

## **Life Actuarial (A) Task Force/ Health Actuarial (B) Task Force Amendment Proposal Form\***

1. Identify yourself, your affiliation and a very brief description (title) of the issue.

**Identification:**

PBR Staff of Texas Department of Insurance

**Title of the Issue:**

The values of the starting assets defined in the two sentences in VM-21 Section 4.D.1.a are not identical.

2. Identify the document, including the date if the document is “released for comment,” and the location in the document where the amendment is proposed:

VM-21 Section 4.D.1.a in January 1, 2023 NAIC Valuation Manual

3. Show what changes are needed by providing a red-line version of the original verbiage with deletions and identify the verbiage to be deleted, inserted or changed by providing a red-line (turn on “track changes” in Word®) version of the verbiage. (You may do this through an attachment.)

1. Starting Asset Amount

a. For the projections of accumulated deficiencies, the value of assets at the start of the projection shall be set equal to the approximate value of statutory reserves at the start of the projection plus the allocated amount of PIMR attributable to the assets selected. Assets shall be valued consistently with their annual statement values. The amount of such asset values shall equal the sum of the following items plus the allocated amount of PIMR attributable to the assets selected, all as of the start of the projection:

- i. All of the separate account assets supporting the contracts;
- ii. Any hedge instruments held in support of the contracts being valued; and
- iii. An amount of assets held in the general account equal to the approximate value of statutory reserves as of the start of the projections less the amount in (i) and (ii).

4. State the reason for the proposed amendment? (You may do this through an attachment.)

The edit is necessary to have the identical value of the assets at the start of the projection as in the first sentence (i.e., For the projections of accumulated deficiencies, the value of assets at the start of the projection shall be set equal to the approximate value of statutory reserves at the start of the projection **plus the allocated amount of PIMR attributable to the assets selected**).

\* This form is not intended for minor corrections, such as formatting, grammar, cross-references or spelling. Those types of changes do not require action by the entire group and may be submitted via letter or email to the NAIC staff support person for the NAIC group where the document originated.

NAIC Staff Comments:

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