimate if the exact amount is not available at the time of the filing, for conducting the offering, including the amount of referral and any other fees associated with the offering:
7.9% of the offering amount upon a successful fundraise, and be entitled to reimbursement for out-of-pocket third party expenses it pays or incurs on behalf of the issuer in connection with the offering.

Any other direct or indirect interest in the issuer held by the intermediary, or any arrangement for the intermediary to acquire such an interest:
No

Type of security offered:
☐ Common Stock
☐ Preferred Stock
☐ Debt
☒ Other

If Other, describe the security offered:
Simple Agreement for Future Equity (SAFE)

Target number of securities to be offered:
50,000

Price:
\$1.000000

Method for determining price:
Pro-rated portion of the total principal value of \$50,000. interests will be sold in increments of \$1; each investment is convertible to one unit as described under Item 13.

Target offering amount:
\$50,000.00

Over-subscriptions anticipated:
☒ Yes
☐ No

If yes, disclose how over-subscriptions will be allocated:
☐ Pro-rata basis
☐ First-come, first-served basis
☒ Other

If other, describe how over-subscriptions will be allocated:
As determined by the issuer

Maximum offering amount (if different from target offering amount):
\$68,000.00

Deadline to reach the target offering amount:
4/30/2026

NOTE: If the sum of the investment commitments does not equal or exceed the target offering amount at this offering deadline, no securities will be sold in the offering. Investment commitments will be cancelled and committed funds will be returned.

Current number of employees:
3

	Most recent fiscal year-end:	Pre or fiscal year-end:
Total Assets:	\$1,080,207.00	\$450,069.00
Cash & Cash Equivalents:	\$555,353.00	\$75,559.00
Accounts Receivable:	\$81,352.00	\$0.00
Current Liabilities:	\$1,347,808.00	\$426,554.00
Non-Current Liabilities:	\$1,008,818.00	\$000,000.00
Revenue/Sales:	\$891,685.00	\$473,700.00
Cost of Goods Sold:	\$416,918.00	\$248,656.00
Taxes Paid:	\$0.00	\$0.00
Net Income:	(\$890,449.00)	(\$388,427.00)

Select the jurisdictions in which the issuer intends to offer the securities:
AL, AK, AZ, AR, CA, CO, CT, DE, DC, FL, GA, HI, ID, IL, IN, IA, KS, KY, LA, ME, MD, MA, MI, MN, MS, MO, MT, NE, NV, NH, NJ, NM, NY, NC, ND, OH, OK, OR, PA, RI, SC, SD, TN, TX, UT, VT, VA, WA, WY, WI, WV, BS, GU, PR, VI, TV

Offering Statement

Respond to each question in each paragraph of this part. Set forth each question and any notes, but not any instructions thereto, in their entirety. If disclosure in response to any question is responsive to one or more other questions, it is not necessary to repeat the disclosure. If a question or series of questions is inapplicable or the response is available elsewhere in the Form, either state that it is inapplicable, include a cross-reference to the responsive disclosure, or omit the question or series of questions.

Be very careful and precise in answering all questions. Give full and complete answers so that they are not misleading under the circumstances involved. Do not discuss any future performance or other anticipated event unless you have a reasonable basis to believe that it will actually occur within the foreseeable future. If any answer requiring significant information is materially inaccurate, incomplete or misleading, the Company, its management and principal shareholders may be liable to investors based on that information.

THE COMPANY

1. Name of Issuer
Franzese Wine LLC

COMPANY ELIGIBILITY

2. ☒ Check this box to certify that all of the following statements are true for the issuer:
- Organized under, and subject to, the laws of a State or territory of the United States or the District of Columbia;
 - Not subject to the requirement to file reports pursuant to Section 13 or Section 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934;
 - Not an investment company registered or required to be registered under the Investment Company Act of 1940;
 - Not ineligible to rely on this exemption under Section 4(a)(6) of the Securities Act as a result of a disqualification specified in Rule 502(a) of Regulation Crowdfunding;
 - Has filed with the Commission and provided to investors, to the extent required, the following annual reports required by Regulation Crowdfunding during the two years immediately preceding the filing of this offering statement (or for such shorter period that the issuer was required to file such reports);
 - Not a development stage company that (a) has no specific business plan or (b) has indicated that its business plan is to engage in a merger or acquisition with an unidentified company or companies.

INSTRUCTION TO QUESTION 2: If any of these statements are not true, then you are **NOT** eligible to rely on this exemption under Section 4(a)(6) of the Securities Act.

3. Has the issuer or any of its predecessors previously failed to comply with the ongoing reporting requirements of Rule 202 of Regulation Crowdfunding?

☐ Yes ☒ No

DIRECTORS OF THE COMPANY

4. Provide the following information about each director (and any persons occupying a similar status or performing a similar function) of the issuer.

Director	Principal Occupation	Main Employer	Year Joined as Director
Samvel Hakobyan	CFO	Franzese Wines	2021

For three years of business experience, refer to [Appendix D: Director & Officer Work History](#).

OFFICERS OF THE COMPANY

5. Provide the following information about each officer (and any persons occupying a similar status or performing a similar function) of the issuer.

Officer	Positions Held	Year Joined
Samvel Hakobyan	CEO	2021
Samvel Hakobyan	Co-Founder	2021

For three years of business experience, refer to [Appendix D: Director & Officer Work History](#).

INSTRUCTION TO QUESTION 5: For purposes of this Question 5, the term *officer* means a president, vice president, secretary, treasurer or principal financial officer, controller or principal accounting officer, and any person that routinely performing similar functions.

PRINCIPAL SECURITY HOLDERS

6. Provide the name and ownership level of each person, as of the most recent practicable date, who is the beneficial owner of 10 percent or more of the issuer's outstanding voting equity securities, calculated on the basis of voting power.

Name of holder	No. and Class of Securities Now Held	% of Voting Power Prior to Offering
Samvel Hakobyan	Membership Interests	95.7

INSTRUCTION TO QUESTION 6: The above information must be provided as of a date that is no more than 120 days prior to the date of filing of this offering statement.

To calculate total voting power, include all securities for which the person directly or indirectly has or shares the voting power, which includes the power to vote or to direct the voting of such securities. If a person has the right to acquire voting power of such securities within 60 days, including through the exercise of any option, warrant or right, the conversion of a security, or other arrangement, or if securities are held by a member of the family, through corporations or partnerships, or otherwise in a manner that would allow a person to direct or control the voting of the securities (or share in such direction or control) — as, for example, a co-trustee, they should be included as being “beneficially owned.” You should include an explanation of these circumstances in a footnote to the “Number and Class of Securities Now Held.” To calculate outstanding voting equity securities, assume all outstanding options are exercised and all outstanding convertible securities converted.

BUSINESS AND ANTICIPATED BUSINESS PLAN

7. Describe in detail the business of the issuer and the anticipated business plan of the issuer.

For a description of our business and our business plan, please refer to the attached [Appendix A: Business Description & Plan](#).

INSTRUCTION TO QUESTION 7: We/finder will provide your company's We/finder profile as an appendix (Appendix A) to the Form C in PDF format. The submission will include all Q&A items and "read more" links in an un-collapsed format. All videos will be transcribed.

This means that any information provided in your We/finder profile will be provided to the SEC in response to this question. As a result, your company will be potentially liable for misstatements and omissions in your profile under the Securities Act of 1933, which requires you to provide material information related to your business and anticipated business plan. Please review your We/finder profile carefully to ensure it provides all material information, is not false or misleading, and does not omit any information that would cause the information included to be false or misleading.

RISK FACTORS

A crowdfunding investment involves risk. You should not invest any funds in this offering unless you can afford to lose your entire investment.

In making an investment decision, investors must rely on their own examination of the issuer and the terms of the offering, including the merits and risks involved. These securities have not been recommended or approved by any federal or state securities commission or regulatory authority. Furthermore, these authorities have not passed upon the accuracy or adequacy of this document.

The U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission does not pass upon the merits of any securities offered or the terms of the offering, nor does it pass upon the accuracy or completeness of any offering document or literature.

These securities are offered under an exemption from registration; however, the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission has not made an independent determination that these securities are exempt from registration.

8. Discuss the material factors that make an investment in the issuer speculative or risky:

- We are in a highly regulated industry, depending on how regulations change, state or state cases could create overall risk to the company.
- We are in the business of importing wine from Armenia. Geographical conflicts or changes in regulations of importing, could have effect on our supply chain.
- We have a public figure as the face for our brand. Changes in the public's view, media pieces, or unauthorized publication could have an impact on our brand.
- Geopolitical conflicts could put ships in danger during transportation, which could delay in receiving product, which can halt operations and put risk to achieving our goal.
- We operate in a highly competitive industry with many established brands. There is no guarantee that we will be able to maintain and grow our market share. Additionally, larger, well-capitalized companies that do not yet directly compete with us could decide to enter our market and become a direct competitor.
- National or regional shortage of grapes could halt operations of sourcing product for our brand.
- Our future success depends on the efforts of a small management team. The loss of services of the members of the management team may have an adverse effect on the company. There can be no assurance that we will be successful in attracting and retaining other personnel we require to successfully grow our business.
- The Company may never receive a future equity financing or elect to convert the Securities upon such future financing. In addition, the Company may never undergo a liquidity event such as a sale of the Company or an IPO. If neither the conversion of the Securities nor a liquidity event occurs, the Purchasers could be left holding the Securities in perpetuity. The Securities have numerous transfer restrictions and will likely be highly illiquid, with no secondary market on which to sell them. The Securities are not equity interests, have no ownership rights, have no rights to the Company's assets or profits and have no voting rights or ability to direct the Company or its actions.

INSTRUCTION TO QUESTIONS 8: Avoid generalized statements and include only those factors that are material to the issuer. Investors should be informed of the issuer's business and the risks that should

The Offering

USE OF FUNDS

9. What is the purpose of this offering?

The Company intends to use the net proceeds of this offering for working capital and general corporate purposes, which includes the specific items listed in Item 10 below. While the Company expects to use the net proceeds from the Offering in the manner described above, it cannot specify with certainty the particular uses of the net proceeds that it will receive from this Offering. Accordingly, the Company will have broad discretion in using these proceeds.

10. How does the issuer intend to use the proceeds of this offering?

If we raise: **\$50,000**

Use of Proceeds: 42.1% towards marketing with big chain accounts, and 50% on New Non-Alcoholic wine, 79% Wefunder fee

If we raise: **\$618,000**

Use of Proceeds: 20% towards marketing, 22.1% expand the team and salary for a new VP hire, 32% develop new products and inventory and add inventory, 20% operating capital, 7.9% Wefunder fee

DISCLOSURE TO QUESTION 10: An issuer must provide a reasonably detailed description of any intended use of proceeds, such that investors are provided with an adequate amount of information to understand how the offering proceeds will be used. If an issuer has identified a range of possible uses, the issuer should identify and describe each probable use and the factors the issuer may consider in allocating proceeds among the potential uses. If the issuer will accept proceeds in excess of the target offering amount, the issuer must describe the purpose, method for allocating overallocations, and intended use of the excess proceeds with similar specificity. Please indicate all potential uses of the proceeds of the offering, including any that may apply only in the case of overallocations. If you do not do so, you may later be required to amend your Form C. Wefunder is not responsible for any failure by you to describe a potential use of offering proceeds.

DELIVERY & CANCELLATIONS

11. How will the issuer complete the transaction and deliver securities to the investors?

Book Entry and investment in the Co-Issuer. Investors will make their investments by investing in interests issued by one or more co-issuers, each of which is a special purpose vehicle ("SPV"). The SPV will invest all amounts it receives from investors in securities issued by the Company. Interests issued to investors by the SPV will be in book-entry form. This means that the investor will not receive a certificate representing his or her investment. Each investment will be recorded in the books and records of the SPV. In addition, investors' interests in the investments will be recorded in each investor's "Portfolio" page on the Wefunder platform. All references in this Form C to an investor's investment in the Company (or similar phrases) should be interpreted to include investments in a SPV.

12. How can an investor cancel an investment commitment?

NOTE: Investors may cancel an investment commitment until 48 hours prior to the deadline identified in these offering materials.

The intermediary will notify investors when the target offering amount has been met. If the issuer reaches the target offering amount prior to the deadline identified in the offering materials, it may close the offering early if it provides notice about the new offering deadline at least five business days prior to such new offering deadline (absent a material change that would require an extension of the offering and reconfirmation of the investment commitment).

If an investor does not cancel an investment commitment before the 48-hour period prior to the offering deadline, the funds will be released to the issuer upon closing of the offering and the investor will receive securities in exchange for his or her investment.

If an investor does not reconfirm his or her investment commitment after a material change is made to the offering, the investor's investment commitment will be cancelled and the committed funds will be returned.

An investor's right to cancel. An investor may cancel his or her investment commitment at any time until 48 hours prior to the offering deadline.

If there is a material change to the terms of the offering or the information provided to the investor about the offering and/or the Company, the investor will be provided notice of the change and must re-confirm his or her investment commitment within five business days of receipt of the notice. If the investor does not reconfirm, he or she will receive notifications disclosing that the commitment was cancelled, the reason for the cancellation, and the refund amount that the investor is required to receive. If a material change occurs within five business days of the maximum number of days the offering is to remain open, the offering will be extended to allow for a period of five business days for the investor to reconfirm.

If the investor cancels his or her investment commitment during the period when cancellation is permissible, or does not reconfirm a commitment in the case of a material change to the investment, or the offering does not close, all of the investor's funds will be returned within five business days.

Within five business days of cancellation of an offering by the Company, the Company will give each investor notification of the cancellation, disclose the reason for the cancellation, identify the refund amount the investor will receive, and refund the investor's funds.

The Company's right to cancel. The Investment Agreement you will execute with us provides the Company the right to cancel for any reason before the offering deadline.

If the sum of the investment commitments from all investors does not equal or exceed the target offering amount at the time of the offering deadline, no securities will be sold in the offering, investment commitments will be cancelled and committed funds will be returned.

Ownership and Capital Structure

THE OFFERING

13. Describe the terms of the securities being offered.

To view a copy of the SAFE you will purchase, please see [Appendix B, Investor Contracts](#). The main terms of the SAFEs are provided below.

The SAFEs are offering securities in the form of a Simple Agreement for Future Equity ("SAFE"), which provides investors the right to **Preferred Units** in the Company ("Preferred Units"), when and if the Company sponsors an equity offering that involves **Preferred Units**, on the standard terms offered to other investors.

Conversion to Preferred Equity. Based on our SAFEs, when we engage in an offering of equity interests involving **Preferred Units**, investors will receive a number of shares of Preferred Units calculated using the method that results in the greater number of Preferred Units:

- the total value of the investor's investment, divided by:
 - the price of Preferred Units issued to new investors
- if the valuation for the company is more than \$42,500,000.00 (the "Valuation Cap"), the amount invested by the investor divided by the quotient of:
 - the Valuation Cap divided by
 - the total amount of the Company's capitalization at that time.
- For investors up to the first **\$100,000.00** of the securities, investors will receive a valuation cap of **\$18,250,000.00**. Wefunder VIP investors will be entitled to these terms for the entire duration of the offering, even if the threshold limit noted above is met.

Additional Terms of the Valuation Cap. For purposes of option (ii) above, the Company's capitalization calculated as of immediately prior to the Equity Financing and (without double-counting, in each case calculated on an as-converted to Common Units basis):

- Includes all shares of Capital Units issued and outstanding;
- Includes all Converting Securities;
- Includes all (i) issued and outstanding Options and (ii) Promised Options; and
- Includes the Unissued Option Pool, except that any increase to the Unissued Option Pool in connection with the Equity Financing shall only be included to the extent that the number of Promised Options exceeds the Unissued Option Pool prior to such increase.

Liquidity Events. If the Company has an initial public offering or is acquired by, merged with, or otherwise taken over by another company or new owners prior to investors in the SPVs receiving Preferred Units, Investors will receive:

- proceeds equal to the greater of (i) the Purchase Amount (the "Cash-Out Amount") or (ii) the amount payable on the number of shares of Common Units equal to the Purchase Amount divided by the Liquidity Price (the "Conversion Amount")

Liquidity Priority. In a Liquidity Event or Dissolution Event, this Sale is intended to operate like standard nonparticipating Preferred Units. The Investor's right to receive its Cash-Out Amount is:

- i. Junior to payment of outstanding indebtedness and creditor claims, including contractual claims for payment and convertible promissory notes (to the extent such convertible promissory notes are not actually or notionally converted into Capital Units);
- ii. On par with payments for other Safes and/or Preferred Units, and if the applicable Proceeds are insufficient to permit full payments to the Investor and such other Safes and/or Preferred Units, the applicable Proceeds will be distributed pro rata to the Investor and such other Safes and/or Preferred Units in proportion to the full payments that would otherwise be due; and
- iii. Senior to payments for Common Units.

VIP Bonus

Frenzese Wire will offer a discount to the normal terms listed in this Form C for all investments that are committed by investors who are part of Wefunder, Inc.'s VIP program. This means eligible Wefunder investors will receive a discount for any securities they purchased in this offering. For more specific details on the company's discount, please review the description of the terms above.

The discount is only valid until the offering closes. Investors eligible for the bonus will also receive priority if they are on a waitlist to invest and the company exceeds its maximum funding goal. They will be given the first opportunity to invest if space in the offering becomes available due to the cancellation or failure of previous investments.

Securities Issued by the SPV

Instead of issuing its securities directly to investors, the Company has decided to issue its securities to the SPV, which will then issue interests in the SPV to investors. The SPV is formed concurrently with the filing of the Form C. Given this, the SPV does not have any financials to report. The SPV is managed by Wefunder Admin, LLC and is a co-issuer with the Company of the securities being offered in this offering. The Company's use of the SPV is intended to allow investors in the SPV to achieve the same economic exposure, voting power, and ability to assert State and Federal law rights, and receive the same disclosures, as if they had invested directly in the Company. While the issuer may be required to pay an annual administrative fee for the maintenance of the SPV, investors should note the Company's use of the SPV will not result in any additional fees being charged to investors.

The SPV has been organized and will be operated for the sole purpose of directly acquiring, holding and disposing of the Company's securities, will not borrow money and will use all of the proceeds from the sale of its securities solely to purchase a single class of securities of the Company. As a result, an investor investing in the Company through the SPV will have the same relationship to the Company's securities, in terms of number, denomination, type and rights, as if the investor invested directly in the Company.

Voting Rights

If the securities offered by the Company and those offered by the SPV have voting rights, those voting rights may be exercised by the investor or his or her proxy. The applicable proxy is the Lead Investor, if the Proxy (described below) is in effect.

Proxy to the Lead Investor

The SPV securities have voting rights. With respect to those voting rights, the investor and his, her, or its transferees or assignees (collectively, the "Investor"), through a power of attorney granted by Investor in the Investor Agreement, has appointed or will appoint the Lead Investor as the Investor's true and lawful proxy and attorney (the "Proxy") with the power to act alone and with full power of substitution, on behalf of the Investor to: (i) vote all securities related to the Company purchased in an offering hosted by Wefunder Portal, and (i) execute, in connection with such voting power, any instrument or document that the Lead Investor determines is necessary and appropriate in the exercise of his or her authority. Such Proxy will be irrevocable by the Investor unless and until a successor lead investor ("Replacement Lead Investor") takes the place of the Lead Investor. Upon notice that a Replacement Lead Investor has taken the place of the Lead Investor, the Investor will have five (5) calendar days to revoke the Proxy. If the Proxy is not revoked within the 5-day time period, it shall remain in effect.

Restriction on Transferability

The SPV securities are subject to restrictions on transfer, as set forth in the Subscription Agreement and the Limited Liability Company Agreement of Wefunder SPV LLC, and may not be transferred without the prior approval of the Company, on behalf of the SPV.

14. Do the securities offered have voting rights?

- ☐ Yes
☒ No

15. Are there any limitations on any voting or other rights identified above?

See the above description of the Proxy to the Lead Investor.

16. How may the terms of the securities being offered be modified?

Any provision of this Safe may be amended, waived or modified by written consent of the Company and either:

- i. the investor or
- ii. the majority-in-interest of all then-outstanding Safes with the same "Post-Money Valuation Cap" and "Discount Rate" as this Safe (and Safes lacking one or both of such terms will be considered to be the same with respect to such term(s)), provided that with respect to clause (ii):
 - A. the Purchase Amount may not be amended, waived or modified in this manner;
 - B. the consent of the Investor and each holder of such Safes must be solicited (even if not obtained); and
 - C. such amendment, waiver or modification treats all such holders in the same manner. "Majority-in-interest" refers to the holders of the applicable group of Safes whose Safes have a total Purchase Amount greater than 50% of the total Purchase Amount of all of such applicable group of Safes.

Pursuant to authorization in the Investor Agreement between each Investor and Wefunder Portal, Wefunder Portal is authorized to take the following actions with respect to the investment contract between the Company and an investor:

- A. Wefunder Portal may amend the terms of an investment contract, provided that the amended terms are more favorable to the investor than the original terms; and
- B. Wefunder Portal may reduce the amount of an investor's investment if the reason for the reduction is that the Company's offering is oversubscribed.

RESTRICTIONS ON TRANSFER OF THE SECURITIES BEING OFFERED:

The securities being offered may not be transferred by any purchaser of such securities during the one year period beginning when the securities were issued, unless such securities are transferred:

1. to the issuer;
2. to an accredited investor;
3. as part of an offering registered with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission; or
4. to a member of the family of the purchaser or the equivalent, to a trust controlled by the purchaser, to a trust created for the benefit of a member of the family of the purchaser or the equivalent, or in connection with the death or divorce of the purchaser or other similar circumstance.

NOTE: The term "accredited investor" means any person who comes within any of the categories set forth in Rule 501(a) of Regulation D, or who the seller reasonably believes comes within any of such categories, at the time of the sale of the securities to that person.

The term "member of the family of the purchaser or the equivalent" includes a child, stepchild, grandchild, parent, stepparent, grandparent, spouse or spousal equivalent, sibling, mother-in-law, father-in-law, son-in-law, daughter-in-law, brother-in-law, or sister-in-law of the purchaser, and includes adoptive relationships. The term "spousal equivalent" means a cohabitant occupying a relationship generally equivalent to that of a spouse.

DESCRIPTION OF ISSUER'S SECURITIES

17. What other securities or classes of securities of the issuer are outstanding? Please be the material terms of any other outstanding securities or classes of securities of the issuer.

Securities For Amount	Securities For Amount	Notes
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Class of Security	Authorized	Outstanding	Warrants
This is an LLC with no issued units.			

Securities Reserved for Issuance upon Exercise or Conversion

Class of Security

Warrants:

Options:

Total Pool:

Issued:

Describe any other rights:

This is an LLC with no issued units.

The company has not yet authorized preferred units, which investors would receive in this offering if the SAFE converts as part of an equity financing event. Preferred units have a liquidation preference over common units.

16. How may the rights of the securities being offered be materially limited, diluted or qualified by the rights of any other class of security identified above?

The holders of a majority-in-interest of voting rights in the Company could limit the investor's rights in a material way. For example, these interest holders could vote to change the terms of the agreements governing the Company's operations or cause the Company to engage in additional offerings (including potentially a public offering).

These changes could result in further limitations on the voting rights the investor will have as an owner of equity in the Company, for example by diluting these rights or limiting them to certain types of events or consents.

To the extent applicable, in cases where the rights of holders of convertible debt, SAFES, or other outstanding options or warrants are exercised, or if new awards are granted under our equity compensation plans, an investor's interests in the Company may be diluted. This means that the pro-rata portion of the Company represented by the investor's securities will decrease, which could also diminish the investor's voting and/or economic rights. In addition, as discussed above, if a majority-in-interest of holders of securities with voting rights cause the Company to issue additional equity, an investor's interest will typically also be diluted.

Based on the risk that an investor's rights could be limited, diluted or otherwise qualified, the investor could lose all or part of his or her investment in the securities in this offering, and may never see positive returns.

Additional risks related to the rights of other security holders are discussed below, in Question 20.

19. Are there any differences not reflected above between the securities being offered and each other class of security of the issuer?

No.

20. How could the exercise of rights held by the principal shareholders identified in Question 6 above affect the purchasers of the securities being offered?

As holders of a majority-in-interest of voting rights in the Company, **the unitholders** may make decisions with which the investor disagrees, or that negatively affect the value of the investor's securities in the Company, and the investor will have no recourse to change these decisions. The investor's interests may conflict with those of other investors, and there is no guarantee that the Company will develop in a way that is optimal for or advantageous to the investor.

For example, **the unitholders** may change the terms of the operating agreement for the company, change the terms of securities issued by the Company, change the management of the Company, and even force out minority holders of securities. **The unitholders** may make changes that affect the tax treatment of the Company in ways that are unfavorable to you, but favorable to them. They may also vote to engage in new offerings and/or to register certain of the Company's securities in a way that negatively affects the value of the securities the investor owns. Other holders of securities of the Company may also have access to more information than the investor, leaving the investor at a disadvantage with respect to any decisions regarding the securities he or she owns.

The unitholders have the right to redeem their securities at any time. **Unitholders** could decide to force the Company to redeem their securities at a time that is not favorable to the investor and is damaging to the Company. Investor's exit may affect the value of the Company and/or its viability.

In cases where the rights of holders of convertible debt, SAFES, or other outstanding options or warrants are exercised, or if new awards are granted under our equity compensation plans, an investor's interests in the Company may be diluted. This means that the pro-rata portion of the Company represented by the investor's securities will decrease, which could also diminish the investor's voting and/or economic rights. In addition, as discussed above, if a majority-in-interest of holders of securities with voting rights cause the Company to issue additional units, an investor's interest will typically also be diluted.

21. How are the securities being offered being valued? Include examples of methods for how such securities may be valued by the issuer in the future, including during subsequent corporate actions.

The offering price for the securities offered pursuant to this Form C has been determined arbitrarily by the Company, and does not necessarily bear any relationship to the Company's book value, assets, earnings or other generally accepted valuation criteria. In determining the offering price, the Company did not employ investment banking firms or other outside organizations to make an independent appraisal or evaluation. Accordingly, the offering price should not be considered to be indicative of the actual value of the securities offered hereby.

The initial amount invested in a SAFE is determined by the investor, and we do not guarantee that the SAFE will be converted into any particular number of units. As discussed in Question 15, when we engage in an offering of equity interests involving **Preferred Units**, investors may receive a number of **Preferred Units** calculated as either (i) the total value of the investor's investment, divided by the price of the **Preferred Unit** being issued to new investors, or (ii) if the valuation for the company is more than the Valuation Cap, the amount invested divided by the quotient of (c) the Valuation Cap divided by (b) the total amount of the Company's capitalization at that time.

Because there will likely be no public market for our securities prior to an initial public offering or similar liquidity event, the price of the **Preferred Units** that investors will receive, and/or the total value of the Company's capitalization, will be determined by our **management**. Among the factors we may consider in determining the price of **Preferred Units** are prevailing market conditions, our financial information, market valuations of other companies that we believe to be comparable to us, estimates of our business potential, the present state of our development, and other factors deemed relevant.

In the future, we will perform valuations of our **units** that take into account, as applicable, factors such as the following:

- unrelated third party valuations;
- the price at which we sell other securities in light of the relative rights, preferences and privileges of those securities;
- our results of operations, financial position and capital resources;
- current business conditions and projections;
- the marketability or lack thereof of the securities;
- the hiring of key personnel and the experience of our management;
- the introduction of new products;
- the risk inherent in the development and expansion of our products;
- our stage of development and material risks related to our business;
- the likelihood of achieving a liquidity event, such as an initial public offering or a sale of our company given the prevailing market conditions and the nature and history of our business;
- industry trends and competitive environment;
- trends in consumer spending, including consumer confidence;
- overall economic indicators, including gross domestic product, employment, inflation and interest rates; and
- the general economic outlook.

We will analyze factors such as those described above using a combination of financial and market-based methodologies to determine our business enterprise value. For example, we may use methodologies that assume that businesses operating in the same industry will share similar characteristics and that the Company's value will correlate to those characteristics, and/or methodologies that compare transactions in similar securities issued by us that were conducted in the market.

22. What are the risks to purchasers of the securities relating to minority ownership in the issuer?

An investor in the Company will likely hold a minority position in the Company, and thus be limited as to its ability to control or influence the governance and operations of the Company.

The marketability and value of the investor's interest in the Company will depend upon many factors outside the control of the investor. The Company will be managed by its officers and be governed in accordance with the strategic direction and decision-making of its Management, and the investor will have no

independent right to name or remove an officer or member of the management of the Company.

Following the investor's investment in the Company, the Company may sell interests to additional investors, which will dilute the percentage interest of the investor in the Company. The investor may have the opportunity to increase its investment in the Company in such a transaction, but such opportunity cannot be assured.

The amount of additional financing needed by the Company, if any, will depend upon the maturity and objectives of the Company. The declining of an opportunity or the inability of the investor to make a follow-on investment, or the lack of an opportunity to make such a follow-on investment, may result in substantial dilution of the investor's interest in the Company.

23. What are the risks to purchasers associated with: (i) convertible actions; (ii) selling additional issuances of securities; (iii) repurchases of securities; a sale of the issuer or of assets of the issuer or transactions with related parties?

Additional issuances of securities. Following the investor's investment in the Company, the Company may sell interests to additional investors, which will dilute the percentage interest of the investor in the Company. The investor may have the opportunity to increase its investment in the Company in such a transaction, but such opportunity cannot be assured. The amount of additional financing needed by the Company, if any, will depend upon the maturity and objectives of the Company. The declining of an opportunity or the inability of the investor to make a follow-on investment, or the lack of an opportunity to make such a follow-on investment, may result in substantial dilution of the investor's interest in the Company.

Issuer repurchases of securities. The Company may have authority to repurchase its securities from unitholders, which may serve to decrease any liquidity in the market for such securities, decrease the percentage interests held by other similarly situated investors to the investor, and create pressure on the investor to sell its securities to the Company concurrently.

A sale of the issuer or of assets of the issuer. As a minority owner of the Company, the investor will have limited or no ability to influence a potential sale of the Company or a substantial portion of its assets. Thus, the investor will rely upon the executive management of the Company to manage the Company so as to maximize value for unitholders. Accordingly, the success of the investor's investment in the Company will depend in large part upon the skill and expertise of the executive management of the Company. If the Management of the Company authorizes a sale of all or a part of the Company, or a disposition of a substantial portion of the Company's assets, there can be no guarantee that the value received by the investor, together with the fair market estimate of the value remaining in the Company, will be equal to or exceed the value of the investor's initial investment in the Company.

Transactions with related parties. The investor should be aware that there will be occasions when the Company may encounter potential conflicts of interest in its operations. On any issue involving conflicts of interest, the executive management of the Company will be guided by their good faith judgement as to the Company's best interests. The Company may engage in transactions with affiliates, subsidiaries or other related parties, which may be on terms which are not arm's-length, but will be in all cases consistent with the duties of the management of the Company to its unitholders. By acquiring an interest in the Company, the investor will be deemed to have acknowledged the existence of any such actual or potential conflicts of interest and to have waived any claim with respect to any liability arising from the existence of any such conflict of interest.

24. Describe the material terms of any indebtedness of the issuer:

Loan
Lender Rhashi, Inc.
Issue date 11/28/23
Amount \$1,000,000.00
Outstanding principal plus interest \$1,000,000.00 as of 10/12/25
Interest rate 12.0% per annum
Maturity date 11/27/27
Current with payments Yes

Loan
Lender Danie Ramsey
Issue date 11/10/24
Amount \$550,000.00
Outstanding principal plus interest \$550,000.00 as of 10/13/25
Interest rate 10.0% per annum
Maturity date 11/1/25
Current with payments Yes

Convertible Note
Creditor Tiger Vertes
Issue date 08/30/22
Amount \$600,000.00
Outstanding principal plus interest \$500,000.00 as of 12/18/23
Interest rate 12.0% per annum
Discount rate 0.0%
Uncapped Note Yes
Maturity date 03/31/26

This can be extended for another year if need be.

INSTRUCTION TO QUESTION 24: name the creditor, amount owed, interest rate, maturity date, and any other material terms.

25. What other exempt offerings has the issuer conducted within the past three years?

Offering Date	Exemption Regulation	Security Type	Amount Sold	Use of Proceeds
4/2024	Crowdfunding	SAFE	\$443,627	General operations

26. Was or is the issuer or any entity controlled by or under common control with the issuer a party to any transaction since the beginning of the issuer's last fiscal year, or any currently proposed transaction, where the amount involved exceeds five percent of the aggregate amount of capital raised by the issuer in reliance on Section 4(a)(6) of the Securities Act, during the preceding 12-month period, including this amount? The issuer seeks to raise in the current offering, in which any of the following persons' has or is to have a direct or indirect material interest:

- any director or officer of the issuer;
 - any person who is, as of the most recent practicable date, the beneficial owner of 20 percent, or more of the issuer's outstanding voting equity securities, calculated on the basis of voting power;
 - if the issuer was incorporated or organized within the past three years, any promoter of the issuer;
 - or any immediate family member of any of the foregoing persons.
- ☐ Yes
☒ No

INSTRUCTIONS TO QUESTION 26: The term transaction includes, but is not limited to, any financial transaction, arrangement or relationship (including any indebtedness or guarantee of indebtedness) or any series of similar transactions, arrangements or relationships.

Beneficial ownership for purposes of paragraph (2) shall be determined as if: (a) the date that is no more than 120 days prior to the date of filing of this offering statement and using the same calculation described in Question 5 of this Question and Answer format.

The term "member of the family" includes any child, stepchild, grandchild, parent, stepparent, grandparent, spouse or marital equivalent, sibling, mother-in-law, father-in-law, son-in-law, daughter-in-law, brother-in-law, or sister-in-law of the person, and includes negative relationships. The term "spousal equivalent" means a cohabitant occupying a relationship generally equivalent to that of a spouse.

Compute the amount of a related party's interest in any transaction without regard to the amount of the profit or loss involved in the transaction. Where it is not practicable to state the approximate amount of the interest, disclose the approximate amount involved in the transaction.

FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE ISSUER

27. Does the issuer have an operating history?

- ☒ Yes
☐ No

28. Describe the financial condition of the issuer, including, to the extent material, liquidity, capital resources and historical results of operations.

Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations

You should read the following discussion and analysis of our financial condition and results of operations together with our financial statements and the related notes and other financial information included elsewhere in this offering. Some of the information contained in this discussion and analysis, including information regarding the strategy and plans for our business, includes forward-looking statements that involve risks and uncertainties. You should review the "Risk Factors" section for a discussion of important factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from the results described in or implied by the forward-looking statements contained in the following discussion and analysis.

Overview

Wine from the world's first vineyards, sharing the Legacy of Michael Franzese

Franzese Wine imports premium wines from Armenia—the world's oldest winemaking region. The company sells its branded wines online through direct-to-consumer channels and wholesale distribution, combining ancient traditions with modern craftsmanship. Each bottle embodies Franzese's personal story of transformation and passion for exceptional wine.

Milestones

Franzese Wine LLC was incorporated in the State of California in July 2021.

Since our organization date, we have:

- Unique wine from the World's First Vineyards
- Big online and social media reach with over 2 million followers
- Solid potential exit based on forecast growth in the wine and spirits category (not guaranteed)

Historical Results of Operations

- **Revenues & Gross Margin.** For the period ended December 31, 2024, the Company had revenues of \$991,685 compared to the year ended December 31, 2023, when the Company had revenues of \$472,700. Our gross margin was 33.24% in fiscal year 2024, and 47.81% in 2023.
- **Assets.** As of December 31, 2024, the Company had total assets of \$1,080,207, including \$535,353 in cash. As of December 31, 2023, the Company had \$330,059 in total assets, including \$75,559 in cash.
- **Net Loss.** The Company has had net losses of \$860,449 and net losses of \$368,427 for the fiscal years ended December 31, 2024 and December 31, 2023, respectively.
- **Liabilities.** The Company's liabilities totaled \$2,556,626 for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2024 and \$1,026,564 for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2023.

Liquidity & Capital Resources

To date, the company has been financed with \$1,750,000 in debt, \$443,627 in SAFEs, and \$600,000 in convertibles.

After the conclusion of this Offering, should we not our minimum funding target, our projected runway is 12 months before we need to raise further capital.

We plan to use the proceeds as set forth in this Form C under "Use of Funds". We don't have any other sources of capital in the immediate future.

We will likely require additional financing in excess of the proceeds from the Offering in order to perform operations over the lifetime of the Company. We plan to raise capital in 12 months. Except as otherwise described in this Form C, we do not have additional sources of capital other than the proceeds from the offering. Because of the complexities and uncertainties in establishing a new business strategy, it is not possible to adequately project whether the proceeds of this offering will be sufficient to enable us to implement our strategy. This complexity and uncertainty will be increased if less than the maximum amount of securities offered in this offering is sold. The Company intends to raise additional capital in the future from investors. Although capital may be available for early-stage companies, there is no guarantee that the Company will receive any investments from investors.

Runway & Short/Mid Term Expenses

Franzese Wine LLC cash in hand is \$458,329, as of September 2025. Over the last three months revenues have averaged \$156,403/month, cost of goods sold has averaged \$45,000/month, and operational expenses have averaged \$82,000/month, for an average net margin of \$31,403 per month. We are currently profitable.

Since the date of our financials, the company has become profitable this year and expects to close the year off in profit. We have also reduced expenses by laying off 5 people from the team that were not producing revenue.

In the next 6 months, we expect to do over \$2M in revenue without the need to add additional capital. We expect expenses to be \$400K over the same period.

This year we are expected to close the year profitable, considering this is our 5rd year in business, we are proud of that. We expect to continue profitability from this point on, on an annual basis.

Aside from Webfunder, we have access to line of credits from family and friends, we have been able to survive by bringing in capital as needed. I have also continue investing as money was needed out of pocket to push us through the finish line.

All projections in the above narrative are forward-looking and not guaranteed.

DISCLOSURES TO QUESTION 28: The discussion must cover each year for which financial statements are provided. For issuers with no prior operating history, the discussion should focus on financial milestones and operational, liquidity and other challenges. For issuers with an operating history, the discussion should focus on whether historical trends and cash flows are representative of what investors should expect in the future. Take into account the proceeds of the offering and any other known or pending sources of capital. Discuss how the proceeds from the offering will affect liquidity, whether meeting these funds and any other additional funds is necessary to the viability of the business, and how quickly the issuer anticipates using its available cash, trace to the other available sources of capital to the business, such as lines of credit or required contributions by shareholders. References to the issuer in this Question 28 and these instructions refer to the issuer and its predecessors, if any.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION

29. Include financial statements covering the two most recently completed fiscal years or the period(s) since inception, if shorter.

Refer to [Appendix C, Financial Statements](#).

I, Samuel Hakobyan, certify that:

- (1) the financial statements of Franzese Wine LLC included in this Form are true and complete in all material respects; and
- (2) the financial information of Franzese Wine LLC included in this Form reflects accurately the information reported on the tax return for Franzese Wine LLC filed for the most recently completed fiscal year.

Samuel Hakobyan
CEO

STAKEHOLDER ELIGIBILITY

30. With respect to the issuer, any predecessor of the issuer, any affiliated issuer, any director, officer, general partner or managing member of the issuer, any beneficial owner of 20 percent or more of the issuer's outstanding voting equity securities, any promoter connected with the issuer in any capacity at the time of such sale, any person that has been or will be paid (directly or indirectly) remuneration for solicitation or purchases in connection with such sale of securities, or any general partner, director, officer or managing member of any such solicitor, prior to May 16, 2016:

- i. has any such person been convicted, within 10 years (or five years, in the case of issuers, their predecessors and affiliated issuers) before the filing of this offering statement, of any felony or misdemeanor;
- ii. in connection with the purchase or sale of any security? ☐ Yes ☒ No;
- iii. involving the making of any false filing with the Commission? ☐ Yes ☒ No;
- iv. arising out of the conduct of the business of an underwriter, broker, dealer, municipal

Tax Filings. In order to complete necessary tax filings, the SPV is required to include information about each investor who holds an interest in the SPV, including each investor's taxpayer identification number ("TIN") (e.g., social security number or employer identification number). To the extent they have not, each investor is required to provide its TIN to the SPV no later than the end of the prior of (i) two (2) years of making their investment or (ii) twenty (20) days prior to the date of any distribution from the SPV. If an investor does not provide their TIN within this time, the SPV reserves the right to withhold from any proceeds otherwise payable to the investor an amount necessary for the SPV to satisfy its tax filing obligations. The SPV also reserves the right to require payment of any penalties that may be charged by the IRS or other relevant authority as a result of the investor's failure to provide their TIN. If applicable, the Company may also be required to pay Wafunder certain fees for the preparation of tax filings. The Company's obligations under this section shall be governed by the documents are further specified in the related Tax Services Agreement ("TSA").

Investors should carefully review the terms of the SPV Subscription Agreement for additional information about tax filings.

Potential Dissolution of the SPV. The Company has agreed that it will pay an administrative fee and / or certain tax fees to Vafunder, in addition to delivering required tax information in the manner prescribed by the TSA, where applicable. Failure to pay such fees or provide Vafunder with required tax information could result in the dissolution of the SPV (an "SPV Dissolution Event"). Subsequent to an SPV Dissolution Event, the securities held by the SPV would be distributed directly and proportionally to the individual investors. This could create administrative complexities, as investors would need to manage the securities themselves rather than having them held and administered by the SPV. Additionally, the unplanned distribution of securities may not align with investors' intended investment strategy or asset allocation.

Upon an SPV Dissolution Event, the investor hereby consents to and agrees to accept direct assignment of the SPV's rights and obligations under any investment agreements between the SPV and the Company that is located in the Form C or C/A offering materials. The investor acknowledges they will be bound by all terms and conditions of such agreements as if they were an original party thereto.

INVESTOR REPRESENTATION. *If information is presented to investors in a format, media or other means not able to be reflected in text or printable document format, the issuer should include:*

- a description of the material content of such information;*
- a description of the format in which such disclosure is presented; and*
- in the case of disclosure in video, audio or other dynamic media or format, a transcript or description of such disclosure.*

ONGOING REPORTING

22. The issuer will file a report electronically with the Securities & Exchange Commission annually and post the report on its website no later than:

120 days after the end of each fiscal year covered by the report.

33. Once posted, the annual report may be found on the issuer's website at:
<https://FranzeseWine.com/invest>

The issuer must continue to comply with the ongoing reporting requirements until:

- the issuer is required to file reports under Exchange Act Sections 13(a) or 15(d);
- the issuer has filed at least one annual report and has fewer than 300 holders of record;
- the issuer has filed at least three annual reports and has total assets that do not exceed \$10 million;
- the issuer or another party purchases or repurchases all of the securities issued pursuant to Section 4(a)(5), including any payment in full of debt securities or any complete redemption of redeemable securities; or the issuer liquidates or dissolves in accordance with state law.

APPENDICES

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Signatures

Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute federal criminal violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001.

The issuer certifies that it has established means to keep accurate records of the holders of the securities it would offer and sell through the intermediary's platform.

The following documents will be filed with the SEC:

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Pursuant to the requirements of Sections 4(a)(6) and 4A of the Securities Act of 1933 and Regulation Crowdfunding (§ 227.100 et seq.), the issuer certifies that it has reasonable grounds to believe that it meets all of the requirements for filing on Form C and has duly caused this Form to be signed on its behalf by the duly authorized undersigned.

Franzese Wine LLC

By

Samvel Hakobyan
Co-Founder and CEO

Pursuant to the requirements of Sections 4(a)(6) and 4A of the Securities Act of 1933 and Regulation Crowdfunding (§ 227.100 et seq.), this Form C and Transfer Agent Agreement has been signed by the following persons in the capacities and on the dates indicated.

Samvel Hakobyan
Co-Founder and CEO

The Form C must be signed by the issuer, its principal executive officer or officers, its principal financial officer, its controller or principal accounting officer and at least a majority of the board of directors or persons performing similar functions.

I authorize Wefunder Portal to submit a Form C to the SEC based on the information I provided through this online form and my company's Wefunder profile.

As an authorized representative of the company, I appoint Wefunder Portal as the company's true and lawful representative and attorney-in-fact, in the company's name, place and stead to make, execute, sign, acknowledge, swear to and file a Form C on the company's behalf. This power of attorney is coupled with an interest and is irrevocable. The company hereby waives any and all defenses that may be available to contest, negate or disaffirm the actions of Wefunder Portal taken in good faith under or in reliance upon this power of attorney.