# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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# **SCHEDULE 14A**

## Proxy Statement Pursuant to Section 14(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

## (Amendment No. )

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# ATHENE HOLDING LTD.

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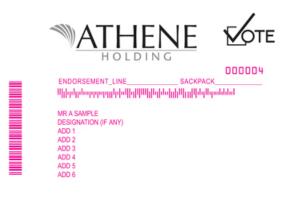
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### Shareholder Meeting Notice

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## Important Notice Regarding the Availability of Proxy Materials for the Athene Holding Ltd. 2019 Annual General Meeting to be Held on June 4, 2019

Under Securities and Exchange Commission rules, you are receiving this notice that the proxy materials for the annual shareholders' meeting are available on the Internet. Follow the instructions below to view the materials and vote online or request a copy. The items to be voted on and location of the annual meeting are on the reverse side. Your vote is important!

This communication presents only an overview of the more complete proxy materials that are available to you on the Internet. We encourage you to access and review all of the important information contained in the proxy materials before voting. The 2019 proxy statement, proxy card and annual report to shareholders are available at:

# www.investorvote.com/ATH



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Go to www.investorvote.com/ATH. Step 1:

- Step 2: Click on the icon on the right to view meeting materials.
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Obtaining a Copy of the Proxy Materials - If you want to receive a copy of the proxy materials, you must request one. There is no charge to you for requesting a copy. Please make your request as instructed on the reverse side on or before May 25, 2019 to facilitate timely delivery.



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### Shareholder Meeting Notice

Athene Holding Ltd.'s (the "Company") Annual General Meeting of Shareholders will be held on June 4, 2019 at The Langham Hotel, 1c Portland Place, Regent Street, London, W1B 1JA, United Kingdom at 8:30 a.m., Greenwich Mean Time.

Proposals to be voted on at the meeting are listed below along with the Board of Directors' recommendations.

#### The Board of Directors recommend a vote FOR the election of all nominees; and FOR Proposals 6-10:

- to elect James Belardi, Matthew Michelini, Brian Leach, Gernot Lohr, and Marc Rowan to serve as a Class I director of the Company until the 2022 annual general meeting of the Company; Scott Kleinman to serve as a Class II director of the Company until the 2020 annual general meeting of the Company; and Mitra Hormozi to serve as a Class III director of the Company until the 2021 annual general meeting of the Company;
- to authorize the election by the Company of James Belardi, Robert Borden, Frank L. Gillis, Gernot Lohr, Hope Taitz and William J. Wheeler to be directors of Athene Life Re Ltd. ("ALRe") to serve until the 2020 annual general meeting of the Company or such other period of time as permitted by ALRe's constituent documents;
- to authorize the election by the Company of Natasha S. Courcy, Frank L. Gillis and William J. Wheeler to be directors of Athene Bermuda Employee Company Ltd. ("ABEC") to serve until the 2020 annual general meeting of the Company or such other period of time as permitted by ABEC's constituent documents;
- to authorize the election by the Company of Natasha S. Courcy, Frank L. Gillis and William J. Wheeler to be directors of Athene IP Holding Ltd. ("AIPH") to serve until the 2020 annual general meeting of the Company or such other period of time as permitted by AIPH's constituent documents;
- to authorize the election by the Company of Natasha S. Courcy and William J. Wheeler to be directors of Athene IP Development Ltd. ("AIPD") to serve until the 2020 annual general meeting of the Company or such other period of time as permitted by AIPD's constituent documents;
- to appoint PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP ("PwC"), an independent registered accounting firm, as the Company's independent auditor to serve until the close of the Company's next annual general meeting in 2020;
- 7. to refer the determination of the remuneration of PwC to the Audit Committee of the Board of Directors of the Company;
- 8. to vote on a non-binding advisory resolution to approve the compensation paid to the Company's named executive officers;
- 9. to approve the Twelfth Amended and Restated Bye-laws of the Company; and
- 10. to approve the Company's 2019 Share Incentive Plan.

Visit http://www.langhamhotels.com/en/the-langham/london/overview/location/ for directions to the Athene Holding Ltd. 2019 Annual General Meeting.

PLEASE NOTE - YOU CANNOT VOTE BY RETURNING THIS NOTICE. To vote your shares you must go online or request a paper copy of the proxy materials to receive a proxy card. If you wish to attend and vote at the meeting, please bring this notice with you.

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- Internet Go to www.investorvote.com/ATH.
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