

VRIAC's Policy For Correction of Inadvertent Processing Errors

As your Plan's administrative service provider, Voya Retirement Insurance and Annuity Company ("VRIAC") has agreed to process transaction orders received in good order prior to market close from the plan and plan participants accurately and on a timely basis. We seek to avoid transaction processing errors to the greatest extent possible, but inadvertent errors do occur from time to time. Inadvertent processing errors are exclusively defined as incorrect or untimely processing by VRIAC employees of transactions that are received in good order. Inadvertent processing errors do not include errors made by plan sponsors or third parties.

VRIAC will correct any identified inadvertent processing error caused by VRIAC (a "VRIAC inadvertent processing error") as soon as practicable, typically no later than five (5) business days after VRIAC has identified sufficient information to correct the error. VRIAC represents that in no event will VRIAC exercise discretionary authority or control over the correction of inadvertent processing errors in order to maximize gain or correct such error for VRIAC's own benefit or interest.

Once a VRIAC inadvertent processing error has been identified, we promptly take corrective action to put the plan and its participants in a position financially equivalent to the position they would have been in if the processing error had not occurred. This means that VRIAC will make the plan whole for any loss to a plan resulting from correcting a VRIAC processing error. If any gain to a plan results in connection with a corrected transaction, VRIAC will keep that gain. The following examples illustrate the effect of the policy:

- When a plan participant directs that a certain dollar amount be contributed to his or her plan account, VRIAC credits the number of investment units that dollar amount will purchase to the participant's account on Day 1, the day the contribution is processed.

The number of units is based on the unit's dollar value on Day 1, as set by the investment fund and communicated to VRIAC after market close. If an inadvertent error occurs, and VRIAC does not process the contribution until Day 2, VRIAC will determine the number of units that should have been credited on Day 1, using Day 1's unit price. If, on Day 2, the unit price has gone up, the dollar amount of the contribution will not be enough to cover the number of units the participant should have received. VRIAC will make up the difference such that the participant receives the number of units he or she would have received on Day 1 and VRIAC will absorb the loss. The participant is not charged for any additional cost.

However, if, on Day 2, the unit price has gone down, the amount of the contribution would purchase more units on Day 2 than it would have purchased on Day 1. In that circumstance, the participant will receive the number of units he or she would have received on Day 1 had the transaction been processed and VRIAC will keep the excess as part of its overall fee for services under the contract.

Regardless of whether there is a gain or a loss, the participant receives the benefit of what he or she requested.

When a plan participant makes a withdrawal request of a certain dollar amount from his or her account, VRIAC liquidates or sells the number of investment units needed in order to make the distribution. Thus, on Day 1, VRIAC typically would sell or liquidate investment units in the participant's investment fund at Day 1's price to make the distribution. If, due to a VRIAC inadvertent processing Error, VRIAC processes the instructions a day late, VRIAC will make sure that the participant receives the dollar amount he/she requested. VRIAC will sell or liquidate the same number of units that would have been sold on Day 1 had the transaction been accomplished on Day 1. If the unit price has declined, liquidated units will have a lower value on Day 2 than they had on Day 1, which means that VRIAC must make up the difference so that the participant receives the requested amount in full. In doing so, VRIAC will incur a loss, which it absorbs. On the other hand, if the market has gone up and the units have increased in value, VRIAC will sell the same number of units as it would have sold on Day 1, but the sales amount will be higher than the requested withdrawal. VRIAC will keep the excess as part of its overall fee. In either circumstance, the participant receives the benefit of what he or she requested and bears no additional cost.

VRIAC tracks the net financial experience of VRIAC's Correction Account and the effect of the corrections for each affected plan on an annual basis and will make that information available in accordance with ERISA Section 408(b)(2). Any gains kept by VRIAC constitutes additional compensation for the services provided by VRIAC under its contract and VRIAC will report it in accordance with ERISA Section 408(b)(2).

By executing an administrative services agreement with VRIAC, you are authorizing VRIAC's application of the error correction policy as described above to your Plan in connection with the plan administrative services that VRIAC will provide. You have the right to terminate VRIAC's services in accordance with the terms of the administrative services agreement.