# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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FORM 8-K

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

CURRENT REPORT

Date of report (Date of earliest event reported): August 2, 2018

# 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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- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- o Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company o

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act. o

#### Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition

On August 2, 2018, Athene Holding Ltd. (the "Company") issued a press release to announce its financial results for the second quarter 2018. 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 second quarter 2018 is furnished 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

- (d) Exhibits
- 99.1 Press release of Athene Holding Ltd., dated August 2, 2018 (furnished and not filed).
- 99.2 Quarterly Financial Supplement for Athene Holding Ltd. for the second quarter of 2018 (furnished and not filed).

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# SIGNATURES

Pursuant 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 hereunto duly authorized.

		ATHENE HOLDING LTD.
Date:	August 2, 2018	/s/ Martin P. Klein

Martin P. Klein
Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer



# **News Release**

# ATHENE HOLDING LTD. REPORTS SECOND QUARTER 2018 RESULTS

Q2 net income of \$264 million

Q2 adjusted operating income of \$290 million

Q2 ROE of 12.3%, Q2 Retirement Services adjusted operating ROE of 19.8%

Q2 total new organic and inorganic deposits of \$21.8 billion

Q2 record retail deposits of \$2.0 billion

Total investments, including related parties, increased 25% year-over-year to \$98.7 billion

PEMBROKE, Bermuda – August 2, 2018 – Athene Holding Ltd. ("Athene") (NYSE: ATH), a leading provider of retirement savings products, today announced financial results for the second quarter 2018.

**Net income** for the second quarter 2018 was \$264 million, or \$1.33 per diluted Class A share ("diluted share"), compared to net income for the second quarter 2017 of \$326 million, or \$1.65 per diluted share.

**Adjusted operating income**<sup>1</sup> for the second quarter 2018 was \$290 million, or \$1.48 per adjusted operating share, compared to adjusted operating income for the second quarter 2017 of \$280 million, or \$1.43 per adjusted operating share.

"Our strong second quarter results continued our track record of producing consistently growing earnings and high ROEs," said Jim Belardi, CEO of Athene. "We sourced \$2.7 billion of organic deposits, driven by record retail sales of \$2.0 billion. Our multi-channel distribution platform allows us to prioritize channels where we meet our mid-teens return targets and is consistent with our opportunistic business model. On June 1 we closed the Voya reinsurance transaction bringing our total invested asset portfolio to approximately \$100 billion, a remarkable achievement for a nine-year-old company."

"We have powerful organic growth engines and our inorganic pipeline is as robust as I've ever seen. We are extraordinarily well positioned as a solutions provider to the financial services industry as it accelerates its restructuring," Mr. Belardi continued.

<sup>1</sup>This news release references certain Non-GAAP measures. See *Non-GAAP Measures* for additional discussion.

# Other Highlights

- Book value per share increased 2% year-over-year to \$43.10; adjusted book value per share increased 18% to \$42.60
- Total invested assets, excluding Germany, increased 40% year-over-year to \$98.6 billion
- Estimated ALRe RBC of 524%<sup>1</sup> as of June 30, 2018
- Estimated U.S. RBC of 438%, as of June 30, 2018
- Ranked #2 carrier in fixed indexed annuity sales for the each of the seven quarters ended March 31, 2018<sup>2</sup>
- Closed Vova reinsurance transaction on June 1, 2018
- Launched Athene Agility<sup>SM</sup> product in June 2018, which has been one of the top-illustrated products since launch

<sup>1</sup>ALRe RBC ratio is used in evaluating our capital position and the amount of capital needed to support our Retirement Services segment, and is calculated by applying the NAIC RBC factors to the statutory financial statements of ALRe and its non-U.S. reinsurance subsidiary, on an aggregate basis.

<sup>2</sup>Rankings as of March 31, 2018 per LIMRA.

## **Second Quarter Results**

**Net income** for the second quarter was \$264 million, a decrease of \$62 million, or 19%, from the prior year. The decrease was driven by unfavorable impacts from assumed reinsurance embedded derivatives due to growth in the reinsurance block from the Voya transaction, increases in U.S. Treasury rates and credit spread widening. Partially offsetting the increase was a favorable change in FIA derivatives due to an increase in discount rates.

Adjusted operating income for the second quarter was \$290 million, an increase of \$10 million, or 4%, from the prior year. Adjusted operating income, excluding notable items, was \$279 million, an increase of \$40 million, or 17%. Growth of adjusted operating income, excluding notable items, was driven by an increase in investment income due to invested asset growth, earnings from the Voya reinsurance transaction and increased floating rate investment income. Offsetting this was a higher cost of crediting driven by block growth, including the addition of Voya liabilities, as well as higher income taxes.

# **Deposit Highlights**

In the second quarter, Athene generated deposits of \$21.8 billion including inorganic deposits, an increase of 576% compared to the prior year. Despite record sales in our Retail channel, organic deposits of \$2.7 billion were down from the prior year, largely due to unfavorable issuance spreads for insurance companies in the funding agreement backed note market.

**Retail Sales:** In the second quarter, Athene generated a record \$2.0 billion of new deposits, up 25% from the prior year driven by channel expansion and new product launches. We continue to execute on our growth strategy to increase penetration within the Financial Institutions channel and year-to-date we have signed 16 new relationships. The launch of new products, including a new national fixed indexed annuity product, Athene Agility<sup>SM</sup>, has increased penetration within Financial Institutions.

Flow Reinsurance: In the second quarter, Athene generated \$473 million of new deposits, up 121% from the prior year. Deposit growth in the quarter was driven by competitive positioning by our partners as well as the addition of new products to current treaties. Volumes in the quarter included \$25 million of annuitizations from Venerable.

**Institutional:** In the second quarter, Athene generated \$179 million of new deposits from a pension risk transfer transaction and the issuance of a funding agreement.

Inorganic: Athene closed the Voya reinsurance transaction on June 1, assuming \$19.1 billion of reserve liabilities.

## **Selected Results**

	As of and for	As of and for the three months ended June 30		
(In millions, except percentages and per share data)	2018		2017	
Organic deposits	\$	2,690 \$	3,226	
Inorganic deposits	1	9,104	_	
Total deposits		21,794	3,226	
Investments, including related parties	Ş	98,669	78,699	
Invested assets	٤	98,609	76,279	
Debt to capital ratio <sup>1</sup>		12.1%	—%	
Adjusted debt to capital ratio <sup>1</sup>		12.3%	<del>-</del> %	
Book value per share	\$	43.10 \$	42.20	
Adjusted book value per share <sup>2</sup>	\$	42.60 \$	35.95	
Common shares outstanding <sup>3</sup>		197.3	196.3	
Adjusted operating common shares outstanding <sup>4</sup>		196.4	196.7	
Total shareholders' equity	\$	8,505 \$	8,284	
Adjusted shareholders' equity		8,367	7,072	
ROE		12.3%	16.4%	
Adjusted ROE		17.5%	16.2%	
Adjusted operating ROE		14.2%	16.2%	
Retirement Services				
Adjusted operating income	\$	289 \$	267	
Adjusted operating ROE		19.8%	22.0%	
Investment margin on deferred annuities		2.82%	2.96%	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>In January 2018, we issued \$1.0 billion of senior unsecured debt.

<sup>2</sup>Adjusted book value per share is calculated as the ending AHL adjusted shareholders' equity divided by the adjusted operating common shares outstanding.

3Represents common shares outstanding for all classes eligible to participate in dividends for each period presented. Utilized for the book value per share calculation.

Adjusted operating common shares outstanding or an classes eligible to participate in dividends for each period presented. Outliked for the book value per share calculation.

Adjusted operating common shares outstanding assumes conversion or settlement of all outstanding their ms 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, but excluding any awards for which the exercise or conversion price exceeds the market value of Class A common shares on the applicable measurement date. Our Class B common shares are economically equivalent to Class A common shares and can be converted 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. 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 ended June 30,		June 30,
(In millions, except per share data)	 2018		2017
Net income	\$ 264	\$	326
Non-operating adjustments			
Investment gains (losses), net of offsets	(74)		58
Change in fair values of derivatives and embedded derivatives – FIAs, net of offsets	75		15
Integration, restructuring and other non-operating expenses	(8)		(11)
Stock compensation expense	(2)		(13)
Income tax (expense) benefit - non-operating	(17)		(3)
Less: Total non-operating adjustments	 (26)		46
Adjusted operating income	\$ 290	\$	280
Adjusted operating income by segment			
Retirement Services	\$ 289	\$	267
Corporate and Other	 1		13
Adjusted operating income	\$ 290	\$	280
Earnings per share – basic <sup>1</sup>	\$ 1.34	\$	1.66
Earnings per share – diluted Class A <sup>2</sup>	\$ 1.33	\$	1.65
Adjusted operating earnings per share <sup>3</sup>	\$ 1.48	\$	1.43
Weighted average shares outstanding – basic <sup>1</sup>	197.3		195.7
Weighted average shares outstanding – diluted Class A <sup>2</sup>	164.8		109.0
Weighted average shares outstanding – adjusted operating <sup>3</sup>	195.1		195.9
	 Three months	ended	
(In millions)	 2018		2017
Notable items			
Retirement Services adjusted operating income	\$ 289	\$	267
Rider reserve and DAC equity market performance	(13)		(44)
Tax impact of notable items	 2		3
Retirement Services notable items	(11)		(41)
Retirement Services adjusted operating income excluding notable items	278		226

Corporate and Other adjusted operating income

Adjusted operating income excluding notable items

\$

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Basic earnings per share, including basic weighted average shares outstanding includes all classes eligible to participate in dividends for each period presented. <sup>2</sup> Diluted 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. Such dilutive securities totaled 369,955 weighted average shares for the quarter. Diluted earnings per share on a GAAP basis for Class A common shares are based on allocated net income of \$220 million (83% of net income) and \$181 million (55% of net income) for the three months ended June 30, 2018 and 2017, respectively.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>Weighted average shares outstanding – adjusted operating assumes 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, but excluding any awards for which the exercise or conversion price exceeds the market value of Class A common shares on the applicable measurement date. Our Class B common shares are economically equivalent to Class A common shares and can be converted to C 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 stockbased 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. We believe this non-GAAP measure is an appropriate economic representation of our share counts for use in an economic view of adjusted operating earnings per share.

#### **Segment Results**

#### Retirement Services

#### Q2 Results

In the second quarter, Retirement Services adjusted operating income was \$289 million, an increase of \$22 million, or 8%, from the prior year. Adjusted operating income, excluding notable items, was \$278 million, an increase of \$52 million, or 23%, resulting in an adjusted operating ROE of 19.1%. The increase was driven by growth in investment income of \$162 million resulting from invested asset growth, earnings from the Voya reinsurance transaction and an increase in floating rate investment income of \$26 million. Partially offsetting this was a higher cost of crediting due to block growth, including the addition of Voya liabilities, as well as higher income tax expense.

Notable items in the current quarter included \$13 million of favorable rider reserves and DAC amortization due to equity market performance, compared with a \$44 million benefit from equity market performance and out of period actuarial adjustments in the prior year.

Investment margin on deferred annuities was 2.82%, a decrease of 14 basis points from the prior year. The net investment earned rate was 4.74%, a decrease of 11 basis points from the prior year, driven by lower new money rates over the past year and lower returns on the assets from the Voya reinsurance transaction. Partially offsetting this was \$26 million, or 14 basis points, of additional floating rate investment income in the quarter. Alternative investments returned 11.28% driven by MidCap and AmeriHome.

Cost of crediting was 1.92%, an increase of 3 basis points compared to the prior year. The increase was driven primarily by a higher rate on the Voya reinsurance liabilities.

## Corporate and Other

#### Q2 Results

In the second quarter, Corporate and Other adjusted operating income was \$1 million, a decrease of \$12 million over the prior year. The decrease was driven by lower alternative investment income due to a decline in the market value of public equity positions in one of our funds and lower credit fund income.

#### **Conference Call Information**

This press release and the second guarter 2018 financial supplement will be posted to the Company's website at ir.athene.com.

Athene will conduct a conference call on Friday, August 3, 2018 at 9:00 a.m. ET to discuss second quarter 2018 results. Additionally, the company will post an earnings presentation deck on the <u>ir.athene.com</u> website prior to the call on August 3, 2018.

- Live conference call: Toll-free at 1-888-317-6003 (domestic) or 1-412-317-6061 (international)
- · Participant entry number: 4128349
- Replay available through August 17, 2018 at 1-877-344-7529 (domestic) or 1-412-317-0088 (international)
- Replay access code: 10122102
- · Live and archived webcast available at ir.athene.com

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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;
- Reinsurance arrangements with third-party annuity providers; and
- · Institutional products, such as funding agreements and group annuity contracts related to pension risk transfers.

Athene had total assets of \$114.8 billion as of June 30, 2018. Athene's principal subsidiaries include Athene Annuity & Life Assurance Company, a Delaware-domiciled insurance company, Athene Annuity and Life Company, an lowa-domiciled insurance company, Athene Annuity & Life Assurance Company of New York, a New York-domiciled insurance company and Athene Life Re Ltd., a Bermuda-domiciled reinsurer.

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 information that may enhance an investor's 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.

Adjusted operating income 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 adjusted operating income equals net income adjusted to eliminate the impact of the following (collectively, the "non-operating adjustments"):

- · Investment Gains (Losses), Net of Offsets
- · 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 Non-operating

We consider these non-operating adjustments to be meaningful adjustments to net income 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, we believe adjusted operating income, provides a meaningful financial metric that helps investors understand our underlying results and profitability. Adjusted operating income should not be used as a substitute for net income.

Adjusted ROE, adjusted operating ROE and adjusted net income are non-GAAP measures used to evaluate our financial performance excluding the impacts of AOCI and funds withheld and modco reinsurance unrealized gains and losses, in each case net of DAC, DSI, rider reserve and tax offsets. Adjusted ROE is calculated as adjusted net income, divided by adjusted shareholders' equity. Adjusted shareholders' equity is calculated as the ending shareholders' equity excluding AOCI and funds withheld and modco reinsurance unrealized gains and losses. Adjusted operating ROE is calculated as the adjusted operating income, divided by adjusted shareholders' equity. Adjusted net income is calculated as net income excluding funds withheld and modco reinsurance unrealized gains and losses, net of DAC, DSI, rider reserve and tax offsets. These adjustments fluctuate 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 adjusted operating fundamentals or future performance. Accordingly, we believe using measures which exclude AOCI and funds withheld and modco reinsurance unrealized gains and losses are useful in analyzing trends in our operating results. To enhance the ability to analyze these measures across periods, interim periods are annualized. Adjusted ROE, adjusted operating ROE and adjusted net income should not be used as a substitute for ROE and net income. However, we believe the adjustments to equity are significant to gaining an understanding of our overall results of operations.

Adjusted operating earnings per share, weighted average shares outstanding – adjusted operating and adjusted book value per share 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 represents an economic view of our share counts and provides a simplified and consistent view of our outstanding shares. Adjusted operating earnings per share is calculated as the adjusted operating income, over the weighted average shares outstanding - adjusted operating. Adjusted book value per share is calculated as the adjusted shareholders' equity divided by the adjusted operating 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 payment 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 – adjusted operating and adjusted operating 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 stockbased awards, but excluding any awards for which the exercise or conversion price exceeds the market value of our Class A common shares on the applicable measurement date. For certain historical periods, Class M shares were not included due to issuance restrictions which were contingent upon our IPO. Adjusted operating earnings per share, weighted average shares outstanding - adjusted operating and adjusted book value per share 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.

Adjusted debt to capital ratio is a non-GAAP measure used to evaluate our financial condition excluding the impacts of AOCI and funds withheld and modco reinsurance unrealized gains and losses, net of DAC, DSI, rider reserve and tax offsets. Adjusted debt to capital ratio is calculated as total debt excluding consolidated VIEs divided by adjusted shareholders' equity. Adjusted debt to capital ratio should not be used as a substitute for the debt to capital ratio. However, we believe the adjustments to shareholders' equity are significant to gaining an understanding of our overall results of operations and financial condition

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. 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 exposure.
- Cost of crediting is the interest credited to the policyholders on our fixed strategies as well as the option costs on the indexed 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 indexed annuity strategies are divided by the average account value of our deferred annuities. 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, (f) net investment payables and receivables and (g) 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 to understand our business performance as it relates to deposits generated during a specific period of time. Our sales statistics include deposits for 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).

#### Safe Harbor for 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, Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and Section 21E of the Securities Exercise Act of 1934, as amended. 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; the implementation and the accuracy of our interpretation of the Tax Act, which was enacted on December 22, 2017 and made key changes to the U.S. tax law; 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 Iowa 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 annual report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2017, and our quarterly report on Form 10-Q for the three months ended March 31, 2018, which can be found at the SEC's website www.sec.gov.

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 operating results.

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# Athene Holding Ltd. Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets (unaudited)

(In millions)		ine 30, 2018	De	cember 31, 2017
Assets		2010		2017
Investments				
Fixed maturity securities, at fair value				
Available-for-sale securities	\$	59,762	\$	61,012
Trading securities	•	2,053	· ·	2,196
Equity securities, at fair value		216		790
Mortgage loans, net of allowances		7,609		6,233
Investment funds		633		699
Policy loans		504		530
Funds withheld at interest		7,700		7,085
Derivative assets		1,929		2,551
Real estate		_		624
Short-term investments, at fair value		289		201
Other investments		123		133
Total investments		80,818		82,054
Cash and cash equivalents		3,608		4,888
Restricted cash		178		105
Investments in related parties				
Fixed maturity securities, at fair value				
Available-for-sale securities		956		406
Trading securities		278		307
Investment funds		1,836		1,310
Funds withheld at interest		14,221		_
Short-term investments, at fair value		172		52
Other investments		388		238
Accrued investment income		662		652
Reinsurance recoverable		4,847		4,972
Deferred acquisition costs, deferred sales inducements and value of business acquired		4,715		2,930
Other assets		1,265		969
Assets of consolidated variable interest entities				
Investments				
Fixed maturity securities, trading, at fair value – related party		48		48
Equity securities, at fair value – related party		163		240
Investment funds		593		571
Cash and cash equivalents		2		4
Other assets		5		1
Total assets	\$	114,755	\$	99,747
				(Continued)

	June 30,	, December 31,
(In millions)	2018	2017
Liabilities and Equity		
Liabilities		
Interest sensitive contract liabilities	\$	87,052 \$ 67,708
Future policy benefits		13,970 17,507
Other policy claims and benefits		136 211
Dividends payable to policyholders		118 1,025
Short-term debt		183 —
Long-term debt		991 —
Derivative liabilities		137 134
Payables for collateral on derivatives		1,746 2,323
Funds withheld liability		389 407
Other liabilities		1,524 1,222
Liabilities of consolidated variable interest entities		4 2
Total liabilities	10	06,250 90,539
Equity		
Common stock		
Additional paid-in capital		3,492 3,472
Retained earnings		4,887 4,321
Accumulated other comprehensive income	<u>_</u>	126 1,415
Total shareholders' equity		8,505 9,208
Total liabilities and equity	\$ 1	14,755 \$ 99,747
		(Concluded

	Three months ended June			ne 30,
(In millions)	2018		2017	
Revenue				
Premiums	\$	726	\$	379
Product charges		106		85
Net investment income		958		821
Investment related gains (losses)		(2)		460
OTTI investment losses				
OTTI losses		_		(12)
OTTI losses (gains) recognized in OCI				1
Net OTTI losses		_		(11)
Other revenues		6		8
Revenues of consolidated variable interest entities				
Net investment income		14		10
Investment related gains (losses)		(11)		11
Total revenues		1,797		1,763
Benefits and Expenses				
Interest sensitive contract benefits		332		553
Amortization of DSI		23		11
Future policy and other policy benefits		857		578
Amortization of DAC and VOBA		92		67
Dividends to policyholders		9		49
Policy and other operating expenses		153		168
Operating expenses of consolidated variable interest entities		1		
Total benefits and expenses		1,467		1,426
Income before income taxes		330		337
Income tax expense (benefit)		66		11
Net income	\$	264	\$	326

# **Non-GAAP Measure Reconciliations**

The reconciliation of net income to adjusted operating income excluding notable items is as follows:

	Three	Three months ended June 30,		
(In millions)	2018		2017	
Net income	\$	264 \$	326	
Less: Total non-operating adjustments		(26)	46	
Adjusted operating income		290	280	
Notable Items		(11)	(41)	
Adjusted operating income excluding notable items	\$	279 \$	239	
Retirement Services adjusted operating income	\$	289 \$	267	
Rider reserve and DAC equity market performance		(13)	(44)	
Tax impact of notable items		2	3	
Retirement Services notable items		(11)	(41)	
Retirement Services adjusted operating income excluding notable items		278	226	
Corporate and Other adjusted operating income		1	13	
Adjusted operating income excluding notable items	\$	279 \$	239	

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

	Three Months Ended June 30,		
	 2018	2017	
Basic earnings per share – Class A common shares	\$ 1.34 \$	1.66	
Non-operating adjustments			
Investment gains (losses), net of offsets	(0.38)	0.29	
Change in fair values of derivatives and embedded derivatives – FIAs, net of offsets	0.39	0.08	
Integration, restructuring and other non-operating expenses	(0.05)	(0.06)	
Stock compensation expense	(0.02)	(0.07)	
Income tax (expense) benefit – non-operating	(0.09)	(0.02)	
Less: Total non-operating adjustments	(0.15)	0.22	
Less: Effect of items convertible to or settled in Class A common shares	0.01	0.01	
Adjusted operating earnings per share	\$ 1.48 \$	1.43	

The reconciliation of basic weighted average Class A shares to weighted average shares outstanding – adjusted operating, is as follows:

	Three Months Ended June 30,			
(In millions)	2018	2017		
Basic weighted average shares outstanding – Class A	164.5	106.3		
Conversion of Class B shares to Class A shares	25.5	82.9		
Conversion of Class M shares to Class A shares	4.7	6.2		
Effect of other stock compensation plans	0.4	0.5		
Weighted average shares outstanding – adjusted operating	195.1	195.9		

The reconciliation of shareholders' equity to adjusted shareholders' equity included in adjusted book value per share, adjusted debt to capital ratio, adjusted ROE and adjusted operating ROE is as follows:

June 30,			
	2018		2017
\$	8,505	\$	8,284
	126		1,060
	12		152
\$	8,367	\$	7,072
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The reconciliation of net income to adjusted net income included in adjusted ROE is as follows:

	Three Months Ended June 30,				
(In millions)		2018		2017	
Net income	\$	264	\$		326
Reinsurance unrealized gains and losses		95			(45)
Adjusted net income	\$	359	\$		281

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

	June 30,			
(In millions)	2018	2017		
Class A common shares outstanding	164.5	119.3		
Conversion of Class B shares to Class A shares	25.5	70.1		
Conversion of Class M shares to Class A shares	5.4	6.4		
Effect of other stock compensation plans	1.0	0.9		
Adjusted operating common shares outstanding	196.4	196.7		

The reconciliation of book value per share to adjusted book value per share is as follows:

	June 30,						
	2018		2017				
Book value per share	\$ 43.10	\$	42.20				
AOCI	(0.64)		(5.40)				
Accumulated reinsurance unrealized gains and losses	(0.06)		(0.77)				
Effect of items convertible to or settled in Class A common shares	 0.20		(80.0)				
Adjusted book value per share	\$ 42.60	\$	35.95				

The reconciliation of debt to capital ratio to adjusted debt to capital ratio is as follows:

	Jun	e 30,	
	2018		2017
Total debt	\$ 1,174	\$	_
Total shareholders' equity	8,505		8,284
Total capitalization	9,679		8,284
Less: AOCI	126		1,060
Less: Accumulated reinsurance unrealized gains and losses	 12		152
Total adjusted capitalization	\$ 9,541	\$	7,072
Debt to capital ratio	12.1%		—%
AOCI	0.2%		—%
Accumulated reinsurance unrealized gains and losses	 —%		—%
Adjusted debt to capital ratio	12.3%		—%

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

	Three months ended June 30,											
	_	2		7								
(In millions)	_	Dollar	Rate	Dollar		Rate						
GAAP net investment income	\$	958	4.47 %	\$	821	4.38 %						
Reinsurance embedded derivative impacts		72	0.34 %		52	0.28 %						
Net VIE earnings		1	— %		21	0.11 %						
Alternative income gain (loss)		(1)	— %		6	0.03 %						
Other		(21)	(0.10)%		(15)	(0.08)%						
Total adjustments to arrive at net investment earnings/earned rate		51	0.24 %		64	0.34 %						
Total net investment earnings/earned rate	\$	1,009	4.71 %	\$	885	4.72 %						
Retirement Services	\$	983	4.74 %	\$	821	4.85 %						
Corporate and Other		26	3.71 %		64	3.53 %						
Total net investment earnings/earned rate	\$	1,009	4.71 %	\$	885	4.72 %						
Retirement Services average invested assets	\$	82,879		\$	67,577							
Corporate and Other average invested assets		2,848			7,345							
Average invested assets	\$	85,727		\$	74,922							

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

	Three months ended June 30,									
		2018	8	2	017					
(In millions)		Dollar	Rate	Dollar	Rate					
GAAP interest sensitive contract benefits	\$	332	2.00 %	\$ 553	3.95 %					
Interest credited other than deferred annuities		(41)	(0.25)%	(42)	(0.30)%					
FIA option costs		206	1.25 %	149	1.07 %					
Product charges (strategy fees)		(23)	(0.14)%	(17)	(0.12)%					
Reinsurance embedded derivative impacts		3	0.02 %	9	0.06 %					
Change in fair values of embedded derivatives – FIAs		(168)	(1.01)%	(399)	(2.85)%					
Negative VOBA amortization		7	0.04 %	10	0.07 %					
Unit linked change in reserve		_	— %	1	0.01 %					
Other changes in interest sensitive contract liabilities		2	0.01 %	_	— %					
Total adjustments to arrive at cost of crediting on deferred annuities		(14)	(0.08)%	(289)	(2.06)%					
Retirement Services cost of crediting on deferred annuities	\$	318	1.92 %	\$ 264	1.89 %					
Average account value on deferred annuities	\$	66,241		\$ 56,001						

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

		June 30,							
(In millions)	20	2018		2017					
Total investments, including related parties	\$	98,669	\$	78,699					
Derivative assets		(1,929)		(1,808)					
Cash and cash equivalents (including restricted cash)		3,786		3,583					
Accrued income		662		566					
Derivative collateral		(1,746)		(1,860)					
Reinsurance funds withheld and modified coinsurance		(130)		(444)					
VIE and VOE assets, liabilities and noncontrolling interest		809		949					
AFS unrealized (gain) loss		(370)		(2,335)					
Ceded policy loans		(284)		(332)					
Net investment receivables (payables)		(858)		(739)					
Total adjustments to arrive at invested assets		(60)		(2,420)					
Total invested assets	\$	98,609	\$	76,279					



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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 information that may enhance an investor's 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.

#### Adjusted Operating Income

Adjusted operating income 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 adjusted operating income equals net income 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 mode 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 securities. Investment gains and losses are net of offsets related to DAC, DSI, and VOBA amortization and changes to guaranteed lifetime withdrawal benefit (GLWB) and guaranteed minimum death benefits (GMDB) reserves (together, GLWB and GMDB reserves represent rider 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 rider 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 acquisitions and block reinsurance costs 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—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.
- Income Taxes (Expense) Benefit 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 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, we believe adjusted operating income, provides a meaningful financial metric that helps investors understand our underlying results and profitability. Adjusted operating income should not be used as a substitute for net income.

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#### Adjusted ROE, Adjusted Operating ROE and Adjusted Net Income

Adjusted ROE, adjusted operating ROE and adjusted net income are non-GAAP measures used to evaluate our financial performance excluding the impacts of AOCI and funds withheld and modco reinsurance unrealized gains and losses, in each case net of DAC, DSI, rider reserve and tax offsets. Adjusted ROE is calculated as adjusted net income, divided by adjusted shareholders' equity. Adjusted shareholders' equity is calculated as the ending shareholders' equity excluding AOCI and funds withheld and modco reinsurance unrealized gains and losses. Adjusted operating ROE is calculated as the adjusted operating income, divided by adjusted shareholders' equity. Adjusted net income is calculated as net income excluding funds withheld and modco reinsurance unrealized gains and losses, net of DAC, DSI, rider reserve and tax offsets. These adjustments fluctuate 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 muturity throughout the duration of market fluctuations, therefore, the period-over-period impacts in unrealized gains and losses are not necessarily indicative of current adjusted operating fundamentals or future performance. Accordingly, we believe using measures which exclude AOCI and funds withheld and modco reinsurance unrealized gains and losses are useful in analyzing trends in our operating results. To enhance the ability to analyze these measures across periods, interim periods are annualized. Adjusted ROE, adjusted operating ROE and adjusted net income should not be used as a substitute for ROE and net income. However, we believe the adjustments to equity are significant to gaining an understanding of our overall results of operations.

# Adjusted Operating Earnings Per Share, Weighted Average Shares Outstanding - Adjusted Operating and Adjusted Book Value Per Share

Adjusted operating earnings per share, weighted average shares outstanding – adjusted operating and adjusted book value per share 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 represents an economic view of our share counts and provides a simplified and consistent view of our outstanding shares. Adjusted operating earnings per share is calculated as the adjusted operating income, over the weighted average shares outstanding – adjusted operating. Adjusted obook value per share is calculated as the adjusted shareholders' equivy divided by the adjusted operating 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 payment 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 are not dilutive they are excluded. Weighted average shares outstanding – adjusted operating and adjusted operating 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, but excluding any awards for which the exercise or conversion price exceeds the market value of our Class A common shares on the applicable measurement date. For certain historical periods, Class M shares were not included due to issuance restrictions which were contingent upon our IPO. Adjusted operating earnings per share of our overal

## Adjusted Debt to Capital Ratio

Adjusted debt to capital ratio is a non-GAAP measure used to evaluate our financial condition excluding the impacts of AOCI and funds withheld and modco reinsurance unrealized gains and losses, net of DAC, DSI, rider reserve and tax offsets. Adjusted debt to capital ratio is calculated as total debt excluding consolidated VIEs divided by adjusted shareholders' equity. Adjusted debt to capital ratio should not be used as a substitute for the debt to capital ratio. However, we believe the adjustments to shareholders' equity are significant to gaining an understanding of our overall results of operations and financial condition.

## 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.

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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 exposure.

Cost of crediting is the interest credited to the policyholders on our fixed strategies as well as the option costs on the indexed 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 indexed annuity strategies are divided by the average account value of our deferred annuities. 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.

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.

#### 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, (f) net investment payables and receivables and (g) 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 modeo 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 and 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 recoverable, 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 to understand our business performance as it relates to deposits generated during a specific period of time. Our sales statistics include deposits for 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).

	Year-to	-date		 2	018			2017			
2018		2017		 Q2		Q1	 Q4	 Q3		Q2	
			Deposits								
3,324	4 \$	2,734	Retail sales	\$ 2,038	\$	1,286	\$ 1,282	\$ 1,337	\$	1,635	
677	7	380	Flow reinsurance	473		204	305	190		214	
425	5	1,700	Funding agreements	125		300	_	1,300		1,050	
320	0	327	Pension risk transfer	 54		266	 1,926	 		327	
4,746	6	5,141	Total organic deposits	 2,690		2,056	3,513	2,827		3,226	
19,104	4		Inorganic deposits	 19,104		_	_	_		_	
\$ 23,850	0 \$	5,141	Total deposits	\$ 21,794	\$	2,056	\$ 3,513	\$ 2,827	\$	3,226	
			Consolidated results of operations								
532	2 \$	710	Net income	\$ 264	\$	268	\$ 464	\$ 274	\$	326	
527	7	546	Adjusted operating income	290		237	332	231		280	
12.4	4%	18.7%	ROE	12.3%		12.0%	20.8%	13.0%		16.4	
16.6		18.4%	Adjusted ROE	17.5%		16.5%	24.9%	14.6%		16.2	
12.9		16.2%	Adjusted operating ROE	14.2%		12.1%	17.7%	12.8%		16.2	
			Retirement Services								
\$ 524	4 \$	542	Adjusted operating income	\$ 289	\$	235	\$ 306	\$ 244	\$	267	
18.0	0%	23.1%	Adjusted operating ROE	19.8%		17.3%	23.3%	19.1%		22.0	
			Earnings per share								
\$ 2.70	0 \$	3.66	Basic <sup>1</sup>	\$ 1.34	\$	1.36	\$ 2.36	\$ 1.40	\$	1.66	
\$ 2.69	9 \$	3.59	Diluted – Class A <sup>2</sup>	\$ 1.33	\$	1.36	\$ 2.35	\$ 1.39	\$	1.65	
\$ 2.69	9 \$	2.79	Adjusted operating earnings per share <sup>3</sup>	\$ 1.48	\$	1.21	\$ 1.69	\$ 1.18	\$	1.43	
			Book Value per share:								
\$ 43.10	0 \$	42.20	Book value per share	\$ 43.10	\$	44.09	\$ 46.76	\$ 44.16	\$	42.20	
\$ 42.60	0 \$	35.95	Adjusted book value per share <sup>3</sup>	\$ 42.60	\$	40.66	\$ 38.77	\$ 37.27	\$	35.95	
			Balance sheet items:								
\$ 114,755	5 \$	93,594	Total assets	\$ 114,755	\$	93,557	\$ 99,747	\$ 96,061	\$	93,594	
98,609	9	76,279	Invested assets	98,609		78,723	82,298	78,804		76,279	
106,250	0	85,310	Total liabilities	106,250		84,862	90,539	87,392		85,310	
96,140	0	75,290	Reserve liabilities	96,140		75,746	81,183	77,850		75,290	
8,505	5	8,284	Total shareholders' equity	8,505		8,695	9,208	8,669		8,284	
8,367	7	7,072	Adjusted shareholders' equity	8,367		8,003	7,632	7,343		7,072	
12.1	1%	%	Debt to capital ratio	12.1%		10.2%	%	%		_	
12.3	3%	%	Adjusted debt to capital ratio	12.3%		11.0%	%	%		_	
			Share data:								
197.2	2	194.1	Weighted average shares outstanding – basic <sup>1</sup>	197.3		197.1	196.7	196.3		195.	
157.0	0	95.6	$Weighted\ average\ shares\ outstanding-diluted-Class\ A\ common\ shares^2$	164.8		149.0	126.4	119.9		109.0	
195.6	6	195.8	Weighted average shares outstanding – adjusted operating <sup>3</sup>	195.1		196.0	196.1	196.0		195.9	
197.3	3	196.3	Common shares outstanding <sup>4</sup>	197.3		197.2	196.9	196.3		196.3	
196.4	4	196.7	Adjusted operating common shares outstanding <sup>3</sup>	196.4		196.8	196.9	197.0		196.7	

<sup>196.4 196.7</sup> Adjusted operating common shares outstanding<sup>3</sup> 196.4 196.8 196.9 197.0 196. \*Please refer to *Note to the Financial Supplement* section and the *Non-GAAP Measure Reconciliations* for discussion on adjusted operating income, adjusted Operating ROE, adjusted book value and adjusted debt to capital ratio.

adjusted debt to capital ratio.

Basic earnings per share, including basic weighted average shares outstanding, includes all classes eligible to participate in dividends for each period presented.

Diluted 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.

Represents Class A common shares outstanding or weighted average common shares outstanding assuming 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 and any other stock-based awards, but excluding any awards for which the exercise or conversion price exceeds the market value of our Class A common shares on the applicable measurement date.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Represents common shares outstanding for all classes eligible to participate in dividends for each period presented.

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		20	018			2017	
		Q2		Q1	 Q4	 Q3	 Q2
Capitalization							
Total debt	\$	1,174	\$	992	\$ _	\$ _	\$ _
Total shareholders' equity		8,505		8,695	 9,208	 8,669	 8,284
Total capitalization		9,679		9,687	9,208	8,669	8,284
Less: AOCI		126		585	1,415	1,162	1,060
Less: Accumulated reinsurance unrealized gains and losses		12		107	 161	 164	 152
Total adjusted capitalization	\$	9,541	\$	8,995	\$ 7,632	\$ 7,343	\$ 7,072
	<u></u>						
Total shareholders' equity	\$	8,505	\$	8,695	\$ 9,208	\$ 8,669	\$ 8,284
Less: AOCI		126		585	1,415	1,162	1,060
Less: Accumulated reinsurance unrealized gains and losses		12		107	 161	 164	 152
Total adjusted shareholders' equity	\$	8,367	\$	8,003	\$ 7,632	\$ 7,343	\$ 7,072
Retirement Services	\$	6,114	\$	5,552	\$ 5,304	\$ 5,207	\$ 5,013
Corporate and Other		2,253		2,451	 2,328	 2,136	 2,059
Total adjusted shareholders' equity	\$	8,367	\$	8,003	\$ 7,632	\$ 7,343	\$ 7,072
Debt to capital ratio		12.1%		10.2%	—%	%	%
AOCI		0.2%		0.7%	%	-%	%
Accumulated reinsurance unrealized gains and losses		-%		0.1%	%	 %	—%
Adjusted debt to capital ratio <sup>1</sup>		12.3%		11.0%	 _%	 -%	 _%

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Total debt in Q2 2018 includes a short term borrowing of \$183 million that is expected to be paid down in Q3 2018.

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Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets
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	June 30, 2018	December 31, 2017
Assets		
Investments		
Fixed maturity securities, at fair value		
Available-for-sale securities	\$ 59,762	\$ 61,012
Trading securities	2,053	2,196
Equity securities, at fair value	216	790
Mortgage loans, net of allowances	7,609	6,233
Investment funds	633	699
Policy loans	504	530
Funds withheld at interest	7,700	7,085
Derivative assets	1,929	2,551
Real estate	_	624
Short-term investments, at fair value	289	201
Other investments	123	133
Total investments	80,818	82,054
Cash and cash equivalents	3,608	4,888
Restricted cash	178	105
Investments in related parties		
Fixed maturity securities, at fair value		
Available-for-sale securities	956	406
Trading Securities	278	307
Investment funds	1,836	1,310
Funds withheld at interest	14,221	_
Short-term investments, at fair value	172	52
Other investments	388	238
Accrued investment income	662	652
Reinsurance recoverable	4,847	4,972
Deferred acquisition costs, deferred sales inducements and value of business acquired	4,715	2,930
Other assets	1,265	969
Assets of consolidated variable interest entities		
Investments		
Fixed maturity securities, trading, at fair value - related party	48	48
Equity securities, at fair value – related party	163	240
Investment funds	593	571
Cash and cash equivalents	2	4
Other assets	5	1
Total assets	\$ 114,755	\$ 99,747

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Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets
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	June 30, 2018	December 31, 2017
Liabilities and Equity		
Liabilities		
Interest sensitive contract liabilities	\$ 87,052	\$ 67,708
Future policy benefits	13,970	17,507
Other policy claims and benefits	136	211
Dividends payable to policyholders	118	1,025
Short-term debt	183	_
Long-term debt	991	_
Derivative liabilities	137	134
Payables for collateral on derivatives	1,746	2,323
Funds withheld liability	389	407
Other liabilities	1,524	1,222
Liabilities of consolidated variable interest entities	4	2
Total liabilities	106,250	90,539
Equity		
Common Stock	_	_
Additional paid-in-capital	3,492	3,472
Retained earnings	4,887	4,321
Accumulated other comprehensive income	126	1,415
Total shareholders' equity	8,505	9,208
Total liabilities and equity	\$ 114,755	\$ 99,747

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Condensed Consolidated Statements of Income
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Ye	ar-to-date		2018					2017						
2018	2017		(	Q2		Q1	Q4			Q3		Q2		
		Revenue:												
\$ 1,004	\$ 431	Premiums	\$	726	\$	278	\$	1,962	\$	72	\$	379		
202	166	Product charges		106		96		88		86		85		
1,813	1,607	Net investment income		958		855		842		820		821		
(238)	1,142	Investment related gains (losses)		(2)		(236)		957		473		460		
		Other-than-temporary impairment investment losses												
(3)	(12)	Other-than-temporary impairment losses		_		(3)		(6)		(11)		(12)		
_	_	Other-than-temporary impairment losses reclassified to (from) other comprehensive income		_		_		(2)		(2)		1		
(3)	(12)	Net other-than-temporary impairment losses				(3)		(8)		(13)		(11)		
12	16	Other revenues		6		6		13		8		8		
		Revenues related to consolidated variable interest entities												
24	20	Net investment income		14		10		12		10		10		
(6)	12	Investment related gains (losses)		(11)		5		6		17		11		
2,808	3,382	Total revenues		1,797		1,011		3,872		1,473		1,763		
		Benefits and expenses:												
351	1,245	Interest sensitive contract benefits		332		19		960		621		553		
43	29	Amortization of deferred sales inducements		23		20		21		13		11		
1,258	792	Future policy and other policy benefits		857		401		2,112		259		578		
181	171	Amortization of deferred acquisition costs and value of business acquired		92		89		99		80		67		
22	81	Dividends to policyholders		9		13		(11)		48		49		
295	321	Policy and other operating expenses		153		142		193		158		168		
1		Operating expenses of consolidated variable interest entities		1				_						
2,151	2,639	Total benefits and expenses		1,467		684		3,374		1,179		1,426		
657	743	Income before income taxes		330		327		498		294		337		
125	33	Income tax expense		66		59		34		20		11		
\$ 532	\$ 710	Net income	\$	264	\$	268	\$	464	\$	274	\$	326		

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Segment Results of Operations
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# Results of operations by segment

Year	-to-d	late		2018					2017						
 2018		2017			Q2		Q1		Q4		Q3		Q2		
\$ 532	\$	710	Net income	\$	264	\$	268	\$	464	\$	274	\$	326		
			Non-operating adjustments												
28		35	Realized gains (losses) on sale of AFS securities		11		17		73		29		24		
16		(12)	Unrealized, impairments, and other investment gains (losses)		10		6		8		(3)		(15)		
(207)		133	Assumed modco and funds withheld reinsurance embedded derivatives		(129)		(78)		(1)		20		65		
 56		(41)	Offsets to investment gains (losses)		34		22		(21)		(21)		(16)		
(107)		115	Investment gains (losses), net of offsets		(74)		(33)		59		25		58		
170		109	Change in fair values of derivatives and embedded derivatives – FIAs, net of offsets		75		95		111		46		15		
(16)		(20)	Integration, restructuring and other non-operating expenses		(8)		(8)		(34)		(14)		(11)		
(5)		(23)	Stock compensation expense		(2)		(3)		(3)		(7)		(13)		
(37)		(17)	Income tax (expense) benefit – non-operating		(17)		(20)		(1)		(7)		(3)		
5		164	Less: Total non-operating adjustments		(26)		31		132		43		46		
\$ 527	\$	546	Adjusted operating income	\$	290	\$	237	\$	332	\$	231	\$	280		
			Adjusted operating income by segment												
\$ 524	\$	542	Retirement Services	\$	289	\$	235	\$	306	\$	244	\$	267		
3		4	Corporate and Other		1		2		26		(13)		13		
\$ 527	\$	546	Adjusted operating income	\$	290	\$	237	\$	332	\$	231	\$	280		
\$ 2.70	\$	3.66	Basic earnings per share – Class A common shares	\$	1.34	\$	1.36	\$	2.36	\$	1.40	\$	1.66		
			Non-operating adjustments												
0.14		0.18	Realized gains (losses) on sale of AFS securities		0.05		0.09		0.37		0.15		0.12		
0.08		(0.06)	Unrealized, impairments, and other investment gains (losses)		0.05		0.03		0.04		(0.02)		(0.08)		
(1.06)		0.68	Assumed modeo and funds withheld reinsurance embedded derivatives		(0.66)		(0.40)		_		0.10		0.34		
0.29		(0.21)	Offsets to investment gains (losses)		0.18		0.11		(0.11)		(0.10)		(0.09)		
 (0.55)		0.59	Investment gains (losses), net of offsets		(0.38)		(0.17)		0.30		0.13		0.29		
0.87		0.56	Change in fair values of derivatives and embedded derivatives – FIAs, net of offsets		0.39		0.49		0.57		0.23		0.08		
(0.08)		(0.10)	Integration, restructuring and other non-operating expenses		(0.05)		(0.04)		(0.18)		(0.07)		(0.06)		
(0.03)		(0.12)	Stock compensation expense		(0.02)		(0.01)		(0.02)		(0.04)		(0.07)		
 (0.19)		(0.09)	Income tax (expense) benefit – non-operating		(0.09)		(0.10)		(0.01)		(0.03)		(0.02)		
0.02		0.84	Less: Total non-operating adjustments	-	(0.15)		0.17		0.66		0.22		0.22		
(0.01)		0.03	Effect of items convertible to or settled in Class A common shares		0.01		(0.02)		0.01		_		0.01		
\$ 2.69	\$	2.79	Adjusted operating earnings per share	\$	1.48	\$	1.21	\$	1.69	\$	1.18	\$	1.43		

 $<sup>^{*}</sup>$  Please refer to  $Note \ to \ the \ Financial \ Supplement$  section for discussion on adjusted operating income.

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## Consolidated summary of adjusted operating income

Ye	Year-to-date			2018			2017					
2018		2017		Q2		Q1		Q4	Q3		Q2	
\$ 1,719	\$	1,519	Fixed income and other investment income	\$ 921	\$	798	\$	810	\$	782	\$	774
183		180	Alternative investment income	 88		95		51		81		111
1,902		1,699	Net investment earnings	1,009		893		861		863		885
(593)		(527)	Cost of crediting on deferred annuities	(318)		(275)		(271)		(268)		(264)
(527)		(452)	Other liability costs <sup>1</sup>	(268)		(259)		(136)		(273)		(251)
(24)		(4)	Interest expense	(14)		(10)		(2)		(1)		(2)
(143)		(154)	Operating expenses	 (70)		(73)		(87)		(77)		(80)
615		562	Pre-tax adjusted operating income	339		276		365		244		288
(88)		(16)	Income tax (expense) benefit – operating	 (49)		(39)		(33)		(13)		(8)
\$ 527	\$	546	Adjusted operating income	\$ 290	\$	237	\$	332	\$	231	\$	280

# Retirement Services summary of adjusted operating income

Ye	ear-to-date		 20	)18					
2018	2017		Q2	Q1		Q4	Q3		Q2
\$ 1,672	\$ 1,451	Fixed income and other investment income	\$ 897	\$ 775	\$	772	\$ 745	\$	739
177	150	Alternative investment income	86	9		57	66		82
1,849	1,601	Net investment earnings	983	860	,	829	811		821
(593)	(527)	Cost of crediting on deferred annuities	(318)	(275	)	(271)	(268)		(264)
(527)	(404)	Other liability costs	(268)	(259	)	(172)	(228)		(224)
(3)	(2)	Interest expense	(3)	_		_	(1)		(1)
(114)	(106)	Operating expenses	 (56)	(58	()	(55)	(51)		(54)
612	562	Pre-tax adjusted operating income	338	274		331	263		278
(88)	(20)	Income tax (expense) benefit – operating	 (49)	(39	)	(25)	(19)		(11)
\$ 524	\$ 542	Adjusted operating income	\$ 289	\$ 235	\$	306	\$ 244	\$	267

# Corporate and Other summary of adjusted operating income

	Ye	ar-to-date		 20	018			2017					
	2018	2017		Q2 Q1		Q1		Q4		Q3	Q2		
\$	47	\$ 68	Fixed income and other investment income	\$ 24	\$	23	\$	38	\$	37	\$	35	
_	6	30	Alternative investment income	2		4		(6)		15		29	
	53	98	Net investment earnings	26		27		32		52		64	
	_	(48)	Other liability costs	_		_		36		(45)		(27)	
	(21)	(2)	Interest expense	(11)		(10)		(2)		_		(1)	
_	(29)	(48)	Operating expenses	(14)		(15)		(32)		(26)		(26)	
	3	_	Pre-tax adjusted operating income	1		2		34		(19)		10	
	_	4	Income tax (expense) benefit - operating					(8)		6		3	
\$	3	\$ 4	Adjusted operating income	\$ 1	\$	2	\$	26	\$	(13)	\$	13	

<sup>\*</sup> Please refer to Note to the Financial Supplement section and the Non-GAAP Measure Reconciliations for discussion on adjusted operating income.

¹ Other liability costs include DAC, DSI and VOBA amortization and rider reserve changes for all products, the cost of liabilities on products other than deferred annuities including offsets for premiums, product charges and other revenues.

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Net Investment Earned Rate and Investment Margin on Deferred Annuities

Unaudited (In millions, except percentages)

# Consolidated summary of net investment earned rate (a non-GAAP measure)

Year-to-date			20	18			
2018	2017		Q2	Q1	Q4	Q3	Q2
4.41%	4.31%	Fixed income and other investments	4.49%	4.32%	4.22%	4.23%	4.34%
9.78%	10.40%	Alternative investments	9.37%	10.38%	5.46%	9.07%	12.69%
4.66%	4.60%	Total net investment earned rate	4.71%	4.60%	4.28%	4.45%	4.72%

<sup>\*</sup> Please refer to Note to the Financial Supplement section and the Non-GAAP Measure Reconciliations for discussion on net investment earned rate.
\* The investment results above are presented net of investment management fees.

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

	Year-to-date			20	18	2017				
_	2018	2017		Q2	Q1	Q4	Q3	Q2		
	4.68%	4.80%	Net investment earned rate	4.74%	4.63%	4.57%	4.64%	4.85%		
_	1.89%	1.90%	Cost of crediting on deferred annuities	1.92%	1.87%	1.87%	1.88%	1.89%		
	2.79%	2.90%	Investment margin on deferred annuities	2.82%	2.76%	2.70%	2.76%	2.96%		

<sup>\*</sup> Please refer to Note to the Financial Supplement section and the Non-GAAP Measure Reconciliations for discussion on investment margin, net investment earned rate and cost of crediting on deferred annuities.

# Retirement Services summary of net investment earned rate

Year	-to-da	ate		 20	018			2017	
2018		2017		Q2 Q1		Q4	Q3	Q2	
4.40%		4.53%	Fixed income and other investments	4.49%		4.32%	4.43%	4.44%	4.55%
 11.64%		11.48%	Alternative investments	11.28%		12.34%	 7.92%	 9.79%	 12.28%
4.68%		4.80%	Total net investment earned rate	4.74%		4.63%	4.57%	4.64%	4.85%
\$ 1,672	\$	1,451	Fixed income and other investment income  Alternatives investment income	\$ 897 86	\$	775 91	\$ 772 57	\$ 745 66	\$ 739 82
\$ 1,849	\$	1,601	Total net investment earnings	\$ 983	\$	866	\$ 829	\$ 811	\$ 821
			Average invested assets						
\$ 75,965	\$	64,038	Fixed income and other investments	\$ 79,847	\$	71,778	\$ 69,690	\$ 67,190	\$ 64,955
3,035		2,597	Alternative investments	3,032		2,957	2,897	2,678	2,622
\$ 79,000	\$	66,635	Total average invested assets	\$ 82,879	\$	74,735	\$ 72,587	\$ 69,868	\$ 67,577

<sup>\*</sup> The investment results above are presented net of investment management fees.

# Retirement Services summary of cost of crediting on deferred annuities

Year-to-date		ite		2018					2017						
2018		2017			Q2		Q1		Q4		Q3		Q2		
\$ 341	\$	277	FIA option costs	\$	186	\$	155	\$	149	\$	144	\$	140		
252		250	Fixed interest credited to policyholders		132		120		122		124		124		
\$ 593	\$	527	Cost of crediting on deferred annuities	\$	318	\$	275	\$	271	\$	268	\$	264		
1.89%		1.90%	Cost of crediting on deferred annuities rate		1.92%		1.87%		1.87%		1.88%		1.89%		
\$ 62,694	\$	55,627	Average account value on deferred annuities	\$	66,241	\$	58,993	\$	58,033	\$	57,050	\$	56,001		

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## Deferred annuities account value rollforward

 Year-to-date		ate		_	2018					2017					
 2018		2017			Q2		Q1		Q4		Q3			Q2	
\$ 58,539	\$	54,880	Account value at beginning of period	<u> </u>	\$	59,447	\$	58,539	\$	57,526	\$	56,574	\$	55,429	
4,045		3,194	Deposits <sup>1</sup>			2,529		1,516		1,613		1,546		1,886	
17,721		_	Acquisition and block reinsurance <sup>2</sup>			17,721		_		_		_		_	
120		80	Premium and interest bonuses			73		47		39		40		44	
1,331		925	Fixed and index credits to policyholders			672		659		544		486		464	
(2,749)		(2,377)	Surrenders and benefits paid			(1,511)		(1,238)		(1,110)		(1,051)		(1,183)	
(159)		(128)	Fee and product charges			(83)		(76)		(73)		(69)		(66)	
\$ 78,848	\$	56,574	Account value at end of period	\$	\$	78,848	\$	59,447	\$	58,539	\$	57,526	\$	56,574	

<sup>\*</sup> The account value rollforwards on deferred annuities include our fixed rate and fixed indexed annuities and are net of ceded reinsurance activity.

¹ Deposits equal deposits from our retail and flow reinsurance channels as well as renewal deposits on older blocks of business and annuitizations.

² Acquisition and block reinsurance includes the Voya block reinsurance account value in Q2 2018.

# Surrender charge protection and account values by product type

		Surrender Charge		Net Accor	ount Value	
	Average years at issue	Average years at issue Average years remaining remaining				Percent of Total
Fixed index annuities	10.0	4.9	7%	\$	62,472	79.2%
Single-year fixed rate guaranteed annuities	7.5	0.9	2%		9,819	12.5%
Multi-year fixed rate guaranteed annuities	5.9	3.2	7%		6,557	8.3%
Total				\$	78,848	100.0%

# Summary of surrender charge percentages

	Net account value									
	Surrender charge (gross)	Percent of Total	Surrender charge (net of MVA)	Percent of Total						
No surrender charge	\$ 14,806	18.8%	\$ 14,806	18.8%						
0.0% < 2.0%	552	0.7%	712	0.9%						
2.0% < 4.0%	1,988	2.5%	3,989	5.1%						
4.0% < 6.0%	8,888	11.3%	9,094	11.5%						
6.0% < 8.0%	13,908	17.6%	8,317	10.5%						
8.0% < 10.0%	17,384	22.0%	13,280	16.8%						
10.0% or greater	21,322	27.1%	28,650	36.4%						
	\$ 78,848	100.0%	\$ 78,848	100.0%						

	Surrender charge (gross)	MVA benefit	Surrender charge (net)
Aggregate surrender charge protection	6.8%	1.1%	7.9%

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# Surrender charge expiration by year

Years of surrender charge remaining	erred annuities ecount value	Percent of total	Average surrender charge percent (gross of MVA)
No Surrender Charge	\$ 14,806	18.8%	—%
> 0 to less than 2	13,015	16.5%	4.7%
2 to less than 4	16,580	21.0%	7.2%
4 to less than 6	12,517	15.9%	8.5%
6 to less than 8	8,079	10.2%	10.0%
8 to less than 10	10,017	12.7%	11.0%
10 to less than 12	2,495	3.2%	14.0%
12 or greater	1,339	1.7%	14.7%
	\$ 78,848	100.0%	

# Minimum guarantees on deferred annuities

	At minimur guarantees			Total account value	Percent of total account value at minimum guarantees		
Fixed indexed annuities	\$	17,052	\$	62,472	27%		
Fixed rate annuities		8,555		16,376	52%		
Total deferred annuities	\$	25,607	\$	78,848	32%		

		June 30, 2018
Di	istance to guarantees <sup>1</sup>	90-100

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The distance to guarantee reflects the average distance in option costs between the current and guaranteed rates for indexed strategies and between current and guaranteed fixed rates for fixed strategies. The option costs used reflects an estimate of option cost in the market.

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Athene Holding Ltd. Financial Supplement—June 30, 2018 Consolidated Reserve Liabilities Unaudited (In millions, except percentages)

## Consolidated reserve liabilities

	 June 30, 20	018	December 31, 2017			
	Dollars	Percent of Total	Dollars		Percent of Total	
Fixed indexed annuities	\$ 64,836	67.4%	\$	48,431	59.6 %	
Fixed rate annuities	16,630	17.3%		13,412	16.5 %	
Total deferred annuities	81,466	84.7%		61,843	76.1 %	
Payout annuities	6,112	6.4%		5,216	6.4 %	
Pension risk transfer annuities	2,518	2.6%		2,252	2.8 %	
Funding agreements	3,903	4.1%		3,786	4.7 %	
Life and other (excluding German products)	2,141	2.2%		2,281	2.8 %	
Retirement Services reserve liabilities	96,140	100.0%		75,378	92.8 %	
Germany products <sup>1</sup>	_	%		5,979	7.4 %	
Intersegment eliminations		%		(174)	(0.2)%	
Total reserve liabilities	\$ 96,140	100.0%	\$	81,183	100.0 %	

<sup>\*</sup> Please refer to Note to the Financial Supplement section and the Non-GAAP Measure Reconciliations for discussion on reserve liabilities.

1 On January 1, 2018, Germany was deconsolidated and our equity interest was exchanged for common shares of Athora Holding Ltd..

# Reserve liability rollforward

Y	ear-to	-date		 2	018		2017					
2018		2017		Q2		Q1	Q4		Q3		Q2	
\$ 75,378	\$	65,745	Retirement Services reserve liabilities – beginning	\$ 75,746	\$	75,378	\$ 72,100	\$	69,719	\$	67,013	
4,924		5,366	Deposits <sup>1</sup>	2,789		2,135	3,592		2,910		3,307	
19,104		_	Acquisition and block reinsurance <sup>2</sup>	19,104		_	_		_		_	
(3,567)		(3,078)	Withdrawals	(1,812)		(1,755)	(1,361)		(1,311)		(1,408)	
301		1,686	Other reserve changes	 313		(12)	1,047		782		807	
96,140		69,719	Retirement Services reserve liabilities - ending	96,140		75,746	75,378		72,100		69,719	
_		5,737	Germany reserve liabilities <sup>3</sup>	_		_	5,979		5,921		5,737	
		(166)	Intersegment eliminations	 		_	 (174)		(171)		(166)	
\$ 96,140	\$	75,290	Consolidated reserve liabilities – ending	\$ 96,140	\$	75,746	\$ 81,183	\$	77,850	\$	75,290	

Deposits equal deposits from our retail, flow reinsurance and institutional channels as well as premiums and deposits for life and products other than deferred annuities or our institutional products, renewal deposits on older blocks of business and annuitizations.
 Acquisition and block reinsurance includes total reserves at inception. Q2 2018 includes the Voya block reinsurance.
 On January 1, 2018, Germany was deconsolidated and our equity interest was exchanged for common shares of Athora Holding Ltd.

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

	 June 30, 2	2018	December 31, 2017		
	 Carrying Value	Percent of Total	Carrying Value	Percent of Total	
Fixed maturity securities, at fair value					
Available-for-sale securities					
U.S. government and agencies	\$ 142	0.1%	\$ 62	0.1%	
U.S. state, municipal and political subdivisions	1,271	1.3%	1,165	1.4%	
Foreign governments	199	0.2%	2,683	3.2%	
Corporate	36,854	37.4%	36,660	43.4%	
CLO	5,352	5.4%	5,084	6.0%	
ABS	4,716	4.8%	3,971	4.7%	
RMBS	8,904	9.0%	9,366	11.1%	
CMBS	2,324	2.4%	2,021	2.4%	
Trading securities, at fair value	2,053	2.1%	2,196	2.6%	
Equity securities	216	0.2%	790	0.9%	
Mortgage loans, net of allowances	7,609	7.7%	6,233	7.4%	
Investment funds	633	0.6%	699	0.8%	
Policy loans	504	0.5%	530	0.6%	
Funds withheld at interest	7,700	7.8%	7,085	8.4%	
Derivative assets	1,929	2.0%	2,551	3.0%	
Real estate	_	%	624	0.7%	
Short-term investments	289	0.3%	201	0.2%	
Other investments	 123	0.1%	133	0.2%	
Total investments	80,818	81.9%	82,054	97.1%	
Investment in related parties					
Fixed maturity securities, at fair value:					
Available-for-sale securities	956	1.0%	406	0.5%	
Trading securities	278	0.3%	307	0.4%	
Investment funds	1,836	1.8%	1,310	1.6%	
Funds withheld at interest	14,221	14.4%	_	%	
Short term investments	172	0.2%	52	0.1%	
Other investments	388	0.4%	238	0.3%	
Total related party investments	17,851	18.1%	2,313	2.9%	
Total investments, including related parties	\$ 98,669	100.0%	\$ 84,367	100.0%	

### Fixed maturity securities by sector

			Jun	e 30, 2018		December 31, 2017				
	Ame	ortized Cost		Fair Value	Percent of Total	Amortized Cost		Fair Value	Percent of Total	
Corporate:										
Industrial other <sup>1</sup>	\$	11,896	\$	11,772	19.4%	\$ 11,550	\$	12,026	19.6%	
Financial		11,894		11,783	19.4%	11,299		11,824	19.3%	
Utilities		8,840		8,740	14.4%	7,991		8,296	13.5%	
Communication		2,483		2,438	4.0%	2,509		2,607	4.2%	
Transportation		2,145		2,121	3.5%	1,824		1,907	3.1%	
Total corporate		37,258		36,854	60.7%	35,173		36,660	59.7%	
Other government-related securities										
U.S. state, municipal and political subdivisions		1,152		1,271	2.1%	996		1,165	1.9%	
Foreign governments		203		199	0.3%	2,575		2,683	4.4%	
U.S. government and agencies		143		142	0.2%	63		62	0.1%	
Total non-structured securities		38,756		38,466	63.3%	38,807		40,570	66.1%	
Structured securities:										
CLO		5,828		5,824	9.6%	5,392		5,444	8.9%	
ABS		5,212		5,200	8.6%	3,991		4,017	6.5%	
CMBS		2,343		2,324	3.8%	1,994		2,021	3.3%	
RMBS										
Agency		116		115	0.2%	86		87	0.1%	
Non-agency		8,148		8,789	14.5%	8,635		9,279	15.1%	
Total structured securities		21,647		22,252	36.7%	20,098		20,848	33.9%	
Total fixed maturity securities, including related parties	\$	60,403	\$	60,718	100.0%	\$ 58,905	\$	61,418	100.0%	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> 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

	June 30, 201	18	December 31, 2017		
	Fair Value	Percent of Total	Fair Value	Percent of Total	
NAIC designation					
1	\$ 31,056	51.2%	\$ 32,447	52.8%	
2	 26,017	42.8%	25,082	40.9%	
Total investment grade	 57,073	94.0%	57,529	93.7%	
3	2,832	4.7%	3,040	5.0%	
4	679	1.1%	765	1.2%	
5	124	0.2%	66	0.1%	
6	 10	0.0%	18	0.0%	
Total below investment grade	 3,645	6.0%	3,889	6.3%	
Total fixed maturity securities, including related parties	\$ 60,718	100.0%	\$ 61,418	100.0%	

 $<sup>{\</sup>bf * Germany \ fixed \ maturity \ securities, including \ related \ parties \ applying \ NRSRO \ ratings \ to \ map \ to \ NAIC \ designations.}$ 

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	June 30, 201	18	December 31, 2017		
	 Fair Value	Percent of Total	Fair Value	Percent of Total	
NRSRO rating agency designation					
AAA/AA/A	\$ 20,704	34.1%	\$ 21,448	34.9%	
BBB	23,837	39.3%	23,572	38.4%	
Non-rated <sup>1</sup>	6,932	11.4%	6,592	10.7%	
Total investment grade <sup>2</sup>	51,473	84.8%	51,612	84.0%	
BB	2,878	4.7%	3,091	5.0%	
В	1,096	1.8%	1,198	2.0%	
ccc	3,004	5.0%	2,696	4.4%	
CC and lower	1,572	2.6%	2,302	3.8%	
Non-rated <sup>1</sup>	695	1.1%	519	0.8%	
Total below investment grade	9,245	15.2%	9,806	16.0%	
Total fixed maturity securities, including related parties	\$ 60,718	100.0%	\$ 61,418	100.0%	

### Credit quality of residential mortgage backed securities

	June 30, 2018				December 31, 2017							
	Principal Amount	Amo	ortized Cost		Fair Value	Percent of Total	Principal Amount	Amo	ortized Cost	I	Fair Value	Percent of Total
NAIC designation												
1	\$ 8,970	\$	7,603	\$	8,219	92.4%	\$ 9,543	\$	8,089	\$	8,714	93.0%
2	 396		372		385	4.3%	 386		348		360	3.8%
Total investment grade	 9,366	_	7,975		8,604	96.7%	 9,929		8,437		9,074	96.8%
3	201		184		189	2.1%	238		209		213	2.3%
4	123		103		109	1.2%	83		70		73	0.8%
5	1		1		1	0.0%	5		5		6	0.1%
6	 2	_	1		1	0.0%	 1					_%
Total below investment grade	 327		289		300	3.3%	327		284		292	3.2%
Total	\$ 9,693	\$	8,264	\$	8,904	100.0%	\$ 10,256	\$	8,721	\$	9,366	100.0%

<sup>1</sup> Securities denoted as non-rated by the NRSRO were classified as investment or non-investment grade according to the security's respective NAIC designation.

2 We view the NAIC designation methodology as the most appropriate way to view our fixed maturity portfolio when evaluating credit risk 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 all contractual payments, including principal at par regardless of entry price, while the NAIC designation 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.

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

		June 30, 20	18	December 31, 2017		
		Net Carrying Value	Percent of Total	Net Carrying Value	Percent of Total	
Property type						
Office building	\$	1,769	23.2%	\$ 1,187	19.0%	
Retail		1,710	22.4%	1,223	19.6%	
Hotels		895	11.8%	928	14.9%	
Industrial		858	11.3%	944	15.2%	
Apartment		545	7.2%	525	8.4%	
Other commercial <sup>1</sup>	_	457	6.0%	440	7.1%	
Total commercial mortgage loans		6,234	81.9%	5,247	84.2%	
Residential loans	_	1,375	18.1%	986	15.8%	
Total mortgage loans, net of allowances	<u>\$</u>	7,609	100.0%	\$ 6,233	100.0%	
US Region:						
East North Central	\$	921	12.1%	\$ 643	10.3%	
East South Central		160	2.1%	144	2.3%	
Middle Atlantic		1,025	13.5%	909	14.6%	
Mountain		512	6.7%	492	7.9%	
New England		144	1.9%	162	2.6%	
Pacific		1,362	17.9%	991	15.9%	
South Atlantic		1,362	17.9%	873	14.0%	
West North Central		189	2.5%	233	3.8%	
West South Central		559	7.3%	655	10.5%	
Total US Region		6,234	81.9%	5,102	81.9%	
International Region		_	%	145	2.3%	
Total commercial mortgage loans		6,234	81.9%	5,247	84.2%	
Residential loans		1,375	18.1%	986	15.8%	
Total mortgage loans, net of allowances	\$	7,609	100.0%	\$ 6,233	100.0%	

<sup>1</sup> Other commercial loans include investments in nursing homes, parking garages, restaurants, mobile home parks and other commercial properties.

### Investment funds including related party

		June 30, 20	18	December 31, 2017		
	_	Carrying Value	Percent of Total	Carrying Value	Percent of Total	
Investment funds						
Private equity	\$	237	7.7%	\$ 271	10.5%	
Real estate and other real assets		179	5.9%	161	6.2%	
Natural resources		4	0.1%	4	0.2%	
Hedge funds		53	1.7%	61	2.4%	
Credit funds		160	5.2%	202	7.8%	
Total investment funds		633	20.6%	699	27.1%	
Investment funds – related parties						
Private equity – A-A Mortgage (AmeriHome)		432	14.1%	403	15.6%	
Private equity		441	14.4%	180	7.0%	
Real estate and other real assets		499	16.3%	297	11.5%	
Natural resources		91	3.0%	74	2.9%	
Hedge funds		98	3.2%	93	3.6%	
Credit funds		275	9.0%	263	10.2%	
Total investment funds – related parties	_	1,836	60.0%	1,310	50.8%	
Total investment funds – assets of consolidated VIEs						
Private equity – MidCap		541	17.7%	528	20.4%	
Credit funds		1	%	21	0.8%	
Real estate and other real assets		51	1.7%	22	0.9%	
Total investment funds – assets of consolidated VIEs		593	19.4%	571	22.1%	
Total investment funds, including related parties and VIEs	\$	3,062	100.0%	\$ 2,580	100.0%	

<sup>\*</sup> Investment funds, including related party, is the GAAP measure which does not include investments that we view as alternative investments. Alternative investments include CLO equity tranche securities that are included in trading securities in the GAAP view, investment funds included in our funds withheld at interest reinsurance portfolios, net assets of VIEs other than investment funds as well as royalties and other investments. Please refer to Note to the Financial Supplement section for discussion on invested assets including alternative investments and the Non-GAAP Measure Reconciliations section for the reconciliation of investment funds to alternative investments.

# $\underline{Funds\ withheld\ at\ interest\ including\ related\ party}$

	Jur	ne 30, 2018	Decemb	ber 31, 2017
	Carrying Value	Percent of Total	Carrying Value	Percent of Total
Fixed maturity securities				
U.S. government and agencies	\$ 77	0.4 %	\$	%
U.S. state, municipal and political subdivisions	507	2.3 %	117	1.6%
Foreign governments	122	0.6 %	_	%
Corporate	11,615	53.0 %	2,095	29.6%
CLO	767	3.5 %	669	9.4%
ABS	1,269	5.8 %	886	12.5%
CMBS	839	3.8 %	290	4.1%
RMBS	2,054	9.4 %	1,551	21.9%
Equity securities	51	0.2 %	28	0.4%
Mortgage loans	3,476	15.8 %	792	11.2%
Investment funds	486	2.2 %	376	5.3%
Derivative assets	289	1.3 %	78	1.1%
Short-term investments	332	1.5 %	16	0.2%
Cash and cash equivalents	311	1.4 %	132	1.9%
Other assets and liabilities	(274)	(1.2)%	55	0.8%
Total funds withheld at interest, including related party	\$ 21,921	100.0 %	\$ 7,085	100.0%

### Invested assets summary

	June 3	30, 2018	0, 2018 December 31, 2017				
	al Invested set Value <sup>1</sup>	Percent of Total	U.S. and Bermuda Invested Asset Value	Germany Invested Asso Value <sup>2</sup>	et	Total Invested Asset Value <sup>1</sup>	Percent of Total
Corporate	\$ 50,217	51.0%	\$ 37,059	\$ 1,53	6	\$ 38,595	46.9%
CLO	6,286	6.4%	5,914			5,914	7.2%
Credit	56,503	57.4%	42,973	1,53	6	44,509	54.1%
RMBS	10,557	10.7%	10,532	-	_	10,532	12.8%
Mortgage loans	11,088	11.2%	6,858	16	5	7,023	8.5%
CMBS	3,188	3.2%	2,322	-	_	2,322	2.8%
Real estate held for investment	 _	%		62	5	625	0.8%
Real estate	24,833	25.1%	19,712	79	0	20,502	24.9%
ABS	6,589	6.7%	4,824	-	_	4,824	5.9%
Alternative investments	3,913	4.0%	3,692	13	7	3,829	4.6%
State, municipals, political subdivisions and foreign government	2,055	2.1%	1,347	2,41	1	3,758	4.5%
Unit linked assets	_	%	_	40	17	407	0.5%
Equity securities	289	0.3%	192	12	8	320	0.4%
Short-term investments	736	0.7%	228	-	_	228	0.3%
U.S. government and agencies	 221	0.2%	29	3	5	64	0.1%
Other investments	13,803	14.0%	10,312	3,11	8	13,430	16.3%
Cash and equivalents	2,353	2.4%	2,504	29	6	2,800	3.4%
Policy loans and other	1,117	1.1%	761	29	6	1,057	1.3%
Total invested assets	\$ 98,609	100.0%	\$ 76,262	\$ 6,03	6	\$ 82,298	100.0%

<sup>1</sup> Please refer to Note to the Financial Supplement section for discussion on invested assets including alternative investments and the Non-GAAP Measure Reconciliations section for the reconciliation of investment funds to alternative investments. 2 On January 1, 2018, Germany was deconsolidated and our equity interest was exchanged for common shares of Athora Holding Ltd.

### Alternative investments summary

	Jun	e 30, 2	018	December 3	1, 2017
	Invested Asset Va	lue1	Percent of Total	Invested Asset Value <sup>1</sup>	Percent of Total
Credit funds	\$	659	16.8%	\$ 784	20.4%
Private equity – MidCap		541	13.8%	528	13.8%
Private equity – A-A Mortgage (AmeriHome)		530	13.5%	496	12.9%
Private equity – other		764	19.6%	554	14.5%
Mortgage and real assets		883	22.6%	643	16.8%
Hedge funds		179	4.6%	467	12.2%
Public equities		121	3.1%	171	4.5%
Natural resources and other real assets		236	6.0%	186	4.9%
ternative investments	\$ 3,	913	100.0%	\$ 3,829	100.0%

<sup>\*</sup> Alternative investments does not correspond to the total investment funds, including related parties and VIEs, on our condensed consolidated balance sheets. Alternative investments adjusts the GAAP presentation to include CLO equity tranche securities that are included in trading securities in the GAAP view, investment funds included in our funds withheld at interest reinsurance portfolios, net assets of VIEs other than investment funds as well as royalties and other investments. Please refer to Note to the Financial Supplement section for discussion on invested assets including alternative investments and the Non-GAAP Measure Reconciliations section for the reconciliation of investment funds to alternative investments.

### Net investment earned rates by asset class

Year-	-to-date		20	18		2017	
2018	2017		Q2	Q1	Q4	Q3	Q2
3.95%	3.95%	Corporate securities	3.97%	3.90%	3.97%	3.91%	3.98%
		Structured securities					
5.65%	5.71%	RMBS	5.87%	5.42%	5.22%	5.45%	5.96%
5.14%	5.05%	CLO	5.09%	5.09%	4.93%	5.25%	5.10%
4.57%	4.22%	ABS	4.95%	4.03%	5.54%	4.33%	4.28%
4.39%	4.09%	CMBS	4.64%	4.16%	4.12%	4.18%	4.13%
5.15%	5.12%	Total structured securities	5.33%	4.91%	5.11%	5.06%	5.26%
4.61%	7.05%	State, municipal, political subdivisions and U.S. and foreign government	4.63%	4.72%	4.59%	4.54%	4.82%
5.55%	5.86%	Mortgage loans	5.63%	5.57%	5.89%	5.92%	5.92%
9.78%	10.64%	Alternative investments	9.37%	10.38%	6.04%	8.92%	13.11%
2.11%	1.56%	Other U.S. and Bermuda invested assets	2.27%	2.14%	1.55%	1.65%	1.58%
4.66%	4.83%	U.S. and Bermuda	4.71%	4.60%	4.52%	4.65%	4.96%
%	1.72%	Germany <sup>1</sup>	%	%	1.32%	2.04%	1.73%
4.66%	4.60%	Consolidated total	4.71%	4.60%	4.28%	4.45%	4.72%

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> On January 1, 2018, Germany was deconsolidated and our equity interest was exchanged for common shares of Athora Holding Ltd.

### Invested assets NAIC 1 & 2 designation by asset class

	June 30, 2018	December 31, 2017
Corporate securities	93.6%	93.1%
Structured securities		
RMBS	96.6%	96.7%
CLO	90.6%	85.8%
ABS	94.7%	93.9%
CMBS	91.7%	96.0%
Total structured securities	94.1%	93.3%
State, municipal, political subdivisions and U.S. and foreign government	97.3%	95.5%
Germany fixed maturity securities <sup>1</sup>	—%	95.0%

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>On January 1, 2018, Germany was deconsolidated and our equity interest was exchanged for common shares of Athora Holding Ltd. As of December 31, 2017, NAIC 1 and 2 for Germany indicates the percentage of total AFS fixed maturities by applying NRSRO ratings to map to NAIC designations.

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### 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
Senior notes	bbb	BBB	BBB-

# **Capital Metrics**

	Decem	ber 31,
	2017	2016
U.S. RBC ratio – Athene Annuity & Life Assurance Company	490%	478%
BSCR – Athene Life Re Ltd.	354%	228%
Athene Life Re Ltd. RBC ratio <sup>1</sup>	562%	529%

<sup>1</sup> 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.

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

Year-to-date			20	18			
2018	2017		Q2	Q2 Q1		Q3	Q2
156.6	92.4	Basic weighted average shares outstanding – Class A	164.5	148.7	126.0	119.5	106.3
33.3	96.7	Conversion of Class B shares to Class A shares	25.5	41.1	63.5	69.9	82.9
5.3	6.2	Conversion of Class M shares to Class A shares	4.7	5.8	6.1	6.1	6.2
0.4	0.5	Effect of other stock compensation plans	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5
195.6	195.8	Weighted average shares outstanding – adjusted operating	195.1	196.0	196.1	196.0	195.9

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

	20	018		2017	
	Q2	Q1	Q4	Q3	Q2
Class A common shares outstanding	164.5	164.5	142.2	119.9	119.3
Conversion of Class B shares to Class A shares	25.5	25.5	47.4	69.5	70.1
Conversion of Class M shares to Class A shares	5.4	5.8	6.4	6.7	6.4
Effect of other stock compensation plans	1.0	1.0	0.9	0.9	0.9
Adjusted operating common shares outstanding	196.4	196.8	196.9	197.0	196.7

### Summary of adjustments to book value per share to arrive at adjusted book value per share

	 20	18			2017	
	 Q2		Q1	Q4	Q3	Q2
Book value per share	\$ 43.10	\$	44.09	\$ 46.76	\$ 44.16	\$ 42.20
AOCI	(0.64)		(2.97)	(7.19)	(5.92)	(5.40)
Accumulated reinsurance unrealized gains and losses	(0.06)		(0.54)	(0.82)	(0.83)	(0.77)
Effect of items convertible to or settled in Class A common shares	 0.20		0.08	0.02	(0.14)	(0.08)
Adjusted book value per share	\$ 42.60	\$	40.66	\$ 38.77	\$ 37.27	\$ 35.95

# The reconciliation of net income to adjusted net income included in adjusted ROE

Year-to-date				20	018			2017			
2018 2017		017		Q2		Q1	Q4	Q3	Q2		
\$	5.	32	\$	710	Net income	\$ 264	\$	268	\$ 464	\$ 274	\$ 326
	14	49		(88)	Reinsurance unrealized gains and losses	95		54	2	(12)	(45)
\$	68	81	\$	622	Adjusted net income	\$ 359	\$	322	\$ 466	\$ 262	\$ 281

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

	Year	-to-da	ite		 20	18			2017		
	2018		2017		Q2		Q1	Q4	Q3		Q2
\$	1,813	\$	1,607	GAAP net investment income	\$ 958	\$	855	\$ 842	\$ 820	\$	821
	117		97	Reinsurance embedded derivative impacts	72		45	54	40		52
	16		32	Net VIE earnings	1		15	18	27		21
	_		(7)	Alternative income gain (loss)	(1)		1	(9)	(4)		6
	(44)		(30)	Held for trading amortization	 (21)		(23)	 (44)	 (20)		(15)
	89		92	Total adjustments to arrive at net investment earnings	 51		38	 19	 43		64
\$	1,902	\$	1,699	Total net investment earnings	\$ 1,009	\$	893	\$ 861	\$ 863	\$	885
\$	1,849	\$	1,601	Retirement Services	\$ 983	\$	866	\$ 829	\$ 811	\$	821
	53		98	Corporate and Other	26		27	32	52		64
\$	1,902	\$	1,699	Total net investment earnings	\$ 1,009	\$	893	\$ 861	\$ 863	\$	885
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	4.44 %		4.35 %	GAAP net investment income rate	4.47 %		4.41 %	4.18 %	4.23 %		4.38 %
	0.29 %		0.26 %	Reinsurance embedded derivative impacts	0.34 %		0.22 %	0.27 %	0.20 %		0.28 %
	0.04 %		0.09 %	Net VIE earnings	—%		0.08 %	0.09 %	0.14 %		0.11 %
	—%		(0.02)%	Alternative income gain (loss)	—%		0.01 %	(0.04)%	(0.02)%		0.03 %
	(0.11)%		(0.08)%	Held for trading amortization	 (0.10)%		(0.12)%	 (0.22)%	(0.10)%		(0.08)%
	0.22 %		0.25 %	Total adjustments to arrive at net investment earned rate	 0.24 %		0.19 %	0.10 %	0.22 %		0.34 %
	4.66 %		4.60 %	Consolidated net investment earned rate	 4.71 %		4.60 %	 4.28 %	4.45 %		4.72 %
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	4.68 %		4.80 %	Retirement Services	4.74 %		4.63 %	4.57 %	4.64 %		4.85 %
	4.01 %		2.71 %	Corporate and Other	3.71 %		3.76 %	1.61 %	2.72 %		3.53 %
	4.66 %		4.60 %	Consolidated net investment earned rate	4.71 %		4.60 %	4.28 %	4.45 %		4.72 %
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\$	79,000	\$	66,635	Retirement Services average invested assets	\$ 82,879	\$	74,735	\$ 72,587	\$ 69,868	\$	67,577
	2,646		7,258	Corporate and Other average invested assets	2,848		2,844	7,964	7,673		7,345
\$	81,646	\$	73,893	Average invested assets	\$ 85,727	\$	77,579	\$ 80,551	\$ 77,541	\$	74,922

### <u>Summary of adjustments to interest sensitive contract benefits to arrive at cost of crediting on deferred annuities</u>

	Year	-to-d	ate		20	18					2017		
	2018		2017		Q2		Q1		Q4		Q3		Q2
\$	351	\$	1,245	GAAP interest sensitive contract benefits	\$ 332	\$	19	\$	960	\$	621	\$	553
	(81)		(68)	Interest credited other than deferred annuities	(41)		(40)		(37)		(41)		(42)
	380		294	FIA option costs	206		174		159		154		149
	(45)		(34)	Product charges (strategy fees)	(23)		(22)		(20)		(19)		(17)
	6		18	Reinsurance embedded derivative impacts	3		3		10		9		9
	(35)		(933)	Change in fair values of embedded derivatives - FIAs	(168)		133		(799)		(464)		(399)
	17		22	Negative VOBA amortization	7		10		10		8		10
	_		(17)	Unit linked change in reserve	_		_		(12)		_		1
				Other changes in interest sensitive contract liabilities	 2		(2)						_
	242		(718)	Total adjustments to arrive at cost of crediting on deferred annuities	 (14)		256		(689)		(353)		(289)
\$	593	\$	527	Retirement Services cost of crediting on deferred annuities	\$ 318	\$	275	\$	271	\$	268	\$	264
_	1.12 %		4.48 %	GAAP interest sensitive contract benefits	2.00 %		0.13 %		6.62 %		4.35 %		3.95 %
	(0.26)%		(0.24)%	Interest credited other than deferred annuities	(0.25)%		(0.27)%		(0.26)%		(0.29)%		(0.30)%
	1.21 %		1.05 %	FIA option costs	1.25 %		1.18 %		1.10 %		1.08 %		1.07 %
	(0.14)%		(0.12)%	Product charges (strategy fees)	(0.14)%		(0.15)%		(0.14)%		(0.13)%		(0.12)%
	0.02 %		0.06 %	Reinsurance embedded derivative impacts	0.02 %		0.02 %		0.07 %		0.06 %		0.06 %
	(0.11)%		(3.35)%	Change in fair values of embedded derivatives - FIAs	(1.01)%		0.90 %		(5.51)%		(3.25)%		(2.85)%
	0.05 %		0.08 %	Negative VOBA amortization	0.04 %		0.07 %		0.07 %		0.06 %		0.07 %
	—%		(0.06)%	Unit linked change in reserve	—%		—%		(0.08)%		—%		0.01 %
	-%		-%	Other changes in interest sensitive contract liabilities	0.01 %		(0.01)%		-%		-%		%
	0.77 %		(2.58)%	Total adjustments to arrive at cost of crediting on deferred annuities	(0.08)%		1.74 %		(4.75)%		(2.47)%		(2.06)%
_	1.89 %	_	1.90 %	Retirement Services cost of crediting on deferred annuities	 1.92 %	_	1.87 %	_	1.87 %	_	1.88 %	_	1.89 %
\$	62,694	\$	55,627	Average account value on deferred annuities	\$ 66,241	\$	58,993	\$	58,033	\$	57,050	\$	56,001

### <u>Summary of adjustments to total investments, including related parties to arrive at invested assets</u>

	Ju	ne 30, 2018	Decemb	er 31, 2017
Total investments, including related parties	\$	98,669	\$	84,367
Derivative assets		(1,929)		(2,551)
Cash and cash equivalents (including restricted cash)		3,786		4,993
Accrued investment income		662		652
Payables for collateral on derivatives		(1,746)		(2,323)
Reinsurance funds withheld and modified coinsurance		(130)		(579)
VIE and VOE assets, liabilities and noncontrolling interest		809		862
AFS unrealized (gain) loss		(370)		(2,794)
Ceded policy loans		(284)		(296)
Net investment receivables (payables)		(858)		(33)
Total adjustments to arrive at invested assets		(60)		(2,069)
Total invested assets	\$	98,609	\$	82,298

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

	Ju	ne 30, 2018	Dece	mber 31, 2017
Investment funds, including related parties and VIEs	\$	3,062	\$	2,580
CLO equities included in trading securities		139		182
Financial Credit Investment special-purpose vehicle included in trading securities related party		_		287
Investment funds within funds withheld at interest		463		416
Royalties, other assets included in other investments and other assets		72		76
Net assets of the VIE, excluding investment funds		177		288
Total adjustments to arrive at alternative investments		851		1,249
Alternative investments	\$	3,913	\$	3,829

## Summary of adjustments to total liabilities to arrive at reserve liabilities

		June 30, 2018	December 31, 2017
Total liabilities	\$	106,250	\$ 90,539
Short-term debt		(183)	_
Long-term debt		(991)	_
Derivative liabilities		(137)	(134)
Payables for collateral on derivatives		(1,746)	(2,323)
Funds withheld liability		(389)	(407)
Other liabilities		(1,524)	(1,222)
Liabilities of consolidated VIEs		(4)	(2)
Reinsurance ceded receivables		(4,847)	(4,972)
Policy loans ceded		(284)	(296)
Other		(5)	
Total adjustments to arrive at reserve liabilities		(10,110)	(9,356)
Total reserve liabilities		96,140	81,183
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