# Life Insurance Annual Report and Consolidation of Life Insurance Reserve Funds

Item 7A: Group Insurance Board



Office of Strategic Health Policy



### **Action Needed**

 ETF requests the Board approve the acceptance of the Securian Financial Group Annual Report

### 2018 Policy Year Highlights

#### **State Plan**

More than 84,000 covered lives
Increase of 597 lives from 2017

Total life insurance coverage is more than \$11.7 billion

Good 2018 experience

Valuation of 74.3%

### Premium action recommendations:

- Increase active employee premium
- Reduction in spouse and dependent premium



### 2018 Policy Year Highlights

#### **Local Plan**

121,363 total lives covered

Very good experience

3-year total
experience better
than target adjusted
for expected mortality
improvement

Valuation of 115.7%

No recommended change in premium for 2020

### **Performance Guarantees**

### Quarterly Performance Standards

- Achieved higher than targeted goals in all nine standards
- 31,112 transactions
- Achieved overall performance standard score of 99.95%

### Biennial Client Satisfaction Survey

 Fell below targeted goal for satisfaction with processing enrollments and Evidence of Insurability



### **State Plan Reserves**

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C.	Contingent Liability Reserve	\$0
d.	Active Stabilization Reserve, available for Post- Retirement Funding	\$46,528,394
e.	Total	\$403,261,962

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a.	Post-Age 65 Retirees	\$376,201,098
b.	Pre-Age 65 Retirees	\$61,074,499
C.	Active Employees	\$105,434,448
d.	Total	\$542,710,045
3.	Unfunded Accrued Liability (2d-1e)	\$139,448,083
4.	Total Assets as a Percent of Total Liabilities	74.3%

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### **Local Plan Reserves**

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C.	Contingent Liability Reserve	\$23,082,838
d.	Active Stabilization Reserve, available for Post- Retirement Funding	\$61,143,963
e.	Total	\$318,606,913

2.	Liabilities	Amount
a.	Post-Age 65 Retirees	\$228,744,866
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C.	Active Employees	\$6,399,956
d.	Total	\$275,444,406
3.	Unfunded Accrued Liability (2d-1e)	(43,162,507)
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### **Plan Valuation**

Target Goal of 100%.



State of Wisconsin Valuation Funding Analysis Assets as a Percentage of Net Liabilities (\$ Millions)



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### Plan Asset and Funding Structure

#### Active Employees

- The cost of Basic, Supplemental and Additional benefits is covered by premiums
- Securian guarantees the funding of these plans
- Benefits are paid first from the Stabilization reserve and second from the Active Premium Deposit Fund (PDF)

#### Retiree Life Benefits

- Cost of post-65 retiree benefits is supported by premiums paid by employers and by the pre-65 retirees
- Securian does not guarantee existing retiree life assets will be enough to cover future retiree benefits
- Benefits are paid first from the Contingent Liability Reserve (CLR) and second from the Retiree Premium Deposit Fund (Retiree PDF)

### Plan Asset and Funding Structure

#### **Active Employees**

- The Stabilization Reserve is funded by experience from active employees with an interest credit on prior balance
- Active PDF is currently funded only by the interest credit on the prior balance

#### Retiree Life Benefits

- The CLR is funded by the experience credit from pre-65 retiree along with the interest credit on prior CLR balance
- The retiree PDF is funded by employer contributions on behalf of active employees and interest credits on prior PDF balance



#### **Consolidation of Reserve Funds**

- The agreement between the Board and Securian allows for funds to be transferred
- Milliman recommends and Securian agrees with the recommendation
- Action would not affect the overall funding
- Simplify the plan's experience reporting

### **Active Premium Deposit Fund (PDF)**

### Transfer funds in the Active PDF to the Retiree PDF and close the Active PDF

- Simplify the plan's experience reporting
- Result in a higher level of assets dedicated to the retiree life plan
- Provide improvement to the plan's GASB 74 and 75 funded ratio



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## State and Local Contingent Liability Reserve (CLR)

Close the State CLR

Close the Local CLR in the future when funds have been depleted

- Simplify experience reporting
- Amend the financial agreement to remove reference to the CLR

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- Closing the State CLR



# Thank you











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