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#### INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Board of Directors of MetLife Foundation

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of MetLife Foundation (the "Foundation"), which comprise the statements of financial position as of December 31, 2020 and 2019, and the related statements of activities and changes in net assets and cash flows for the years then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

#### Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

## **Auditors' Responsibility**

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits. We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the Foundation's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Foundation's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

## Opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Foundation as of December 31, 2020 and 2019, and the changes in its net assets and its cash flows for the years then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

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March 18, 2021

## **Statements of Financial Position**

# As of December 31, 2020 and 2019

Assets	 2020	 2019
Investments:		
Equity investments, at fair value	\$ 67,570,666	\$ 91,606,338
Program-related investments	 13,490,312	 13,899,729
Total Investments	81,060,978	105,506,067
Cash and Cash Equivalents	20,971,478	19,430,772
Contribution receivable	8,000,000	
Accounts receivable	6,000	
Due and accrued investment income	 161,060	 224,908
Total Assets	\$ 110,199,516	\$ 125,161,747
Liabilities and Net Assets		
Cash overdraft	\$ 196,115	\$ 918,075
Unconditional grants payable	640,000	1,264,329
Accrued expenses and other payables	20,455	1,550
Federal excise tax payable	248,267	230,561
Total liabilities	1,104,837	2,414,515
Net Assets without donor restrictions	109,094,679	122,747,232
Total Liabilities and Net Assets	\$ 110,199,516	\$ 125,161,747

See notes to financial statements.

# Statements of Activities and Changes in Net Assets

# For the Years Ended December 31, 2020 and 2019

Revenue	 2020	2019
Net Investment income:		_
Dividends and interest	\$ 2,098,015	\$ 3,143,265
Realized and unrealized gains on investments	7,378,822	16,570,943
Reversal of allowance for program-related investments	<del></del>	750,000
Contribution from MetLife	17,000,000	27,000,000
Contributed services	 1,192,650	1,785,469
Total revenue	 27,669,487	49,249,677
Grants and Expenses		
Grants	38,878,790	40,925,028
General and administrative services:		
Professional and other services	1,115,994	256,729
Contributed services	1,192,650	1,785,469
Federal excise tax expense	 134,606	210,487
Total grants and expenses	41,322,040	43,177,713
Change in net assets without donor restrictions	(13,652,553)	6,071,964
Net assets without donor restrictions - beginning of year	 122,747,232	116,675,268
Net assets without donor restrictions - end of year	\$ 109,094,679	\$ 122,747,232

See notes to financial statements.

# **Statements of Cash Flows**

# For the Years Ended December 31, 2020 and 2019

Cash Flow from Operating Activities	2020	2019
Change in net assets without donor restrictions	\$ (13,652,553)	6,071,964
Adjustments to reconcile change in net assets without donor restrictions to net cash used in operating activities:		
Realized and unrealized (gains) on investments	(7,378,822)	(16,570,943)
Reversal of allowance for program-related investments	_	(750,000)
Change in contribution receivable	(8,000,000)	_
Change in accounts receivable	(6,000)	<u>—</u>
Change in due and accrued investment income	63,848	13,915
Change in cash overdraft	(721,960)	379,290
Change in unconditional grants payable	(624,329)	985,851
Change in accrued expenses and other payables	18,905	
Change in federal excise tax payable	17,706	185,487
Net cash used in operating activities	(30,283,205)	(9,684,436)
Cash Flow from Investing Activities		
Proceeds from sales, maturities, and repayments of investments	41,495,885	35,666,484
Purchases of investments	(9,671,974)	(23,176,583)
Net cash provided by investing activities	31,823,911	12,489,901
Net change in cash and cash equivalents	1,540,706	2,805,465
Cash and cash equivalents - beginning of year	19,430,772	16,625,307
Cash and cash equivalents - end of year	\$ 20,971,478	\$ 19,430,772
Supplemental disclosures of cash flow information:		
Net federal excise taxes paid (received)	\$ 116,000 \$	\$ 25,000

See notes to financial statements.

#### **Notes to Financial Statements**

### For the Years Ended December 31, 2020 and 2019

The MetLife Foundation (the "Foundation") was formed for the purpose of supporting various philanthropic organizations and activities. During 2013, the Foundation began an initiative of devoting resources to advancing financial inclusion, helping to build a secure future for individuals and communities around the world.

#### 1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

## **Summary of Significant Accounting Policies**

The Foundation's financial statements have been prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP), which recognize income when earned and expenses when incurred.

#### Risks and Uncertainties

The global outbreak of the coronavirus (COVID-19) has caused significant volatility within the economic markets. The COVID-19 pandemic may last for an extended period of time and will continue to impact the economy for the foreseeable future. These events may negatively affect the Foundation's operations, business, financial results, or financial condition.

# Equity Investments at Fair Value

The Foundation's equity investments are principally composed of exchange traded funds. Related holding gains and losses are reported in investment income. The Foundation is not exposed to any significant concentration of credit risk in its investment portfolio. Security transactions are recorded on the trade date. A receivable is recognized for securities sold and a payable is recognized for investments acquired, which are not yet settled as of a respective year-end.

#### **Program-Related Investments**

Such investments are authorized by the board of directors of the Foundation (the "Board of Directors") and represent loans to or equity investments in qualified charitable organizations or investments for appropriate charitable purposes as set forth in the Internal Revenue Code and regulations thereunder, and are carried on the equity method, outstanding indebtedness or cost basis.

The Foundation uses the equity method of accounting for certain program-related investments when it has more than a minor ownership interest or more than a minor influence over the investee's operations. The Foundation recognizes its share of the investee's earnings in realized and unrealized gains (losses) on investments in the Statements of Activities and Changes in Net Assets. The Foundation recognizes its share of the investee's earnings on a lag in instances where the investee's financial information is not sufficiently timely or when the investee's reporting period differs from the Foundation's reporting period.

The Foundation measures certain program-related investments at the measurement alternative adjusted for any impairment or observable price changes.

The Foundation routinely evaluates each of its program-related investments for impairment. The Foundation considers financial and other information provided by the investee, other known information and inherent risks in the underlying investments, as well as future capital commitments, in determining whether an impairment has occurred. An allowance for possible losses is established when the Foundation does not expect repayment in full on any program-related loan and when such uncollectible amount can be reasonably estimated. In addition, the income generated by the program-related loans is generally dependent upon the financial ability of the borrowers to keep current on their obligations.

#### Cash Equivalents and Cash Overdraft

Cash equivalents are highly liquid investments purchased with an original or remaining maturity of three months or less at the date of purchase and are carried at fair value. The Foundation generally invests funds required for cash disbursements in cash equivalents and transfers such funds to its operating bank account when checks are presented for payment. The cash overdrafts at December 31, 2020 and 2019, represent grant disbursements that cleared the operating bank account in 2021 and 2020, respectively.

#### **Dividends and Interest**

Dividends on investments are recognized in investment income when declared. Interest income is recognized when earned.

## Contributions from MetLife

Contributions are recorded as revenue in the period earned. All contributions received to date by the Foundation have been unrestricted and, therefore, all of its net assets are similarly unrestricted. All contributions are received from MetLife, Inc. and subsidiaries ("MetLife"). The contribution receivable as of December 31, 2020 is fully collectible.

#### **Contributed Services**

The Foundation receives certain management and administrative services from MetLife without charge. These contributed services are recorded at the cost recognized by MetLife in providing these services. Such amounts are included in revenue, with an offsetting charge recorded in grants and expenses within the Statements of Activities and Changes in Net Assets.

#### Grants

Grants are recorded as expenses in the period they are incurred. Such transactions are authorized by the Board of Directors. Conditional grants authorized for payment in future years are subject to further review and approval by the Board of Directors. Since the obligation to make payment of conditional multiyear grants and program-related loans is dependent upon each grantee/borrower's satisfaction of the applicable conditions, the amount of conditional multiyear grants and program-related loans reported as commitments is based upon the expected or estimated fulfillment of such conditions. These commitments are based on conditions that must be met and are therefore not included as a liability in the Statements of Financial Position. Multiyear unconditional grants are grants that will be paid in future years and are not dependent on the grantee achieving specific, measurable goals or any other conditions. These grants are included as liabilities in the Statements of Financial Position.

#### Use of Estimates

The preparation of the financial statements in conformity with GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, and changes therein and the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities, if any, as of the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from these estimates.

# Net Assets and Liquidity

Net assets without donor restrictions are assets not subject to limits by action of the donor. All of the Foundation's net assets are without donor-imposed restrictions, and additionally, the Board of Directors has not imposed any restrictions on net assets of the Foundation.

The Foundation maintains sufficient unrestricted net assets to meet its cash needs for general expenditures within one year. The Foundation has \$88.5 million of financial assets available within one year of the Statement of Financial Position date to meet cash needs for general expenditures consisting of cash and cash equivalents of \$20.9 million and equity investments of \$67.6 million. Other than potential funding of the commitments disclosed in Note 6, none of the financial assets are subject to donor or other contractual restrictions that make them unavailable for general expenditure within one year of the Statement of Financial Position date.

#### Adoption of New Accounting Pronouncements

The following table shows new ASUs adopted by the Foundation effective January 1, 2020, as follows:

Standard	Description	Effective Date and Method of Adoption	Impact on Financial Statements
for Profit Entities (Topic 958): Clarifying the Scope and the Accounting Guidance for Contributions Received	The new guidance includes specific criteria to consider when determining whether a transaction should be accounted for as a contribution (i.e., grant) or as an exchange transaction. It also provides a framework for determining whether a contribution is conditional or unconditional, which may affect the timing of revenue or expense recognition.	(resource provider transactions). The Foundation	The adoption of this guidance did not have an impact on the Statements of Financial position or the Statements of Activities and Changes in Net Assets.

## Future Adoption of New Accounting Pronouncements

New ASUs issued, but not yet adopted as of December 31, 2020, that are currently being assessed and may or may not have a material impact on the Foundation's financial statements are summarized in the table below:

Standard	Description	Effective Date and Method of Adoption	Impact on Financial Statements
ASU No. 2016-13, Financial Instruments - Credit Losses (Topic 326): Measurement of Credit Losses on Financial Instruments, as clarified and amended by ASU No. 2018-19, Codification Improvements to Topic 326, Financial Instruments - Credit Losses; ASU No. 2019-04, Codification Improvements to Topic 326, Financial Instruments - Credit Losses Topic 815, Derivatives and Hedging, and Topic 825, Financial Instruments; ASU No. 2019-05, Financial Instruments - Credit Losses (Topic 326): Targeted Transition Relief; ASU No. 2019-10 Financial Instruments - Credit Losses (Topic 326), Derivatives and Hedging (Topic 815), and Leases (Topic 842); and ASU No. 2019-11, Codification Improvements to Topic 326, Financial Instrument - Credit Losses	This new guidance requires an allowance for credit losses based on the expectation of lifetime credit losses on financing receivables carried at amortized cost. The new guidance also requires enhanced disclosures.	January 1, 2023, to be applied on a modified retrospective basis, which requires transition adjustments to be recorded as a cumulative effect adjustment to net assets without donor restrictions.	The Foundation is currently evaluating the impact of the new guidance on the financial statements.

## 2. FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS

The Foundation measures its equity investments and cash equivalents at fair value with related holding gains and losses reported in investment income (loss).

When developing estimated fair values, the Foundation considers three broad valuation approaches: (i) the market approach, (ii) the income approach, and (iii) the cost approach. The Foundation determines the most appropriate valuation approach to use, given what is being measured and the availability of sufficient inputs, giving priority to observable inputs. The Foundation categorizes its assets and liabilities measured at estimated fair value

into a three-level hierarchy, based on the significant input with the lowest level in its valuation. The input levels are as follows:

- Level 1 Unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets. The Foundation defines active markets based on average trading volume for equity securities. The size of the bid/ask spread is used as an indicator of market activity for fixed maturity securities.
- Level 2 Quoted prices in markets that are not active or inputs that are observable either directly or indirectly. These inputs can include quoted prices for similar assets other than quoted prices in Level 1, quoted prices in markets that are not active, or other significant inputs that are observable or can be derived principally from or corroborated by observable market data for substantially the full term of the assets.
- Level 3 Unobservable inputs that are supported by little or no market activity and are significant to the determination of estimated fair value of the assets. Unobservable inputs reflect the reporting entity's own assumptions about the assumptions that market participants would use in pricing the asset or liability.

Financial markets are susceptible to severe events evidenced by rapid depreciation in asset values accompanied by a reduction in asset liquidity. The Foundation's ability to sell securities, as well as the price ultimately realized for these securities, depends upon the demand and liquidity in the market and increases the use of judgment in determining the estimated fair value of certain securities.

Considerable judgment is often required in interpreting market data to develop estimates of fair value, and the use of different assumptions or valuation methodologies may have a material effect on the estimated fair value amounts.

#### Recurring Fair Value Measurements

The assets measured at estimated fair value on a recurring basis and their corresponding placement in the fair value hierarchy are presented below at:

				7	Total Estimated
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3		Fair Value
December 31, 2020:					
Equity investments	\$ 67,570,666	\$ _	\$ _	\$	67,570,666
Cash equivalents	 19,999,750				19,999,750
Total	\$ 87,570,416	\$ _	\$ 	\$	87,570,416
December 31, 2019:					
Equity investments	\$ 91,606,338	\$ _	\$ _	\$	91,606,338
Cash equivalents	 17,997,720	_	_		17,997,720
Total	\$ 109,604,058	\$ 	\$ 	\$	109,604,058

#### Equity Investments and Cash and Cash Equivalents

The estimated fair value of these financial instruments is based on quoted prices in active markets that are readily and regularly obtainable.

#### Transfers between Levels

Overall, transfers between levels occur when there are changes in the observability of inputs and market activity.

#### Transfers into or out of Level 3

Assets and liabilities are transferred into Level 3 when a significant input cannot be corroborated with market observable data. This occurs when market activity decreases significantly and underlying inputs cannot be observed, current prices are not available, and/or when there are significant variances in quoted prices, thereby affecting transparency. Assets and liabilities are transferred out of Level 3 when circumstances change such that a significant input can be corroborated with market observable data. This may be due to a significant increase in market activity,

a specific event, or one or more significant input(s) becoming observable. There were no transfers into or out of Level 3 for the years ended December 31, 2020 and 2019.

## 3. PROGRAM-RELATED INVESTMENTS

Program-related investments in the statements of financial position represent loans and equity investments with outstanding principal totaling \$13.5 million and \$13.9 million at December 31, 2020 and 2019, respectively. This consisted of equity investments of \$7.6 million and \$6.0 million at December 31, 2020 and 2019, respectively and loans of \$5.9 million and \$7.9 million at December 31, 2020 and 2019, respectively.

The Foundation accounted for one program-related investment using the measurement alternative. The carrying amount of this investment in the Statements of Financial Position was \$1.9 million at both December 31, 2020 and 2019. The carrying amount at December 31, 2019 included a \$1.5 million upward adjustment due to an observable price change for the investment, which is included within realized and unrealized gains (losses) on investments in the Statements of Activities and Changes in Net Assets.

There were no impairments recognized for the years ended December 31, 2020 and 2019. There were no allowances for possible losses at both December 31, 2020 and 2019. Maturities of the loan investments range from 2021 through 2029. Interest rates range from 2.75% to 3.00% at both December 31, 2020 and 2019.

#### 4. RELATED-PARTY TRANSACTIONS

The Foundation received contributions of \$17.0 million and \$27.0 million from MetLife during the years ended December 31, 2020 and 2019.

MetLife provides the Foundation with management and administrative services without charge, which are reflected as contributed services in the Statements of Activities and Changes in Net Assets. Contributed services amounted to \$1.2 million and \$1.8 million for the years ended December 31, 2020 and 2019, respectively.

In support of its mission, the Foundation pays grants to certain organizations whose board members include a board member or member of the Foundation. These grants, which are subject to specific policies and procedures surrounding their approval, amounted to \$3.8 million and \$2.5 million for years ended December 31, 2020 and 2019, respectively.

As of December 31, 2020 and 2019, the Foundation held unconditional grants payable of \$0.3 million and \$0.5 million, respectively, with organizations whose board members include a board member of the Foundation.

As of December 31, 2020 and 2019, the Foundation held program-related investments of \$2.6 million and \$4.2 million, respectively, with organizations whose board members include a board member of the Foundation.

# 5. FEDERAL TAXES

The Foundation is exempt from federal income taxes; however, as a private foundation, it is subject to federal excise taxes on its net taxable investment income and realized capital gains. The rate for current excise taxes was 1.39% in 2020 and 1.00% in 2019. The rate for deferred excise taxes was 1.39% in both 2020 and 2019. As of December 31, 2020 and 2019, the Foundation had a deferred excise tax liability of \$0.2 million in both years, resulting from changes in the fair value of investments. There were no uncertain tax positions taken by the Foundation as of December 31, 2020 and 2019.

## 6. COMMITMENTS

As of December 31, 2020, the Board of Directors had authorized conditional grants and program-related investments for future years as follows.

	<b>Conditional Grants</b>	<b>Program- Related Investments</b>
2021	6,335,890	2,584,037

## 7. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

The Foundation has evaluated all subsequent transactions and events after the date of the Statements of Financial Position date and through March 18, 2021, which is the date these financial statements were available to be issued. There are no transactions or events requiring disclosure.