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**2022 Proposed Charges**

**LIFE ACTUARIAL (A) TASK FORCE**

The mission of the Life Actuarial (A) Task Force is to identify, investigate and develop solutions to actuarial problems in the life insurance industry.

**Ongoing Support of NAIC Programs, Products and Services**

1. The **Life Actuarial (A) Task Force** will:
2. Work to keep reserve, reporting and other actuarial-related requirements current. This includes principle-based reserving (PBR) and other requirements in the *Valuation Manual*, actuarial guidelines, and recommendations for appropriate actuarial reporting in blanks. Respond to charges from the Life Insurance and Annuities (A) Committee and referrals from other groups or committees, as appropriate.
3. Report progress on all work to the Life Insurance and Annuities (A) Committee and provide updates to the Financial Condition (E) Committee on matters related to life insurance company solvency. This work includes the following:
   1. Work with the American Academy of Actuaries (Academy) and the Society of Actuaries (SOA) to develop new mortality tables for valuation and minimum nonforfeiture requirements, as appropriate, for life insurance and annuities.
   2. Provide recommendations for guidance and requirements for accelerated underwriting, as needed.
   3. Evaluate and provide recommendations regarding the VM-21/AG 43 Standard Projection Amount, which may include continuing as a required floor or providing as disclosure. This evaluation is to be completed prior to year-end 2023.
   4. Work with the SOA on the annual development of the Generally Recognized Expense Table (GRET) factors.
   5. Provide recommendations and changes, as appropriate, to other reserve and nonforfeiture requirements to address issues, and provide actuarial assistance and commentary to other NAIC committees relative to their work on actuarial matters.
   6. Work with the selected vendor to develop and implement the new economic scenario generator (ESG) for use in regulatory reserve and capital calculations.
   7. Monitor international developments regarding life and health insurance reserving, capital and related topics. Compare and benchmark with PBR requirements.
4. The **Variable Annuities Capital and Reserve (E/A) Subgroup** of the Life Risk-Based Capital (E) Working Group and the Life Actuarial (A) Task Force will:
5. Monitor the impact of the changes to the variable annuities reserve framework and RBC calculation and determine if additional revisions need to be made.
6. Develop and recommend appropriate changes, including those to improve accuracy and clarity of variable annuity (VA) capital and reserve requirements.
7. The **Experience Reporting (A) Subgroup** will:
   * + 1. Continue development of the experience reporting requirements within the *Valuation Manual*. Provide input, as appropriate, for the process regarding the experience reporting agent, data collection, and subsequent analysis and use of experience submitted.
8. The **Indexed Universal Life (IUL) Illustration (A) Subgroup** will:
9. Monitor the results and practices of IUL illustrations following implementation of *Actuarial Guideline XLIX-A—The Application of the Life Illustrations Model Regulation to Policies with Index-Based Interest to Policies Sold On or After December 14, 2020* (AG 49-A). Provide recommendations for consideration of changes to *Life Insurance Illustrations Model Regulation* (#582) to the Life Actuarial (A) Task Force, as needed.
10. The **Longevity Risk (E/A) Subgroup** of the Life Actuarial (A) Task Force and the Life Risk-Based Capital (E) Working Group will:
11. Provide recommendations for recognizing longevity risk in statutory reserves and/or risk-based capital (RBC), as appropriate. Complete by the 2022 Summer National Meeting.
12. The**Valuation Manual (VM)-22 (A) Subgroup** will:
13. Recommend requirements, as appropriate, for non-variable (fixed) annuities in the accumulation and payout phases for consideration by the Life Actuarial (A) Task Force. Continue working with the Academy on a PBR methodology for non-variable annuities.
14. The **Guaranteed Issue (GI) Life Valuation (A) Subgroup** will:

A. Provide recommendations regarding valuation requirements for GI life business, including any appropriate mortality table(s) for valuation as well as nonforfeiture. Initial recommendations are to be provided to the Life Actuarial (A) Task Force by the 2022 Summer National Meeting.

1. The [Index-Linked Variable Annuity (A) Subgroup](https://content.naic.org/cmte_a_ilva.htm) will:
   1. Provide recommendations and changes, as appropriate, to nonforfeiture, or interim value requirements related to index-linked variable annuities.

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