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September 5, 2025

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Re: Estate of Beverly R. Patterson
Grays Harbor County Cause No. 25-4-00011-14
Policy No. 0041804017

Gentlemen:

Please be advised that I am the attorney for the Estate of Beverly R. Patterson, who passed away on December 6, 2024. The decedent's son, Gary L. Patterson, was appointed by the court as the Personal Representative of the estate.

In accordance with the forms you sent to my client, please see enclosed the following documents to process the claim:

1. Completed Deceased Shareholder Transfer Request-Trust Share form
2. Copy of Beverly R. Patterson's Death Certificate
3. Copy of Letters Testamentary

Thank you.

Yours truly,

DOUGLAS B. BITAR
DBB/bss
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IRS DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY
INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE
CINCINNATI OH 45999-0023

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Date of this notice: 05-20-2025

Employer Identification Number:
39-6835012

Form: SS-4

Number of this notice: CP 575 B

BEVERLY R PATTERSON ESTATE
GARY L PATTERSON PER REP
316 KARR AVE
HOQUIAM, WA 98550

For assistance you may call us at:
1-800-829-4933

IF YOU WRITE, ATTACH THE
STUB AT THE END OF THIS NOTICE.

WE ASSIGNED YOU AN EMPLOYER IDENTIFICATION NUMBER

Thank you for applying for an Employer Identification Number (EIN). We assigned you EIN 39-6835012. This EIN will identify your estate or trust. If you are not the applicant, please contact the individual who is handling the estate or trust for you. Please keep this notice in your permanent records.

Taxpayers request an EIN for their business. Some taxpayers receive CP575 notices when another person has stolen their identity and are opening a business using their information. If you did **not** apply for this EIN, please contact us at the phone number or address listed on the top of this notice.

When filing tax documents, making payments, or replying to any related correspondence, it is very important that you use your EIN and complete name and address exactly as shown above. Any variation may cause a delay in processing, result in incorrect information in your account, or even cause you to be assigned more than one EIN. If the information is not correct as shown above, please make the correction using the attached tear-off stub and return it to us.

Based on the information received from you or your representative, you must file the following forms by the dates shown.

Form 1041	04/15/2026

If you have questions about the forms or the due dates shown, you can call us at the phone number or write to us at the address shown at the top of this notice. If you need help in determining your annual accounting period (tax year), see Publication 538, *Accounting Periods and Methods*.

We assigned you a tax classification (corporation, partnership, estate, trust, EPMF, etc.) based on information obtained from you or your representative. It is not a legal determination of your tax classification, and is not binding on the IRS. If you want a legal determination of your tax classification, you may request a private letter ruling from the IRS under the guidelines in Revenue Procedure 2020-1, 2020-1 I.R.B. 1 (or superseding Revenue Procedure for the year at issue). Note: Certain tax classification elections can be requested by filing Form 8832, *Entity Classification Election*. See Form 8832 and its instructions for additional information.

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Holder Account Number

C0041804017

Ticker Symbol MET
CUSIP 59156R108

MetLife Policyholder Trust - Transaction Advice

YOUR ACCOUNT HAS BEEN CLOSED AND YOU ARE NO LONGER ELIGIBLE TO PARTICIPATE IN THE PURCHASE AND SALE PROGRAM.

Transaction(s)

Date	Transaction Description	Trust Interests (Shares)	CUSIP	Class Description
18 Sep 2025	Trust Transfer	-59.000000	59156R108	Trust Interests

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Holder Account Number

C0068236657

Uncertified accounts are subject to withholding taxes on dividend payments and sales proceeds.

Ticker Symbol	MET
CUSIP	59156R108

MetLife Policyholder Trust - Transaction Advice

Transaction(s)

Date	Transaction Description	Trust Interests (Shares)	CUSIP	Class Description
18 Sep 2025	Trust Transfer	59.000000	59156R108	Trust Interests

Account Information: Date: 18 Sep 2025 (Excludes transactions pending settlement)

Trust Interest (Share) Balance	Price Per Share	Value ($)
59.000000	79.07	4,665.13

This Transaction Advice is your record of the indicated Trust Interests being credited to an account on the books of the referenced transfer agent. The Transaction Advice should be kept with your important documents as a record of your ownership of these securities. These Trust Interests are transferable only as permitted under the terms of the MetLife Policyholder Trust and the Policyholder Trust Agreement. A copy of the brochure describing the program, as well as the Purchase and Sale Program procedures, are available on the internet at https://investor.metlife.com by selecting the Shareholder Services information page and clicking on "The Purchase and Sale Program." Please read the important information on the back of this form and in the MetLife Purchase and Sale Program Brochure.

IMPORTANT: Carefully cut along the dotted line and return the form BELOW to the address provided. 01JEJA (12/20)

Purchase Instructions
(See reverse side to SELL)

If you wish to request a purchase, detach, complete and return this form.
Make check in U.S. dollars payable to the MetLife Purchase Program.

Attached is a check in the amount of:

$ ___,___.__

- **No third party checks, money orders or credit card payments will be accepted.**
- Please write your holder account number and the company name on your check.
- This form should ONLY be used for MetLife, Inc.
- The enclosed amount will ONLY be applied to the account referenced to the right. Minimum investment $250 (except as described in the Purchase and Sales brochure)

Please detach this portion and mail it to the address provided on the right.

Holder Name: GARY L PATTERSON PER REP EST BEVERLY R PATTERSON

Holder Account Number

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Holder Account Number

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Use black ink. Print in CAPITAL letters inside the grey areas as shown in this example. A B C 1 2 3 X

Date Issued: 18 Sep 2025
Send form to Computershare. Do not send to the IRS.

Form W-9 Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification

Dear Shareholder:
Our records indicate that your U.S. Social Security Number or Employer Identification Number is not certified. If this Form W-9 is not completed and returned, your account may be subject to backup withholding at the applicable tax rate on all dividends and sale proceeds. For joint tenant accounts, the TIN provided must belong to the first owner listed above to avoid backup withholding.

A. Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)

Enter your TIN for the above registered name and address in the appropriate box. For individuals, this is your Social Security number (SSN). For other entities, it is your Employer Identification Number (EIN). COMPLETE ONLY ONE BOX.

Social Security Number

OR

Employer Identification Number

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B. Federal Tax Classification

Check appropriate box (required); check only **ONE** of the following boxes:

☐ Individual ☐ C Corporation ☐ S Corporation ☐ Partnership ☒ Trust/Estate

Limited Liability Company (LLC) or Partnership, Trust/Estate or other classification

Do not use this form if you are an LLC, or if you are a Partnership, or Trust/estate with any foreign partners, owners, or beneficiaries, and you are providing this form **to a partnership, trust, or estate.** You must complete an IRS Form W-9. This form can be found on the IRS website at **www.irs.gov.**

C. Exempt Payee Code (if any)

☐ If you are exempt from backup withholding, enter in the Exemptions box, any code that may apply to you. See Exempt payee codes on the back of this form.

Exemption from FATCA reporting code (if any)
Not Applicable
(Applies to accounts maintained outside the U.S.)

D. Certification

Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:

1. The number shown on this form is my correct Taxpayer Identification Number, and
2. I am not subject to backup withholding because: (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding, and
3. I am a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person (defined on reverse).
4. The FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that I am exempt from FATCA reporting is correct (defined on reverse).

Certification Instructions. You must cross out item 2 above if you have been notified by the IRS that you are currently subject to backup withholding because you have failed to report all interest and dividends on your tax return.

Signature of U.S. Person (please keep signature within the box) Gary L. Patterson

Date (mm/dd/yyyy) 09 / 29 / 2025

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How to complete this form

Backup Withholding

The Internal Revenue Service (IRS) requires us to withhold taxes for the applicable rate of backup withholding for U.S. persons without a W-9 tax certification who are not otherwise exempt. Parties acting as disbursement agents must withhold and pay to the IRS the applicable tax rate of such payments under certain conditions. This is called "backup withholding." Payments that may be subject to backup withholding include interest, dividends, broker and barter exchange transactions, and royalties. Supplying us with your correct Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN), and signing this form will generally allow you to receive your payments without being subject to backup withholding. Failure to supply your TIN, or supplying us with an incorrect TIN, could result in a $50.00 penalty being assessed by the IRS.

Receipt of a completed Form W-9 will discontinue backup withholding unless otherwise required.

What Name and Number To Give the Requester

For this type of account:	Give name and SSN of:
1. Individual	The individual
2. Two or more individuals (joint account)	The actual owner of the account or, if combined funds, the first individual on the account
3. Custodian account of a minor (Uniform Gift to Minors Act)	The minor
4. a. The usual revocable savings trust (grantor is also trustee)	The grantor-trustee
b. So-called trust account that is not a legal or valid trust under state law	The actual owner
5. Sole proprietorship or disregarded entity owned by an individual	The owner
6. Grantor trust filing under Optional Filing Method 1 (see Regulation section 1.671-4(b)(2)(i)(A))	The grantor
For this type of account:	**Give name and EIN of:**
7. Disregarded entity not owned by an individual	The owner
8. A valid trust, estate, or pension trust	Legal entity
9. Corporation or LLC electing corporate status on Form 8832 or Form 2553	The corporation
10. Association, club, religious, charitable, educational, or other tax-exempt organization	The organization
11. Partnership or multi-member LLC	The partnership
12. A broker or registered nominee	The broker or nominee
13. Account with the Department of Agriculture in the name of a public entity (such as a state or local government, school district, or prison) that receives agricultural program payments	The public entity
14. Grantor trust filing under the Form 1041 or the Optional Form 1099 Filing Method 2 (see Regulation section 1.671-4(b)(2)(i)(B))	The trust

Exempt payee code. Generally, individuals (including sole proprietors) are not exempt from backup withholding. Corporations are exempt from backup withholding for certain payments, including interest and dividends. Corporations are not exempt from backup withholding for payments made in settlement of payment card or third party network transactions.

Note. If you are exempt from backup withholding, you should still complete this form to avoid possible erroneous backup withholding.

The following codes identify payees that are exempt from backup withholding:

1 – An organization exempt from tax under section 501(a), any IRA, or a custodial account under section 403(b)(7) if the account satisfies the requirements of section 401(f)(2)

2 – The United States or any of its agencies or instrumentalities other than an account maintained by an FFI

3 – A state, the District of Columbia, a U.S. commonwealth or territory, or any of their political subdivisions or instrumentalities

4 – A foreign government or any of its political subdivisions, agencies, or instrumentalities

5 – A corporation

6 – A dealer in securities or commodities required to register in the United States, the District of Columbia, or a possession of the United States

7 – A futures commission merchant registered with the Commodity Futures Trading Commission

8 – A real estate investment trust

9 – An entity registered at all times during the tax year under the Investment Company Act of 1940

10 – A common trust fund operated by a bank under section 584(a)

11 – A financial institution as defined under section 581

12 – A middleman known in the investment community as a nominee or custodian

13 – A trust exempt from tax under section 664 or described in section 4947

Definition of a U.S. Person. For federal tax purposes, you are considered a U.S. person if you are:

- An individual who is a U.S. citizen or U.S. resident alien,
- A partnership, corporation, company, or association created or organized in the United States or under the laws of the United States,
- An estate (other than a foreign estate), or
- A domestic trust (as defined in Regulations Section 301.7701-7).

Exemption from FATCA reporting: If you are submitting this form for an account that is maintained in the United States, you are exempt from FATCA reporting.

Please return this completed form to the address listed on the first page in the top right corner.

DID YOU KNOW?

You can certify your account online by visiting us at the website on the reverse side of this form. While online, join the thousands of shareholders that have signed up for electronic delivery!