UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

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

Date of report (Date of earliest event reported): March 15, 2017

ATHENE HOLDING LTD.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Bermuda

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

001-37963

(Commission file number)

98-0630022

(I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

96 Pitts Bay Road Pembroke, HM08, Bermuda

(Address of principal executive offices and zip code)

(441) 279-8400

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On March 15, 2017, Athene Holding Ltd. (the "Company") issued a press release to announce its financial results for the three months and year ended December 31, 2016. A copy of the press release containing this information is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 hereto and is incorporated by reference in this Item 2.02. The Company's financial supplement for the fourth quarter ended December 31, 2016 is attached as Exhibit 99.2 hereto and is incorporated by reference in this Item 2.02.

The foregoing information, including the Exhibits referenced in this Item 2.02, is being furnished pursuant to this Item 2.02 and shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

- 99.1 Press release of Athene Holding Ltd., dated March 15, 2017 (furnished and not filed).
- 99.2 Quarterly Financial Supplement for Athene Holding Ltd. for fourth quarter 2016 (furnished and not filed).

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be	rsuant to the requirements 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.						
	ATHENE HOLDING LTD.						
Date: March 15, 2017	/s/ Martin P. Klein						
	Martin P. Klein						
	Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer						

EXHIBIT INDEX

Exhibit No.	<u>Description</u>
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News Release

ATHENE HOLDING LTD. REPORTS FOURTH QUARTER AND FULL YEAR 2016 RESULTS

Q4 net income increased 52% year-over-year to \$368 million
Q4 operating income, net of tax increased 16% year-over-year to \$284 million
Q4 ROE of 21.0%, Q4 Retirement Services operating ROE ex. AOCI of 21.8%
Q4 new deposits up 42% to \$1.8 billion and record full-year deposits up 127% to \$8.8 billion
Q4 Retirement Services investment margin of 2.96%, up 37 basis points year over year

PEMBROKE, Bermuda - March 15, 2017 - Athene Holding Ltd. (NYSE: ATH), a leading provider of retirement savings products, today announced financial results for the fourth quarter and full year 2016.

Net income for the fourth quarter 2016 was \$368 million, or \$1.80 per diluted Class A share ("diluted share"), compared to net income in the fourth quarter 2015 of \$242 million, or \$1.30 per diluted share. Net income for the full year 2016 was \$805 million, or \$4.21 per diluted share, compared to net income for the full year 2015 of \$562 million, or \$3.21 per diluted share.

Operating income, net of tax for the fourth quarter 2016 was \$284 million, or \$1.46 per operating diluted Class A share ("operating diluted share"), compared to operating income, net of tax for the fourth quarter 2015 of \$244 million, or \$1.32 per operating diluted share. Operating income, net of tax for the full year 2016 was \$760 million, or \$3.93 per operating diluted share, compared to operating income, net of tax for the full year 2015 of \$740 million, or \$4.23 per operating diluted share. Operating income, net of tax excluding the unlocking of assumptions and the deferred tax valuation allowance release for the full year 2016 was \$805 million, compared to \$718 million in 2015.

"In the fourth quarter and for the full year we generated very strong organic growth and significantly increased our investment margin, which drove year-over-year growth in operating income, net income and shareholders' equity. At year end, we had high risk-based capital ratios, more than \$1.5 billion of excess equity capital and no financial leverage," said Jim Belardi, CEO of Athene Holding Ltd.

"2016 was an important and exciting year for our company as we set the stage for long-term strategic growth. In addition, on December 9th, Athene began trading as a public company -- one of the most important milestones in our company's history," Mr. Belardi continued.

"In the first quarter of 2017, we issued \$650 million of funding agreement backed notes (FABNs) - our most successful issuance to date - and we expect demand will continue for this product. This year we will build on our momentum, continuing to expand and diversify our product portfolio, which in combination with our differentiated business model, strong balance sheet and substantial excess capital, positions us well to continue to create significant shareholder value."

Other Highlights1

- Full year 2016 Retirement Services investment margin of 2.77%, up 32 basis points year-over-year
- Full year 2016 Retirement Services operating income, net of tax up 14% excluding unlocking and deferred tax valuation allowance release
- Full year 2016 ROE of 13.1%, full year 2016 Retirement Services operating ROE ex. AOCI of 19.1%
- 2016 U.S. RBC of 478%
- 2016 ALRe BSCR of 228%² and RBC of 529%³
- December 31, 2016 Athene shareholders' equity increased 29% year-over-year to \$6.9 billion and Athene shareholders' equity ex. AOCI increased 17% year-over-year to \$6.5 billion
- Ranked #3 carrier in fixed indexed annuity sales year-to-date through September 30, 2016 ⁴, ranked #2 carrier in fixed indexed annuity sales for the third quarter 2016⁴
- In December, began trading on the NYSE under the stock symbol "ATH"; market capitalization of approximately \$10
- · In the first guarter of 2017, issued \$650 million of funding agreements
- Athene and Apollo have agreed, subject to shareholder approval, to implement a new fee framework, which is expected to reduce investment
 management fees in support of further prudent growth
- ¹ This news release references certain Non-GAAP measures. See Non-GAAP Measures for additional discussion.
- Effective January 1, 2016, in connection with the implementation of its broader regulatory regime, the BMA integrated the EBS framework into the determination of BSCR. The European Commission has granted the BMA's regulatory regime for reinsurance, group solvency calculation and group supervision full equivalence to Solvency II. Under the EBS framework, ALRe's assets are recorded at market value and its insurance reserves are determined by reference to nine prescribed scenarios, with the scenario resulting in the highest reserve balance required to be selected. This ratio is not comparable to prior year end BSCR ratios given the change in the solvency regime; however, consistent with the previous regime the minimum required capital ratio to be considered solvent by the BMA is 100%.
- 3 ALRe RBC ratio, which is used in evaluating our capital position and the amount of capital needed to support our segment, is calculated by applying the NAIC RBC factors to our Bermuda capital.
- ⁴Rankings as of 9/30/16 per LIMRA. ⁵ As of March 9, 2017

Fourth Quarter Results

Net income for the fourth quarter increased by \$126 million, or 52%, over the prior year fourth quarter. The increase was driven primarily by a \$40 million increase in operating income, net of tax and a favorable net change in FIA derivatives due to an increase in discount rates in the fourth quarter.

Operating income, net of tax for the fourth quarter increased by \$40 million, or 16%, over the prior year fourth quarter, driven by higher income from our fixed, other and alternative investments and higher earnings from our German business. This was partially offset by higher liability costs driven by an increase in rider reserve movements due to growth and higher than expected persistency. Additionally, the fourth quarter of 2015 benefited from favorable mortality gains and a deferred tax valuation allowance release.

Full-Year Results

Net income for the full year 2016 increased by \$243 million, or 43%, over the prior year. The increase was driven by a \$20 million increase in operating income, net of tax, a favorable net change in FIA derivatives due to equity market performance and a favorable change in assumed reinsurance embedded derivatives related to credit spreads tightening.

Operating income, net of tax for the full year 2016 increased by \$20 million, or 3% over the prior year. The increase in operating income, net of tax was primarily driven by favorable fixed, other and alternative investment income as well as the release of a deferred tax valuation allowance. The increase in investment income was driven by growth in invested assets, reflecting strong growth in deposits, the reinvestment of Aviva acquired investments and higher bond call income. Partially offsetting was an increase in liability costs due to our annual unlocking of assumptions, an increase in rider reserve movements due to growth and higher than expected persistency, an increase in amortization driven by higher gross profits and continued growth, and a decline in the market value of

public equity positions in one of our funds. For the full year, operating income, net of tax excluding the impact of unlocking and the release of a deferred tax valuation allowance, was up 12% over prior year.

Deposit Highlights

In 2016, we entered new markets, launched new products and added a new reinsurance partner. In the fourth quarter of 2016, we had retail sales and new flow reinsurance deposits of \$1.8 billion, an increase of 42%, compared to prior year. For the full year, we generated record new deposits of \$8.8 billion, an increase of 127% from the prior year.

Retail Sales: Retail annuity sales increased to approximately \$1.5 billion in the fourth quarter. For the full year, we generated new deposits of \$5.3 billion, up 114%, over the prior year. Athene is one of the top three writers of fixed indexed annuities, based on currently available data. New deposit growth was driven by a strong response to our competitive income rider option on Ascent Pro, and the reintroduction of MYGA products. These new products target large segments of the market where our participation has been historically low. We also introduced product variations targeted to financial institutions which allowed us to expand into that distribution channel for the first time.

Flow Reinsurance: Flow reinsurance deposits were \$348 million in the fourth quarter. For the full year, we generated record new deposits of \$3.5 billion, up 205%, over the prior year period. This strong growth reflects increased flow reinsurance with our current partners especially in the MYGA market.

Selected Results

	Three months ended December 31,				Years ended December 31,			
(In millions, except percentages and share data)		2016		2015		2016		2015
Deposits	\$	1,840	\$	1,295	\$	8,758	\$	3,859
Investments, including related parties						72,433		64,525
Invested assets						71,834		66,959
Debt to equity						-%		-%
Book value per share					\$	35.91	\$	28.81
Book value per share, ex. AOCI					\$	33.29	\$	30.09
Common shares outstanding ²						192.3		186.1
Operating diluted Class A common shares outstanding ³						196.4		186.1
Total AHL shareholders' equity						6,905		5,362
Total AHL shareholders' equity excluding AOCI						6,538		5,599
ROE		21.0%		17.8%		13.1 %		11.3%
ROE ex. AOCI		23.2%		17.7 %		13.3 %		11.8%
Operating ROE ex. AOCI		17.9%		17.9%		12.5%		15.6%
Retirement Services								
Operating income, net of tax	\$	246	\$	256	\$	809	\$	769
Operating ROE ex. AOCI		21.8%		26.8 %		19.1 %		22.7 %
Investment margin on deferred annuities		2.96%		2.59%		2.77 %		2.45%

¹Book value per share, ex AOCI is calculated as the ending AHL shareholders' equity excluding AOCI divided by the operating diluted Class A common shares outstanding.

¹⁸⁰⁰x Value per share, ex AUCI is calculated as the ending AHL shareholders' equity excluding AUCI divided by the operating diluted Class A common shares outstanding.

2Represents common shares outstanding for all classes eligible to participate in dividends for seach period presented. Utilized for the book value per share calculation.

3Operating diluted Class A common shares outstanding assume conversion or settlement of all outstanding items that are able to be converted to or settled in Class A common shares, including the impacts of Class B common shares outstanding on a one-for-one basis, the impacts of all Class M common shares outstanding net of the conversion price and any other stock-based awards outstanding. Our Class B common shares are exonomically equivalent to Class A common shares and can be converted to Class A common shares on a 1-for-1 basis at any time. Our Class M common shares are in the legal form of shares but economically function as options as they are convertible into Class A shares after vesting and settlement of the conversion price. We believe this non-GAAP measure is an appropriate economic representation of our share counts for use in an economic view of book value metrics.

	Three months en	ded D	ecember 31,	Years ended	Dece	mber 31,
(In millions, except share data)	 2016		2015	2016		2015
Operating income, net of tax by segment	 					
Retirement Services	\$ 246	\$	256	\$ 809	\$	769
Corporate and Other	38		(12)	(49)		(29)
Operating income, net of tax	284		244	760		740
Investment gains (losses), net of offsets	(50)		(36)	47		(56)
Change in fair values of derivatives and embedded derivatives - FIAs, net of offsets	179		65	97		(27)
Integration, restructuring and other non-operating expenses	(14)		(27)	(22)		(58)
Stock compensation expense	(20)		(16)	(79)		(67)
Income tax (expense) benefit - non-operating	(11)		12	2		30
Total non-operating adjustments	84		(2)	45		(178)
Net income available to AHL shareholders	\$ 368	\$	242	\$ 805	\$	562
Earnings per share - basic ¹	\$ 1.94	\$	1.30	\$ 4.31	\$	3.21
Earnings per share - diluted Class &	\$ 1.80	\$	1.30	\$ 4.21	\$	3.21
Operating earnings per share - operating diluted Class A	\$ 1.46	\$	1.32	\$ 3.93	\$	4.23
Weighted average shares outstanding - basic ¹	189.2		185.9	186.8		175.1
Weighted average shares outstanding - diluted Class A ²	63.9		50.0	53.5		41.3
Weighted average shares outstanding - operating diluted Class A ³	194.2		186.0	193.4		175.2

Basic earnings per share, including basic weighted average shares outstanding includes all classes eligible to participate in dividends for each period presented. ²Diluted earnings per share on a GAAP basis for Class A common shares, including diluted Class A weighted average shares outstanding, includes the dilutive impacts, if any, of Class B common shares, Class M common shares and any other stock-based awards. Based on allocated net income of \$115 million (21%) olithed to Class A common shares for the years ended December 31, 2016 and 2015, respectively, and allocated net income of \$225 million (28%) and \$132 million (28%) to diluted Class A common shares for the years ended December 31, 2016 and 2015, respectively, and allocated net income of \$225 million (28%) and \$132 million (28%) to diluted Class A common shares or the years ended December 31, 2016 and 2015, respectively, and allocated net income of \$225 million (28%) and \$132 million (28%) to diluted Class A common shares on ended December 31, 2016 and 2015, respectively, and allocated net income of \$225 million (28%) and \$132 million (28%) to diluted Class A common shares on ended December 31, 2016 and 2015, respectively, and allocated net income of \$225 million (28%) and \$132 million (28%) to diluted 28% and \$285 million (28%) to diluted average shares outstanding - operating diluted Class A sames conversion or settlement of all outstanding - operating diluted Class A common shares and on other stock-based awards. Our Class B common shares are economically equivalent to Class A common shares and any other stock-based awards. Our Class B common shares are economically function as options as they are convertible into Class A shares after vesting and settlement of the conversion price. In calculating Class A diluted earnings per share on a GAAP basis, we are required to apply sequencing rules to determine the dilutive impacts, if any, of our Class B common shares, class M common shares and/or any other stock-based awards. To the extent our Class B co

	Years ended December 31,								
(In millions)		2016				2015			
	Retiren	nent Services		Consolidated	Retiren	nent Services		Consolidated	
Operating income, net of tax	\$	809	\$	760	\$	769	\$	740	
Unlocking		158		158		(24)		(24)	
Deferred tax valuation allowance release		(102)		(102)				_	
Total adjustments		56		56		(24)		(24)	
Income tax (expense) benefit		(11)		(11)		2		2	
Operating income, net of tax - ex. unlocking and tax adjustments	\$	854	\$	805	\$	747	\$	718	

Segment Results

Retirement Services

Q4 Results

In the fourth quarter, our Retirement Services segment generated an operating ROE excluding AOCI of 21.8% and operating income, net of tax of \$246 million, as compared to \$256 million in the prior year. Operating income, net of tax was driven by strong fixed, other and alternative investment income. Higher investment income was a result of growth in invested assets, higher credit fund income and a favorable increase in the fair value of two of the segment's investment funds. The increase in fair value reflected the removal of liquidity discounts related to marketability assumptions used in the determination of the fair value of certain of the investments, resulting in \$28 million of investment income in 2016 compared to \$3 million in 2015. The increase was somewhat offset by higher liability costs primarily driven by an increase in rider reserve movements due to growth and higher than expected persistency. Additionally, the fourth quarter of 2015 benefited from favorable mortality gains of \$26 million and a \$20 million favorable deferred tax valuation allowance release.

Investment margin, which is a key measurement of the health of our core spread business, continues to show strength and momentum. In the fourth quarter, our Retirement Services investment margin on deferred annuities was 2.96%, an increase of 37 basis points over the prior period, including 17 basis points, compared to 2 basis points in prior year, related to the removal of liquidity discounts regarding certain investments mentioned earlier.

Our net investment earned rate was 4.91%, an increase of 38 basis points from the fourth quarter 2015. Our cost of crediting on deferred annuities was 1.95% as compared to 1.94% in the prior year.

Full-Year Results

For the full year 2016, our Retirement Services segment operating income, net of tax was \$809 million, as compared to \$769 million in the prior year; excluding the unlocking and the deferred tax valuation allowance release, operating income was \$107 million, or 14%, higher than prior year, resulting in an ROE excluding AOCI of 20.2%.

The increase in operating income, net of tax was primarily driven by favorable investment income and the release of a deferred tax valuation allowance of \$102 million. The increase in fixed and other investment income was driven by growth in invested assets reflecting strong growth in deposits, the reinvestment of Aviva acquired investments, and \$58 million in bond call income related to two large redemptions in the first and second quarters of 2016. Alternative investment income increased primarily driven by higher credit fund income due to credit spreads tightening in 2016 compared to credit spreads widening in 2015 and a favorable increase in the fair value of two of the segment's investment funds. The increase in fair value reflected the removal of liquidity discounts related to marketability assumptions used in the determination of the fair value of certain of the investments, resulting in \$52 million of investment income in 2016 compared to \$11 million in 2015.

Partially offsetting the increase were higher liability costs primarily driven by our annual unlocking of assumptions of \$158 million, an increase in rider reserve movements due to growth and higher than expected persistency, an increase in amortization driven by higher gross profits and growth as well as increased operating expenses as we invest in our growth initiatives.

For the full year 2016, our Retirement Services investment margin on deferred annuities was 2.77%, an increase of 32 basis points over the prior period, which includes 8 basis points of bond call income related to two large redemptions and 8 basis points related to the removal of liquidity discounts for certain investments, as compared to 2 basis points in the prior year.

Our net investment earned rate was 4.73%, an increase of 36 basis points from the prior year. Our cost of crediting on deferred annuities was 1.96% as compared to 1.92% in the prior year.

Corporate Segment

Q4 Results

For the fourth quarter of 2016, Corporate and Other operating income, net of tax was \$38 million, an increase of \$50 million over prior year fourth quarter. The increase was largely driven by strong alternative investment income as a result of credit spreads tightening. Additionally, Germany's operating income, net of tax increased \$10 million over the prior year, driven primarily by the release of a deferred tax valuation allowance of \$7 million.

Full-Year Results

For the full year 2016, Corporate and Other generated an operating loss, net of tax of \$49 million, as compared to a loss of \$29 million in the prior year. The increase in operating loss was primarily driven by the decline in market value of public equity positions in one of our funds. This was partially offset by higher credit fund income as a result of credit spreads tightening in 2016 compared to credit spreads widening in 2015 and a \$19 million favorable increase due to the removal of liquidity discounts for certain investments.

Reduction of Investment Management Fees

In support of our efforts to achieve profitable growth, we have agreed with Apollo to reduce investment management fees and revise sub-advisory fees, contingent upon approval of certain related changes to our bye-laws by our shareholders. Upon approval, the new investment management fee structure will be retroactive to January 1, 2017 and will continue until otherwise amended.

We currently hold more than \$1.5 billion of excess capital, which we expect to use to opportunistically capture incremental growth opportunities while maintaining our underwriting discipline to generate attractive returns for shareholders. The new fee framework results in a lower level of fees for us as we continue to expand our business, and incentivizes both AAM and Apollo to make long-term investments in their capabilities and infrastructure to support our growth.

Currently, we generally pay investment management fees of 40 basis points per year on North American assets, subject to certain rebate agreements. Under the new arrangement, we would pay investment management fees of 40 basis points per year for assets under management up to \$65.8 billion and 30 basis points per year for assets in excess of that. The discount on organic deposits generated in 2016 above \$5.1 billion will remain in place.

The fee changes were approved by our conflicts committee, while the bye-law amendment recommendation was approved by all of our independent directors, with the changes to the fee framework being conditional on approval by our shareholders of the bye-law amendments.

Conference Call Information

This press release and the fourth quarter and full-year 2016 financial supplement will be posted to the Company's website at ir.athene.com

Athene will conduct a conference call on Thursday, March 16, 2017 at 10:00 a.m. ET to discuss the fourth quarter and full year 2016 results. Additionally, the company will post an earnings presentation deck on the ir.athene.com website prior to market open on March 16, 2017.

- Live conference call: Toll-free at 1-888-317-6003 (domestic) or 1-412-317-6061 (international)
- Participant entry number: 7086531
- Replay available through March 30, 2017 at 1-877-344-7529 (domestic) or 1-412-317-0088 (international)
- Replay access code: 10101316
- Live and archived webcast available at

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About Athene Holding Ltd.

Athene, through its subsidiaries, is a leading retirement services company that issues, reinsures and acquires retirement savings products designed for the increasing number of individuals and institutions seeking to fund retirement needs. The products offered by Athene include:

- Retail fixed and fixed indexed annuity products;
- · Co-insurance and reinsurance arrangements with third-party annuity providers; and
- Institutional products, such as funding agreements.

Athene's principal subsidiaries include Athene Annuity & Life Assurance Company, a Delaware-domiciled insurance company, Athene Annuity and Life Company, an Iowa-domiciled insurance company, Athene Annuity & Life Assurance Company of New York and Athene Life Insurance Company of New York, New York-domiciled insurance companies, Athene Life Re Ltd., a Bermuda-domiciled reinsurer and Athene Lebensversicherung AG, a German-based life insurance company.

Further information about our companies can be found at www.athene.com.

Non-GAAP Measures

In addition to our results presented in accordance with GAAP, our results of operations include certain non-GAAP measures commonly used in our industry. Management believes the use of these non-GAAP measures, together with the relevant GAAP measures, provides a better understanding of our results of operations and the underlying profitability drivers of our business. The majority of these non-GAAP measures are intended to remove from the results of operations the impact of market volatility (other than with respect to alternative investments) as well as integration, restructuring and certain other expenses which are not part of our underlying profitability drivers or likely to re-occur in the foreseeable future, as such items fluctuate from period-to-period in a manner inconsistent with these drivers. These measures should be considered supplementary to our results in accordance with GAAP and should not be viewed as a substitute for the GAAP measures. See Non-GAAP Measure Reconciliations for the appropriate reconciliations to the GAAP measures.

Operating income, net of tax, a commonly used operating measure in the life insurance industry, is a non-GAAP measure used to evaluate our financial performance excluding market volatility and expenses related to integration, restructuring, stock compensation, and other expenses. Our operating income, net of tax, equals net income available to AHL's shareholders adjusted to eliminate the impact of the following (collectively, the "non-operating adjustments"):

- Investment Gains (Losses), Net of Officets
- · Change in Fair Values of Derivatives and Embedded Derivatives FIAs, Net of Offsets
- Integration, Restructuring, and Other Non-operating Expenses
- Stock Compensation Expense
- Bargain Purchase
 - Gain
- Income Tax (Expense) Benefit Nonoperating

We consider these non-operating adjustments to be meaningful adjustments to net income available to AHL's shareholders and we believe using a measure which excludes the impact of these items is effective in analyzing the trends in our results of operations. Together with net income available to AHL's shareholders, we believe operating income, net of tax, provides a meaningful financial metric that helps investors understand our underlying results and profitability. Operating income, net of tax, should not be used as a substitute for net income available to AHL's shareholders.

ROE excluding AOCI and operating ROE excluding AOCI are non-GAAP measures used to evaluate our financial performance excluding the impacts of AOCI. AOCI fluctuates period-to-period in a manner inconsistent with our

underlying profitability drivers as the majority of such fluctuation is related to the market volatility of the unrealized gains and losses associated with our AFS securities. Once we have reinvested acquired blocks of businesses, we typically buy and hold AFS investments to maturity throughout the duration of market fluctuations. Therefore, the period-over-period impacts in unrealized gains and losses are not necessarily indicative of current operating fundamentals or future performance. Accordingly, we believe using measures which exclude AOCI is more effective in analyzing the trends of our operations. To enhance the ability to analyze these measures across periods, interim periods are annualized. ROE excluding AOCI and operating ROE excluding AOCI should not be used as a substitute for ROE. However, we believe the adjustments to equity are significant to gaining an understanding of our overall results of operations.

Operating earnings per share - operating diluted Class A, weighted average shares outstanding - operating diluted Class A common shares and book value per share excluding AOCI are non-GAAP measures used to evaluate our financial performance and financial condition. The non-GAAP measures adjust the number of shares included in the corresponding GAAP measures to reflect the conversion or settlement of all shares and other stock-based awards outstanding. We believe using these measures represent an economic view of our share counts and provide a simplified and consistent view of our outstanding shares. Operating earnings per share - operating diluted Class A is calculated as the operating income, net of tax over the weighted average shares outstanding operating diluted Class A common shares. Book value per share excluding AOCI is calculated as the ending AHL shareholders' equity excluding AOCI divided by the operating diluted Class A common shares outstanding. Our Class B common shares are economically equivalent to Class A common shares and can be converted to Class A common shares on a one-for-one basis at any time. Our Class M common shares are in the legal form of shares but economically function as options as they are convertible into Class A shares after vesting and settlement of the conversion price. In calculating Class A diluted earnings per share on a GAAP basis, we are required to apply sequencing rules to determine the dilutive impacts, if any, of our Class B common shares, Class M common shares and any other stock-based awards. To the extent our Class B common shares, Class M common shares and/or any other stock-based awards are not dilutive they are excluded. Weighted average shares outstanding - operating diluted Class A common shares and operating diluted Class A common shares outstanding assume conversion or settlement of all outstanding items that are able to be converted to or settled in Class A common shares, including the impacts of Class B common shares on a one-for-one basis, the impacts of all Class M common shares net of the conversion price and any other stock-based awards. For December 31, 2015 and prior, Class M shares were not included due to issuance restrictions which were contingent upon our IPO. Operating earnings per share - operating diluted Class A, weighted average shares outstanding - operating diluted Class A common shares and book value per share excluding AOCI should not be used as a substitute for basic earnings per share - Class A common shares, basic weighted average shares outstanding - Class A or book value per share. However, we believe the adjustments to the shares and equity are significant to gaining an understanding of our overall results of operations and financial condition.

Weighted Average Share Count - Dividend Eligible										
Q4'16 FY'16										
	(mm shares)	% total	(mm shares)	% total						
Class A	58.3	31%	52.1	28%						
Class B	130.0	69%	134.5	72%						
Class M-1	0.9	—%	0.2	—%						
Total	189.2	100%	186.8	100%						

Weighted Average Shares Outstanding - diluted Class A										
Q4'16 FY'16										
	(mm shares)	% total	(mm shares)	% total						
Class A	58.3	91%	52.1	97%						
Dilutive effect of Class M and other stock compensation plans	5.6	9%	1.4	3%						
Total	63.9	100%	53.5	100%						

Metric	Q4'16	FY'16	Description
Net Income	\$368	\$805	
Weighted Avg. Shares Outstanding – Basic	189.2	186.8	Per GAAP, only shares that are eligible for dividends currently should be included in basic EPS. This includes the sum of basic weighted average shares for Class A, B, and M1 and excludes Class M2, M3 and M4 shares. Class M shares are only eligible to receive dividends if ROI condition has been satisfied. As of 12/31, only Class M-1 shares had satisfied the condition.
Earnings per Share - Basic	\$1.94	\$4.31	
Allocated Net Income to diluted Class A shares	\$115	\$225	Allocated net income to diluted Class A shares was 31% of total net income in Q4 and 28% in 2016.
Weighted Avg. Shares Outstanding – diluted Class A		53.5	Per GAAP, to calculate earnings per diluted Class A share we use Class A shares and equity instruments convertible into Class A shares that are considered dilutive. As of 12/31, for the quarter and full year, dilutive securities included Class M1, M2, M3 and M4 shares as well as certain LTIP incentive awards. As of 12/31, for the quarter and full year, the Class B shares are excluded from the calculation as they are considered anti-dilutive. Per GAAP, we allocate a portion of total net income to each class of shares eligible to receive dividends (see table above). Each Class A and B share is eligible to receive dividends. Class M shares are only eligible to receive dividends to the extent that an ROI condition has been satisfied. As of 12/31, that condition had been satisfied for only the Class M-1 shares. The net income allocated to each class is based on their respective basic weighted average share count in relation to the total basic weighted average share count of dividend eligible classes outstanding (see table). Additionally, on a diluted basis for Class A, the allocated net income is adjusted to reflect the inclusion of any equity instruments convertible into Class A shares and considered dilutive. For example, for 2016 Class A shares received 28% of \$805M or \$225M, which when divided by the 53.5M diluted weighted average shares results in diluted EPS of \$4.21/share. The reason why Class B's are anti-dilutive is that the Class B EPS is \$4.31 and as the marginal impact of \$4.31 is greater than the diluted A value of \$4.21, adding B's to the calculation would result in an increase to EPS.
Earnings per Share – Diluted Class A	\$1.80	\$4.21	
Operating Income, net of tax	\$284	\$760	
Weighted Avg. Shares Outstanding – operating diluted Class A	194.2	193.4	A non-GAAP method for calculating weighted average share count which assumes conversion or settlement of all outstanding items that are able to be converted to or settled into Class A shares, including the weighted average of all Class B and M shares and all other stock awards on a net basis assuming settlement at the conversion price.
Operating earnings per share, operating diluted Class A	\$1.46	\$3.93	

Investment margin is a key measurement of the financial health of our Retirement Services core deferred annuities. Investment margin on our deferred annuities is generated from the excess of our net investment earned rate over the cost of crediting to our policyholders. Net investment earned rate is a key measure of investment returns and cost of crediting is a key measure of the policyholder benefits on our deferred annuities. Net investment earned rate, cost of crediting and investment margin on deferred annuities are non-GAAP measures we use to evaluate the profitability of our core deferred annuities business. We believe measures like net investment earned rate, cost of crediting and investment margin on deferred annuities are effective in analyzing the trends of our core business operations, profitability and pricing discipline. While we believe net investment earned rate, cost of crediting and investment margin on deferred annuities are meaningful financial metrics and enhance our understanding of the underlying profitability drivers of our business, they should not be used as a substitute for net investment income and interest sensitive contract benefits presented under GAAP.

• Net investment earned rate is a non-GAAP measure we use to evaluate the performance of our invested assets that does not correspond to GAAP net investment income. Net investment earned rate is computed as the income from our invested assets divided by the average invested assets for the relevant period. To enhance the ability to analyze these measures across periods, interim periods are annualized. The adjustments to arrive at our net investment earned rate add alternative investment gains and losses, gains and losses related to trading securities for CLOs, net VIE impacts (revenues, expenses and noncontrolling interest) and the change in reinsurance embedded derivatives. We include the income and assets supporting our assumed reinsurance by evaluating the underlying investments of the funds withheld at interest receivables and we include the net investment income from those underlying investments which does not correspond to the GAAP presentation of reinsurance embedded derivatives. We exclude the income and assets supporting business that we have exited through ceded reinsurance including funds

- withheld agreements. We believe the adjustments for reinsurance provide a net investment earned rate on the assets for which we have economic
- Cost of crediting is the interest credited to the policyholders on our fixed strategies as well as the option costs on the index annuity strategies. With respect to FIAs, the cost of providing index credits includes the expenses incurred to fund the annual index credits, and where applicable, minimum guaranteed interest credited. The interest credited on fixed strategies and option costs on index annuity strategies are divided by the average account value of our deferred annuities. Under GAAP, deposits and withdrawals for fixed indexed and fixed rate annuities are reported as deposit liabilities (or policyholder funds). Our average account values are averaged over the number of quarters in the relevant period to obtain our cost of crediting for such period. To enhance the ability to analyze these measures across periods, interim periods are annualized.

In managing our business we analyze invested assets, which do not correspond to total investments, including investments in related parties, as disclosed in our consolidated financial statements and notes thereto. Invested assets represent the investments that directly back our policyholder liabilities as well as surplus assets. Invested assets is used in the computation of net investment earned rate, which allows us to analyze the profitability of our investment portfolio. Invested assets includes (a) total investments on the consolidated balance sheets with AFS securities at cost or amortized cost, excluding derivatives, (b) cash and cash equivalents and restricted cash, (c) investments in related parties, (d) accrued investment income, (e) the consolidated VIE assets, liabilities and noncontrolling interest and (f) policy loans ceded (which offset the direct policy loans in total investments). Invested assets also excludes assets associated with funds withheld liabilities related to business exited through reinsurance agreements and derivative collateral (offsetting the related cash positions). We include the underlying investments supporting our assumed funds withheld and modco agreements in our invested assets calculation in order to match the assets with the income received. We believe the adjustments for reinsurance provide a view of the assets for which we have economic exposure. Our invested assets are averaged over the number of quarters in the relevant period to compute our net investment earned rate for such period.

Sales statistics do not correspond to revenues under GAAP, but are used as relevant measures of understanding our business performance. Our sales statistics include fixed rate annuities and FIAs and align with the LIMRA definition of all money paid into an individual annuity, including money paid into new contracts with initial purchase occurring in the specified period and existing contracts with initial purchase occurring prior to the specified period (excluding internal transfers).

Forward Looking Statements

This press release contains, and certain oral statements made by our representatives from time to time may contain, forward-looking statements within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Such statements are subject to risks and uncertainties that could cause actual results, events and developments to differ materially from those set forth in, or implied by, such statements. These statements are based on the beliefs and assumptions of AHL's management and the management of AHL's subsidiaries. Generally, forward-looking statements include actions, events, results, strategies and expectations and are often identifiable by use of the words "believes," "expects," "intends," "anticipates," "plans," "seeks," "estimates," "projects," "may," "will," "could," "might," or "continues" or similar expressions. Factors that could cause actual results, events and developments to differ include, without limitation: the accuracy of our assumptions and estimates; our ability to maintain or improve financial strength ratings; our ability to manage our business in a highly regulated industry; regulatory changes or actions; the impact of our reinsurers failing to meet their assumed obligations; the impact of interest rate fluctuations; changes in the federal income tax laws and regulations; litigation (including class action litigation), enforcement investigations or regulatory scrutiny; the performance of third parties; the loss of key personnel; telecommunication, information technology and other operational systems failures; the continued availability of capital; new accounting rules or changes to existing accounting rules; general economic conditions; our ability to protect our intellectual property; the ability to maintain or obtain approval of the Delaware Department of Insurance, the lowa Insurance Division and other regulatory authorities as required for our operations; and other factors discussed from time to time in AHL's filings with the SEC, including our Registration Statement on Form S-1

All forward-looking statements described herein are qualified by these cautionary statements and there can be no assurance that the actual results, events or developments referenced herein will occur or be realized. We do not undertake any obligation to update or revise forward-looking statements to reflect changed assumptions, the occurrence of unanticipated events or changes to future operation results.

	Dece	ember 31,
(In millions)	2016	2015
Assets		-
Investments		
Available-for-sale securities, at fair value		
Fixed maturity securities	\$ 52,033	\$ 47,816
Equity securities	353	407
Trading securities, at fair value	2,581	2,468
Mortgage loans, net of allowances	5,470	5,500
Investment funds	689	733
Policy loans	602	642
Funds withheld at interest	6,538	3,482
Derivative assets	1,370	871
Real estate	542	566
Short-term investments, at fair value	189	135
Other investments	81	83
Total investments	70,448	62,703
Cash and cash equivalents	2,445	2,714
Restricted cash	57	116
Investments in related parties		
Available-for-sale securities, at fair value		
Fixed maturity securities	335	308
Equity securities	20	_
Trading securities, at fair value	195	217
Investment funds	1,198	997
Short-term investments	_	55
Other investments	237	245
Accrued investment income	554	520
Reinsurance recoverable	6,001	7,257
Deferred acquisition costs, deferred sales inducements, and value of business acquired	2,964	2,663
Current income tax recoverable	107	113
Deferred tax assets	369	606
Other assets	869	749
Assets of consolidated variable interest entities:		
Investments		
Available-for-sale securities, at fair value		
Equity securities - related party	161	_
Trading securities, at fair value		
Fixed maturity securities	50	722
Equity securities - related party	117	309
Investment funds	573	534
Cash and cash equivalents	14	6
Other assets	6	20
Total assets	\$ 86,720	\$ 80,854

	December 31,					
(In millions)	 2016		2015			
Liabilities and Equity						
Liabilities						
Interest sensitive contract liabilities	\$ 61,532	\$	57,296			
Future policy benefits	14,569		14,540			
Other policy claims and benefits	217		234			
Dividends payable to policyholders	974		856			
Derivative liabilities	40		17			
Payables for collateral on derivatives	1,383		867			
Funds withheld liability	380		388			
Other liabilities	685		776			
Liabilities of consolidated variable interest entities						
Borrowings	_		500			
Other liabilities	 34		17			
Total liabilities	79,814		75,491			
Equity						
Common stock	_		_			
Additional paid-in capital	3,421		3,281			
Retained earnings	3,117		2,318			
Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)	 367		(237)			
Total Athene Holding Ltd. shareholders' equity	6,905		5,362			
Noncontrolling interest	 1		1			
Total equity	 6,906		5,363			
Total liabilities and equity	\$ 86,720	\$	80,854			

		Three months end	ded December 31,	Years ended December 31,						
(In millions, except per share data)	<u>-</u>	2016	2015	2016	2015					
Revenue	<u> </u>									
Premiums	\$	35	\$ 96	\$ 240	\$ 195					
Product charges		75	64	281	248					
Net investment income		773	678	2,916	2,508					
Investment related gains (losses)		129	179	652	(430)					
OTTI investment losses:		_								
OTTI losses		(1)	(13)	(32)	(40)					
OTTI losses (gains) recognized in OCI		(2)	2	2	10					
Net OTTI losses		(3)	(11)	(30)	(30)					
Other revenues		9	9	34	25					
Revenues of consolidated variable interest entities:										
Net investment income		27	30	67	67					
Investment related gains (losses)		17	_	(53)	33					
Total revenues		1,062	1,045	4,107	2,616					
Benefits and Expenses										
Interest sensitive contract benefits		225	417	1,293	690					
Amortization of DSI		20	6	40	20					
Future policy and other policy benefits		181	178	1,043	517					
Amortization of DAC and VOBA		101	59	304	203					
Interest expense		3	2	9	17					
Dividends to policyholders		(28)	(5)	37	28					
Policy and other operating expenses		174	164	615	532					
Operating expenses of consolidated variable interest entities										
Interest expense		_	4	12	15					
Other operating expenses		_	_	1	2					
Total benefits and expenses	<u></u>	676	825	3,354	2,024					
Income before income taxes		386	220	753	592					
Income tax expense (benefit)		18	(22)	(52)	14					
Net income		368	242	805	578					
Less: Net income attributable to noncontrolling interests		_	_	_	16					
Net income available to AHL shareholders	\$	368	\$ 242	\$ 805	\$ 562					

Non-GAAP Measure Reconciliations

The reconciliation of basic earnings per Class A common share to operating earnings per operating dilutive Class A common share is as follows:

	-	Three months end	led De	ecember 31,		mber 31,		
(In millions)		2016		2015		2016		2015
Operating income, net of tax – per operating dilutive Class A common share	\$	1.46	\$	1.32	\$	3.93	\$	4.23
Investment gains (losses), net of offsets		(0.25)		(0.20)		0.24		(0.33)
Change in fair values of derivatives and embedded derivatives - FIAs, net of offsets		0.92		0.36		0.51		(0.15)
Integration, restructuring and other non-operating expenses		(0.07)		(0.15)		(0.12)		(0.33)
Stock compensation expense		(0.10)		(0.09)		(0.41)		(0.38)
Income tax (expense) benefit - non-operating		(0.07)		0.06		0.01		0.17
Total non-operating adjustments		0.43		(0.02)		0.23		(1.02)
Effect of items convertible to or settled in Class A common shares		0.05		_		0.15		_
Basic earnings per share – Class A common shares	\$	1.94	\$	1.30	\$	4.31	\$	3.21

The reconciliation of basic weighted average Class A shares to operating diluted Class A shares is as follows:

	Three months end	ed December 31,	Years ended [December 31,
(In millions)	2016	2015	2016	2015
Basic weighted average shares outstanding - Class A	58.3	49.9	52.1	41.2
Conversion of Class B shares to Class A shares	130.0	136.0	134.4	133.9
Conversion of Class M shares to Class A shares	5.5	_	6.6	_
Effect of other stock compensation plans	0.4	0.1	0.2	0.1
Weighted average shares outstanding - operating diluted Class A common shares	194.2	186.0	193.4	175.2

The reconciliation of AHL shareholders' equity to AHL shareholders' equity excluding AOCI included in ROE excluding AOCI, operating income ROE excluding AOCI and book value per share excluding AOCI is as follows:

	December 31,								
(In millions)	2016		2015						
Total AHL shareholders' equity	\$ 6,905	\$	5,362						
Less: AOCI	367		(237)						
Total AHL shareholders' equity excluding AOCI	\$ 6,538	\$	5,599						
Retirement Services	\$ 4,495	\$	3,974						
Corporate and Other	2,043		1,625						
Total AHL shareholders' equity excluding AOCI	\$ 6,538	\$	5,599						

The reconciliation of basic Class A shares outstanding to operating diluted Class A outstanding shares is as follows:

	Decemb	er 31,
(In millions)	2016	2015
Class A common shares outstanding	77.0	50.2
Conversion of Class B shares to Class A shares	111.8	136.0
Conversion of Class M shares to Class A shares	6.8	_
Effect of other stock compensation plans	0.7	_
Operating diluted Class A common shares outstanding	196.4	186.1

The reconciliation of book value per share to book value per share, excluding AOCI is as follows:

	December 31,						
	2016		2015				
Book value per share	\$ 35.91	\$	28.81				
AOCI	(1.91)		1.28				
Effect of items convertible to or settled in Class A common shares	(0.71)		_				
Book value per share, excluding AOCI	\$ 33.29	\$	30.09				

The reconciliation of net investment income to net investment earnings and earned rate is as follows:

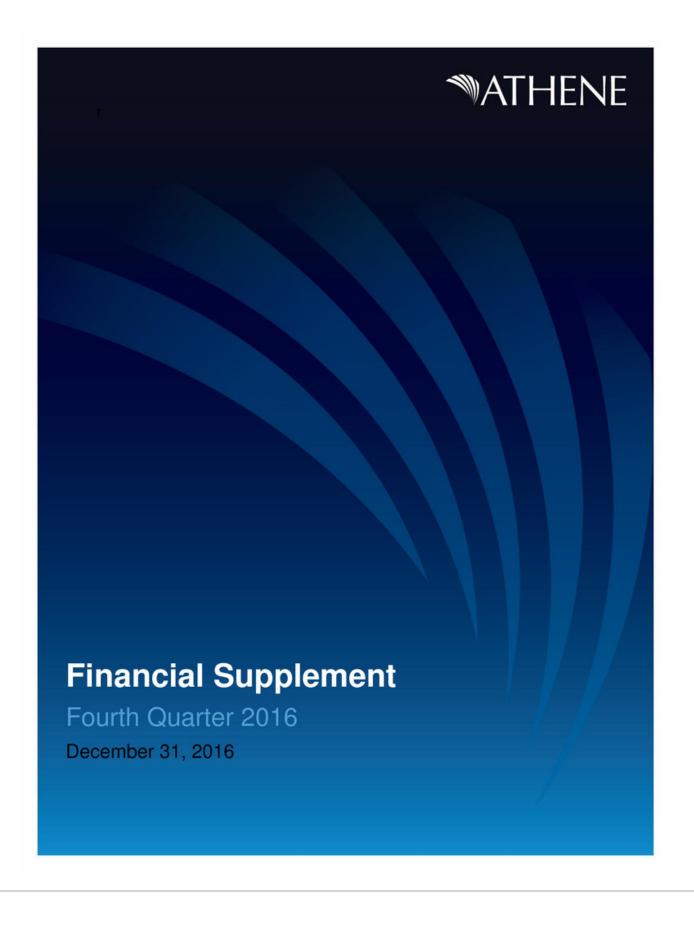
		Thi	ree months en	ded	December	r 31,	Years ended December 31,								
		20)16		20)15	2016				2	015			
(In millions)		Dollar	Rate	Dollar		Rate	Dollar		Rate		Dollar	Rate			
GAAP net investment income	\$ 773 4.30 %		\$	678	4.05 %	\$	2,916	4.19 %	\$	2,508	4.06 %				
Reinsurance embedded derivative impacts		45	0.25 %		26	0.16 %		189	0.27 %		84	0.15 %			
Net VIE earnings		44	0.25 %		26	0.16 %		1	— %		67	0.11 %			
Alternative income gain (loss)		(4)	(0.02)%		(40)	(0.24)%		(39)	(0.06)%		(42)	(0.07)%			
Other		(16)	(0.09)%		_	— %		(35)	(0.05)%		(9)	(0.01)%			
Total adjustments to arrive at net investment earnings/earned rate		69	0.39 %		12	0.08 %		116	0.16 %		100	0.18 %			
Total net investment earnings/earned rate	\$	842	4.69 %	\$	690	4.13 %	\$	3,032	4.35 %	\$	2,608	4.24 %			
Retirement Services	\$	793	4.91 %	\$	675	4.53 %	\$	2,955	4.73 %	\$	2,572	4.37 %			
Corporate and Other		49	2.76 %		15	0.83 %		77	1.08 %		36	1.38 %			
Total net investment earnings/earned rate	\$	842	4.69 %	\$	690	4.13 %	\$	3,032	4.35 %	\$	2,608	4.24 %			
Retirement Services average invested assets	\$	64,639		\$	59,587		\$	62,509		\$	58,917				
Corporate and Other average invested assets 7,074				7,246			7,113			2,567					
Average invested assets	\$	71,713		\$	66,833		\$	69,622		\$	61,484				

The reconciliation of interest sensitive contract benefits to Retirement Services' cost of crediting on deferred annuities, and the respective rates, is as follows:

		Thi	ree months en	ded	Decembe	r 31,	Years ended December 31,							
		20)16		20)15	2016				2015			
(In millions)		Dollar	Rate		Dollar	Rate		Dollar	Dollar Rate			Oollar	Rate	
GAAP interest sensitive contract benefits	\$	225	1.65 %	\$	417	3.39 %	\$	1,293		2.48 %	\$	690	1.42 %	
Interest credited other than deferred annuities		(21)	(0.15)%		(30)	(0.24)%		(110)	(0.21)%		(94)	(0.19)%	
FIA option costs		143	1.05 %		133	1.08 %		559		1.08 %		510	1.04 %	
Product charges (strategy fees)		(15)	(0.11)%		(10)	(0.08)%		(53)	(0.10)%		(33)	(0.07)%	
Reinsurance embedded derivative impacts		8	0.06 %		5	0.04 %		29		0.06 %		18	0.04 %	
Change in fair values of embedded derivatives - FIAs		(72)	(0.53)%		(269)	(2.19)%		(730)	(1.41)%		(174)	(0.36)%	
Negative VOBA amortization		12	0.09 %		17	0.14 %		48		0.09 %		68	0.14 %	
Unit linked change in reserve		(14)	(0.10)%		(27)	(0.22)%		(15)	(0.03)%		(27)	(0.06)%	
Other changes in interest sensitive contract liabilities		(2)	(0.01)%		2	0.02 %		(2)		— %		(18)	(0.04)%	
Total adjustments to arrive at cost of crediting on deferred annuities		39	0.30 %		(179)	(1.45)%		(274)	(0.52)%		250	0.50 %	
Retirement Services cost of crediting on deferred annuities	\$	264	1.95 %	\$	238	1.94 %	\$	1,019		1.96 %	\$	940	1.92 %	
Average account value on deferred annuities	\$ 5	54,358		\$	49,139		\$	51,921			\$ 4	18,956		

The reconciliation of total investments, including related parties, to invested assets is as follows:

	Decen	nber 31,	
(In millions)	 2016		2015
Total investments, including related parties	\$ 72,433	\$	64,525
Derivative assets	(1,370)		(871)
Cash and cash equivalents (including restricted cash)	2,502		2,830
Accrued income	554		520
Derivative collateral	(1,383)		(867)
Reinsurance funds withheld and modified coinsurance	(414)		(214)
VIE assets, liabilities and noncontrolling interest	886		1,073
AFS unrealized (gain) loss	(1,030)		362
Ceded policy loans	(344)		(399)
Total adjustments to arrive at invested assets	(599)		2,434
Total invested assets	\$ 71,834	\$	66,959



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Key Operating and Non-GAAP Measures

In addition to our results presented in accordance with GAAP, our results of operations include certain non-GAAP measures commonly used in our industry. Management believes the use of these non-GAAP measures, together with the relevant GAAP measures, provides a better understanding of our results of operations and the underlying profitability drivers of our business. The majority of these non-GAAP measures are intended to remove from the results of operations the impact of market volatility (other than with respect to alternative investments) as well as integration, restructuring and certain other expenses which are not part of our underlying profitability drivers or likely to re-occur in the foreseeable future, as such items fluctuate from period-toperiod in a manner inconsistent with these drivers. These measures should be considered supplementary to our results in accordance with GAAP and should not be viewed as a substitute for the GAAP measures. See Non-GAAP Measure Reconciliations for the appropriate reconciliations to the GAAP measures.

Operating Income, Net of Tax

Operating income, net of tax, a commonly used operating measure in the life insurance industry, is a non-GAAP measure used to evaluate our financial performance excluding market volatility and expenses related to integration, restructuring, stock compensation, and other expenses.

Our operating income, net of tax, equals net income available to AHL's shareholders adjusted to eliminate the impact of the following (collectively, the "non-operating adjustments"):

- Investment Gains (Losses), Net of Offsets Investment gains (losses), net of offsets, consist of the realized gains and losses on the sale of AFS securities, the change in assumed modeo and funds withheld reinsurance embedded derivatives, unrealized gains and losses, impairments, and other investment gains and losses. Unrealized, impairments and other investment gains and losses are comprised of the fair value adjustments of trading securities (other than CLOs) and investments held under the fair value option, derivative gains and losses not hedging FIA index credits, and the net OTTI impacts recognized in operations net of the change in AmerUs Closed Block fair value reserve related to the corresponding change in fair value of investments and the change in unit linked reserves related to the corresponding trading securities. Investment gains and losses are net of offsets related to DAC, DSI, and VOBA amortization and changes to GLWB and guaranteed minimum death benefits (GMDB) reserves as well as the MVAs associated with surrenders or terminations of contracts.
- Change in Fair Values of Derivatives and Embedded Derivatives FIAs, Net of Offsets Impacts related to the fair value accounting for derivatives hedging the FIA index credits and the related embedded derivative liability fluctuate from period-to-period. The index reserve is measured at fair value for the current period and all periods beyond the current policyholder index term. However, the FIA hedging derivatives are purchased to hedge only the current index period. Upon policyholder renewal at the end of the period, new FIA hedging derivatives are purchased to align with the new term. The difference in duration between the FIA hedging derivatives and the index credit reserves creates a timing difference in earnings. This timing difference of the FIA hedging derivatives and index credit reserves is included as a non-operating adjustment, net of offsets related to DAC, DSI, and VOBA amortization and changes to GLWB and GMDB reserves.

We primarily hedge with options that align with the index terms of our FIA products (typically 1-2 years). From an economic basis, we believe this is suitable because policyholder accounts are credited with index performance at the end of each index term. However, because the "value of an embedded derivative" in an FIA contract is longer-dated, there is a duration mismatch which may lead to mismatches for accounting purposes.

- Integration, Restructuring, and Other Non-operating Expenses Integration, restructuring, and other non-operating expenses consist of restructuring and integration expenses related to mergers and acquisitions as well as certain other expenses which are not part of our core operations or likely to re-occur in the foreseeable future.
- Stock Compensation Expense To date, stock compensation expenses associated with our share incentive plans, excluding our long term incentive plan, are not part of our core operating expenses and fluctuate from time to time due to the structure of our plans.
- Bargain Purchase Gain Bargain purchase gains associated with acquisitions are adjustments to net income as they are not consistent with our core
 operations.
- Provision for Income Taxes Non-operating The non-operating income tax expense is comprised of the appropriate jurisdiction's tax rate applied to the non-operating adjustments that are subject to income tax.

We consider these non-operating adjustments to be meaningful adjustments to net income available to AHL's shareholders for the reasons discussed in greater detail above. Accordingly, we believe using a measure which excludes the impact of these items is effective in analyzing the trends in our results of operations. Together with net income available to AHL's shareholders, we believe operating income, net of tax, provides a meaningful financial metric that helps investors understand our underlying results and profitability. Operating income, net of tax, should not be used as a substitute for net income available to AHL's shareholders.

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ROE Excluding AOCI and Operating ROE Excluding AOCI

ROE excluding AOCI and operating ROE excluding AOCI are non-GAAP measures used to evaluate our financial performance excluding the impacts of AOCI. AOCI fluctuates period-to-period in a manner inconsistent with our underlying profitability drivers as the majority of such fluctuation is related to the market volatility of the unrealized gains and losses associated with our AFS securities. Once we have reinvested acquired blocks of businesses, we typically buy and hold AFS investments to maturity throughout the duration of market fluctuations, therefore, the period-over-period impacts in unrealized gains and losses are not necessarily indicative of current operating fundamentals or future performance. Accordingly, we believe using measures which exclude AOCI is more effective in analyzing the trends of our operations. To enhance the ability to analyze these measures across periods, interim periods are annualized. ROE excluding AOCI and operating ROE excluding AOCI should not be used as a substitute for ROE. However, we believe the adjustments to equity are significant to gaining an understanding of our overall results of operations.

Operating Earnings Per Share - Operating Diluted Class A, Weighted Average Shares Outstanding - Operating Diluted Class A Common Shares and Book Value Per Share Excluding AOCI

Operating earnings per share - operating diluted Class A, weighted average shares outstanding - operating diluted Class A common shares and book value per share excluding AOCI are non-GAAP measures used to evaluate our financial performance and financial condition. The non-GAAP measures adjust the number of shares included in the corresponding GAAP measures to reflect the conversion or settlement of all shares and other stock-based awards outstanding. We believe using these measures represent an economic view of our share counts and provide a simplified and consistent view of our outstanding shares. Operating earnings per share - operating diluted Class A is calculated as the operating income, net of tax over the weighted average shares outstanding - operating diluted Class A common shares. Book value per share excluding AOCI is calculated as the ending AHL shareholders' equity excluding AOCI divided by the operating diluted Class A common shares outstanding. Our Class B common shares are economically equivalent to Class A common shares and can be converted to Class A common shares on a one-for-one basis at any time. Our Class M common shares are in the legal form of shares but economically function as options as they are convertible into Class A shares after vesting and settlement of the conversion price. In calculating Class A diluted earnings per share on a GAAP basis, we are required to apply sequencing rules to determine the dilutive impacts, if any, of our Class B common shares, Class M common shares and any other stock-based awards. To the extent our Class B common shares and/or any other stock-based awards are not dilutive they are excluded. Weighted average shares outstanding - operating diluted Class A common shares and operating diluted Class A common shares on a one-for-one basis, the impacts of all Class M common shares net of the conversion price and any other stock-based awards. For December 31, 2015 and prior, Class M shares were not included due to issuance restrictions which were contingent up

Retirement Services Net Investment Earned Rate, Cost of Crediting and Investment Margin on Deferred Annuities

Investment margin is a key measurement of the financial health of our Retirement Services core deferred annuities. Investment margin on our deferred annuities is generated from the excess of our net investment earned rate over the cost of crediting to our policyholders. Net investment earned rate is a key measure of investment returns and cost of crediting is a key measure of the policyholder benefits on our deferred annuities.

Net investment earned rate is a non-GAAP measure we use to evaluate the performance of our invested assets that does not correspond to GAAP net investment income. Net investment earned rate is computed as the income from our invested assets divided by the average invested assets for the relevant period. To enhance the ability to analyze these measures across periods, interim periods are annualized. The adjustments to arrive at our net investment earned rate add alternative investment gains and losses, gains and losses related to trading securities for CLOs, net VIE impacts (revenues, expenses and noncontrolling interest) and the change in reinsurance embedded derivatives. We include the income and assets supporting our assumed reinsurance by evaluating the underlying investments of the funds withheld at interest receivables and we include the net investment income from those underlying investments which does not correspond to the GAAP presentation of reinsurance embedded derivatives. We exclude the income and assets supporting business that we have exited through ceded reinsurance including funds withheld agreements. We believe the adjustments for reinsurance provide a net investment earned rate on the assets for which we have exceed the recommic exposure.

Cost of crediting is the interest credited to the policyholders on our fixed strategies as well as the option costs on the index annuity strategies. With respect to FIAs, the cost of providing index credits includes the expenses incurred to fund the annual index credits, and where applicable, minimum guaranteed interest credited. The interest credited on fixed strategies and option costs on index annuity strategies are divided by the average account value of our deferred annuities. Under GAAP, deposits and withdrawals for fixed indexed and fixed rate annuities are reported as deposit liabilities (or policyholder funds). Our average account values are averaged over the number of quarters in the relevant period to obtain our cost of crediting for such period. To enhance the ability to analyze these measures across periods, interim periods are annualized.

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Net investment earned rate, cost of crediting and investment margin on deferred annuities are non-GAAP measures we use to evaluate the profitability of our core deferred annuities business. Deferred annuities include our fixed rate annuities and FIAs, which account for approximately 80% of our Retirement Services reserve liabilities as of December 31, 2016. We believe measures like net investment earned rate, cost of crediting and investment margin on deferred annuities are effective in analyzing the trends of our core business operations, profitability and pricing discipline. While we believe net investment earned rate, cost of crediting and investment margin on deferred annuities are meaningful financial metrics and enhance our understanding of the underlying profitability drivers of our business, they should not be used as a substitute for net investment income and interest sensitive contract benefits presented under GAAP.

Invested Assets

In managing our business we analyze invested assets, which do not correspond to total investments, including investments in related parties, as disclosed in our consolidated financial statements and notes thereto. Invested assets represent the investments that directly back our policyholder liabilities as well as surplus assets. Invested assets is used in the computation of net investment earned rate, which allows us to analyze the profitability of our investment portfolio. Invested assets includes (a) total investments on the consolidated balance sheets with AFS securities at cost or amortized cost, excluding derivatives, (b) cash and cash equivalents and restricted cash, (c) investments in related parties, (d) accrued investment income, (e) the consolidated VIE assets, liabilities and noncontrolling interest and (f) policy loans ceded (which offset the direct policy loans in total investments). Invested assets also excludes assets associated with funds withheld liabilities related to business exited through reinsurance agreements and derivative collateral (offsetting the related cash positions). We include the underlying investments supporting our assumed funds withheld and modco agreements in our invested assets calculation in order to match the assets with the income received. We believe the adjustments for reinsurance provide a view of the assets for which we have economic exposure. Our invested assets are averaged over the number of quarters in the relevant period to compute our net investment earned rate for such period.

Reserve Liabilities

In managing our business we also analyze reserve liabilities, which does not correspond to total liabilities as disclosed in our consolidated

financial statements and notes thereto. Reserve liabilities represents our policyholder liability obligations net of reinsurance. Reserve liabilities is used to analyze the costs of our liabilities. Reserve liabilities includes (a) the interest sensitive contract liabilities, (b) future policy benefits, (c) dividends payable to policyholders, and (d) other policy claims and benefits, offset by reinsurance recoverables, excluding policy loans ceded. Reserve liabilities is net of the ceded liabilities to third-party reinsurers as the costs of the liabilities are passed to such reinsurers and therefore we have no net economic exposure to such liabilities, assuming our reinsurance counterparties perform under our agreements. The majority of our ceded reinsurance is a result of reinsuring large blocks of life business following acquisitions. For such transactions, GAAP requires the ceded liabilities and related reinsurance recoverables to continue to be recorded in our consolidated financial statements despite the transfer of economic risk to the counterparty in connection with the reinsurance transaction.

Sales

Sales statistics do not correspond to revenues under GAAP, but are used as relevant measures of understanding our business performance. Our sales statistics include fixed rate annuities and FIAs and align with the LIMRA definition of all money paid into an individual annuity, including money paid into new contracts with initial purchase occurring in the specified period and existing contracts with initial purchase occurring prior to the specified period (excluding internal transfers).

Yea	ır-to-	date		2016					2015				
2016		2015			Q4		Q3		Q2		Q1		Q4
			Deposits							'			
\$ 5,309	\$	2,478	Retail sales	\$	1,492	\$	2,011	\$	1,143	\$	663	\$	571
3,449		1,131	Flow reinsurance		348		871		1,318		912		474
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\$ 8,758	\$	3,859	Total deposits	\$	1,840	\$	2,882	\$	2,461	\$	1,575	\$	1,295
			Consolidated results of operations										
\$ 805	\$	562	Net income	\$	368	\$	158	\$	192	\$	87	\$	242
760		740	Operating income, net of taxes		284		146		178		152		244
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13.1%		11.3%	ROE		21.0%		9.4%		12.7%		6.3%		17.8%
13.3%		11.8%	ROE excluding AOCI		23.2%		10.5%		13.3%		6.2%		17.7%
12.5%		15.6%	Operating ROE excluding AOCI		17.9%		9.7%		12.3%		10.8%		17.9%
			Retirement Services										
\$ 809	\$	769	Operating income, net of taxes	\$	246	\$	171	\$	195	\$	197	\$	256
19.1%	-	22.7%	Operating ROE excluding AOCI	-	21.8%		15.4%		18.6%		19.7%		26.8%
			6										
			Earnings per share										
\$ 4.31	\$	3.21	Basic ¹	\$	1.94	\$	0.85	\$	1.03	\$	0.47	\$	1.30
\$ 4.21	\$	3.21	Diluted - Class A ²	\$	1.80	\$	0.85	\$	1.03	\$	0.47	\$	1.30
\$ 3.93	\$	4.23	Operating earnings per share - operating diluted Class A $^{\rm 3}$	\$	1.46	\$	0.78	\$	0.95	\$	0.82	\$	1.32
			Book Value per share:										
\$ 35.91	\$	28.81	Book value per share	\$	35.91	\$	38.00	\$	34.62	\$	30.28	\$	28.81
\$ 33.29	\$	30.09	Book value per share, excluding AOCI ³	\$	33.29	\$	31.76	\$	31.46	\$	30.55	\$	30.09
			Polones shoot terms										
\$86,720	\$	80,854	Balance sheet items:	\$	86,720	\$	87,000	\$	84,301	\$	81,601	\$	80,854
71,834	Þ	66,959	Total assets Invested assets	\$	71,834	Э	71,595	Э	69,859	Þ	67,865	Ф	66,959
79,814		75,491	Total liabilities		79,814		79,926		77,863		75,962		75,491
79,814		65,271	Reserve liabilities		79,814		79,920		68,335		66,461		65,271
6,905		5,362	Total Athene Holding Ltd. shareholders' equity		6,905		7,073		6,437		5,638		5,362
6,538		5,599	Athene Holding Ltd. shareholders' equity excluding AOCI		6,538		6,153		5,868		5,690		5,599
-%		_%	Debt to equity (excluding AOCI) ratio		—%		-%		-%		_%		-%
7.0		,,			, ,		70		,,		, ,		70
			Share data:										
186.8		175.1	Weighted average shares outstanding - basic 1		189.2		185.8		186.0		186.0		185.9
53.5		41.3	Weighted average shares outstanding - diluted - Class A common shares ²		63.9		49.9		50.1		50.1		50.0
102.4		175.0	Weighted average shares outstanding - operating diluted Class A common		104.2		105.0		1061		1066		106.0
193.4		175.2	shares ³		194.2		185.9		186.1		186.0		186.0
192.3		186.1	Common shares outstanding ⁴		192.3		185.9		185.9		186.2		186.1
196.4		186.1	Operating diluted Class A common shares outstanding ³		196.4		193.8		186.5		186.2		186.1

^{*} Please refer to Note to the Financial Supplement section and the Non-GAAP Financial Measures Reconciliations for discussion on operating income, net of taxes, ROE excluding AOCI, operating ROE excluding AOCI and book value per share excluding

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² Diluted earnings per snare on a GACT dasts to Class A Common shares, including snatuct, including the impacts of all outstanding items that are able to be converted to or settled in Class A common shares, including the impacts of Class B common shares. Class M common shares and any other stock-based awards. For September 30, 2016 and prior, Class M shares were not included due to issuance restrictions which were contingent upon our IPO, except for the Class M share agreements impacted by the modification as of September 30, 2016.

4 Represents common shares outstanding for all classes eligible to participate in dividends for each period presented.

Athene Holding Ltd. Financial Supplement - December 31, 2016 Capitalization and Equity Unaudited (In millions, except percentages)

 Year	-to-d	late			20	16				2015
2016		2015		Q4	Q3		Q2	Q1		Q4
			Capitalization							
\$ _	\$	_	Total debt1	\$ _	\$ _	\$	_	\$ _	\$	_
6,905		5,362	Total Athene Holding Ltd. shareholders' equity	6,905	7,073		6,437	5,638		5,362
6,905		5,362	Total capitalization	6,905	7,073		6,437	5,638		5,362
367		(237)	Less: AOCI	367	920		569	(52)		(237)
\$ 6,538	\$	5,599	Total capitalization excluding AOCI	\$ 6,538	\$ 6,153	\$	5,868	\$ 5,690	\$	5,599
									-	
			Equity by segment							
\$ 4,495	\$	3,974	Retirement Services	\$ 4,495	\$ 4,584	\$	4,243	\$ 4,071	\$	3,974
2,043		1,625	Corporate and Other	2,043	1,569		1,625	1,619		1,625
6,538		5,599	Total AHL shareholders' equity excluding AOCI	6,538	 6,153		5,868	5,690		5,599
367		(237)	AOCI	367	920		569	(52)		(237)
\$ 6,905	\$	5,362	Total AHL shareholders' equity	\$ 6,905	\$ 7,073	\$	6,437	\$ 5,638	\$	5,362
—%		—%	Debt to equity (excluding AOCI) ratio	-%	—%		-%	-%		-%

¹ Total debt is not including debt within a consolidated VIE.

Athene Holding Ltd. Financial Supplement - December 31, 2016 Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets Unaudited (In millions)

	Decer	mber 31, 2016	December 31, 2015
Assets			
nvestments:			
Available-for-sale securities, at fair value			
Fixed maturity securities	\$	52,033	\$ 47,816
Equity securities		353	407
Trading securities, at fair value		2,581	2,468
Mortgage loans, net of allowances		5,470	5,500
Investment funds		689	733
Policy loans		602	642
Funds withheld at interest		6,538	3,482
Derivative assets		1,370	871
Real estate		542	566
Short-term investments, at fair value		189	135
Other investments		81	83
Total investments		70,448	62,703
Cash and cash equivalents		2,445	2,714
Restricted cash		57	116
nvestments in related parties			
Available-for-sale, at fair value			
Fixed maturity securities		335	308
Equity securities		20	_
Trading securities, at fair value		195	217
Investment funds		1,198	997
Short-term investments		_	55
Other investments		237	245
Accrued investment income		554	520
Reinsurance recoverable		6,001	7,257
Deferred acquisition costs, deferred sales inducements, and value of business acquired		2,964	2,663
Current income tax recoverable		107	113
Deferred tax assets		369	606
Other assets		869	749
Assets of consolidated variable interest entities			
Investments			
Available-for-sale securities, at fair value			
Equity securities		161	_
Trading securities, at fair value			
Fixed maturity securities		50	722
Equity securities		117	309
Investment funds		573	534
Cash and cash equivalents		14	6
Other assets		6	20
Total assets	\$	86,720	\$ 80,854

Athene Holding Ltd. Financial Supplement - December 31, 2016 Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets Unaudited (In millions)

	Decem	ber 31, 2016	Decembe	er 31, 2015
Liabilities and Equity				
Liabilities				
Interest sensitive contract liabilities	\$	61,532	\$	57,296
Future policy benefits		14,569		14,540
Other policy claims and benefits		217		234
Dividends payable to policyholders		974		856
Derivative liabilities		40		17
Payables for collateral on derivatives		1,383		867
Funds withheld liability		380		388
Other liabilities		685		776
Liabilities of consolidated variable interest entities				
Borrowings		_		500
Other liabilities		34		17
Total liabilities		79,814		75,491
Equity				
Common Stock		_		_
Additional paid-in-capital		3,421		3,281
Retained earnings		3,117		2,318
Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)		367		(237)
Total Athene Holding Ltd. shareholders' equity		6,905		5,362
Noncontrolling interests		1		1
Total equity		6,906		5,363
Total liabilities and equity	\$	86,720	\$	80,854

(Concluded)

Athene Holding Ltd. Financial Supplement - December 31, 2016 Consolidated Statements of Income

Unaudited (In millions)

Year-	-to-d	late			20	16			2015
2016		2015		Q4	Q3		Q2	Q1	Q4
			Revenue:						
\$ 240	\$	195	Premiums	\$ 35	\$ 85	\$	60	\$ 60	\$ 96
281		248	Product charges	75	71		69	66	64
2,916		2,508	Net investment income	773	747		704	692	678
652		(430)	Investment related gains (losses)	129	380		225	(82)	179
			Other-than-temporary impairment investment losses						
(32)		(40)	Other-than-temporary impairment losses	(1)	(7)		(2)	(22)	(13)
 2		10	Other-than-temporary impairment losses recognized in other comprehensive income	(2)	1		(9)	12	2
(30)		(30)	Net other-than-temporary impairment losses	(3)	(6)		(11)	(10)	(11)
34		25	Other revenues	9	8		9	8	9
			Revenues related to consolidated variable interest entities						
67		67	Net investment income	27	7		22	11	30
(53)		33	Investment related gains (losses)	17	 (16)		(31)	(23)	_
4,107		2,616	Total revenues	1,062	1,276		1,047	722	1,045
			Benefits and expenses:						
1,293		690	Interest sensitive contract benefits	225	482		333	253	417
40		20	Amortization of deferred sales inducements	20	14		2	4	6
1,043		517	Future policy and other policy benefits	181	377		261	224	178
304		203	Amortization of deferred acquisition costs and value of business acquired	101	113		62	28	59
9		17	Interest expense	3	3		2	1	2
37		28	Dividends to policyholders	(28)	35		13	17	(5)
615		532	Policy and other operating expenses	174	177		161	103	164
			Operating expenses of consolidated variable interest entities						
12		15	Interest expense	_	4		4	4	4
1	_	2	Other operating expenses		 		1	 	_
 3,354		2,024	Total benefits and expenses	 676	 1,205		839	 634	 825
753		592	Income before income taxes	386	71		208	88	220
 (52)		14	Income tax expense (benefit)	 18	 (87)		16	 1	 (22)
805		578	Net income	368	158		192	87	242
 	_	16	Less: Net income attributable to noncontrolling interests	 	 			 	
\$ 805	\$	562	Net income available to Athene Holding Ltd. shareholders	\$ 368	\$ 158	\$	192	\$ 87	\$ 242

^{*}During the three months ended December 31, 2016, we recorded out-of-period adjustments that affected the consolidated statements of income for the three months ended September 30, 2016. These adjustments primarily related to DAC and VOBA amortization. In addition, during the three months ended September 30, 2016, we recorded out-of-period adjustments that primarily affected the consolidated statements of income for the year ended December 31, 2015. These out-of-period adjustments were primarily related to actuarial reserves, ent of DAC and VOBA amortization. As a result of these out-of-period adjustments, the consolidated net income for the three months ended December 31, 2016 was understated by \$5 million and the consolidated net income for the three months ended September 30, 2016 was overstated by \$23 million.

Athene Holding Ltd. Financial Supplement - December 31, 2016 **Segment Results of Operations**

Unaudited (In millions, except per share data)

Results of operations by segment

Year-to-date 2016 2015			ite			20	16			2015
20	016		2015		Q4	Q3		Q2	Q1	Q4
				Operating income, net of tax by segment					 	
\$	809	\$	769	Retirement Services	\$ 246	\$ 171	\$	195	\$ 197	\$ 256
	(49)		(29)	Corporate and Other	38	(25)		(17)	(45)	(12)
	760		740	Operating income, net of tax	284	146		178	152	244
	77		83	Realized gains (losses) on sale of AFS securities	40	18		11	8	14
	(56)		(30)	Unrealized, impairments, and other investment gains (losses)	(19)	(13)		1	(25)	(7)
	68		(75)	Assumed modco and funds withheld reinsurance embedded derivatives	(76)	73		74	(3)	(39)
	(42)		(34)	Offsets to investment gains (losses)	5	(21)		(27)	1	(4)
	47		(56)	Investment gains (losses), net of offsets	(50)	57		59	(19)	(36)
	97		(27)	Change in fair values of derivatives and embedded derivatives - FIAs, net of offsets	179	3		(16)	(69)	65
	(22)		(58)	Integration, restructuring and other non-operating expenses	(14)	(2)		(5)	(1)	(27)
	(79)		(67)	Stock compensation expense	(20)	(46)		(28)	15	(16)
	2		30	Income tax (expense) benefit - non-operating	(11)	_		4	9	12
	45		(178)	Total non-operating adjustments	84	12		14	(65)	(2)
\$	805	\$	562	Net income available to AHL shareholders	\$ 368	\$ 158	\$	192	\$ 87	\$ 242
				Operating income, net of tax – per operating dilutive Class A common						
\$	3.93	\$	4.23	share	\$ 1.46	\$ 0.78	\$	0.95	\$ 0.82	\$ 1.32
	0.40		0.47	Realized gains (losses) on sale of AFS securities	0.21	0.09		0.05	0.06	0.07
	(0.29)		(0.18)	Unrealized, impairments, and other investment gains (losses)	(0.10)	(0.07)		0.01	(0.14)	(0.04)
	0.34		(0.43)	Assumed modco and funds withheld reinsurance embedded derivatives	(0.39)	0.40		0.40	(0.02)	(0.21)
	(0.21)		(0.19)	Offsets to investment gains (losses)	0.03	(0.11)		(0.14)	_	(0.02)
	0.24		(0.33)	Investment gains (losses), net of offsets	(0.25)	0.31		0.32	(0.10)	(0.20)
	0.51		(0.15)	Change in fair values of derivatives and embedded derivatives - FIAs, net of offsets	0.92	0.02		(0.09)	(0.36)	0.36
	(0.12)		(0.33)	Integration, restructuring and other non-operating expenses	(0.07)	(0.02)		(0.02)	(0.01)	(0.15)
	(0.41)		(0.38)	Stock compensation expense	(0.10)	(0.25)		(0.16)	0.08	(0.09)
	0.01		0.17	Income tax (expense) benefit - non-operating	(0.07)	0.01		0.03	0.04	0.06
	0.23		(1.02)	Total non-operating adjustments	0.43	0.07		0.08	(0.35)	(0.02)
	0.15		_	Effect of items convertible to or settled in Class A common shares	0.05					
\$	4.31	\$	3.21	Basic earnings per share – Class A common shares	\$ 1.94	\$ 0.85	\$	1.03	\$ 0.47	\$ 1.30

^{*} Please refer to Note to the Financial Supplement section for discussion on operating income, net of taxes.

* During the three months ended December 31, 2016, we recorded out-of-period adjustments that affected the consolidated statements of income for the three months ended September 30, 2016. These adjustments primarily related to DAC and VOBA amortization. In addition, during the three months ended September 30, 2016, we recorded out-of-period adjustments that primarily affected the consolidated statements of income for the year ended December 31, 2015. These out-of-period adjustments were primarily related to actuarial reserves, net of DAC and VOBA amortization. As a result of these out-of-period adjustments, the consolidated net income for the three months ended December 31, 2016 was understated by \$1 million and the consolidated net income for the three months ended December 30, 2016 was overstated by \$23 million while the operating income, net of tax was overstated by \$19 million.

$\underline{\textbf{Consolidated summary of operating income, net of tax}}$

Yea	r-to-date				20	16			 2015
2016	201	5		Q4	Q3		Q2	Q1	Q4
\$ 2,767	\$ 2	2,398	Fixed income and other investment income	\$ 720	\$ 696	\$	668	\$ 683	\$ 653
265		210	Alternative investment income	122	86		60	(3)	37
3,032	2	2,608	Net investment earnings	 842	782		728	680	 690
(1,019)		(940)	Cost of crediting on deferred annuities	(264)	(259)		(253)	(243)	(238)
(1,021)		(665)	Other liability costs ¹	(213)	(396)		(206)	(206)	(150)
(282)		(219)	Operating expenses	(74)	(68)		(71)	(69)	(68)
710		784	Operating income, before tax	291	59		198	162	234
50		(44)	Income tax (expense) benefit - operating income	(7)	87		(20)	(10)	10
\$ 760	\$	740	Operating income, net of tax	\$ 284	\$ 146	\$	178	\$ 152	\$ 244

Retirement Services summary of operating income, net of tax

Yea	ar-to-	date					20	16			2015
2016		2015		Q4 Q3		Q3		Q2	Q1	Q4	
\$ 2,651	\$	2,365	Fixed income and other investment income	\$	689	\$	665	\$	640	\$ 657	\$ 627
304		207	Alternative investment income		104		94		72	34	48
2,955		2,572	Net investment earnings		793		759		712	691	675
(1,019)		(940)	Cost of crediting on deferred annuities		(264)		(259)		(253)	(243)	(238)
(967)		(656)	Other liability costs		(217)		(364)		(198)	(188)	(141)
(206)		(166)	Operating expenses		(56)		(50)		(51)	(49)	(53)
763		810	Operating income, before tax		256		86		210	211	243
46		(41)	Income tax (expense) benefit - operating income		(10)		85		(15)	(14)	13
\$ 809	\$	769	Operating income, net of tax	\$	246	\$	171	\$	195	\$ 197	\$ 256

Corporate and Other summary of operating income, net of tax

Yea	ar-to-date			20	16			2	2015
2016	2015		 Q4	Q3	(Q2	Q1		Q4
\$ 116	\$ 33	Fixed income and other investment income	\$ 31	\$ 31	\$	28	\$ 26	\$	26
(39)	3	Alternative investment income	18	(8)		(12)	(37)		(11)
77	36	Net investment earnings	49	23		16	(11)		15
_	_	Cost of crediting on deferred annuities	_	_		_	_		_
(54)	(9)	Other liability costs	4	(32)		(8)	(18)		(9)
(76)	(53)	Operating expenses	(18)	(18)		(20)	(20)		(15)
(53)	(26)	Operating income, before tax	35	(27)		(12)	(49)		(9)
4	(3)	Income tax (expense) benefit - operating income	3	2		(5)	4		(3)
\$ (49)	\$ (29)	Operating income, net of tax	\$ 38	\$ (25)	\$	(17)	\$ (45)	\$	(12)

^{*}Please refer to Note to the Financial Supplement section and the Non-GAAP Financial Measures Reconciliations for discussion on operating income, net of taxes.

¹ Other liability costs include DAC, DSI and VOBA amortization and change in GLWB and GMDB reserves for all products, the cost of liabilities on products other than deferred annuities including offsets for premiums, product charges and other

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Retirement Services investment margin on deferred annuities (a non-GAAP measure)

Year-	to-date			2016							
2016	2015		Q4	Q3	Q2	Q1	Q4				
4.73%	4.37%	Net investment earned rate	4.91%	4.77%	4.62%	4.59%	4.53%				
1.96%	1.92%	Cost of crediting on deferred annuities	1.95%	1.96%	1.99%	1.96%	1.94%				
2.77%	2.45%	Investment margin on deferred annuities	2.96%	2.81%	2.63%	2.63%	2.59%				

^{*} Please refer to Note to the Financial Supplement section and the Non-GAAP Financial Measures Reconciliations for discussion on investment margin, net investment earned rate and cost of crediting on deferred annuities. Investment margin on deferred annuities is net of ceded reinsurance activity.

Summary of net investment earned rate

Year	-to-d	late			20	16			2015
 2016		2015		Q4	Q3		Q2	Q1	Q4
4.41%		4.17%	Fixed income and other investments	4.44%	4.36%		4.32%	4.54%	4.37%
12.34%		9.40%	Alternative investments	16.25%	14.90%		11.82%	5.79%	8.67%
4.73%		4.37%	Total net investment earned rate	4.91%	4.77%		4.62%	4.59%	4.53%
\$ 2,651	\$	2,365	Fixed income and other investment income	\$ 689	\$ 665	\$	640	\$ 657	\$ 627
304		207	Alternatives investment income	104	94		72	34	48
\$ 2,955	\$	2,572	Total net investment earnings	\$ 793	\$ 759	\$	712	\$ 691	\$ 675
			Average invested assets						
\$ 60,048	\$	56,705	Fixed income and other investments	\$ 62,096	\$ 61,117	\$	59,235	\$ 57,902	\$ 57,342
2,461		2,212	Alternative investments	2,543	2,521		2,451	2,357	2,245
\$ 62,509	\$	58,917	Total average invested assets	\$ 64,639	\$ 63,638	\$	61,686	\$ 60,259	\$ 59,587

^{*} Please refer to Note to the Financial Supplement section and the Non-GAAP Financial Measures Reconciliations for discussion on net investment earned rate and invested assets. * The investment results above are presented net of investment management fees.

Summary of cost of crediting on deferred annuities

	Year	-to-da	ate				20	16			 2015
	2016		2015		Q4	Q3		Q2		Q1	 Q4
\$	534	\$	495	FIA option costs	\$ 136	\$	135	\$	133	\$ 130	\$ 128
	485		445	Fixed interest credited to policyholders	128		124		120	113	110
\$	1,019	\$	940	Cost of crediting on deferred annuities	\$ 264	\$	259	\$	253	\$ 243	\$ 238
i <u></u>	1.96%		1.92%	Cost of crediting on deferred annuities rate	 1.95%		1.96%		1.99%	 1.96%	1.94%
\$	51,921	\$	48,956	Average account value on deferred annuities	\$ 54,358	\$	52,739	\$	50,817	\$ 49,626	\$ 49,139

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Deferred annuities account value rollforward

	Year-to-date 2016							2015						
2016 2015		2015			Q4		Q3		Q2		Q1		Q4	
\$	49,257	\$	48,617	Account value at beginning of period	\$	53,837	\$	51,640	\$	49,994	\$	49,257	\$	49,021
	8,887		3,691	Deposits		1,878		2,914		2,497		1,598		1,068
	200		133	Premium and interest bonuses		56		60		47		37		31
	910		1,398	Fixed and index credits to policyholders		304		268		174		164		247
	(4,159)		(4,411)	Surrenders and benefits paid		(1,135)		(990)		(1,020)		(1,014)		(1,064)
	(215)		(171)	Fee and product charges		(60)		(55)		(52)		(48)		(46)
\$	54,880	\$	49,257	Account value at end of period	\$	54,880	\$	53,837	\$	51,640	\$	49,994	\$	49,257

^{*} The account value rollforwards on deferred annuities include our fixed rate and fixed indexed annuities and are net of ceded reinsurance activity.

$\underline{\textbf{Surrender charge protection and account values by product type}}$

		Surrender Charge		Net Account Value				
	Average years at issue	Average years remaining	Average percent remaining		Dollars	Percent of Total		
Fixed index annuities	10.2	5.6	8.0%	\$	41,633	75.9%		
Single-year fixed rate guaranteed annuities	7	1.7	3.0%		8,092	14.7%		
Multi-year fixed rate guaranteed annuities	5.3	3.9	8.0%		5,155	9.4%		
Total				\$	54,880	100.0%		

Summary of surrender charge percentages

	Net account value									
		nder charge gross)	Percent of Total	Sur	render charge (net of MVA)	Percent of Total				
No surrender charge	\$	7,854	14.3%	\$	7,854	14.3%				
0.0% < 2.0%		122	0.2%		444	0.8%				
2.0% < 4.0%		1,311	2.4%		2,924	5.3%				
4.0% < 6.0%		3,423	6.2%		6,957	12.7%				
6.0% < 8.0%		11,269	20.5%		10,297	18.8%				
8.0% < 10.0%		14,681	26.8%		10,107	18.4%				
10.0% or greater		16,220	29.6%		16,297	29.7%				
	\$	54,880	100.0%	\$	54,880	100.0%				

	Surrender charge (gross)	MVA benefit	Surrender charge (net)
Aggregate surrender charge protection	7.6%	0.2%	7.8%

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Surrender charge expiration by year

Years of surrender charge remaining	Deferred annuities accordant	nnt Percent of total	Average surrender charge percent (gross of MVA)
No Surrender Charge	\$ 7,85	4 14.3 %	-%
> 0 to less than 2	7,33	7 13.4%	5.1 %
2 to less than 4	11,51	3 21.0%	7.2 %
4 to less than 6	12,36	22.5 %	9.0 %
6 to less than 8	6,50	8 11.9%	10.1 %
8 to less than 10	5,78	9 10.5 %	11.5 %
10 to less than 12	2,51	8 4.6 %	14.1 %
12 or greater	99	7 1.8 %	14.7 %
	\$ 54,88	100.0 %	

Minimum guarantees on deferred annuities

	minimum ıarantees	Total :	account value	Percent of total account value at minimum guarantees
Fixed indexed annuities	\$ 14,529	\$	41,633	34.9%
Fixed rate annuities	6,739		13,247	50.9%
Total deferred annuities	\$ 21,268	\$	54,880	38.8%

	December 31, 2016
Distance to guarantees ¹	75 - 85 bps

¹ Distance to guarantees is the difference between the current crediting rates and the contractual guaranteed minimum crediting rates on our deferred annuities. The distance to guarantees includes the minimum guarantees on all of our deferred annuities, including those with crediting rates already at their minimum guarantees.

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Consolidated reserve liabilities

		December 31, 2016			December 31, 2015			
		Dollars	Percent of Total		Dollars	Percent of Total		
Fixed indexed annuities	\$	43,501	61.3 %	\$	39,594	60.7 %		
Fixed rate annuities	<u></u>	13,490	19.0 %		10,882	16.7 %		
Total deferred annuities		56,991	80.3 %		50,476	77.4 %		
Payout annuities		5,446	7.7 %		5,708	8.7 %		
Funding agreements		1,109	1.6 %		1,576	2.4 %		
Life and other (excluding German products)		2,176	3.0 %		2,094	3.2 %		
Retirement Services reserve liabilities		65,722	92.6 %		59,854	91.7 %		
Germany products		5,381	7.6 %		5,542	8.5 %		
Intersegment eliminations		(152)	(0.2)%		(125)	(0.2)%		
Total reserve liabilities	\$	70,951	100.0 %	\$	65,271	100.0 %		

^{*} Please refer to Note to the Financial Supplement section and the Non-GAAP Financial Measures Reconciliations for discussion on reserve liabilities.

Reserve liability rollforward

Year	r-to-d	late		2016								2015
2016		2015		 Q4		Q3		Q2	Q2 Q:		Q1	
\$ 59,854	\$	60,024	Retirement Services reserve liabilities - beginning	\$ 65,073	\$	62,650	\$	60,708	\$	59,854	\$	59,394
9,080		4,358	Deposits	1,884		2,979		2,537		1,680		1,504
(5,396)		(5,344)	Withdrawals	(1,350)		(1,412)		(1,282)		(1,352)		(1,359)
2,184		816	Other reserve changes	115		856		687		526		315
65,722		59,854	Retirement Services reserve liabilities - ending	 65,722		65,073		62,650		60,708		59,854
5,381		5,542	Germany reserve liabilities	5,381		5,982		5,846		5,918		5,542
(152)		(125)	Intersegment eliminations	(152)		(163)		(161)		(165)		(125)
\$ 70,951	\$	65,271	Consolidated reserve liabilities - ending	\$ 70,951	\$	70,892	\$	68,335	\$	66,461	\$	65,271

<u>Investments and investments in related parties summary</u>

	December 31	, 2016	December 31, 2015		
	Carrying Value	Percent of Total	Carrying Value	Percent of Total	
Available for sale securities at fair value:					
Fixed maturity securities:					
U.S. government and agencies	\$ 60	0.1%	\$ 45	0.1%	
State, municipals and political subdivisions	1,140	1.6%	1,165	1.8%	
Foreign governments	2,235	3.1%	2,464	3.8%	
Corporate	30,020	41.4%	26,936	41.7%	
CLOs	4,822	6.7%	4,555	7.1%	
RMBS	8,973	12.4%	7,995	12.4%	
CMBS	1,847	2.5%	1,738	2.7%	
ABS	2,936	4.1%	2,918	4.5%	
Equity securities	353	0.5%	407	0.6%	
Trading securities, at fair value	2,581	3.6%	2,468	3.8%	
Mortgage loans, net of allowances	5,470	7.6%	5,500	8.5%	
Investment funds	689	1.0%	733	1.1%	
Policy loans	602	0.8%	642	1.0%	
Funds withheld at interest	6,538	9.0%	3,482	5.4%	
Derivative assets	1,370	1.9%	871	1.3%	
Real estate	542	0.7%	566	0.9%	
Short-term investments	189	0.3%	135	0.2%	
Other investments	81	0.1%	83	0.1%	
Total investments	70,448	97.2%	62,703	97.2%	
Investment in related parties:					
Available for sale securities at fair value:					
Fixed maturity securities	335	0.5%	308	0.5%	
Equity securities	20	-%	_	-%	
Trading securities, at fair value	195	0.3%	217	0.3%	
Investment funds	1,198	1.7%	997	1.5%	
Other investments	237	0.3%	245	0.4%	
Short term investments	_	-%	55	0.1%	
Total related party investments	1,985	2.8%	1,822	2.8%	
Total investments, including related parties	\$ 72,433	100.0%	\$ 64,525	100.0%	

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Fixed maturity securities by sector

		I)ecen	nber 31, 2016		December 31, 2015					
	Am	ortized Cost		Fair Value	Percent of Total		Amortized Cost		Fair Value	Percent of Total	
Corporate:											
Industrial other ¹	\$	10,417	\$	10,645	20.3%	\$	9,907	\$	9,918	20.6%	
Financial		8,957		9,156	17.5%		7,819		7,941	16.5%	
Utilities		6,512		6,588	12.6%		6,082		5,864	12.2%	
Communication		2,182		2,235	4.3 %		1,801		1,820	3.8%	
Transportation		1,365		1,396	2.7%		1,370		1,393	2.9%	
Total corporate		29,433		30,020	57.4%		26,979		26,936	56.0%	
Other government-related securities											
State, municipals and political subdivisions		1,024		1,140	2.2%		1,075		1,165	2.4%	
Foreign governments		2,098		2,235	4.3 %		2,467		2,464	5.1 %	
U.S. treasuries		59		60	0.1%		44		45	0.1 %	
Total non-structured securities		32,614		33,455	64.0%		30,565		30,610	63.6%	
Structured securities:											
CLOs		5,234		5,101	9.7%		5,214		4,803	10.0%	
ABS		3,037		2,992	5.7%		3,005		2,978	6.2 %	
CMBS		1,835		1,847	3.5%		1,725		1,738	3.6%	
RMBS											
Agency		110		112	0.2%		140		142	0.3 %	
Non-agency		8,621		8,861	16.9%		7,910		7,853	16.3%	
Total structured securities		18,837		18,913	36.0%		17,994		17,514	36.4%	
Total fixed maturity securities, including related parties	\$	51,451	\$	52,368	100.0%	\$	48,559	\$	48,124	100.0%	

¹ Includes securities within various industry segments including capital goods, basic industry, consumer cyclical, consumer non-cyclical, industrial, and technology.

Credit quality of fixed maturity securities

	December 31,	2016	December 31, 2015			
	 Fair Value	Percent of Total	Fair Value	Percent of Total		
NAIC designation	 					
1	\$ 30,211	57.7%	\$ 29,022	60.3%		
2	18,617	35.5%	16,696	34.7%		
Total investment grade	48,828	93.2%	45,718	95.0%		
3	2,812	5.4%	2,182	4.5 %		
4	622	1.2%	194	0.4%		
5	82	0.2%	14	%		
6	24	%	16	%		
Total below investment grade	 3,540	6.8%	2,406	5.0%		
Total fixed maturity securities, including related parties	\$ 52,368	100.0%	\$ 48,124	100.0%		

 $[\]hbox{* Germany fixed maturity securities, including related parties applying NRSRO ratings to map to NAIC ratings.}$

	December 31, 2016			December 31, 2015		
		Fair Value	Percent of Total		Fair Value	Percent of Total
NRSRO rating agency designation						
AAA/AA/A	\$	18,791	35.9%	\$	17,906	37.2%
BBB		18,002	34.4%		16,481	34.2%
Non-rated ¹		5,650	10.8%		5,325	11.1%
Total investment grade ²		42,443	81.1%		39,712	82.5%
ВВ		3,286	6.3%		2,937	6.1%
В		1,372	2.6%		729	1.5%
CCC		2,374	4.5%		2,104	4.4%
CC and lower		2,404	4.6%		2,211	4.6%
Non-rated ¹		489	0.9%		431	0.9%
Total below investment grade		9,925	18.9%		8,412	17.5%
Total fixed maturity securities, including related parties	\$	52,368	100.0%	\$	48,124	100.0%

Credit quality of residential mortgage backed securities

	December 31, 2016					December 31, 2015						
	rincipal Amount	Am	ortized Cost	Fa	air Value	Percent of Total	Principal Amount	Aı	mortized Cost	F	air Value	Percent of Total
NAIC designation												
1	\$ 9,960	\$	8,414	\$	8,652	96.4%	\$ 8,663	\$	7,399	\$	7,351	91.9%
2	152		141		140	1.6%	517		467		463	5.8%
Total investment grade	10,112		8,555		8,792	98.0%	 9,180		7,866		7,814	97.7%
3	104		92		96	1.1%	180		160		157	2.0%
4	31		29		29	0.3%	29		20		20	0.3%
5	54		53		54	0.6%	5		1		1	—%
6	2		2		2	-%	4		3		3	%
Total below investment grade	191		176		181	2.0%	218		184		181	2.3%
Total	\$ 10,303	\$	8,731	\$	8,973	100.0%	\$ 9,398	\$	8,050	\$	7,995	100.0%

¹ Securities denoted as non-rated by the NRSRO were classified as investment or non-investment grade according to the security's respective NAIC rating.

2 We view the NAIC ratings methodology as the most appropriate way to view our fixed maturity portfolio from a ratings perspective since a large portion of our holdings were purchased at a significant discount to par. NRSRO ratings methodology is focused on the likelihood of recovery of of recovery of or all contractual payments, including principal at par regardless of entry price, while the NAIC ratings methodology considers our investment and amortized cost, and the likelihood of recovery of that book value as opposed to the likelihood of default of the security.

$\underline{\textbf{Mortgage loans by property type and region}}$

		December 31, 2016			December 31, 2015		
	Net C	arrying Value	Percent of Total	Net Carrying Value	Percent of Total		
Property type							
Hotels	\$	1,025	18.7%	\$ 877	15.9%		
Retail		1,134	20.7%	1,230	22.4%		
Office building		1,217	22.2%	1,274	23.2%		
Industrial		742	13.6%	821	14.9%		
Apartment		616	11.3%	907	16.5%		
Other commercial ¹		397	7.3 %	291	5.3%		
Total commercial mortgage loans		5,132	93.8%	5,400	98.2%		
Residential loans		338	6.2%	99	1.8%		
Total mortgage loans, net of allowances	\$	5,470	100.0%	\$ 5,500	100.0%		
US Region:							
East North Central	\$	450	8.2 %	\$ 443	8.1%		
East South Central		158	2.9%	129	2.3%		
Middle Atlantic		628	11.5%	804	14.6%		
Mountain		543	9.9%	583	10.6%		
New England		194	3.5%	181	3.3%		
Pacific		833	15.2%	838	15.2%		
South Atlantic		1,284	23.5%	1,231	22.4%		
West North Central		306	5.6%	291	5.3%		
West South Central		662	12.1%	792	14.4%		
Total US Region		5,058	92.4%	5,292	96.2%		
International Region		74	1.4%	108	2.0%		
Total commercial mortgage loans		5,132	93.8%	5,400	98.2%		
Residential loans		338	6.2%	99	1.8%		
Total mortgage loans, net of allowances	\$	5,470	100.0%	\$ 5,500	100.0%		

 $^{^{1}\,}Other\,commercial\,loans\,include\,investments\,in\,nursing\,homes, parking\,garages,\,restaurants,\,mobile\,home\,parks\,and\,other\,commercial\,properties.$

Investment funds including related party

	December 31, 2016			December 31, 2015		
	Carı	Carrying Value		Carrying Value	Percent of Total	
Investment funds						
Private equity	\$	268	10.9%	\$ 263	11.6%	
Mortgage and real estate		118	4.8%	101	4.5 %	
Natural resources		5	0.2%	6	0.3 %	
Hedge funds		72	2.9%	86	3.8%	
Credit funds		226	9.2%	277	12.2%	
Total investment funds		689	28.0%	733	32.5%	
Investment funds - related parties						
Private equity - A-A Mortgage		343	13.9%	225	9.9%	
Private equity		131	5.3%	36	1.6%	
Mortgage and real estate		247	10.0%	234	10.3%	
Natural resources		49	2.0%	46	2.0%	
Hedge funds		191	7.8%	256	11.3%	
Credit funds		236	9.6%	200	8.8%	
Total investment funds - related parties		1,198	48.7%	997	43.9%	
Total investment funds - assets of consolidated VIEs						
Private equity - MidCap ¹		524	21.3%	482	21.3%	
Credit funds		38	1.5%	34	1.5%	
Mortgage and real assets		11	0.4%	18	0.8%	
Total investment funds - assets of consolidated VIEs		573	23.3%	534	23.6%	
Total investment funds, including related parties and VIEs	\$	2,460	100.0%	\$ 2,264	100.0%	

¹ Midcap is an underlying investment of one of our consolidated VIE investment funds.

$\underline{Funds\ withheld\ at\ interest}$

	December 31, 2016			December 31, 2015		
	Carry	ing Value	Percent of Total	Carrying Value	Percent of Total	
Fixed maturity securities						
U.S. state, municipal, and political subdivisions	\$	118	1.8%	\$ 118	3.4 %	
Corporate		1,800	27.6%	734	21.1 %	
CLOs		591	9.0%	432	12.4 %	
ABS		736	11.3%	402	11.5 %	
CMBS		292	4.5%	132	3.8 %	
RMBS		1,551	23.7%	672	19.3 %	
Equity securities		29	0.4%	28	0.8 %	
Mortgage loans		773	11.8%	469	13.5 %	
Investment funds		329	5.0%	273	7.8 %	
Derivative assets		53	0.8%	15	0.4 %	
Short-term investments		80	1.2%	51	1.5 %	
Cash and cash equivalents		105	1.6%	162	4.7 %	
Accrued investment income and other assets		81	1.3 %	(6)	(0.2)%	
Total funds withheld at interest	\$	6,538	100.0%	\$ 3,482	100.0 %	

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Invested assets summary

		December	31, 2016		December 31, 2015				
	U.S. and Bermuda Invested Asset Value	Germany Invested Asset Value	Total Invested Asset Value ¹	Percent of Total	U.S. and Bermuda Invested Asset Value	Germany Invested Asset Value	Total Invested Asset Value ¹	Percent of Total	
Corporates	\$ 31,000	\$ 1,682	\$ 32,682	45.4%	\$ 27,677	\$ 1,614	\$ 29,291	43.7%	
CLOs	5,798		5,798	8.1%	5,648		5,648	8.4%	
Credit	36,798	1,682	38,480	53.5%	33,325	1,614	34,939	52.1%	
RMBS	10,619	_	10,619	14.8%	8,870	_	8,870	13.2%	
Mortgage loans	6,145	95	6,240	8.7%	5,826	140	5,966	8.9%	
CMBS	2,202	_	2,202	3.1%	1,951	_	1,951	2.9%	
Real estate held for investment	_	542	542	0.8%	_	566	566	0.8%	
Real estate	18,966	637	19,603	27.4%	16,647	706	17,353	25.8%	
State, municipals, political subdivisions and foreign government	1,387	1,936	3,323	4.6%	1,401	2,343	3,744	5.6%	
Alternative investments	3,297	128	3,425	4.8%	3,441	54	3,495	5.2 %	
ABS	3,873	_	3,873	5.4%	3,504	_	3,504	5.2 %	
Short-term investments	250	_	250	0.3%	186	_	186	0.3 %	
Unit-linked assets	_	363	363	0.5%	_	391	391	0.6%	
Equity securities	199	185	384	0.5%	179	217	396	0.6%	
U.S. government and agencies	32	27	59	0.1%	44	_	44	0.1%	
Other investments	9,038	2,639	11,677	16.2%	8,755	3,005	11,760	17.6%	
Cash and equivalents	1,111	111	1,222	1.7%	2,009	114	2,123	3.2%	
Policy loans and other	631	221	852	1.2%	577	207	784	1.2%	
Total invested assets	\$ 66,544	\$ 5,290	\$ 71,834	100.0%	\$ 61,313	\$ 5,646	\$ 66,959	100.0%	

¹ Please refer to Note to the Financial Supplement section for discussion on invested assets.

Alternative investments summary

		December 31,	2016	December 31	, 2015	
	Invested	l Asset Value	Percent of Total	Invested Asset Value	Percent of Total	
Credit funds	\$	834	24.3%	\$ 1,135	32.5%	
Private equity - MidCap		524	15.3%	482	13.8%	
Private equity - A-A Mortgage		417	12.2%	252	7.2 %	
Private equity - other		519	15.2%	430	12.3%	
Mortgage and real assets		470	13.7%	408	11.7%	
Hedge funds		311	9.1%	383	11.0%	
Public equities		215	6.3%	270	7.7%	
Natural resources and other real assets		135	3.9%	135	3.9%	
Alternative investments	\$	3,425	100.0%	\$ 3,495	100.0%	

¹ Please refer to Note to the Financial Supplement section for discussion on invested assets including alternative investments and the Non-GAAP Financial Measures Reconciliations section for the reconciliation of investment funds to alternative investments.

Net investment earned rates by asset class

Year-to-date				2016					
2016	2015		Q4	Q3	Q2	Q1	Q4		
3.91%	3.79%	Corporate securities	3.91%	4.06%	3.81%	3.93 %	3.89%		
		Structured securities							
5.18%	5.10%	RMBS	5.30%	5.21%	4.92%	5.30 %	5.20%		
4.74%	5.43%	CLO	4.96%	4.81%	4.73%	4.37 %	5.66%		
6.30%	4.39%	ABS	4.24%	4.16%	6.54%	10.93 %	4.39%		
3.92%	3.12%	CMBS	4.19%	3.79%	4.10%	3.66 %	3.84%		
5.12%	4.79%	Total structured securities	4.92%	4.79%	5.05%	5.82 %	5.04%		
4.82%	4.59%	State, municipal, political subdivisions and U.S. and foreign government	5.80%	3.57%	5.46%	4.57 %	4.54%		
5.95%	5.42%	Mortgage loans	6.26%	6.22%	5.82%	5.42 %	5.43%		
7.76%	5.89%	Alternative investments	14.82%	9.77%	7.11%	(0.40)%	4.28%		
1.03%	1.00%	Other U.S. and Bermuda invested assets	1.27%	1.04%	1.29%	0.32 %	2.03%		
4.59%	4.28%	U.S. and Bermuda	4.96%	4.64%	4.47%	4.27 %	4.37%		
1.67%	2.00%	Germany	1.51%	1.94%	1.62%	1.56 %	1.60%		
4.35%	4.24%	Consolidated total	4.69%	4.42%	4.23%	4.03 %	4.13%		

Invested assets NAIC 1 & 2 designation by asset class

	December 31, 2016	December 31, 2015
Corporate securities	92.4 %	93.8 %
Structured securities		
RMBS	98.0 %	97.9%
CLO	83.1 %	83.6 %
ABS	91.5 %	95.6%
CMBS	97.7 %	99.3 %
Total structured securities	93.0 %	93.6%
State, municipal, political subdivisions and U.S. and foreign government	96.5 %	97.3 %
Germany fixed maturity securities ¹	95.0 %	96.8 %

 $^{^1\,}NAIC\,\,1\,\,and\,2\,\,for\,Germany\,\,indicates\,\,the\,\,percentage\,\,of\,\,total\,\,AFS\,\,fixed\,\,maturities\,\,by\,\,applying\,\,NRSRO\,\,ratings\,\,to\,\,map\,\,to\,\,NAIC\,\,ratings$

Athene Holding Ltd. Financial Supplement - December 31, 2016 Financial Strength Ratings and RBC Unaudited

Financial strength ratings

	 A.M. Best	Standard & Poor's	Fitch
Athene Annuity & Life Assurance Company	A-	A-	A-
Athene Annuity and Life Company	A-	A-	A-
Athene Annuity & Life Assurance Company of New York	A-	A-	A-
Athene Life Insurance Company of New York	A-	Not Rated	Not Rated
Athene Life Re Ltd.	A-	A-	A-

Credit ratings

	A.M. Best	Standard & Poor's	Fitch
Athene Holding Ltd.	bbb-	BBB	BBB

Capital Metrics

	Decembe	er 31,
	2016	2015
U.S. RBC - Athene Annuity & Life Assurance Company	478%	552%
BSCR - Athene Life Re Ltd. ¹	228%	323 %
Athene Life Re Ltd. RBC ²	529%	468%

¹ Effective January 1, 2016, in connection with the implementation of its broader regulatory regime, the BMA integrated the economic balance sheet (EBS) framework into the determination of BSCR. The European Commission has granted the BMA's regulatory regime for reinsurance, group solvency calculation and group supervision full equivalence to Solvency II. Under the EBS framework, ALRe's assets are recorded at market value and its insurance reserves are determined by reference to nine prescribed scenarios, with the scenario resulting in the highest reserve balance being ultimately required to be selected. This ratio is not comparable to prior year end BSCR ratios given the change in the solvency regime; however, consistent with the previous regime the minimum required capital ratio to be considered solvent by the BMA is 100%.

² ALRe RBC ratio, which is used in evaluating our capital position and the amount of capital needed to support our segment, is calculated by applying the NAIC RBC factors.

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Unaudited (In millions, except percentages)

Summary of adjustments to basic weighted average shares outstanding - Class A common shares to arrive at weighted average shares outstanding - operating diluted Class A common shares

Year-to-date				2015			
2016	2015		Q4	Q3	Q2	Q1	Q4
52.1	41.2	Basic weighted average shares outstanding - Class A	58.3	49.8	50.1	50.0	49.9
134.4	133.9	Conversion of Class B shares to Class A shares	130.0	136.0	136.0	136.0	136.0
6.6	_	Conversion of Class M shares to Class A shares	5.5	_	_	_	_
0.2	0.1	Effect of other stock compensation plans	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
193.4	175.2	Weighted average shares outstanding - operating diluted Class A common shares	194.2	185.9	186.1	186.0	186.0

Summary of adjustments to Class A common shares outstanding to arrive at operating diluted Class A common shares outstanding

		2016					
	Q4	Q3	Q2	Q1	Q4		
Class A common shares outstanding	77.0	50.2	50.2	50.3	50.2		
Conversion of Class B shares to Class A shares	111.8	136.0	136.0	136.0	136.0		
Conversion of Class M shares to Class A shares	6.8	7.2	_	_	_		
Effect of other stock compensation plans	0.7	0.4	0.4	_	_		
Operating diluted Class A common shares outstanding	196.4	193.8	186.5	186.2	186.1		

Summary of adjustments to book value per share to arrive at book value per share, excluding AOCI

	2016							2015	
		Q4		Q3		Q2		Q1	Q4
Book value per share	\$	35.91	\$	38.00	\$	34.62	\$	30.28	\$ 28.81
AOCI		(1.91)		(4.94)		(3.06)		0.27	1.28
Effect of items convertible to or settled in Class A common shares		(0.71)		(1.30)		(0.10)		_	_
Book value per share, excluding AOCI	\$	33.29	\$	31.76	\$	31.46	\$	30.55	\$ 30.09

$\underline{\textbf{Summary of adjustments to net investment income to arrive at net investment earned \ rate}\\$

Year	-to-d	ate		2016							2015		
2016		2015			Q4		Q3		Q2		Q1		Q4
\$ 2,916	\$	2,508	GAAP net investment income	\$	773	\$	747	\$	704	\$	692	\$	678
189		84	Reinsurance embedded derivative impacts		45		55		53		36		26
1		67	Net VIE earnings		44		(13)		(14)		(16)		26
(39)		(42)	Alternative income gain (loss)		(4)		(3)		_		(32)		(40)
(35)		(9)	Other		(16)		(4)		(15)		_		_
116		100	Total adjustments to arrive at net investment earnings		69		35		24		(12)		12
\$ 3,032	\$	2,608	Total net investment earnings	\$	842	\$	782	\$	728	\$	680	\$	690
\$ 2,955	\$	2,572	Retirement Services	\$	793	\$	759	\$	712	\$	691	\$	675
77		36	Corporate and Other		49		23		16		(11)		15
\$ 3,032	\$	2,608	Total net investment earnings	\$	842	\$	782	\$	728	\$	680	\$	690
4.19 %		4.06 %	GAAP net investment income rate		4.30 %		4.22 %		4.09 %		4.10 %		4.05 %
0.27 %		0.15 %	Reinsurance embedded derivative impacts		0.25 %		0.31 %		0.31 %		0.21 %		0.16 %
— %		0.11 %	Net VIE earnings		0.25 %		(0.07)%		(0.08)%		(0.09)%		0.16 %
(0.06)%		(0.07)%	Alternative income gain (loss)		(0.02)%		(0.02)%		— %		(0.19)%		(0.24)%
(0.05)%		(0.01)%	Other		(0.09)%		(0.02)%		(0.09)%		— %		— %
0.16 %		0.18 %	Total adjustments to arrive at net investment earned rate		0.39 %		0.20 %		0.14 %		(0.07)%		0.08 %
4.35 %		4.24 %	Consolidated net investment earned rate		4.69 %		4.42 %		4.23 %		4.03 %		4.13 %
4.73 %		4.37 %	Retirement Services		4.91 %		4.77 %		4.62 %		4.59 %		4.53 %
1.08 %		1.38 %	Corporate and Other		2.76 %		1.26 %		0.93 %		(0.62)%		0.83 %
4.35 %		4.24 %	Consolidated net investment earned rate		4.69 %		4.42 %		4.23 %		4.03 %		4.13 %
\$ 62,509	\$	58,917	Retirement Services average invested assets	\$	64,639	\$	63,638	\$	61,686	\$	60,259	\$	59,587
7,113		2,567	Corporate and Other average invested assets		7,074		7,089		7,177		7,153		7,246
\$ 69,622	\$	61,484	Average invested assets	\$	71,713	\$	70,727	\$	68,863	\$	67,412	\$	66,833

$\underline{\textbf{Summary of adjustments to interest sensitive contract benefits to arrive at cost of crediting on deferred annuities}$

	Year	-to-d	late									2015		
	2016		2015			Q4		Q3		Q2		Q1		Q4
\$	1,293	\$	690	GAAP interest sensitive contract benefits	\$	225	\$	482	\$	333	\$	253	\$	417
	(110)		(94)	Interest credited other than deferred annuities		(21)		(33)		(27)		(29)		(30)
	559		510	FIA option costs		143		141		139		136		133
	(53)		(33)	Product charges (strategy fees)		(15)		(14)		(13)		(11)		(10)
	29		18	Reinsurance embedded derivative impacts		8		8		7		6		5
	(730)		(174)	Change in fair values of embedded derivatives - FIAs		(72)		(318)		(204)		(136)		(269)
	48		68	Negative VOBA amortization		12		12		15		9		17
	(15)		(27)	Unit linked change in reserve		(14)		(20)		4		15		(27)
	(2)		(18)	Other changes in interest sensitive contract liabilities		(2)		1		(1)		_		2
	(274)		250	Total adjustments to arrive at cost of crediting on deferred annuities		39		(223)		(80)		(10)		(179)
\$	1,019	\$	940	Retirement Services cost of crediting on deferred annuities	\$	264	\$	259	\$	253	\$	243	\$	238
	2.48 %		1.42 %	GAAP interest sensitive contract benefits		1.65 %		3.65 %		2.63 %		2.03 %		3.39 %
	(0.21)%		(0.19)%	Interest credited other than deferred annuities		(0.15)%	_	(0.25)%		(0.21)%	_	(0.23)%		(0.24)%
	1.08 %		1.04 %	FIA option costs		1.05 %		1.07 %		1.08 %		1.11 %		1.08 %
	(0.10)%		(0.07)%	Product charges (strategy fees)		(0.11)%		(0.11)%		(0.10)%		(0.09)%		(0.08)%
	0.06 %		0.04 %	Reinsurance embedded derivative impacts		0.06 %		0.06 %		0.06 %		0.05 %		0.04 %
	(1.41)%		(0.36)%	Change in fair values of embedded derivatives - FIAs		(0.53)%		(2.41)%		(1.61)%		(1.10)%		(2.19)%
	0.09 %		0.14 %	Negative VOBA amortization		0.09 %		0.09 %		0.12 %		0.07 %		0.14 %
	(0.03)%		(0.06)%	Unit linked change in reserve		(0.10)%		(0.15)%		0.03 %		0.12 %		(0.22)%
	— %		(0.04)%	Other changes in interest sensitive contract liabilities		(0.01)%		0.01 %		(0.01)%		— %		0.02 %
	(0.52)%		0.50 %	Total adjustments to arrive at cost of crediting on deferred annuities		0.30 %		(1.69)%		(0.64)%		(0.07)%		(1.45)%
	1.96 %	_	1.92 %	Retirement Services cost of crediting on deferred annuities		1.95 %		1.96 %		1.99 %		1.96 %		1.94 %
S	51.921	S	48.956	Average account value on deferred annuities	S	54,358	\$	52,739	\$	50.817	\$	49.626	\$	49,139
Φ	51,521	Φ	40,930	Average account value on deterred amountes	Φ	54,556	Φ	34,139	Φ	50,617	Φ	+9,020	Φ	77,137

Summary of adjustments to total investments, including related parties to arrive at invested assets

	Dece	ember 31, 2016	December 31, 2015		
Total investments, including related parties	\$	72,433	\$	64,525	
Derivative assets		(1,370)		(871)	
Cash and cash equivalents (including restricted cash)		2,502		2,830	
Accrued investment income		554		520	
Payables for collateral on derivatives		(1,383)		(867)	
Reinsurance funds withheld and modified coinsurance		(414)		(214)	
VIE assets, liabilities and noncontrolling interest		886		1,073	
AFS unrealized (gain) loss		(1,030)		362	
Ceded policy loans		(344)		(399)	
Total adjustments to arrive at invested assets		(599)		2,434	
Total invested assets	\$	71,834	\$	66,959	

Summary of adjustments to investment funds, including related parties and VIEs to arrive at alternative investments

	December 31, 2016	December 31, 2015
Investment funds, including related parties and VIEs	\$ 2,460	\$ 2,264
CLO equities included in trading securities	260	337
Investment funds within funds withheld at interest	329	273
Royalties, other assets included in other investments and other assets	81	83
Net assets of the VIE, excluding investment funds	295	538
Total adjustments to arrive at alternative investments	965	1,231
Alternative investments	\$ 3,425	\$ 3,495

$\underline{\textbf{Summary of adjustments to total liabilities to arrive at reserve liabilities}}$

	December 31, 2016	December 31, 2015		
Total liabilities	\$ 79,814	\$ 75,491		
Derivative liabilities	(40)	(17)		
Payables for collateral on derivatives	(1,383)	(867)		
Funds withheld liability	(380)	(388)		
Other liabilities	(685)	(776)		
Liabilities of consolidated VIEs	(34)	(517)		
Reinsurance ceded receivables	(6,001)	(7,257)		
Policy loans ceded	(344)	(399)		
Other	4	1		
Total adjustments to arrive at reserve liabilities	(8,863)	(10,220)		
Total reserve liabilities	\$ 70,951	\$ 65,271		