

8. A policyholder's deposit account established solely to facilitate payment of regular premiums;

9. Settlement options under life insurance or annuity contracts.

(4) DEFINITIONS. (a) "Contract Summary" means a written statement to be provided to the buyer at the time of contract delivery describing the elements of the annuity contract or deposit fund in the manner set out in sub. (6).

(b) "Preliminary Contract Summary" means a written statement to be provided to the buyer prior to sale which describes the elements of the annuity contract or deposit fund in the manner set out in sub. (5).

(c) "Wisconsin Buyer's Guide to Annuities" means the document which contains, and is limited to, the language set forth in Appendix I to this section.

(d) "Yields" means those effective annual interest rates at which the accumulation of 100% of all gross considerations would be equal to the guaranteed and illustrated cash surrender values at the points specified. For contracts without surrender values the yields shall be figured on the basis of the contract values used to determine annuity payments at the points specified.

(5) PRELIMINARY CONTRACT SUMMARY. The Preliminary Contract Summary shall include:

(a) A prominently placed title, PRELIMINARY CONTRACT SUMMARY, followed by an identification of the arrangement to which the statement applies;

(b) The name and address of the insurance intermediary or, if no intermediary is involved, a statement of the procedure to be followed in order to receive responses to inquiries;

(c) The full name and home office or administrative office address of the insurer;

(d) A statement as to whether the arrangement provides any guaranteed death benefits during the deferral period;

(e) A prominent statement that the contract does not provide cash surrender values, if such is the case;

(f) For arrangements under which guaranteed cash surrender values at any duration are less than the total scheduled considerations paid, a prominent statement that such contract or fund may result in loss if kept for only a few years;

(g) Any minimum or maximum premium limitations;

(h) A prominent description of all fees, charges, and loading amounts that are or may be deducted from initial or subsequent considerations paid or that are or may be deducted from the contract or fund values prior to or at contract maturity, including but not limited to, any surrender penalties, discontinuance fees, partial surrender or withdrawal penalties or fees, transaction fees, and account maintenance fees;

(i) In the event any sales promotion literature or oral representation illustrates values or annuity payments which are based on dividends, ex-

cess interest credits, or current annuity rates, then the Preliminary Contract Summary shall contain a statement that such dividends, excess interest credits, and current annuity purchase rates are not guaranteed and that any corresponding values and annuity amounts are illustrations only and are not guaranteed;

(j) A statement that the insurer shall provide the prospective customer a Contract Summary upon request.

(6) **CONTRACT SUMMARY.** The Contract Summary shall include:

(a) A prominently placed title, **CONTRACT SUMMARY**, followed by an identification of the arrangement to which the statement applies;

(b) The name and address of the insurance intermediary or, if no intermediary is involved, a statement of the procedure to be followed in order to receive responses to inquiries;

(c) The full name and home office or administrative office address of the insurer;

(d) Any guaranteed death benefits during the deferral period, and the form of annuity payment selected for pars. (f), (g) and (i);

(e) A prominent statement that the contract does not provide cash surrender values if such is the case;

(f) The amount of the guaranteed annuity payments at the scheduled commencement thereof, based on the assumption that all scheduled considerations are paid and there are no prior withdrawals from or partial surrenders of the arrangement and no indebtedness to the insurer on the contract;

(g) Illustrative annuity payments on a current basis, if shown, must be on the same basis as for par. (f) except for guarantees, and may not be greater in amount than those based on:

1. The current dividend scale and the interest rate currently used to accumulate dividends under such arrangements, or the current excess interest rate credited by the insurer, and

2. Current annuity purchase rates;

(h) For arrangements under which guaranteed cash surrender values at any duration are less than the total considerations paid, a prominent statement that such contract or fund may result in loss if kept for only a few years and showing the number of years such a relationship exists, together with a reference to the schedule of guaranteed cash surrender values required by par. (i) 3.;

(i) The following amounts, where applicable, for the first 5 years and representative years thereafter sufficient to illustrate clearly the patterns of considerations and benefits, including but not limited to the tenth and twentieth contract years and at least one age from 60 through 65 or the scheduled commencement of annuity payments:

1. The gross consideration for the arrangement;

2. Any minimum or maximum premium limitation;

3. The total guaranteed cash surrender value at the end of the year or, if no guaranteed cash surrender values are provided, the total guaranteed paid-up annuity at the end of the year;

4. If other than guaranteed cash values are shown, the total illustrative cash value or paid-up annuity at the end of the year may not be greater in amount than that based on:

a. The current dividend scale and the interest rate currently used to accumulate dividends under such arrangements or the current excess interest rate credited by the insurer, and

b. Current annuity purchase rates.

(im) If the annuity payments have not yet commenced, the yield on gross considerations at the end of 10 years and at the scheduled commencement of annuity payments. For contracts without surrender values, only the yield at the scheduled commencement of annuity payments need be shown. The yield shall be figured on the basis of the contract value used to determine the annuity payments. These yield figures shall be shown on a guaranteed basis and, if current annuity payments or cash surrender values are shown, on an illustrative basis also.

(in) A statement of the interest rates used in calculating the guaranteed and illustrative contract or fund values.

(j) For a Contract Summary which includes values based on the current dividend scale or the current dividend accumulation or excess interest rate, a statement that such values are illustrations and are not guaranteed;

(k) The date on which the Contract Summary is prepared.

(7) PREPARATION OF PRELIMINARY CONTRACT SUMMARY AND CONTRACT SUMMARY. The following must be considered in preparing the Preliminary Contract Summary and the Contract Summary:

(a) The Preliminary Contract Summary and the Contract Summary must be separate documents;

(b) All information required to be disclosed must be set out in such a manner as not to minimize or render any portion thereof obscure;

(c) Any amounts which remain level for 2 years or more contract years may be represented by a single number if it is clearly indicated what amounts are applicable for each contract year;

(d) Amounts in sub. (6) (d), (f), (g) and (i) shall, in the case of flexible premium annuity arrangements, be determined either according to an anticipated pattern of consideration payments or on the assumption that considerations payable will be a specified level amount, such as \$100 or \$1,000 per year;

(e) If not specified in the contract, annuity payments shall be assumed to commence at age 65 or 10 years from issue, whichever is later;

(f) A dividend scale or excess interest rate which has been publicly declared by the insurer with an effective date not more than two months subsequent to the date of declaration shall be considered a current dividend scale or a current excess interest rate.

(8) **DISCLOSURE REQUIREMENTS.** (a) The insurer and its intermediaries shall provide, to all prospective purchasers of any contract or arrangement subject to this section, a copy of the current edition of the Wisconsin Buyer's Guide to Annuities and a properly completed Preliminary Contract Summary or Contract Summary prior to accepting the applicant's initial consideration for the annuity contract, or, in the case of a rider or provision, prior to acceptance of the applicant's initial consideration for the associated insurance policy or annuity contract. Insurers which do not market contracts through an intermediary may provide the Contract Summary, and the Wisconsin Buyer's Guide to Annuities at the point of contract delivery provided they:

1. Guarantee to the contractholder the right to return the contract for a full refund of premium any time during a 30 day period commencing on the date such contractholder receives the Contract Summary and the Wisconsin Buyer's Guide to Annuities;

2. Alert the prospective contractholder, in advertisements or direct mail solicitations, of his or her right to obtain a copy of the Wisconsin Buyer's Guide to Annuities and a Preliminary Contract Summary prior to the sale.

(b) The insurer and its intermediaries shall provide a Contract Summary upon delivery of the contract, if it has not been delivered beforehand;

(c) The insurer and its intermediaries shall provide a Wisconsin Buyer's Guide to Annuities and a Contract Summary to individual prospective purchasers upon reasonable request;

(d) Any statement provided subsequent to sale to a contractholder which purports to show the then current value of an arrangement subject to this section shall show the then current guaranteed cash surrender value or, if no guaranteed cash surrender value is provided the then current guaranteed paid-up annuity.

(9) **GENERAL REQUIREMENTS.** (a) Each insurer shall maintain at its home office or principal office a complete file containing one copy of each document authorized by the insurer for use pursuant to this section. Such file shall contain one copy of each authorized form for a period of at least 3 years following the date of its last authorized use;

(b) An intermediary shall inform the prospective purchaser, prior to commencing a sales presentation, that the intermediary is acting as an insurance intermediary and shall inform the prospective purchaser of the full name of the insurer which the intermediary is representing to the buyer. In sales situations in which an intermediary is not involved, the insurer shall identify its full name;

(c) Terms such as financial planner, investment advisor, financial consultant, or financial counseling shall not be used in such a way as to imply that the insurance intermediary is generally engaged in an advisory business in which compensation is unrelated to sales, unless such is actually the case;

(d) Any reference to dividends or to excess interest credits must include a statement that such dividends or credits are not guaranteed;

(f) The purchase or replacement of any arrangement subject to the provisions of this section shall not be recommended by any insurer or intermediary without reasonable grounds to believe that the recommendation is not unsuitable for the applicant on the basis of information furnished by such person after reasonable inquiry as may be necessary under the circumstances concerning the prospective buyer's annuity needs and means;

(g) A presentation of benefits shall not display guaranteed and non-guaranteed benefits as a single sum unless guaranteed benefits are shown separately in close proximity thereto and with equal prominence;

(h) Sales promotion literature and contract forms shall not state or imply that annuity arrangements are the same as savings accounts or deposits in banking or savings institutions. The use of policies or certificates which resemble savings bank passbooks is prohibited. If savings accounts or deposits in banking and savings institutions are utilized in connection with such annuity arrangements, this shall not prohibit the use of an accurate description of the annuity arrangement.

(10) **PENALTY.** Violations of this section shall subject the violator to s. 601.64, Stats.

Note: Rule revisions printed in July, 1987 will first apply to policies issued after October 1, 1987.

History: Cr. Register, October, 1980, No. 298, eff. 1-1-81; am. (1) and (2) (b) and appendix I, Register, June, 1982, No. 318, eff. 7-1-82; r. (11) under s. 13.93 (2m) (b) 16, Stats., Register, December, 1984, No. 348; r. and recr. (4) and appendix 1, am. (6) (intro.), (a), (i) and (j), (6) (intro.), (a), (j) and (k), (7) (intro.), (a), (8) (a), (b) and (c), cr. (6) (im) and (in), r. (9) (e) and (12), Register, July, 1987, No. 379, eff. 8-1-87.

## APPENDIX I

## WISCONSIN BUYER'S GUIDE TO ANNUITIES

## WHAT IS AN ANNUITY?

An annuity is a written contract between you and a life insurance company. In return for your premiums, the company will pay you an annuity which is a series of payments made at regular intervals. An annuity contract is not a life insurance policy or a health insurance policy. It is not a savings account or savings certificate and it should not be bought for short term purposes.

- AN ANNUITY IS NOT "RISK FREE" OR "GUARANTEED SAFE." IT IS ONLY AS SOUND AS THE INSURANCE COMPANY WHICH ISSUES IT.
- IF YOU TAKE YOUR MONEY OUT AFTER A SHORT TIME PENALTY PROVISIONS OF MANY CONTRACTS MEAN THAT YOU MAY GET BACK LESS THAN YOU PUT IN.

## TYPES OF ANNUITY CONTRACTS

Annuity contracts vary in a number of ways. The following are some of the more important ways:

## WHEN BENEFITS ARE RECEIVED

- Annuities may be either immediate or deferred. Immediate annuities provide income payments that start shortly after you pay the premium. Deferred annuities provide income payments that start at a later date. The main reason for buying an immediate annuity is to obtain an immediate income, most frequently for retirement purposes. The main reason for buying a deferred annuity is to accumulate money on a tax-deferred basis, which can then provide an income at a later date.

## HOW PREMIUMS ARE PAID

- Annuities may be either single premium or installment premium. Single premium contracts require you to pay the company only one premium. Installment premium contracts are designed for a series of premiums. Most of these are flexible premium contracts. You pay as much as you wish whenever you wish, within specified limits. Some are scheduled premium contracts that specify the size and frequency of your premiums.

## FIXED OR VARIABLE

- Annuities may be fixed, variable, or a combination of both. During the deferred period of a fixed annuity contract, interest is paid on the accumulated premiums (minus charges) at a rate set by the company. The deferred period of a variable annuity, interest is paid on the accumulated premiums (minus charges) at a rate that varies with the performance of a specified pool of investments. The amount of each annuity payment also varies with the performance of the pool. Combination

annuities allow you to put part of your premium in a fixed annuity and part in a variable annuity.

### ANNUITY CONTRACT FEATURES

The value of your annuity consists of the premiums you have paid, less charges, plus interest credited. This value is used to calculate the amount of benefits that you will receive. Charges, interest, surrender rights, and benefits are explained below.

### CHARGES

There are many types and amounts of charges. Companies may refer to these charges by different names. Some annuities are "front loaded", which means that most of the costs to the company are charged to you in the beginning. Some are "back loaded", which means that most of these costs are charged to you later on. Others spread their charges evenly throughout the life of the annuity. Some charges will be fixed by the contract while some may be changed by the company from time to time.

Before buying an annuity you should know all of the charges that you will pay and when you will pay them. Also, you should understand how these charges might affect the actual amount of money that will accumulate from your premium payments. A typical contract might contain one or more of the following types of charges:

- **Percentage of Premium Charge.** This charge, often called a "load," is deducted from each premium before any interest is added. The percentage may reduce after the contract has been in force for a certain number of years or after the total premiums paid have reached a certain level.
- **Contract Fee.** This is a flat dollar amount charged either once at the time of issue, or charged once each year.
- **Transaction Fee.** This is a fixed charge per premium payment or other transaction.
- **Surrender Charge.** This charge is usually a percentage of the value of the contract or of premiums paid. The percentage may be reduced or eliminated after the contract has been in force for a certain number of years. Sometimes the charge is a reduction in the interest rate credited. Sometimes the charge is eliminated if the interest rate declared by the company falls below a certain level.

### INTEREST

The interest rate used to accumulate contract values may never be less than the guaranteed rate stated in the contract. In practice, the interest rate actually used by a company, usually referred to as the "current" rate, is often higher. The company may change the current rate from time to time, but it cannot be lower than the guaranteed rate. Companies differ substantially in their methods of determining the current rate.

### SURRENDER RIGHTS

Most annuities allow you to surrender your contract if income payments have not yet started. Upon surrender, the contract terminates.

The surrender value is equal to your contract value less the surrender charge, if any. This amount could be less than you paid in.

Many annuities also provide that you may withdraw a portion of your contract value, under certain conditions, without terminating the contract. A charge may be deducted from the amount withdrawn. This charge is usually a percentage of either the accumulated value of the contract, the premiums paid or the portion withdrawn.

There may be certain tax penalties for early surrenders. Be sure you understand any tax implications before surrendering an annuity contract.

## BENEFITS

Annuity contracts provide a number of benefits. While the annuity income benefit is the primary one, other benefits are also important. Some of the more important ones are described below:

### Annuity Income Benefit

Income payments are usually made monthly, although other frequencies are available. The amount of the annuity payments is based on both the value of the contract and the contract's "benefit rate" when the first payment is made. The benefit rate depends on your age, sex, and the specific features of the annuity you chose.

Annuity contracts contain a table of guaranteed benefit rates. Most companies periodically develop "current" benefit rates as well. These rates are subject to change by the company at any time. When annuity payments begin, the company will determine the amount of each payment according to the current benefit rates then in effect. If the guaranteed benefit rates would provide higher income payments, those rates will be used. Once payments begin, they are unaffected by any future benefit rate changes.

The most commonly available annuity income benefits are:

- **Straight Life.** The annuity is paid as long as you are alive. There are no further payments to anyone after your death.
- **Life With Period Certain.** The annuity is paid as long as you are alive. If you die before the end of the period referred to as the "certain period," the annuity will be paid to your beneficiary for the rest of that period. Typical certain periods are 10 to 20 years.
- **Joint and Survivor.** The annuity is paid as long as either you or another named annuitant is still alive. In some variations, the annuity is decreased after the first death. A period certain may also be available with this form.

### Death Benefit

Most contracts provide that, if you die before the annuity payments start, the contract value will be paid to your beneficiary. Some contracts provide that the death benefit will be the total premiums paid if that amount is greater than the value of the contract at death.



### Waiver of Premium Benefit

Some companies offer a benefit which will pay premiums for you if you become disabled. A charge is made for this benefit.

### HOW MUCH SHOULD I BUY?

Before buying, ask yourself these questions:

1. How much annuity income will I need in addition to social security, pension savings and investments?
2. Will I need an income only for myself or also for someone else?
3. How much can I afford to pay in premiums?
4. How will the annuity contract fit in with my total financial planning?

### HOW TO BUY AN ANNUITY

Buying an annuity contract is a major financial decision which should be considered carefully. The prospective purchaser of an annuity contract should consider the offerings of as many different companies and agents as possible.

### CONTRACT SUMMARY

In addition to receiving this Buyer's Guide, you must receive either a Preliminary Contract Summary or a Contract Summary prior to the time you pay the initial premium. If you did not receive a Contract Summary with this Buyer's Guide, you must receive one when the contract is delivered or you can ask for one. You should review the contract summary thoroughly.

Accumulated values and surrender values under the contract are illustrated for various years on this summary. During the first few years, these values may be less than premiums paid. This is why an annuity contract should not be purchased for short term purposes.

Also illustrated are the yields on gross premiums at specified times. Yields take into account not only the interest credited under the contract, but also the effect of all charges. The yield on gross premiums is a figure you can use to compare annuity contracts. Be careful in comparing this yield with yields available on other investments. The tax treatment of annuity earnings is usually substantially different from that of earnings from other investments.

One reason for buying an annuity contract is to obtain an income, so you should review the life income figures.

Values and income figures may be shown on both a "guaranteed" and an "illustrated" basis. The guaranteed basis shows the minimum values and income which would be paid under the contract. The "illustrated" basis shows the values and income which would be paid if the current interest and benefit rates were to continue in effect. Since it is impossible to predict future interest and benefit rates, you will have to decide whether to rely on any illustrated basis values when making your purchase decision.

**OTHER POINTS TO CONSIDER**

Be certain you understand all charges that will be made and how they may reduce the value of the annuity.

Be certain you can afford the premium payments.

Check whether the annuity contract allows you to change the amount and frequency of your premium payments. Find out what happens if you stop paying premiums.

You may want to obtain and compare Contract Summaries for similar contracts from several companies. Comparing these should help you in your selection.

If you are buying an annuity contract for an Individual Retirement Account (IRA) or another tax deferred retirement program, make sure that you are eligible. Make sure that you understand any restrictions and tax implications connected with the program.

If you are shown a presentation which illustrates tax savings, be sure the assumptions, such as the tax bracket, apply in your case.

Some companies offer deposit fund arrangements with their life insurance policies or annuity contracts. These arrangements allow you to pay amounts in addition to your premiums that will be accumulated at interest in much the same way as under a deferred fixed annuity contract.

**READ THE CONTRACT**

When you receive your new annuity contract read it carefully. Ask the agent or the company for an explanation of anything you do not understand.

If you have a specific complaint or cannot get the answers you need from the agent or company, please contact the

Office of the Commissioner of Insurance  
123 West Washington Avenue

Mailing Address  
P.O. Box 7873  
Madison, WI 53707-7873

Phone: (608) 266-0103

**This Guide Does Not Endorse Any Company Or Policy**

**Ins 2.16 Life insurance advertisement; unfair trade practice. (1) FINDINGS.** (a) Information gathered by the office of the commissioner of insurance shows that many solicitations, representations and advertisements for life insurance display yields on cash values which are misleading because they do not disclose the way in which this yield is used, what amounts are guaranteed, or other factors which affect the rate of return.

(b) The commissioner of insurance finds that such solicitations, representations and advertisements are misleading, deceptive, provide an unfair inducement and restrain competition unreasonably and therefore constitute an unfair trade practice under s. 628.34 (12), Stats., and that the information required in this rule is consistent with ss. 601.01 and Register, July, 1987, No. 379

628.34, Stats., and will improve the ability of prospective buyers of life insurance to select appropriate coverage under s. 628.38, Stats.

(2) **PURPOSE.** (a) The purpose of this section is to require insurers to include in advertisements for life insurance which show a rate of return on cash values or premiums, information on the factors which affect the calculation of the yield. This section also places restrictions on the use of nonguaranteed amounts in life insurance advertisements.

(b) This section interprets and implements ss. 628.34 (12) and 628.38, Stats.

(3) **DEFINITIONS.** In this section:

(a) "Guaranteed interest rate" on a policy means the lowest rate of interest which may be paid on cash values during the lifetime of the contract.

(b) "Illustrated rate" means a rate shown in a solicitation, representation or advertisement, which may be guaranteed for a limited period of time, but is not guaranteed for the lifetime of the contract.

(4) **SCOPE.** (a) Except as provided in par. (b), this section applies to any solicitation, representation or advertisement in this state of any life insurance specified in s. Ins 6.75 (1) (a) or (b), made directly or indirectly by or on behalf of any insurer, fraternal benefit society, agent, or the state life insurance fund.

(b) This section shall not apply to:

1. Annuities
2. Credit life insurance
3. Group life insurance
4. Life insurance policies issued in connection with pension and welfare plans as defined by and which are subject to the federal employee retirement income security act of 1974 (ERISA).
5. Life insurance policies registered as securities.

(5) **DISCLOSURE.** (a) All life insurance solicitations, representations, and advertisements used in Wisconsin which show a specific rate of return on premiums or cash values shall also include:

1. A general statement describing the existence of first year and annual expense charges, mortality charges and surrender charges which will be deducted from the premium before the interest rate is applied;
2. The guaranteed rate of interest paid on the cash value;
3. The amounts of the cash value or premium to which the guaranteed and the illustrated rates are applied; for example, if interest on the first \$1,000 of cash value is limited to the guaranteed rate this shall be disclosed;
4. An indication that the interest rate credited on cash value amounts which have been borrowed is different from that for cash values which have not been borrowed, if that is the case;

5. An indication of any other significant factors which affect the manner in which cash values are computed.

(b) All information required to be disclosed shall be set out in such a manner as not to minimize or render any portion obscure.

(6) **NONGUARANTEED AMOUNTS.** Nonguaranteed features of a policy, if illustrated in a life insurance solicitation, representation or advertisement, may not be more favorable to the policyholder than those based on the current interest rates, dividend scales, and other variable components currently used by the insurer. For purposes of this paragraph, an interest rate, dividend scale, or other variable component which has been publicly declared by the insurer with an effective date not more than 3 months subsequent to the date of declaration shall be considered current.

Note: Section Ins 2.16 (5) (b) 1. and 2. and (6) (b) have been repealed to comply with the decision in Dane county circuit court, Case No. 82-CV5425, *Acacia National Life et al. vs. Ann J. Haney, Commissioner of Insurance, and Office of the Commissioner of Insurance.*

History: Cr. Register, October, 1982, No. 322, eff. 11-1-82; r. (5) (b) 1. and 2. and (6) (b), Register, May, 1984, No. 341, eff. 6-1-84; r. (7) under s. 13.93 (2m) (b) 16, Stats., Register, December, 1984, No. 348.

**Ins 2.20 Unisex nonforfeiture values in certain life insurance policies. (1) PURPOSE.** The purpose of this section is to allow insurers who have elected an operative date under s. 632.43 (6m) (h), Stats., to provide for cash surrender and paid-up nonforfeiture benefits which do not vary with the sex of the life insured. Some life insurance policies are subject to the decision of the United States Supreme Court in *Arizona Governing Committee v. Norris*, 103 Supreme Court Reporter 3492, which makes it illegal for an employer to make contributions after August 1, 1983, to a defined contribution pension plan if the benefits derived from those contributions differ by sex. Separate provisions are set forth in this section for unisex policies that may be subject to that decision and for unisex policies in general.

(2) **SCOPE.** Except as provided for in sub. (4) (b), this section applies only to those policies issued in this state for which the insurer or employer has determined that the implications of *Norris* would prohibit the use of cash surrender and paid-up nonforfeiture benefits which vary with the sex of the insured.

(3) **DEFINITIONS.** (a) "lx" means the number of lives surviving to age x.

(b) "1000 qx" means the yearly death rate per thousand at age x.

(c) "Table A" means the 1980 CSO Mortality Table and the 1980 CET Mortality Table for male lives, with or without 10-Year Select Mortality Factors. The yearly death rate per thousand, 1000 qx, for these tables is published in Appendix A and Appendix B, pages 618 and 619, Volume 33, Transactions of the Society of Actuaries.

(d) "Table G" means the 1980 CSO Mortality Table and the 1980 CET Mortality Table for female lives, with or without 10-Year Select Mortality Factors. The yearly death rate per thousand, 1000 qx, from these tables is published in Appendix A and Appendix B, pages 618 and 619, Volume 33, Transactions of the Society of Actuaries.

(e) "Tables B through F" means the blended 1980 CSO and 1980 CET Mortality Tables for policies issued on an age nearest birthday basis with Register, July, 1987, No. 379

varying proportions of male lives to total lives. The ratio of male lives to total lives is 80% for Table B, 60% for Table C, 50% for Table D, 40% for Table E and 20% for Table F. These tables are published in the proceedings of the National Association of Insurance Commissioners for the 1983 December meeting, pages 396 to 400. For policies issued on an age

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