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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* ONTARIO TEACHERS PENSION 2. Date of Event Requiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) 12/09/2016		3. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Athene Holding Ltd [ATH]				
PLAN BOARD			Relationship of Reporting Person((Check all applicable)		5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)	
(Last) 5650 YONGE S	(First) STREET	(Middle)		Officer (give title	10% Owner Other (specify below)	Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting
(Street) TORONTO	A6	M2M 4H5				Person
(City)	(State)	(Zip)				

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)	` ,	3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	l '
Class A Common Shares, \$0.001 par value	5,769,231	I	See Footnote ⁽¹⁾

Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	I I		3. Title and Amount of Securities Un Derivative Security (Instr. 4)	Conversion Exercise		Form: Direct (D) or	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)
	But	F in a file		Amount	Price of Derivative Security	Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	
	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Number of Shares			

Explanation of Responses:

1. The reported securities are owned by 2403304 Ontario Limited ("2403304"), a wholly-owned subsidiary of Ontario Teachers' Pension Plan Board ("OTPP"). Each of Ken Manget and Maggie Fanari may be deemed to have the power to dispose of the shares held by 2403304 because of a delegation of authority from the President and Chief Executive Officer of OTPP to such persons, and because of a delegation of authority to the President and Chief Executive Officer of OTPP from the Board of Directors of each of OTPP and 2403304, and each such person expressly disclaims beneficial ownership of such shares.

/s/ Rossana Di Lieto, Chief Compliance Officer 12/09/2016

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5 (b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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