



# Important Notice: Replacement of Life Insurance or Annuities

Issued by American National Insurance Company  
One Moody Plaza, Galveston, TX 77550-7999



Do you have existing insurance or annuity coverage?

No; **It is not necessary** to complete the rest of this form. Please sign here.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Producer's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Yes; please continue.

This document must be signed by the applicant and the agent, a copy left with the applicant, and a copy included with the application forwarded to the Home Office.

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 pages 3 and 4 of this form.

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

1.  Yes  No Are you considering discontinuing making premium payments, surrendering, forfeiting, assigning to the insurer, or otherwise terminating your existing policy or contract?
2.  Yes  No Are you considering using funds from your existing policies or contracts to pay premiums due on the new policy or contract?

If answer to both questions above is, "No", it is not necessary to complete the remaining pages of this form. Please sign below.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date



If you answered "yes" to either of the question 1 or 2 on the bottom of page 1, list each existing policy or contract you are contemplating replacing (include the name of the insurer, the insured, and the contract number if available) and whether each policy will be replaced or used as a source of financing:

INSURER NAME	CONTRACT OR POLICY #	INSURED	REPLACED (R) OR FINANCING (F)
-----------------	-------------------------	---------	----------------------------------

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_

Make sure you know the facts. Contact your existing company or its agent for information about the old policy or contract. [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 making an informed decision.

**SPECIFIC REASON FOR REPLACING EXISTING POLICY WITH NEW PROPOSED POLICY:**

---



---



---

**You SHOULD NOT take action to terminate, assign or alter your existing life insurance coverage until after you have been issued the new policy, examined it and have found it to be acceptable to you.**

Remember, where a replacement is involved, the policy owner has the right to return the policy within thirty (30) days of delivery of the contract and receive a full refund of all premiums.

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?

Are they guaranteed on your current policy?

You're older - are premiums higher for the proposed new policy? On the old policy?

How long will you have to pay premiums on the new policy? On the old policy?

**POLICY VALUES:**

Does your current policy pay dividends?

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 and contestable periods 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?

Do you know the Guaranteed and Current Interest Rates for your current policy and the proposed new policy?

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?

**Statement of Policy Regarding Replacements**

**Producers should not advise, suggest, or recommend that an existing life insurance policy or annuity contract be replaced unless it is in the interest of the customer.**

I certify that only American National approved sales materials were used in my sales presentation, and copies of all materials used were given to the applicant. I also attest that I have been made aware of the Company policy regarding replacements, and I believe this proposed replacement falls within that policy.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Producer's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

This is to acknowledge that I have reviewed and jointly completed this Replacement Questionnaire with the agent proposing my new policy. After considering all of the factors that relate to my personal situation, I believe it to be in my best interest to replace my current policy with the proposed new policy.

I certify that the responses herein are, to the best of my knowledge, accurate (see acknowledgement).

\_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Producer's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**INSTRUCTIONS TO PRODUCER: All pages of this form are to be completed in their entirety when a new ANICO/ANTEX policy is being issued to replace either another ANICO/ANTEX or another company's policy.**