

Pinnacle MYGA® A Multi-Year Guaranteed Annuity

# **New Business Instructions**

Issued by Delaware Life Insurance Company

Please use the following checklist as a guide to ensure business	is submitted properly.
All cross-outs or alterations made to any form submitted must	be initialed by the applicant(s).
<ul> <li>Application</li> <li>A Guarantee Period must be selected</li> <li>Must be signed by all owners</li> <li>The Death Benefit is payable upon the death of any Owner. If you wish to have the death benefit paid to the surviving spouse, "Surviving Spouse" should be listed as Sole Primary Beneficiary.</li> </ul>	Notice Regarding Standards for Medi-Cal Eligibility (CA Only)  Must be signed by all owners  Must be signed by selling agent  Comparison of Annuity Contracts (CA Only)
Must be signed by selling agent	Make check payable to: Delaware Life Insurance Company
<ul> <li>Delivery of Buyer's Guide, if applicable</li> <li>Must be delivered at or before time of application</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Please ensure that the owner's name is referenced on the check</li> </ul>
Replacement Form     Complete the necessary Form A or state-specific replacement form, based on the requirements of the state in which the application is signed.	Mail application and forms, together with the check or transfer form to:  Regular Mail: Delaware Life P.O. Box 758580 Topeka, KS 66675-8580
<ul> <li>Transfer Forms</li> <li>If the owner is transferring funds from another company to purchase this annuity, please complete the Qualified Transfer/1035 Exchange Form.</li> </ul>	Overnight address: Delaware Life Mail Zone 581 5801 SW 6th Avenue Topeka, KS 66636
Note: To complete a transfer/1035 exchange, the Owner(s)/Annuitant(s) on the existing contract must be identical to the new contract.	Certain account registrations may require additional forms to be completed by your client. Please contact our customer service center at 877-253-2323 with any questions.
Disclosure Statement  • Must be signed by all owners	Keep a copy of the documents for your files.

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· Must be signed by selling agent



# **Application – Pinnacle MYGA®**

A Multi-Year Guaranteed Annuity Individual Single Premium Deferred Annuity (SPDA)

Issued by Delaware Life Insurance Company, P.O. Box 758581, Topeka, KS 66675-8581 (the "Company")

A Product Selection (	select one)					
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Pinnacle MYGA®	3-Year	5-Year 7-	-Year 10-Year			
B Owner						
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G Existing Coverages/Replacement	
Please answer the following questions:	
a. Do you have any other life insurance policies or annuity contracts with the company or any other companies?	Yes No
b. Is the Contract applied for replacing or intended to replace or change any existing life insurance or annuity contracts with the company or any other companies?	Yes No
H Certification Required by the Internal Revenue Service and Signature Section	
The assets in your contract are subject to state unclaimed property laws which provide that if no activity contract within the time period specified by the particular state law after the contract's maturity date or benefit is due and payable, your assets must be transferred to the appropriate state. We are required by that your assets may be transferred to an appropriate state in compliance with these state laws.	date that the death
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I agree to all terms and conditions as shown, and have read and understand all the statements made above all statements made in this application are true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. I understand that under the Contract may be subject to a Market Value Adjustment.	
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Signature of Joint Owner (if applicable)	Date (mm/dd/year)
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1	Agent Signature(s)			
1. a. l	Does the applicant have any existing life ins	urance or annuity	contracts?	Yes No
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#### Introduction

The Kentucky Department of Insurance is pleased to offer this "Annuity Buyer's Guide" as an aid to assist you in determining your insurance needs and the products that will fill those needs. This guide contains only a brief description of various annuity products. For specific information about a particular type of annuity, you should consult an agent. This guide is not meant to offer legal, financial or tax advice. You may want to consult independent advisors for those specific questions. This guide does not endorse any company, agent or policy type.

## What is an Annuity?

An annuity is a contract where an insurance company promises to make payments to an annuitant over a specified period of time or for life. One of the purposes for an annuity is to make sure a person does not outlive his income. An annuity is a type of insurance to protect against the risk of financial hardship during retirement.

There are three participants in an annuity contract: the owner, the annuitant and the beneficiary. Most of the time, the annuitant and the owner are the same person, but it is not required. The owner is the purchaser of the annuity, pays the premiums and has the right to surrender the annuity. The owner also is responsible for any taxes due upon surrender or payout and is usually the person who names the beneficiary of the contract. The annuitant is the person whose age and life expectancy is going to be used to calculate the benefits of the annuity and who will receive the annuity payments. The beneficiary receives the death benefit upon death of the annuitant or the owner.

# **Various Types of Annuities**

**Fixed annuity** – This type of annuity accumulates interest on the funds deposited into the annuity on a fixed rate basis. Every fixed annuity has a current interest rate and a minimum guaranteed interest rate. The current interest rate will always be equal to or higher than the minimum guaranteed interest rate. Although this varies from company to company and contract to contract, the current interest rate is declared on an annual basis, usually after an initial guarantee period. With a fixed annuity, the insurance company assumes the risk of paying at least the minimum guaranteed interest rate.

**Variable annuity** – Different than a fixed annuity, a variable annuity pays varying rates of interest on the funds placed inside the annuity based upon the investment options chosen by the annuity owner. If the investment choices do well, the annuity will do well. If the investment choices do poorly, the annuity will not grow as well or even could lose value. Because the growth of a variable annuity is not guaranteed by the insurance company, the contract holder assumes the risk.

**Immediate annuity** – This type of annuity begins paying a benefit very soon, usually within 30 days to one year after it is purchased, and usually requires a lump sum payment.

**Indexed annuity** – This is a fairly new product in the annuity market. Indexed annuities pay an interest rate that is tied to the performance of a common or well-known index such as the S&P 500, the Russell 1000 or the S&P 100. The growth of an indexed annuity is based upon the participation rate of the index it is tied to. For example, if an indexed annuity has a defined participation rate of 70 percent and the index it follows goes up by 10 percent, the annuity's accumulation value will increase by 7 percent (10 percent increase times the 70 percent participation rate). On the downside, most indexed annuities specify a "floor" that the annuity growth rate cannot go below or offer a minimum interest rate. Typically this minimum rate is 1 percent to 3 percent.

#### **Things Common to all Annuities**

There are two distinct phases to an annuity - the accumulation phase and the payout phase. The accumulation phase is the first phase where all the premiums are paid into the annuity and the money grows tax-deferred. The second phase is the payout phase, which is when the annuity actually starts to pay the benefits to the annuitant. There are several payout options; a few of these options will be discussed in the following section. Make sure your agent goes over each option with you thoroughly so that you choose the one most appropriate for your needs. It is very important to understand that once a payout option is chosen and you start receiving payments, that option cannot be changed.

# **Examples of Payout Options (Settlement Options)**

- Life income (no refund) Pays an income as long as the annuitant is alive. Payments stop when the annuitant dies.
- Life income with period certain (10, 15 or 20 years) Pays an income as long as the annuitant is alive. If the annuitant dies before the period certain has expired, payments are made to the beneficiary for the balance of the period.
- Life income with installments (refund) This option provides a monthly annuity payment during the lifetime of the annuitant with a guarantee that payments will be made for a certain number of months (not necessarily for the annuitant's full lifetime). The number of months is determined by dividing the accumulated amount of the annuity by the amount of the first monthly annuity payment. Only the number of months is guaranteed so there is no guarantee of a full refund.

The following payout options assume there are two individuals that will be receiving benefits from the annuity

- Joint and full to survivor (no refund) This option pays an income as long as one or more annuitant is living. Payments stop when both annuitants are deceased.
- Joint and 2/3 to survivor (no refund) This option pays an income while both annuitants are alive. When one dies, 2/3 income payments continue during the survivor's lifetime. Payments stop when the second annuitant dies.
- Joint and full to survivor with period certain (10, 15 or 20 years) Pays an income while at least one annuitant is alive. If both annuitants die before the specified period expires, payments of the balance of the period certain continue to the beneficiary.
- Joint and full to survivor with installments (refund) This option pays a monthly payment during the lifetime of the annuitant with a guarantee that payments will be made for a certain number of months. The number of months is determined by dividing the accumulated amount of the annuity by the amount of the first monthly annuity payment. Only the number of months is guaranteed so there is no guarantee of a full refund.
- Joint and 2/3 to survivor with period certain (10, 15 or 20 years) Pays an income while both annuitants are living. When one dies, 2/3 of the income payment continues during the survivor's lifetime. If the second annuitant dies before the period certain expires, the 2/3 payment amount continues to the beneficiary for the balance of the period.

# **Guaranteed Living Benefits**

Guaranteed living benefits may be found as a provision in an annuity contract or added by rider endorsement or amendment to an annuity contract. There are 3 different types and can be very complicated. One important thing to consider is whether or not the particular contract you are considering purchasing allows these benefits to be assignable or not. Be sure to read your contract carefully before purchasing. These different guarantees provide a downside protection to an annuity contract. They are tools to aid in the management of risk by transferring different risks from the buyer to the insurer. There are different types of guarantees defined as follows:

- 1. **Guaranteed Minimum Withdrawal Benefits (GMWB)** guarantees the return of at least the owner's investment, or that investment plus an interest component (the benefit base) through periodic partial withdrawals of a certain percent or less of the benefit base, even if the annuity cash value falls to zero. There is usually no waiting period.
- 2. **Guaranteed Minimum Income Benefit (GMIB)** guarantees that, regardless of actual policy performance, the buyer is assured a certain minimum future income, but only in the form of a regular annuity payout. It does not guarantee a lump sum.
- 3. **Guaranteed Minimum Accumulation Benefit (GMAB)** unlike the other guarantees the GMAB guarantees a minimum lump sum at the end.

## Will You be Penalized if You Withdraw Money From Your Annuity?

In most cases "Yes." However, some annuities have a provision that permits you to withdraw a certain amount each year, usually 10 percent of the annuity value, without having to pay a surrender charge. Please remember, even though you may not have to pay a surrender charge, there may be taxes to be paid on some or all of the money you withdraw. It is recommended that you consult a tax advisor or your annuity insurance company regarding the tax consequences before you make the withdrawal.

## **Important Things to Consider**

- 1. Review your own insurance needs and circumstances. Choose the kind of contract that has benefits that most closely fit your needs. Ask an agent or company to help you.
- 2. Be sure that you can handle the premium payments. Ask about any possible increases in premium amounts and what may cause an increase.
- 3. Don't sign an application until you review it carefully to be sure all the answers are complete and accurate.
- 4. Don't drop one contract and buy another without a thorough study of the new contract and the one you have now. Replacing your insurance may be costly.
- 5. Read your policy carefully. Ask your agent or company about anything that is not clear to you.
- 6. Periodically review your insurance program with your agent or company to keep up with changes in your income and your needs.
- 7. Do not buy a contract until you have a good understanding of how it works.

# Are You Considering Dropping or Replacing an Existing Annuity Contract?

If you are thinking about dropping or replacing an annuity contract, here are some things you should consider:

- If you decide to replace your contract, do not cancel your old contract until you have received the new one. You usually will have a minimum of 30 days to review your new contract to decide if it is what you want.
- It may be costly to replace a contract. There may be substantial surrender charges that you will incur. Remember that if you have held your existing contract long enough and no longer have to pay surrender charges, purchasing a new contract may start a new period of surrender charges.
- Consider consulting a tax advisor to see if dropping your contract could affect your income taxes.
- You may have valuable rights and benefits in your existing contract that are not in the new contract.
- If the annuity contract you have now no longer meets your needs, you may not have to replace it. You might be able to adjust your existing contract or purchase an additional contract to get the coverage or benefits you now need

In all cases, if you are thinking of buying a new contract to replace your existing one, check with the agent or company that issued your existing contract. Before replacing, ask your agent or company for an updated illustration (in-force illustration). Check to see how the contract has performed and what you should expect in the future based on the guarantees.

#### **How Can You Find Missing Contracts?**

If the deceased's estate went through probate, there is a chance that the contract might have been listed as an asset.

Begin by contacting insurance companies. Try to narrow your search as much as possible. For example, start with those companies most prominent where the deceased lived or worked. Contact the benefits coordinator at the deceased's place of employment. Remember, unless you are the beneficiary, the company is not required to offer any information. Try to provide as much information as possible, including the deceased's name and any aliases, Social Security number, date of birth, etc.

Ask the estate's executor to request copies of all bank statements and other records. If a check has been written or an automatic payment has been made to an insurance company, this might provide a lead.

Contact the deceased's insurance agent for homeowners, renters, or auto insurance. Although he may not have sold your friend or relative an annuity contract, many agents keep records of their client's insurance purchases.

#### **Final Points to Consider**

Remember to read your annuity contract carefully when you receive it. Ask your agent or insurance company to explain anything you don't understand. If you have a specific complaint or can't get the answers you need from the agent or company, contact your state insurance department.

## **Insurer Rating Organizations**

Other sources of information related to the financial strengths of companies are insurance rating organizations. Some of these are A.M. Best, Fitch Ratings, Moody's Investors Service, Standard and Poor's, and Weiss Ratings Inc. You can use these sources to help you research and determine which companies you would like to contact about your insurance needs. The Kentucky Department of Insurance can provide you with ratings from A.M. Best or you can contact the companies directly to get information about their ratings.

A.M. Best www.ambest.com

Telephone: 908-439-2200

Fitch Ratings www.fitchratings.com Telephone: 800-893-4824

Moody's Investors Service www.moodys.com Telephone: 212-553-0377 Standard and Poor's www.standardandpoors.com Telephone: 212-438-2000

Weiss Ratings LLC www.weissratings.com Telephone: 877-934-7778

# **Other Important Terms**

<u>Amendment, Endorsement or Rider</u> – forms that are used to effect contract changes requested by an owner to an individual annuity contract.

<u>Annuitize</u> - This is a term used when the owner elects to convert the lump sum of the accumulated value of the annuity contract to begin receiving a series of payments.

<u>Assignment</u> – transfer of rights under an annuity contract to another person or business in exchange for partial or total ownership rights to the contract.

<u>Guaranteed Living Benefits</u> - a contract provision or added to a contract by rider. These different guarantees provide a downside guarantee to an annuity contract. They are tools to aid in the management of risk by transferring risk from the owner to the insurer. There are different types of guarantees, as follows:

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<u>Long-Term Care Riders</u> - a provision which may or may not require an extra premium that allows for the reduction of the annuity value based upon long term care expenses without applying surrender charges. A benefit above the value of the annuity also may be purchased for an additional cost.

<u>Market Value Adjustment</u> – increase or decrease in the surrender charge of the annuity contract depending on the current financial markets. The cash value is adjusted upward if the policy interest rate is greater than the current interest rate on new money and thus, if interest rates decline after the date the annuity contract is purchased, the surrender charge decreases. However, if the cash value is adjusted downward if the policy interest rate is less than the current interest rate on new money and thus, if interest rates rise after the purchase date of the annuity contract, the surrender charge increases.

<u>Tax-Free Exchange</u> (1035 Exchange) – under Section 1035 of the Internal Revenue Code stipulations that the exchange of one life insurance policy for another life insurance policy generally will not result in a recognized gain for the purposes of federal income tax purposes to the policy owner. The insured must be the same on both policies. Life policies can be exchanged for life policies, life policies can be exchanged for annuities and annuities can be exchanged for annuities. Annuities cannot be exchanged for life policies. With annuities, the annuitant must be the same on both contracts.

<u>Ten Day Free Look</u> – a contract provision notifying purchasers of new insurance that they have ten days after delivery of the annuity contract to inspect it and if not satisfied, return it to the agent or company for a full refund of all premiums paid.



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# **Disclosure Statement**

Delaware Life Insurance Company, Waltham, MA (the "Company")

This document reviews important points to think about before you purchase a Pinnacle MYGA® fixed annuity with a Market Value Adjustment (MVA) feature. Pinnacle MYGA® is a single-premium, deferred fixed annuity, which means you buy it with an initial single premium (payment). It is a fixed annuity, which means it earns a specified interest rate during the guaranteed interest rate period. This annuity is tax deferred, which means you don't pay taxes on the interest earnings until the money is paid to you.

You can use an annuity to save money for retirement and to receive retirement income for life. It is not meant to be used to meet short-term financial goals.

If you decide to purchase this annuity, please read the following information carefully, sign, and return the Signature Page of this Disclosure Statement. If you have questions about this annuity, ask your agent, broker or advisor or contact Us at **877-253-2323**.

**Note:** References to financial advisors, producers, representatives, and agents will all be noted as "financial advisor" in this Disclosure Statement.

# ■ The Annuity Contract

#### How will the value of my annuity grow?

Your annuity earns tax-deferred interest at a guaranteed rate for the period you select, subject to availability. The guaranteed rate depends on the period you choose and on current interest rates. Interest is credited daily. The interest rate is the effective annual interest rate that will be credited when daily interest credits have been compounded for a full year. After your selected period ends, a new interest rate will be declared for each succeeding guaranteed interest rate period. The new interest rate will be greater than or equal to a minimum guaranteed interest rate, which is set at contract issue and effective for the life of your policy. Note that for contracts issued in Delaware and Florida, the guaranteed interest rate period does not automatically renew at the end of the selected term. Please review with your financial advisor to see how this may affect you.

#### Who are the parties of the Annuity Contract?

Parties of the Contract are Owner(s), Annuitant(s), and Beneficiary(ies). Contract owner(s) designate the annuitant(s) and beneficiary(ies).

#### Is it important to choose carefully when selecting the parties in my Contract?

Yes. Carefully consider who you select as Owner(s), Annuitant(s), and Beneficiary(ies). These parties are critical in the operation of your annuity and they impact when and to whom death benefits are paid out.

# Benefits

#### How can I access money from my annuity?

You may take withdrawals or fully surrender your contract. Additionally, you can receive income (payouts) by electing a Settlement Option. You should consider the effect of surrender charges and MVA when accessing money.

#### How do I get income (payouts) from my annuity?

Your contract contains several Settlement Options that can be utilized after the first contract year. The Settlement Option payout amount during the first 5 contract years is equal to your contract's Surrender Value at the time of your election; therefore, Surrender Charges and any applicable MVA may be applied when calculating your payout. If one of the Settlement Options below is elected following the fifth contract year, surrender charges and MVA will not be assessed.

Your choices include the following:

- Life Annuity: Guarantees income for as long as you live.
- Life Annuity with Period Certain: Guarantees income for as long as you live. If you die within the "period certain", it pays income to your beneficiary for the rest of the period.
- Joint and Last Survivor Annuity: Guarantees income for as long as you or your joint annuitant (usually a spouse) lives.

#### What happens when I die?

If you die before we start to pay you income from your annuity, we pay the full Account Value to your beneficiary. If you die after we start paying you income from your annuity, we pay the remaining value in the annuity, if any, to your beneficiary, depending on the type of payout you choose.

In the case of joint owners, the death benefit is paid on the death of the first owner.

# Fees, Expenses, and Other Charges

#### What happens if I take out some or all of the money from my annuity?

You may withdraw a portion of your money from your annuity without incurring a surrender charge or MVA starting after the first contract anniversary. The free withdrawal amount is the greater of (a) 10% of the contract value as of the most recent contract anniversary, or (b) any annual IRS required minimum distribution applicable to the annuity. Any withdrawals in excess of the free withdrawal amount will be subject to a withdrawal charge.

Refer to the table below for withdrawal and surrender charges by guarantee periods, subject to availability. The charges for your Contract correspond to each contract year, beginning with year one and continuing until the end of the Contract's guarantee period. For example, the charges for a 3-year guarantee period are 7% in year one, 6% in year two, and 5% in year three.

Withd	rawal an	d Surrer	nder Cha	arges by	Guarant	tee Perio	od Year*			
Guaranteed Period Year	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Withdrawal Charge	7%	6%	5%	4%	3%	2%	1%	1%	1%	0.75%

<sup>\*</sup>Subject to availability



# Fees, Expenses, and Other Charges (continued)

Withdrawals made in excess of the free withdrawal amount may also be subject to a positive or negative MVA based on changes to interest rates. The MVA is equal to the amount withdrawn, less any available Free Withdrawal Amount, times the Market Value Adjustment Factor. An example has also been provided below.

The Market Value Adjustment Factor is: (I - (J+.25%)) x N). Where:

- I = The Guaranteed Interest Rate being credited to the Account Value;
- J = The renewal Guaranteed Interest Rate currently offered for a duration equal to Your Guaranteed Interest Rate Period;
- N= The number of complete months from the date of surrender or withdrawal to the end of Guaranteed Interest Rate Period divided by 12.

#### **Examples of how Withdrawal and Surrender Charges and MVA are calculated:**

These examples use the following assumptions:

Contract issue date: June 1, 2014

Guaranteed Interest Rate Period: 5 Year

Guaranteed Interest Rate: 4%

Withdrawal Date: August 25, 2015

#### Withdrawal and Surrender Charges

For the examples, we assume the amount withdrawn of \$16,000 is greater than the available free withdrawal amount of \$15,000. Surrender charge will be applied to the excess above the free amount (\$16,000 - \$15,000 = \$1,000). This charge is \$60, which is the \$1,000 in excess of the free amount multiplied by 6% (Withdrawal and Surrender Charge for year two that can be found on the chart above). In addition, the \$1,000 that is subject to surrender charges may also be assessed a positive or negative MVA depending on changes to interest rates. Several examples of that calculation assuming interest rates increase or decrease can be found below.

#### Market Value Adjustment (MVA)

#### **Example 1: Decreasing Interest Rates**

Renewal Guaranteed Interest Rate for a 5 Year Period = 3.1% or 0.031

N (number of months remaining in the term) = 45

MVA Factor =  $(.04 - (0.031 + 0.0025)) \times (45 / 12) = 0.024375 = 2.4375\%$ 

\$1,000 x 2.4375% = \$24.38

\$24.38 would be added to the amount withdrawn.

#### **Example 2: Increasing Interest Rates**

Renewal Guaranteed Interest Rate for a 5 Year Period = 5.0% or 0.05

N (number of months remaining in the term) = 45

MVA Factor =  $(.04 - (0.05 + 0.0025)) \times (45 / 12) = -0.04688 = -4.688\%$ 

\$1.000 x -.4.688% = \$-46.88

\$46.88 would be deducted from the amount withdrawn.



#### How will payouts and withdrawals from my annuity be taxed?

This annuity is tax deferred, which means you don't pay taxes on the interest earnings until the money is paid to you. When you take payouts or make a withdrawal, you pay ordinary income taxes on the taxable amount, including any interest earned. You may also incur a 10% federal income tax penalty on earnings you withdraw before age 59½. If your state imposes a premium tax, it will be deducted from the money you receive.

You can exchange one tax-deferred annuity for another without paying taxes on the earnings when you make the exchange. Before you do, compare the benefits, features, and costs of the two annuities. You may pay a surrender charge if you make the exchange during the surrender charge period. Also, you may pay a surrender charge if you take withdrawals from the new annuity during the first years you own it.

#### Does buying an annuity in a retirement plan provide extra tax benefits?

Buying an annuity within an IRA, or other tax-deferred retirement plan doesn't give you any extra tax benefits. Choose your annuity based on its features and benefits as well as its risks and costs, not its tax benefits.

## Other Information

#### What else do I need to know?

- This is a summary of the provisions of your annuity contract, but it is not a part of your contract. Please review
  your annuity contract for complete details and defined terms.
- The sale or liquidation of any stock, bond, IRA, certificate of deposit, mutual fund, annuity, or other asset to
  fund the purchase of this product may have tax consequences, early withdrawal penalties, or other cost or
  penalties as a result of the sale or liquidation. You may wish to consult independent legal or financial advice
  before selling or liquidating any asset and prior to the purchase of any life insurance or annuity products being
  solicited, offered for sale, or sold (Notice to Elders is a requirement in CA).
- We may change your annuity contract from time to time to conform to federal or state laws and regulations. If we do, we'll inform you about the changes in writing.
- We may pay the financial advisor or firm for selling the annuity to you.
- Many states have laws that give you a set number of days to review an annuity contract after you buy it. If
  you decide during that time that you don't want it, you can return the annuity contract and receive all of your
  money back. Please refer to page 1 of your contract to learn about your "free look" period.
- Any illustrated values shown to you, other than guaranteed minimum values, are not guarantees, promises or warranties.

All contractual guarantees are backed by the claims-paying ability of Delaware Life Insurance Company, located at 1601 Trapelo Road, Suite 30, Waltham, MA 02451.

#### What should I know about the insurance company?

This annuity is issued by Delaware Life Insurance Company, a member of Group One Thousand One.

# Contact Information

You can contact Delaware Life by phone at **877-253-2323**, by mail at Delaware Life Insurance Company, P.O. Box 758581, Topeka, KS 66675-8581, or on the web at <u>delawarelife.com</u>.

# ■ Pinnacle MYGA® Disclosure Statement Signatures

By signing below, I acknowledge that I have read, or have been read, this document and I understand that I am applying for a single-premium, deferred annuity. I also acknowledge that this annuity meets my financial objectives. I have received a copy of the entire Disclosure Statement, as well as any advertisement that was used in connection with the sale of this annuity. I understand that other than the Minimum Guaranteed Contract Values, there are no guarantees, promises or warranties.

Proposed Owner Name (please print)	Signed at (City, State)	
Proposed Owner Signature		Date
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Proposed Joint Owner Name (please print)	Signed at (City, State)	
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Proposed Joint Owner Signature		Date
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X		

Note: If this form is not completed and signed, we cannot consider Your application.

**Financial Advisor's Certification:** I certify that I have given the Proposed Owner(s) a signed copy of this Disclosure Statement. I have made no statements to the Proposed Owner(s) that differ in any significant manner from this Disclosure Statement, nor did I make any changes to the Disclosure Statement itself. I have not made any promises or guarantees about the future value of any nonguaranteed elements of the annuity contract.

I also certify that I have only used Company approved marketing materials, and that I have provided a Buyer's Guide (if required by the state).

Financial Advisor Signature	Date
X	

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Delaware Life policies and contracts are issued by Delaware Life Insurance Company (Waltham, MA) in all states except New York. Certain product features may vary or not be available in all states. This summary is provided for clarification of the benefits which may be included in the contract when it is issued. It is for informational purposes only. In the event of any ambiguity or conflict of terms between this summary and the annuity contract, the terms of the annuity contract shall be controlling.

This communication is for informational purposes only. It is not intended to provide, and should not be interpreted as individualized investment, legal or tax advice. To obtain such advice, please consult with your investment, legal or tax professional.

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# Transfer In/1035 Exchange Form

Throughout this form, "the Company" refers to Delaware Life Insurance Company.1

1 Registration Information					
Owner(s) and Annuitants(s) must be exact Surrendering Company.	rly the same as the Owner(s) and Annu	uitant(	-		
Owner			Social Security Nu	mber	
Co-Owner (if applicable)			Social Security Nu	mber	
Annuitant			Social Security Nu	mber	
Co-Annuitant (if applicable)			Social Security Nu	mber	
2 Registration Information					
Existing Account Provider					
Provider Street Address (required)					
City		State		Zip Code	
Existing Account Number	Provider Phone		Provider Fax (if available)		
Send paperwork: By mail E	By fax Agent pursuing funds; of	s; do not mail form			
If no selection is made, the transfer will be	e initiated immediately.				
Initiate transfer/rollover/exchange:	Immediately upon receipt OR  After this date:		(must be within 30 c	days)	
Apply proceeds to: A new contract	t/certificate OR				
An existing cor	tract/certificate* (No		) (write contract n	umber here)	



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## 2 Registration Information (continued)

- Fixed Indexed contracts: Payments to an existing contract/certificate will be placed into the Fixed Account until the Contract Anniversary. At that point the funds will be exchanged into the Investment Strategy selected by the contract owner.
- Variable contracts: Payments to an existing contract will be invested according to the future allocation instructions we have on file unless otherwise specified. If you have an optional living benefit rider or optional death benefit rider the funds must be invested according to future allocations.

3 Required Minimum	Distribution (Qua	lified Contract Only)	
If you currently own a qualifie Distribution amounts.	d contract and are age	d 70½ this year, you may not trans	fer or rollover Required Minimum
No RMD is required for the	he current year.		
I have already taken my f	ull RMD for the current	year.	
I direct the provider of m	y existing account to c	listribute the RMD to me before th	ne exchange/rollover/transfer.
4 Surrendered Acco	unt Type		
Variable Annuity*	Fixed Annuity* F	ixed Index Annuity* Life Ins	urance*
Brokerage Account/Muto			ırrendering Company listed above
* Additional state-specific re	placement form or NA	IC Model Regulation (Form A) repl	acement form may be required.
5 Source of Transfer	/Exchange		
Type of transfer/exchange		fer/exchange \$	(estimated amount)
	I have enclo	sed the contract. OR	
	I certify tha	t the contract has been lost or des	stroyed.
		ansfer/exchange \$	,
Plan type	FROM:		TO:
,,	Non-qualified	Simple IRA	Non-qualified
	IRA	401(k)	IRA
	Roth IRA	403(b) to IRA	Roth IRA

#### **Acceptance by Contract Owner/Participant**

If you are signing this form as a fiduciary (power of attorney, trustee, guardian, custodian, etc.) for the contract owner, please sign in your fiduciary capacity. We will need your authorizing documents to process this request. If we do not have them on file, please attach them to this form.

For transfers/rollovers of qualified funds: I intend that this transfer be accomplished as a trustee-to-trustee transfer in a nontaxable manner in accordance with IRS rulings and not constitute actual or constructive receipt by me for federal income tax purposes. I hereby request and direct the transfer of the net proceeds of the account listed on the previous page.

I understand that I am purchasing this annuity in an Individual Retirement Account or other tax-qualified plan as identified in Section 3 of this form. Since Individual Retirement Accounts and other tax-qualified plans are already afforded tax-deferred status, there is no additional tax deferral benefit in this annuity. I am purchasing this annuity because I value other features, such as lifetime income payments, principal protection, or death benefit protection, and I am willing to pay any additional cost associated with such features.

I understand that the proposed transfer may have important tax consequences and/or surrender or withdrawal penalties. I acknowledge that the Company assumes no responsibility or liability for any tax treatment on this transfer under the Internal Revenue Code or otherwise.

**Transfers from 403(b) rollovers only:** I acknowledge and agree that I have sole responsibility (1) for compliance with the Internal Revenue Service's Section 403(b) Regulations and my employer's or former employer's 403(b) plan, if applicable, and (2) in determining and notifying the Company as to whether the requested distribution is an eligible rollover distribution.

For 1035 exchange of non-qualified funds: I hereby assign and transfer the specified portion of my right, title, and interest in the above Contract ("the Contract") to the Company. I irrevocably waive all rights, claims, and demands under the Contract or specified portion thereof. The purpose of this transfer is to effect a direct nontaxable exchange of contracts pursuant to Section 1035 of the Internal Revenue Code. I understand and agree that the cost basis in the contract issued by the Company shall be determined based on the cost basis information provided by the above-referenced company ("Surrendering Company"). I further understand and agree that the Company assumes no responsibility in obtaining or verifying the cost basis of the new contract issued by it. I acknowledge and agree that if the Company does not receive cost basis information acceptable to it, the cost basis will be recorded by the Company as zero.

I hereby declare that the Contract is not subject to any assignment, pledge, collateral assignment, or other lien and that no proceedings in bankruptcy or insolvency, voluntary or involuntary, have been instituted by or against me and that I am not under guardianship or any legal disability.

I understand and agree that the Company will request that the Surrendering Company totally or partially surrender the original Contract and that the Company assumes no responsibility for any delay by the Surrendering Company in paying the surrender proceeds or for any changes in the amount. I understand that the proposed transaction may have important tax consequences and/or surrender or withdrawal penalties, and I represent and agree that the Company is furnishing this form and participating in this transaction at my request. I understand and agree that the Company makes no representations concerning my tax treatment under Section 1035 of the Internal Revenue Code or otherwise and that the Company has no responsibility or liability for the validity of this assignment.

Owner's Signature	Date (mm/dd/yyyy)	Co-Owner's Signature (if applicable)	Date (mm/dd/yyyyy)
X		X	
Please Print Name Below		Please Print Name Below	
Signature Guarantee (if required by Surrendering Co	mpany)	Signature Guarantee (if required by Surren	dering Company)



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**By phone**Customer Service **877-253-2323** M-F 7:30 a.m.-5:00 p.m., CT



# Important Notice: Replacement of Life Insurance or Annuities

This document must be signed by the applicant and producer, if there is one, and a copy left with the applicant.

You are contemplating the purchase of a life insurance policy or annuity contract. In some cases this purchase may involve discontinuing or changing an existing policy or contract. If so, a replacement is occurring. Financed purchases are also considered replacements.

A replacement occurs when a new policy or contract is purchased and, in connection with the sale, you discontinue making premium payments on the existing policy or contract, or an existing policy or contract is surrendered, forfeited, assigned to the replacing insurer, or otherwise terminated or used in a financed purchase.

A financed purchase occurs when the purchase of a new life insurance policy involves the use of funds obtained by the withdrawal or surrender of or by borrowing some or all of the policy values, including accumulated dividends, of an existing policy, to pay all or part of any premium or payment due on the new policy. A financed purchase is a replacement.

You should carefully consider whether a replacement is in your best interest. You will pay acquisition costs and there may be surrender costs deducted from your policy or contract. You may be able to make changes to your existing policy or contract to meet your insurance needs at less cost. A financed purchase will reduce the value of your existing policy and may reduce the amount paid upon the death of the insured.

We want you to understand the effects of replacements before you make your purchase decision and ask that you answer the following questions and consider the questions on the back of this form.

	No	Yes			<ol> <li>Are you considering discontinuing r assigning to the insurer, or otherwise</li> </ol>
replacing (include the name of the insurer, the insured, and the contract number if available) and whether each police be replaced or used as a source of financing:  Contract or  Insured Name  Replaced (	No	Yes			
	y wil			er, the insured, and the contr	replacing (include the name of the insu
		Replaced (R Financing	Insured		Insurer Name
Make sure you know the facts. Contact your existing company or its agent for information about the old policy or contr [If you request one, an in-force illustration, policy summary or available disclosure documents must be sent to you by the existing insurer.] Ask for and retain all sales material used by the agent in the sales presentation. Be sure that you are material used by the agent in the sales presentation.	Э	to you by the	disclosure documents must be	n, policy summary or available	[If you request one, an in-force illustrati existing insurer.] Ask for and retain all sa
The existing policy or contract is being replaced because:				placed because:	The existing policy or contract is being

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#### I certify that the responses herein are, to the best of my knowledge, accurate:

Applicant's Signature	Date (mm/dd/yyyy)	Printed Name
X		
Joint Owner's Signature	Date (mm/dd/yyyy)	Printed Name
X		
Producer's Signature	Date (mm/dd/yyyy)	Printed Name
×		

I do not want this notice read aloud to me. \_\_\_\_\_ (Applicants must initial only if they do not want the notice read aloud.)

A replacement may not be in your best interest, or your decision could be a good one. You should make a careful comparison of the costs and benefits of your existing policy or contract and the proposed policy or contract. One way to do this is to ask the company or agent that sold you your existing policy or contract to provide you with information concerning your existing policy or contract. This may include an illustration of how your existing policy or contract is working now and how it would perform in the future based on certain assumptions. Illustrations should not, however, be used as a sole basis to compare policies or contracts. You should discuss the following with your agent to determine whether replacement or financing your purchase makes sense:

#### **Premiums:**

- · Are they affordable?
- Could they change?
- You're older—are premiums higher for the proposed new policy?
- How long will you have to pay premiums on the new policy? On the old policy?

#### **Policy Values:**

- New policies usually take longer to build cash values and to pay dividends.
- Acquisition costs for the old policy may have been paid; you will incur costs for the new one.
- What surrender charges do the policies have?
- What expense and sales charges will you pay on the new policy?
- Does the new policy provide more insurance coverage?

#### Insurability:

- If your health has changed since you bought your old policy, the new one could cost you more, or you could be turned down.
- You may need a medical exam for a new policy.
- [Claims on most new policies for up to the first two years can be denied based on inaccurate statements. Suicide limitations may begin anew on the new coverage.]

#### If You Are Keeping the Old Policy as well as the New Policy:

- How are premiums for both policies being paid?
- How will the premiums on your existing policy be affected?
- Will a loan be deducted from death benefits?
- What values from the old policy are being used to pay premiums?

#### If You Are Surrendering an Annuity or Interest Sensitive Life Product:

- Will you pay surrender charges on your old contract?
- What are the interest rate guarantees for the new contract?
- · Have you compared the contract charges or other policy expenses?

#### Other Issues to Consider for All Transactions:

- What are the tax consequences of buying the new policy?
- Is this a tax-free exchange? (See your tax advisor.)
- Is there a benefit from favorable "grandfathered" treatment of the old policy under the federal tax code?
- Will the existing insurer be willing to modify the old policy?
- How does the quality and financial stability of the new company compare with your existing company?

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