## Wilton Reinsurance Bermuda Limited and Subsidiary

Consolidated Financial Statements and Supplementary Information as of and for the Years Ended December 31, 2020 and 2019, and Independent Auditors' Report

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#### INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Board of Directors of Wilton Reinsurance Bermuda Limited:

We have audited the accompanying consolidated financial statements of Wilton Reinsurance Bermuda Limited and its subsidiary (the "Company"), which comprise the consolidated balance sheets as of December 31, 2020 and 2019, and the related consolidated statements of comprehensive income (loss), changes in shareholders' equity, and cash flows for the years then ended, and the related notes to the consolidated financial statements.

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

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these consolidated financial statements in conformity 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 consolidated financial statements that are free of material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

## **Auditors' Responsibility**

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these consolidated 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 consolidated financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the consolidated financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the Company'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 Company'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 consolidated 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 consolidated financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Wilton Reinsurance Bermuda Limited and its subsidiary as of December 31, 2020 and 2019, and the results of their operations and their cash flows for the years then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

April 19, 2021

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## CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2020 AND 2019

(Expressed in thousands of U.S. dollars, except share amounts)

	2020	2019
Assets		
Investments		
Fixed maturity and equity securities at fair value	\$ 235,101	\$ 744,690
Policy loans	16,980	17,291
Funds withheld at interest	23,260,600	19,805,329
(includes \$22,362,571 and \$18,986,097 at fair value		
at December 31, 2020 and 2019, respectively)		
Other invested assets	189,406	231,755
(includes \$177,452 and \$217,371 at fair value		
at December 31, 2020 and 2019, respectively)	200	
Short term investments	800	
Total investments	23,702,887	20,799,065
Cash and cash equivalents	95,096	36,650
Accrued investment income	1,314	4,952
Premiums receivable	21,138	18,034
Other reinsurance receivables	152,366	11,692
Net deferred acquisition costs	40,867	45,081
Value of in-force business acquired	238,668	522,333
Net deferred income taxes	85,544	174,887
Other assets	200,371	203,574
Total assets	\$ 24,538,251	\$ 21,816,268
Liabilities and shareholders' equity		
Liabilities:		
Reserves for future policy benefits	\$ 12,312,845	\$ 9,673,443
Interest sensitive contract liabilities	9,956,227	9,836,607
Other reinsurance liabilities	50,947	62,153
Other liabilities	103,069	58,552
Total liabilities	22,423,088	19,630,755
Shareholders' equity:		
Class A-1 common shares	32	32
\$1.00 par value; 31,780 shares authorized, issued and		
outstanding at December 31, 2020 and 2019 respectively		
Class A-2 common shares	11	11
\$1.00 par value; 50,000 shares authorized, 10,594 issued and outstanding outstanding at December 31, 2020 and 2019 respectively		
Class B common shares	218	218
\$1.00 par value; 218,220 shares authorized, issued and outstanding		
outstanding at December 31, 2020 and 2019 respectively		
Additional paid-in capital	798,110	798,110
Retained earnings and accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)	1,316,792	1,387,142
Total shareholders' equity	2,115,163	2,185,513
Total liabilities and shareholders' equity	\$ 24,538,251	\$ 21,816,268

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

# CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (LOSS) FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2020 AND 2019 (Expressed in thousands of U.S. dollars)

	2020	2019
Revenues		
Net premiums	\$ 94,229	\$ 78,618
Policy fees and charges	107,563	105,453
Inuring third-party reinsurance commissions	(8)	1,297
Investment earnings—net	726,594	628,414
Net change in unrealized gains (losses) on investments		
classified as trading and other	(22,823)	51,957
Change in value of embedded derivatives—net	1,398,027	1,518,637
Total revenues	2,303,582	2,384,376
Benefits and expenses		
Claims and policy benefits—net of reinsurance ceded	1,119,787	417,496
Interest credited to interest sensitive contract liabilities	233,462	238,426
Acquisition costs and other insurance expenses	330,244	389,721
Operating expenses	19,674	9,454
Total benefits and expenses	1,703,167	1,055,097
Net income (loss) and comprehensive income (loss) before income taxes	600,415	1,329,279
Income tax expense (benefit)	125,765	278,919
Net income (loss) and comprehensive income (loss)	\$ 474,650	\$ 1,050,360

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# CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2020 AND 2019 (Expressed in thousands of U.S. dollars)

	2020		2019	
Common Shares (Class A-1)				
Balance at beginning and end of year	\$	32	\$	32
Common Shares (Class A-2)				
Balance at beginning and end of year		11		11
Common Shares (Class B)				
Balance at beginning and end of year		218		218
Additional Paid-In Capital				
Balance at beginning and end of year		798,110		798,110
Retained Earnings				
Balance at beginning of year		1,387,142		336,782
Dividends on common stock		(545,000)		-
Net income (loss) and comprehensive income (loss)		474,650		1,050,360
Balance at end of year		1,316,792		1,387,142
Total shareholders' equity	\$	2,115,163	\$	2,185,513

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

# CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2020 AND 2019 (Expressed in thousands of US dollars)

	2020	2019
Cash flows from operating activities		
Net income (loss) and comprehensive income (loss)	\$ 474,650	\$ 1,050,360
Adjustments to reconcile net income (loss) and comprehensive income (loss) to net cash from (used in) operating activities:		
Amortization of net investment premium, discounts and other	1,318	2,063
Investment related realized (gains) losses—net	(11,179)	(1,377)
Investment related unrealized (gains) losses—net	(16,493)	(22,176)
Earnings of equity method investee	2,633	11,384
Mark-to-market on embedded derivative	(1,398,027)	(1,518,637)
Amortization and other adjustments to deferred acquisition costs	4,213	7,182
Amortization and other adjustments to value of business acquired	16,248	22,188
Interest credited to interest sensitive contracts	233,462	238,426
Other reserve changes of interest sensitive contract liabilities	287,928	274,881
Cash and cash equivalents from closed block reinsurance	45,800	-
Change in assets and liabilities:		
Fixed maturity and equity securities	296,663	(170,326)
Accrued investment income	3,638	(840)
Deferred income taxes	89,343	285,509
Premiums receivable	482	391
Reinsurance recoverable	-	293
Other reinsurance receivables	(85,419)	72,214
Funds withheld at interest	32,210	(158,752)
Deferred acquisition costs	-	3,457
Value of in-force business acquired	267,417	302,992
Other assets	3,205	(10,059)
Reserves for future policy benefits	448,298	(201,689)
Other reinsurance liabilities	(13,624)	59,511
Other liabilities	52,739	(24,818)
Net cash flows from (used in) operating activities	735,505	222,177

## CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2020 AND 2019 (Expressed in thousands of US dollars)

	2020		2019
Cash flows from investing activities			
Sales, maturities and repayments of:			
Limited partnership interests	\$ 550	\$	1,351
Other invested assets	8,599		-
Purchases of:			
Life settlement contracts	-		(17,466)
Limited partnership interests	(746)		(11,752)
Other invested assets	(680)		(6,461)
Premium paid on life settlement contracts	(27,116)		(22,276)
Net proceeds from maturity of life settlement contracts	98,252		46,473
Change in policy loans	311		9,695
Change in short-term investments	 (800)		
Net cash flows from (used in) investing activities	 78,370		(436)
Cash flows from financing activities			
Dividends on common stock	(344,863)		-
Proceeds from secured borrowing	-		59,849
Paydown of secured borrowing	(8,797)		(5,466)
Deposits into interest sensitive contracts	11,539		15,235
Redemption and benefit payments on interest sensitive contracts	 (413,309)		(294,301)
Net cash flows from (used in) financing activities	 (755,430)		(224,683)
Increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	58,445		(2,942)
Cash and cash equivalents—Beginning of the year	 36,650		39,592
Cash and cash equivalents—End of the year	\$ 95,095	\$	36,650
Supplemental disclosure of cash flow information:			
Cash received (paid) during the period for—income taxes	\$ 	\$	
Cash flow information for non-cash transactions:			
Securities transferred out for dividends on common stock	\$ (200,137)	\$	-
The accompanying notes are an integral part of these			
consolidated financial statements		(C	oncluded)

## NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AS OF AND FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2020 AND 2019

(Expressed in thousands of U.S. dollars, except share amounts)

## 1. ORGANIZATION

Wilton Reinsurance Bermuda Limited (WREB or the Company) is a subsidiary of Wilton Re Ltd. (96%) and Wilton Re U.S. Holdings, Inc. (4%) and was incorporated under the laws of Bermuda as a long term insurer on December 17, 2004. Wilton Re Ltd. (WRL) is the ultimate parent corporation in the Company's holding company structure.

Mills Creek LLC (Mills Creek), a wholly owned subsidiary of WREB, was formed on January 7, 2019, as a Delaware limited liability company authorized to issue 100 Common Units. On January 25, 2019, WREB contributed all of its right, title and interest in its direct investment life settlement contracts valued at \$240,376 in exchange for its 100 Common Units. On January 29, 2019, WREB sold 25 Common Units to SPC Opps Fund Holdings II, L.P., a Delaware limited partnership for an amount equal to 25% of WREB's investment in Mills Creek. WREB recorded the proceeds from the sale as a secured borrowing, included within other liabilities of the consolidated balance sheets. The balance of the secured borrowing is \$45,585 and \$54,383 at December 31, 2020 and December 31, 2019, respectively.

## 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

### **Basis of Presentation**

The accompanying consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (U.S. GAAP). All significant intercompany accounts balances and transactions have been eliminated in consolidation.

### **Use of Estimates**

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with U.S. GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the consolidated financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. The most significant estimates include those used in determining deferred acquisition costs, value of in-force business acquired, premiums receivable, reserves for future policy benefits, other policy claims and benefits, and the valuation of investments. While the amounts included in the consolidated financial statements reflect management's best estimates and assumptions, the actual results could be materially different from the amounts reported in the consolidated financial statements.

## **Investments and Investment Earnings**

## **Fixed Maturity and Equity Securities**

Fixed maturity and equity securities include publicly-traded fixed maturity securities and preferred stocks which are classified as trading and are recorded at fair value with the change in fair value reported as net unrealized gains (losses) on investments classified as trading and other in the consolidated statements of comprehensive income (loss). The fair value of publicly-traded securities is

based on quoted market prices or obtained from independent third-party dealers in the absence of quoted market prices. The fair value of private placements is obtained from third-party dealers or is modeled.

Investment transactions are recorded on a trade date basis. The Company's investment earnings are recognized when earned and consist primarily of interest and the accretion of discount or amortization of premium on fixed maturity securities. Investment earnings are presented net of investment management, investment accounting and custody expenses on the consolidated statements of comprehensive income (loss). Gains and losses realized on the sale of investments are determined on the first in—first out method.

## **Policy Loans**

Policy loans are reported at the unpaid principal balance. Interest income on such loans is recorded as earned using the contractually agreed upon interest rates.

#### **Funds Withheld at Interest**

Funds withheld at interest represent amounts contractually withheld by ceding companies in accordance with reinsurance agreements. For agreements written on a modified coinsurance basis and agreements written on a coinsurance funds withheld basis, assets equal to the statutory reserves, net of reinsurance, are withheld and legally owned by the ceding company. Investment income on funds withheld at interest includes the interest income earned on these segregated assets as defined by the treaty terms.

The Company accounts for the embedded derivatives in modified coinsurance and funds withheld contracts as total return swaps. Accordingly, the value of the derivative is equal to the unrealized gain or loss on the assets underlying the funds withheld portfolio associated with each agreement. The Company's funds withheld at interest are recorded at fair value with the changes in the fair value of the embedded derivative reflected in the change in value of derivatives and embedded derivatives, net, in the consolidated statements of comprehensive income (loss). At December 31, 2020 and 2019, the fair value of these embedded derivatives, and the change in fair value for the year then ended, included:

	2020	2019
Fair value	\$2,574,749	\$1,176,722
Change in fair value	1,398,027	1,518,946

#### **Short-Term Investments**

Short-term investments represent investments with maturities at acquisition of greater than three months but less than twelve months and are carried at amortized cost.

### **Other Invested Assets**

Other invested assets include investments in limited partnerships and limited liability corporations (limited partnerships), surplus debentures and life settlement contracts.

## Limited Partnerships

Limited partnerships are accounted for using the equity method when the Company has more than a minor ownership interest, more than a minor influence over the investees operations or if the limited partner maintains separate capital accounts for their investors. The most recently available financial

information provided by the general partner or manager of each of the investments is used, which is one to three months prior to the end of our reporting period. Changes in the value of these securities are included in investment earnings—net in the consolidated statements of comprehensive income (loss).

## Surplus Debentures

Surplus debentures are similar to corporate securities, but are subordinated obligations of insurance companies and may be subject to restrictions by the insurance commissioners and are carried at fair value.

## Life Settlement Contracts—Direct Investment

The Company acquired the ownership and beneficiary rights of underlying life insurance policies through the acquisition of life settlement contracts from the owners of the life insurance contracts. The Company accounts for its investments in life settlement contracts using the fair value method. Under the fair value method, each life settlement contract is carried at its fair value at the end of each reporting period within other invested assets on the consolidated balance sheets. The change in fair value, life insurance proceeds received and periodic maintenance costs necessary to keep the underlying policy in force, such as premiums, are recorded in the investment earnings—net in the consolidated statements of comprehensive income (loss).

## **Cash and Cash Equivalents**

The Company considers all investments purchased with a maturity at acquisition of three months or less to be cash equivalents.

#### **Premiums Receivable**

Premium receivables are recognized when due and in accordance with information received from the ceding company. Under the legal right of offset provision in the reinsurance treaties, the Company can withhold payments for allowances and claims for unpaid premiums. Based on a review of these factors and historical experience, the Company did not believe a provision for doubtful accounts was necessary as of December 31, 2020 or 2019. Included in the premiums receivable balance at December 31, 2020 and 2019 is \$20,625 and \$17,278, respectively from affiliates.

#### **Reinsurance Recoverable**

Reinsurance recoverables include an estimate of the amount of policy and claim reserves that are ceded under the terms of reinsurance agreements, including claims incurred but not reported (IBNR). Reinsurers and the respective amounts recoverable are regularly evaluated and a provision for uncollectible reinsurance is recorded if needed. No allowances for uncollectible reinsurance were recorded as of December 31, 2020 or 2019.

#### Other Reinsurance Receivables and Liabilities

Other reinsurance receivables and liabilities primarily include material reinsurance settlements not yet paid, but which generally settle quarterly. As of December 31, 2020, and 2019, other reinsurance receivables includes reinsurance settlement due of \$152,378 and \$11,692, respectively and other reinsurance liabilities includes payables of \$47,550 and \$60,794 respectively. All of the above amounts are due to or payable from affiliates.

## **Deferred Acquisition Costs (DAC)**

The costs that are directly related to the successful acquisition of new and renewal life insurance and reinsurance business have been deferred to the extent that such costs are deemed recoverable from future premiums or gross profits.

The Company performs periodic tests to determine that DAC remains recoverable, and if financial performance deteriorates to the point where a premium deficiency exists, a charge to current operations would be recorded. DAC was fully recoverable during 2020 and 2019. Deferred costs related to traditional life insurance contracts, all of which relate to long duration contracts, are amortized generally over the premium-paying period, in proportion to the ratio of individual period premium revenues to total anticipated premium revenues over the amortization period. Such anticipated premium revenues are estimated using the same assumptions used for computing liabilities for future policy benefits. DAC related to interest sensitive insurance products, such as universal life and annuities, are recognized as expense over the term of the policies in proportion to estimated gross profits (EGPs), arising principally from surrender charges, investment margins including unrealized gains (losses) on investments classified as trading and mortality and expense margins, over the amortization period. EGPs are updated periodically with actual gross profits, and the assumptions underlying future EGPs are evaluated for continued reasonableness. Adjustments to EGPs require that amortization rates be revised retroactively to the date of the contract issuance ("unlocking").

#### **Income Taxes**

The income tax provision is calculated under the liability method on those operations that are subject to income taxes. Deferred tax assets and liabilities result from temporary differences between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities recorded in the financial statements and their respective tax bases. The effect on deferred tax assets and liabilities of a change in tax rates would be recognized in the consolidated statements of comprehensive income (loss) in the period in which the tax rate change is enacted. A valuation allowance for a portion or all of deferred tax assets is recorded as a reduction to deferred tax assets when it is more likely than not that such portion or all of such deferred tax assets will not be realized.

## **Reserves for Future Policy Benefits**

The Company's liabilities for reinsurance of traditional life insurance, accident and health (including long-term care) and payout annuities (including structured settlements) with life contingencies are recognized as reserves for future policy benefits. The Company monitors actual experience and revises assumptions and related reserve estimates as permitted. The reserve is estimated using the net level premium method utilizing assumptions for mortality, morbidity, persistency, interest, and expenses established when the contract is underwritten. These assumptions are based on anticipated experience with a margin for adverse deviation.

If the reserves for future policy benefits plus the present value of expected future gross premiums are insufficient to provide for expected future benefits and expense, deferred policy acquisition costs are expensed or a premium deficiency reserve is established by a charge to claims and policy benefits. Benefit liabilities for traditional life contingent payout annuities and structured settlements are recorded at the present value of expected future benefit payments. Where required, the Company also establishes an unearned profit reserve and amortizes it over expected benefit payments. Additionally, the Company performs a premium deficiency test of non-interest sensitive contract reserves to reflect the effect of unrealized gains or losses on fixed maturity securities, with related changes recognized within reserves for future policy benefits in the accompanying consolidated statements of

comprehensive income (loss). If a future loss is anticipated then an adjustment is made at the applicable balance sheet date, as if the securities had been sold at their stated aggregate fair value and the proceeds backing the liabilities reinvested at current yields. As of December 31, 2020, the Company recorded a premium deficiency reserve of \$755,600 and an increase of related deferred tax assets of \$158,676. As of December 31, 2019, the Company recorded no premium deficiency reserve and no related change to deferred tax assets. Further unrealized appreciation on investments in a low interest rate environment may cause additional future policy benefit liabilities to be recorded through a charge directly to net income.

The average discount rates used to compute the Company's reserves for future policy benefits are as follows:

	2020	2019
Traditional life insurance	5.24 %	5.24 %
Payout annuities with life contingencies	3.73	3.73
Accident & Health including long-term care	3.50	n/a

#### **Interest Sensitive Contract Liabilities**

Liabilities for interest sensitive insurance products such as universal life and deferred annuities are established based on account values before applicable surrender charges. Certain universal life products contain features that link interest credited to an equity index. These features create an embedded derivative that is not clearly and closely related to the host insurance contract. The embedded derivative is carried at fair value with changes in the fair value reported in the accompanying consolidated statements of comprehensive income (loss). The Company had no such embedded derivatives in 2020 or 2019.

In situations where mortality profits are followed by mortality losses (PFBL), a liability is established, in addition to the account value, to recognize the portion of policy assessments that relate to benefits to be provided in the future. The calculation of these liabilities is based on management's best estimates and assumptions regarding expected mortality, lapse, persistency, expenses and investment experience, which are reviewed and unlocked at least annually if necessary. Additional liabilities are established for universal life products related to unearned policy charges. As of December 31, 2020 and 2019, the Company has passed PFBL testing with no projected losses for all years, and therefore, has not recorded an additional liability related to benefits provided in the future.

#### **Claim Reserves**

For both non-interest sensitive and interest sensitive life insurance, liabilities are established for estimated death benefits that have been incurred, but not yet reported. These liabilities are based on periodic analyses of the actual reporting lag between when a claim occurs and when it is reported to the Company, including a provision for adverse deviation.

Long-term care claim reserves are established for continuing benefit payments are calculated using assumptions of anticipated mortality and claim continuance rates that are based on established industry tables adjusted for the ceding company's historical experience. Long-term care claims reserves are discounted at 3.50% for 2020.

## **Recognition of Revenue and Expenses**

Assumed reinsurance and policy premiums related to traditional life products and long-duration accident and health contracts are recognized as revenue when due from the ceding companies and

policyholders and are reported net of the cost of reinsurance ceded. Benefits and expenses are reported net of amounts related to reinsurance ceded and are associated with earned premiums so that profits are recognized over the life of the related contracts.

For each of its reinsurance contracts, the Company determines whether the contract provides indemnification against loss or liability relating to insurance risk. The Company must review all contractual features, particularly those that may limit the amount of insurance risk to which the Company is subject or features that delay the timely reimbursement of claims. If the Company determines that a contract does not expose it to a reasonable possibility of a significant loss from insurance risk, the Company records the contract under the deposit method of accounting with the net amount payable/receivable reflected in other reinsurance assets or liabilities on the consolidated balance sheets. Fees earned on these contracts are reflected as policy fees and charges, as opposed to premiums, on the consolidated statements of comprehensive income (loss).

For annuity and interest-sensitive life contracts, premiums collected are not reported as revenues, but as deposits to interest sensitive contract liabilities. The Company recognizes revenues for these products over time in the form of investment income, policy charges for the cost of insurance, policy administration fees, and surrender fees that have been assessed against policy account balances during the period. Policy benefits and claims that are charged to expense include claims incurred in the period in excess of related policy account balances and interest credited to policy account balances. The weighted average interest-crediting rate for interest-sensitive products was 3.25% and 3.68% during 2020 and 2019, respectively.

## **Closed Block Reinsurance**

Acquisitions by the Company of blocks of business in run off (i.e., where only existing policies will be renewed and new policies will not be sold), as either a reinsurance transaction or a stock purchase, are accounted for as reinsurance transactions. Results of operations only include the revenues and expenses from the effective date of acquisition of these blocks of business. The initial transfer of assets and liabilities is recorded on the consolidated balance sheets at the date of acquisition at fair value, except for the reserves for future policy benefits and value of inforce business acquired (VOBA), which are recorded at management's best estimate. Future policy benefit reserves are established based on the present value of benefits and maintenance expenses minus the present value of valuation (or net) premiums.

VOBA represents the present value of future profits from the acquired contracts using the discount rate implicit in the pricing of such transactions. In establishing the VOBA, the Company considers costs which vary with and are primarily related to the acquisition to be part of the purchase price. Such costs include initial ceding allowances, advisory and legal fees, investment banking fees, and contractually obligated involuntary severance. Other costs incurred that are not contractually required, such as transition and conversion costs, financing costs, and severance are expensed as period costs. The Company amortizes VOBA in proportion to premiums for traditional life products and in proportion to EGPs for interest sensitive life and annuity contracts. The EGP's and related amortization of VOBA for interest sensitive life and annuity products are updated (unlocked) periodically to reflect revised assumptions for lapses, mortality and investment earnings including unrealized gains (losses) on investments classified as trading. The Company performs periodic tests to determine that VOBA associated with both traditional life products and interest sensitive life and annuity products remains recoverable, and when financial performance deteriorates to the point where VOBA is not recoverable, a cumulative charge to current operations would be recorded.

The net liability recorded (reserves for future policy benefits, net of DAC and VOBA) represents management's best estimate of future cash flows, with provisions for adverse deviation as appropriate. Such estimates are subject to refinement within one year of acquisition.

## **New Accounting Pronouncements**

Changes to the accounting principles are established by the Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) in the form of accounting standards updates (ASU) to the FASB Accounting Standards Codification™. Accounting standard updates not listed below were assessed and determined to be either not applicable or are expected to have minimal impact on the Company's consolidated financial statements.

## ASUs Adopted during the Year Ended December 31, 2020

There were no ASUs adopted during the year ended December 31, 2020.

## ASUs Issued but not Adopted as of December 31, 2020

ASU 2016-13 - Financial Instruments - Credit Losses (Topic 326)—In June 2016, the FASB issued an accounting standard update which amends guidance on reporting credit losses for assets held at amortized cost basis and available for sale debt securities. For assets held at amortized cost basis, the update eliminates the probable initial recognition threshold in current GAAP and, instead, requires an entity to reflect it's current estimate of all expected credit losses. The allowance for credit losses is a valuation account that is deducted from the amortized cost basis of the financial assets to present the net amount expected to be collected. For available for sale debt securities, credit losses should be measured in a manner similar to current GAAP; however, the update will require that credit losses to be presented as an allowance rather than as a write-down. The guidance is effective for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2022, with early adoption permitted. The Company is currently evaluating the impact of this amendment on its consolidated financial statements.

**ASU 2018-12 - Financial Services—Insurance (Topic 944): Targeted Improvements to the Accounting for Long-Duration Contracts—**In August 2018, the FASB issued an accounting standard update with the objective of making targeted improvements to the existing recognition, measurement, presentation, and disclosure requirements for long-duration contracts issued by an insurance entity. The standard prescribes significant and comprehensive changes to recognition, measurement, presentation and disclosure as summarized below:

- Requires the review and if necessary update of future policy benefit assumptions at least annually
  for traditional and limited pay long-duration contracts, with the recognition and separate
  presentation of any resulting re-measurement gain or loss (except for discount rate changes as
  noted below) in the income statement.
- Requires the discount rate assumption to be updated at the end of each reporting period using an
  upper medium grade (low-credit risk) fixed income instrument yield that maximizes the use of
  observable market inputs and recognizes the impact of changes to discount rates in other
  comprehensive income.
- Simplifies the amortization of DAC to a constant level basis over the expected term of the related contracts with adjustments for unexpected terminations, but no longer requires an impairment test.

- Requires the measurement of all market risk benefits associated with deposit (or account balance) contracts at fair value through the income statement with the exception of instrumentspecific credit risk changes, which will be recognized in other comprehensive income.
- Increased disclosures of disaggregated roll-forwards of policy benefits, account balances, market risk benefits, separate account liabilities and information about significant inputs, judgments and methods used in measurement and changes thereto and impact of those changes.

In November 2020, the FASB granted a one-year date delay for the adoption of ASU 2018-12 The Company plans to adopt ASU 2018-12 on its effective date of January 1, 2025. The Company is evaluating the method of adoption and impact of the standard on our reported consolidated financial statements and required disclosures. The adoption of this standard is expected to have a significant impact on our consolidated financial statements and required disclosures, as well as systems, processes and controls.

ASU 2019-01 - Leases (Topic 842): Codification Improvements—In January 2019, the FASB issued an accounting standard update based on the principle that entities should recognize assets and liabilities arising from leases, does not significantly change the lessees' recognition, measurement and presentation of expenses and cash flows from the previous accounting standard. Leases are classified as finance or operating. The new standard's primary change is the requirement for entities to recognize a lease liability for payments and a right of use asset representing the right to use the leased asset during the term of operating lease arrangements. Lessees are permitted to make an accounting policy election to not recognize the asset and liability for leases with a term of twelve months or less. Lessors' accounting is largely unchanged from the previous accounting standard. In addition, the new standard expands the disclosure requirements of lease arrangements. In June 2020, the FASB granted a one-year date delay for the adoption of 2019-01, which is now effective effective for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2021, with early adoption permitted. The Company is currently evaluating the impact of this amendment on its consolidated financial statements.

ASU 2019-12 - Income Taxes (Topic 740): Simplifying the Accounting for Income Taxes—In December 2019, the FASB amended the guidance on simplifying the accounting for income taxes. The amendment eliminates the need for an organization to analyze whether the following apply in a given period (1) exception to the incremental approach for intraperiod tax allocation (2) exceptions to accounting for basis differences when there are ownership changes in foreign investments and (3) exceptions in interim period income tax accounting for year-to-date losses that exceed anticipated losses. The accounting standards update is also designed to improve financial statement preparers' application of income tax-related guidance and simplify GAAP for (1) franchise taxes that are partially based on income, (2) transactions with a government that result in a step-up in the tax basis of goodwill, (3) separate financial statements of legal entities that are not subject to tax, and (4) enacted changes in tax laws in interim periods. The guidance is effective for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2021, and interim periods within fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2022. Early adoption of the amendments is permitted. The Company is currently evaluating the impact of this amendment on its consolidated financial statements.

## 3. CLOSED BLOCK REINSURANCE

Effective July 1, 2018, Wilton Reassurance Company, a Minnesota domiciled insurance affiliate (WRAC), reinsured a closed block of long-term care business on a coinsurance basis. Effective October 1, 2020, WRAC retroceded the block to WREB on a 50% coinsurance funds withheld basis.

The Company received \$50,000 cash from WRAC and has \$55,256 other reinsurance receivable due to settle the true up and initial ceding commission.

The initial balance sheet effect of this transaction was as follows:

## **Assets**

Funds withheld at interest	\$1,890,166
Total investments	1,890,166
Cash and cash equivalents	50,000
Premiums receivable	1,594
Other reinsurance receivables	55,256
Net deferred income taxes	79,645
Total assets	\$2,076,661
Liabilities	
Reserves for future policy benefits	\$1,994,024
Other reinsurance liabilities	2,417
Other liabilities	80,220
Total liabilities	\$2,076,661

Effective December 31, 2020, WRAC reinsured a closed block of XXX term policies on a coinsurance basis. Concurrently, WRAC retroceded the block to WREB on a 100% coinsurance funds withheld basis.

The initial balance sheet effect of this transaction was as follows:

## **Assets**

Funds witheld at interest	\$ 199,288
Total investments	199,288
Cash and cash equivalents Premiums receivable Net deferred income taxes	(4,200) 1,993 (57,103)
Total assets	\$ 139,978
Liabilities	
Reserves for future policy benefits Other liabilities	\$ 197,081 (57,103)
Total liabilities	\$ 139,978

For the closed block reinsurance transactions described above, the non-cash assets and liabilities assumed have been excluded from the statement of cash flows for the year ended December 31, 2020. The 2020 net cash received of \$45,800 for the year ended December 31, 2020, is included in cash flows

from operating activities within the statement of cash flows. There were no closed block reinsurance transactions for the year ended December 31, 2019.

## 4. INVESTMENTS

## **Fixed Maturity and Equity Securities**

The amortized cost, fair value and related gross unrealized gain and loss of fixed maturity and preferred stock investments, classified as trading, as of December 31, 2020 and 2019, are as follows:

December 31, 2020	Amortized Cost	Unrealized Gain	Unrealized Loss	Fair Value
Fixed maturities: U.S. government and agencies State and political subdivisions Foreign sovereign Corporate securities Residential mortgage-backed securities Commercial mortgage-backed securities Asset-backed securities Collateralized debt obligations	\$ 33,104 12,498 991 96,778 1,775 22,560 37,416 13,601	\$ 1,160 965 179 10,624 111 1,014 660 123	\$ (76) - (377) (1) (1,370) (3,698) (149)	\$ 34,188 13,463 1,170 107,025 1,885 22,204 34,378 13,575
Total fixed maturities	218,723	14,836	(5,671)	227,888
Preferred stock Common stock	6,559 33	582 39	-	7,141 72
Total fixed maturity and equity securities	\$ 225,315	\$ 15,457	<u>\$ (5,671</u> )	\$ 235,101
December 31, 2019	Amortized Cost	Unrealized Gain	Unrealized Loss	Fair Value
Fixed maturities: U.S. government and agencies State and political subdivisions Foreign sovereign Corporate securities Residential mortgage-backed securities Commercial mortgage-backed securities Asset-backed securities Collateralized debt obligations	\$ 92,329 41,948 6,880 232,845 119,451 83,866 79,372 49,492	\$ 1,740 2,933 341 17,049 4,706 3,726 2,476 190	\$ (51) (5) - (281) (8) (273) (178) (253)	\$ 94,018 44,876 7,221 249,613 124,149 87,319 81,670 49,429
Total fixed maturities	706,183	33,161	(1,049)	738,295
Preferred stock	6,061	334		6,395
Total fixed maturity and equity securities	\$ 712,244	\$ 33,495	\$ (1,049)	\$ 744,690

The unrealized loss and fair values by investment category and by the duration the investments were in a continuous unrealized loss position at December 31, 2020 and 2019, are as follows:

_	Less than	12 Months	12 Months or More		More Tota	
_	Fair	Unrealized	Fair	Unrealized	Fair	Unrealized
At December 31, 2020	Value	Loss	Value	Loss	Value	Loss
Fixed maturities:						
U.S. government and agencies	\$ 4,347	\$ (76)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 4,347	\$ (76)
State and political subdivisions	-	-	-	-	-	-
Corporate securities	9,726	(309)	300	(68)	10,026	(377)
Residential mortgage-backed securities	101	(1)			101	(1)
Commercial mortgage-backed securities	11,238	(1,213)	736	(157)	11,974	(1,370)
Asset-backed securities	21,379	(3,441)	989	(257)	22,368	(3,698)
Collateralized debt obligations	4,263	<u>(101</u> )	2,402	(48)	6,665	(149)
Total fixed maturities	51,054	(5,141)	4,427	(530)	55,481	(5,671)
Preferred stock	<u>-</u>					
Total fixed maturity and equity securities	\$ 51,054	<u>\$ (5,141</u> )	\$ 4,427	<u>\$ (530</u> )	\$ 55,481	<u>\$ (5,671</u> )
		n 12 Months	12 Mon	ths or More		otal
	Fair	Unrealized	Fair	Unrealized	Fair	Unrealized
At December 31, 2019	Value	Loss	Value	Loss	Value	Loss
Fixed maturities:						
U.S. government and agencies	\$15,155	\$ (51)	\$ -	\$ -	\$15,155	\$ (51)
State and political subdivisions	1,393	(5)	· -	· -	1,393	(5)
Corporate securities	6,382	(211)	2,030	(70)	8,412	(281)
Residential mortgage-backed securities	7,489	(8)	2,030	(70)	7,489	(8)
Commercial mortgage-backed securities	3,305	(46)	1,074	(227)	4,379	(273)
Asset-backed securities	11,333	(40)	1,074	(227)	11,333	(273)
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Collateralized debt obligations	22,550	<u>(81</u> )	12,333	<u>(172</u> )	34,883	<u>(253</u> )
Total fixed maturities	67,607	(580)	15,437	(469)	83,044	(1,049)

At December 31, 2020, 8 fixed-maturity investments with a total unrealized loss of \$530 had been in an unrealized loss position for 12 months or more. Of those securities in an unrealized loss position for 12 months or more, 3 securities had fair values below 70% of book value with a total unrealized loss of \$75. At December 31, 2019, 22 fixed-maturity investments with a total unrealized loss of \$469 had been in an unrealized loss position for 12 months or more. Of those securities in an unrealized loss position for 12 months or more, 3 securities had fair values below 70% of book value with a total unrealized loss of \$108.

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Preferred stock

Total fixed maturity and equity securities

Contractual maturities of the Company's fixed maturity securities as of December 31, 2020, are shown below. Actual maturities may differ from contractual maturities because borrowers may have the right to call or prepay obligations with or without call or prepayment penalties:

	Amortized Cost	Fair Value
One year or less One through five years After five through ten years After ten through twenty years After twenty years Residential mortgage-backed securities Commercial mortgage-backed securities Asset-backed securities Collateralized debt obligations	\$ 11,200 27,218 29,724 23,360 51,869 1,775 22,560 37,416 13,601	\$ 11,240 28,968 33,335 25,758 56,545 1,885 22,204 34,378 13,575
Total fixed maturity securities	\$218,723	<u>\$ 227,888</u>

Credit ratings of the Company's fixed maturity securities as of December 31, 2020 and 2019, are shown below. Ratings are assigned by Standard & Poor's Corporation, Moody's Investors Service or Fitch Ratings. The ratings assigned may not be accurate predictors of credit losses.

	2020			20				
	-	Amortized		Fair	F	mortized		Fair
		Cost		Value		Cost		Value
AAA	\$	47,479	\$	48,792	\$	308,685	\$	318,696
AA		12,325		13,240		73,243		77,688
A		46,669		47,853		164,846		173,597
BBB		101,508		106,291		150,859		159,266
BB		8,862		9,821		6,316		6,871
B		1,660		1,651		1,702		1,676
CCC or lower and unrated	_	220	_	240		532	_	501
Total fixed maturities	\$	218,723	\$	227,888	\$	706,183	\$	738,295

The Company's largest 5 exposures by issuer as of December 31, 2020, were Walmart, Inc., The Walt Disney Company, Johnson & Johnson, 7 Third Avenue Leasehold LLC, and Anheuser-Busch InBev SA/NV, each of which comprised less than 0.8%, and in aggregate comprise 2.78%, of total investments.

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#### **Investment Earnings—Net**

Major sources and related amounts of investment earnings-net are as follows:

	2020	2019
Fixed maturity and equity securities	\$ 14,012	\$ 26,024
Policy loans	1,212	1,250
Funds withheld at interest	582,705	559,228
Short-term investments and cash and cash equivalents	160	629
Life settlements contracts	35,648	5,204
Other invested assets	(2,267)	(10,855)
Investment income	631,470	581,480
Investment expenses	(4,512)	(4,763)
Interest on secured borrowing	(7,639)	(1,040)
Investment income—net	619,319	575,677
Realized gains on investments	21,258	2,025
Realized losses on investments	(10,078)	(648)
Net realized gains (losses) on funds withheld at interest	96,095	51,360
Investment earnings—net	\$ 726,594	\$ 628,414

#### Life Settlement Contracts—Direct Investment

The Company uses an actuarial model to estimate the aggregate face amount of life insurance that are expected to settle in each future year and the corresponding fair value. This model projects the likelihood of the insured's death for each inforce policy based upon the estimated mortality rates, which may vary due to the relatively small size of the portfolio of life settlement contracts. The number of life settlement contracts presented in the following table is based upon the average face amount of inforce policies estimated to settle in each future year:

	Number of Contracts	Face Amount of Policies	Fair Value
2021	1	\$ 300	\$ 254
2022	8	24,250	15,440
2023	21	65,985	35,345
2024	41	117,619	54,996
2025	25	73,384	25,030
Thereafter	63	173,545	39,423
Total	159	\$ 455,083	\$ 170,488

## **Policy Loans**

Policy loans comprised approximately 0.1% and 0.1% of the Company's investments as of December 31, 2020 and 2019, respectively. These policy loans present minimal credit risk because the amount of the loan cannot exceed the obligation due the ceding company or the policyholder upon the death of the insured or surrender of the underlying policy. The provisions of the underlying policies determine the policy loan interest rates. Because policy loans represent premature distributions of policy liabilities,

they have the effect of reducing future disintermediation risk. In addition, the Company earns a spread between the interest rate earned on policy loans and the interest rate credited to corresponding liabilities.

## 5. FUNDS WITHHELD AT INTEREST

Funds withheld at interest comprised approximately 98.1% and 95.2% of the Company's total investments as of December 31, 2020 and 2019, respectively. The risk of loss to the Company due to the insolvency of a ceding company is mitigated by the Company's contractual right to offset amounts it owes the ceding company for claims or allowances with amounts owed to the Company from the ceding company. Interest generally accrues on these assets based upon the investment earnings on the underlying investments. The Company is subject to the investment performance on the funds withheld assets in a fashion similar to its invested assets.

The funds withheld at interest is comprised of the following:

Affiliated Ceding Company	2020	2019
Segregated portfolio of assets—general account Segregated portfolio of assets—separate account Non-segregated portfolio of assets	\$ 18,085,038 3,820,310 534,488	\$ 14,839,849 3,667,604 498,105
Funds withheld at interest, at fair value—affiliated	22,439,836	19,005,558
Unaffiliated Ceding Company		
Segregated portfolio of assets—general account	815,902	795,875
Non-segregated portfolio of assets	4,862	3,896
Funds withheld at interest, at fair value—unaffiliated	820,764	799,771
Total funds withheld at interest, at fair value	\$ 23,260,600	\$ 19,805,329

The disclosures that follow are for the segregated portfolio—general account only, both affiliated and unaffiliated, and exclude other invested assets, short term investments and cash of \$2,025,465 and \$1,778,418 as of December 31, 2020 and 2019, respectively. The segregated portfolio—separate account is supported by assets with specific underlying investment objectives and are in accounts legally segregated from the ceding company. The non-segregated portfolio is supported by a proportionate share of the assets held by the ceding company.

The amortized cost, fair value and related gross unrealized gain and loss of the segregated portfolio of assets—general account supporting the funds withheld at interest as of December 31, 2020 and 2019, are as follows:

At December 31, 2020	Amortized Cost	Unrealized Gain	Unrealized Loss	Fair Value
Fixed maturities:				
U.S. government and agencies	\$ 2,205,166	\$ 655,933	\$ (1,578)	\$ 2,859,521
State and political subdivisions	831,484	118,066	(132)	949,418
Foreign sovereign	25,037	5,658	(12)	30,683
Corporate securities	8,474,881	1,706,267	(12,297)	10,168,851
Residential mortgage-backed securities	741,549	72,564	(1,619)	812,494
Commercial mortgage-backed securities	455,331	55,493	(2,701)	508,123
Asset-backed securities	883,908	49,283	(21,012)	912,179
Collateralized debt obligations	512,271	4,379	(10,681)	505,969
Total fixed maturities	14,129,627	2,667,643	(50,032)	16,747,238
Preferred stock	119,117	10,184	(1,067)	128,234
Common stock		3		3
Total fixed maturity and equity securities	\$ 14,248,744	\$ 2,677,830	\$ (51,099)	\$ 16,875,475
	Amortized	Unrealized	Unrealized	Fair
At December 31, 2019	Amortized Cost	Unrealized Gain	Unrealized Loss	Fair Value
Fixed maturities:		Gain	Loss	
Fixed maturities: U.S. government and agencies	Cost \$ 2,194,171	<b>Gain</b> \$ 206,671	Loss \$ (398)	<b>Value</b> \$ 2,400,444
Fixed maturities: U.S. government and agencies State and political subdivisions	Cost \$ 2,194,171 792,162	<b>Gain</b> \$ 206,671 59,477	Loss	\$ 2,400,444 850,143
Fixed maturities: U.S. government and agencies State and political subdivisions Foreign sovereign	\$ 2,194,171 792,162 28,736	\$ 206,671 59,477 4,098	\$ (398) (1,496)	\$ 2,400,444 850,143 32,834
Fixed maturities: U.S. government and agencies State and political subdivisions Foreign sovereign Corporate securities	\$ 2,194,171 792,162 28,736 6,980,651	\$ 206,671 59,477 4,098 721,235	\$ (398) (1,496) - (9,255)	\$ 2,400,444 850,143 32,834 7,692,631
Fixed maturities: U.S. government and agencies State and political subdivisions Foreign sovereign Corporate securities Residential mortgage-backed securities	\$ 2,194,171 792,162 28,736 6,980,651 1,036,178	\$ 206,671 59,477 4,098 721,235 60,890	\$ (398) (1,496) - (9,255) (1,981)	\$ 2,400,444 850,143 32,834 7,692,631 1,095,087
Fixed maturities: U.S. government and agencies State and political subdivisions Foreign sovereign Corporate securities Residential mortgage-backed securities Commercial mortgage-backed securities	\$ 2,194,171 792,162 28,736 6,980,651 1,036,178 465,635	\$ 206,671 59,477 4,098 721,235 60,890 30,469	\$ (398) (1,496) - (9,255) (1,981) (1,548)	\$ 2,400,444 850,143 32,834 7,692,631 1,095,087 494,556
Fixed maturities: U.S. government and agencies State and political subdivisions Foreign sovereign Corporate securities Residential mortgage-backed securities Commercial mortgage-backed securities Asset-backed securities	\$ 2,194,171 792,162 28,736 6,980,651 1,036,178 465,635 814,249	\$ 206,671 59,477 4,098 721,235 60,890 30,469 31,392	\$ (398) (1,496) - (9,255) (1,981) (1,548) (1,056)	\$ 2,400,444 850,143 32,834 7,692,631 1,095,087 494,556 844,585
Fixed maturities: U.S. government and agencies State and political subdivisions Foreign sovereign Corporate securities Residential mortgage-backed securities Commercial mortgage-backed securities	\$ 2,194,171 792,162 28,736 6,980,651 1,036,178 465,635	\$ 206,671 59,477 4,098 721,235 60,890 30,469	\$ (398) (1,496) - (9,255) (1,981) (1,548)	\$ 2,400,444 850,143 32,834 7,692,631 1,095,087 494,556
Fixed maturities: U.S. government and agencies State and political subdivisions Foreign sovereign Corporate securities Residential mortgage-backed securities Commercial mortgage-backed securities Asset-backed securities	\$ 2,194,171 792,162 28,736 6,980,651 1,036,178 465,635 814,249	\$ 206,671 59,477 4,098 721,235 60,890 30,469 31,392	\$ (398) (1,496) - (9,255) (1,981) (1,548) (1,056)	\$ 2,400,444 850,143 32,834 7,692,631 1,095,087 494,556 844,585
Fixed maturities: U.S. government and agencies State and political subdivisions Foreign sovereign Corporate securities Residential mortgage-backed securities Commercial mortgage-backed securities Asset-backed securities Collateralized debt obligations  Total fixed maturities  Preferred stock	\$ 2,194,171 792,162 28,736 6,980,651 1,036,178 465,635 814,249 321,181	\$ 206,671 59,477 4,098 721,235 60,890 30,469 31,392 2,428	\$ (398) (1,496) - (9,255) (1,981) (1,548) (1,056) (6,530)	\$ 2,400,444 850,143 32,834 7,692,631 1,095,087 494,556 844,585 317,079
Fixed maturities: U.S. government and agencies State and political subdivisions Foreign sovereign Corporate securities Residential mortgage-backed securities Commercial mortgage-backed securities Asset-backed securities Collateralized debt obligations  Total fixed maturities	\$ 2,194,171 792,162 28,736 6,980,651 1,036,178 465,635 814,249 321,181	\$ 206,671 59,477 4,098 721,235 60,890 30,469 31,392 2,428	\$ (398) (1,496) - (9,255) (1,981) (1,548) (1,056) (6,530)	\$ 2,400,444 850,143 32,834 7,692,631 1,095,087 494,556 844,585 317,079

The unrealized loss and fair values by investment category and by duration of the investments in a continuous unrealized loss position of the segregated portfolio—general account assets supporting the funds withheld at interest at December 31, 2020 and 2019, were as follows:

	Less than	12 Months	12 Month	ns or More	To	otal
	Fair	Unrealized	Fair	Unrealized	Fair	Unrealized
At December 31, 2020	Value	Loss	Value	Loss	Value	Loss
Fixed maturities:						
U.S. government and agencies	\$ 57,136	\$ (1,578)	\$	\$	\$ 57,136	\$ (1,578)
State and political subdivisions	12,965	(132)			12,965	(132)
Foreign Sovereign	665	(12)			665	(12)
Corporate securities	108,833	(8,056)	29,941	(4,241)	138,774	(12,297)
Residential mortgage-backed securities	26,067	(188)	12,176	(1,431)	38,243	(1,619)
Commercial mortgage-backed securities	59,072	(2,368)	1,905	(333)	60,977	(2,701)
Asset-backed securities	195,909	(20,130)	3,475	(882)	199,384	(21,012)
Collateralized debt obligations	150,217	(4,514)	129,249	(6,167)	279,466	(10,681)
Total fixed maturities	610,864	(36,978)	176,746	(13,054)	787,610	(50,032)
Preferred stock	6,195	(29)	8,041	(1,038)	14,236	(1,067)
Total fixed maturity and equity securities	\$ 617,059	\$ (37,007)	\$ 184,787	\$ (14,092)	\$ 801,846	\$ (51,099)
	Less than	12 Months	12 Month	ns or More	То	otal
	Fair	Unrealized	Fair	Unrealized	Fair	Unrealized
At December 31, 2019	Value	Loss	Value	Loss	Value	Loss
Fixed maturities:						
U.S. government and agencies	\$ 87,559	\$ (382)	\$ 2,294	\$ (16)	\$ 89,853	\$ (398)
State and political subdivisions	13,248	(1,496)	-	-	13,248	(1,496)
Corporate securities	135,470	(3,819)	97,410	(5,436)	232,880	(9,255)
Residential mortgage-backed securities	20,798	(217)	6,230	(1,764)	27,028	(1,981)
Commercial mortgage-backed securities Asset-backed securities	38,840	(442)	5,724	(1,106)	44,564	(1,548)
Collateralized debt obligations	79,980 66,866	(581) (351)	4,749 109,180	(475) (6,179)	84,729 176,046	(1,056) (6,530)
Conateranzed debt obligations	00,800	(331)	109,180	(0,179)	170,040	(0,330)
Total fixed maturities	442,761	(7,288)	225,587	(14,976)	668,348	(22,264)
Preferred stock	353	(12)	33,860	(6,355)	34,213	(6,367)
Total fixed maturity and equity securities	\$ 443,114	\$ (7,300)	\$ 259,447	\$ (21,331)	\$ 702,561	\$ (28,631)

At December 31, 2020, 86 fixed-maturity investments with a total unrealized loss of \$13,054 had been in an unrealized loss position for 12 months or more. Of those securities in an unrealized loss position for 12 months or more, 3 securities were below 70% of book value with an unrealized loss of \$74.

At December 31, 2019, 80 fixed-maturity investments with a total unrealized loss of \$14,976 had been in an unrealized loss position for 12 months or more. Of those securities in an unrealized loss position for 12 months or more, 4 securities were below 70% of book value with an unrealized loss of \$1,789.

The contractual maturities of the fixed maturity securities in the segregated assets supporting funds withheld at interest as of December 31, 2020, are shown below. Actual maturities may differ from

contractual maturities because borrowers may have the right to call or prepay obligations with or without call or prepayment penalties.

	Amortized	
	Cost	Fair Value
0 to 1 Year	\$ 57,413	\$ 58,244
1 to 5 years	607,306	661,700
5 to 10 years	1,048,896	1,196,064
10 to 20 years	3,705,302	4,433,958
> 20 years	6,117,651	7,658,507
Residential mortgage-backed securities	741,549	812,494
Commercial mortgage-backed securities	455,331	508,123
Asset-backed securities	883,908	912,179
Collateralized debt obligations	512,271	505,969
Total fixed maturities	\$14,129,627	\$16,747,238
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#### 6. CONCENTRATION OF CREDIT RISK

As of December 31, 2020 and 2019, substantially all of the Company's cash and cash equivalents were held in two financial institutions that the Company considers to be of high quality.

## 7. REINSURANCE ASSUMED AND CEDED

At December 31, 2020, the Company has five reinsurance agreements with WRAC involving certain pre-XXX term, universal life, whole life and final expense exposures. The treaties were initially effective in 2005 and 2006 and have been amended periodically. In 2017, WRAC reinsured closed blocks of non-par payout annuities (payouts) and corporate owned and bank owned life insurance business (COLI | BOLI) on a coinsurance and modified coinsurance basis. Concurrently, WRAC retroceded the blocks to the Company, with the retrocession on a 100% coinsurance funds withheld basis. Also in 2017, Wilcac Life Insurance Company, an Illinois domiciled affiliate (WCAC), ceded its block of payouts to the Company on a 100% coinsurance funds withheld basis. In 2020, WRAC retroceded 50% of a closed block of long-term care business as well as a 100% of a XXX term block, both on a coinsurance funds withheld basis.

The following table presents information for the Company's reinsurance liabilities as of December 31, 2020 and 2019.

Reinsurance Liability Assumed	2020	2019
Affiliates—WRAC & WCAC Non-affiliates—other insurers	\$ 21,413,935 855,137	\$ 18,725,986 771,203
Other	<del></del>	12,858
Total Reserve for future policy benefits and Interest sensitive contract liabilities	\$ 22,269,072	\$ 19,510,047

Prior to December 31, 2019, the Company had retrocession agreements with third parties that enabled it to substantially limit the amount of traditional life reinsurance it retained. The contracts were automatic and effective for risks assumed and inforce subsequent to January 1, 2005 through December 31, 2007, for lives greater than \$1,000 and from January 1, 2008, and subsequent for lives greater than \$2,000. As of December 31, 2019, those retrocession agreements were recaptured.

The effect on net premiums earned is as follows:

	2020	2019
Reinsurance assumed—affiliate Reinsurance assumed—non-affiliate Reinsurance ceded—non-affiliate	\$91,017 3,150 <u>62</u>	\$75,530 3,215 (127)
Net premiums	\$94,229	<u>\$78,618</u>

The effect on net claims and policy benefits is as follows:

	2020	2019
Reinsurance assumed—affiliate Reinsurance assumed—non-affiliate	\$1,008,514 111,273	\$403,365 11,398
Reinsurance ceded—non-affiliate  Net claims and policy benefits	\$1,119,787	2,733 \$417,496
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At December 31, 2020 and 2019, there were no retrocessional receivables.

The effect of reinsurance and retrocessions on life insurance inforce is is as follows:

	Direct	Assumed	Ceded	Net
December 31, 2020	\$ 9,348	\$32,561,876	\$ -	\$32,571,224
December 31, 2019	\$11,554	\$20,574,767	\$ -	\$20,586,321

## 8. DEFERRED ACQUISITION COSTS AND VALUE OF BUSINESS ACQUIRED

The balances and changes in DAC for the years ended December 31, 2020 and 2019, are as follows:

	2020	2019
Beginning of year	\$ 45,081	\$ 55,720
Recaptures of existing treaties	-	(3,785)
Amortized	(4,214)	(7,182)
Attributable to realized/unrealized gains and losses	-	213
Impact of unlocking	<del>-</del>	115
End of year	\$ 40,867	\$ 45,081

The balances and changes in VOBA for the years ended December 31, 2020 and 2019, are as follows:

	2020	2019
Beginning of year	\$ 522,333	\$ 847,513
Revisions to initial closed block accounting	-	18,366
Amortized	(16,248)	(22,188)
Attributable to realized/unrealized gains and losses	(276,980)	(330,124)
Impact of unlocking	9,563	8,766
End of year	\$ 238,668	\$ 522,333
The expected amortization of VOBA in the next five years is as follows:		
2021		\$ 10,499
2022		11,880
2023		11,441
2024		13,244

14,690

## 9. INCOME TAXES

2025

WREB became a US taxpayer as of January 1, 2018.

Under current Bermuda law, the Company is not required to pay taxes in Bermuda on income or realized capital gains. The Company has received an undertaking from the Minister of Finance in Bermuda that, in the event of any taxes being imposed, the Company will be exempt from taxation in Bermuda until March 2035.

At December 31, 2020 and 2019, the Company had net operating losses of \$0 and \$68,593 respectively, and no tax credits for either year. At December 31, 2020 and 2019, the Company had capital loss carryforwards \$0 and \$13,359, respectively.

Income tax expense at 21% attributable to income from continuing operations and the opening balance sheet for the year ended December 31, 2020 is as follows:

Current tay expense (henefit)	2020	2019
Current tax expense (benefit) Deferred tax expense (benefit)	\$ 36,422 89,343	\$ (6,590) 285,509
Income tax expense (benefit)	\$125,765	\$ 278,919

The income tax expense differs from applying the U.S. federal income tax rate of 21%:

	2020	2019
Computed expected tax expense (benefit) at 21% Other	\$126,087 (322)	\$ 279,149 (230)
Income tax expense (benefit)	\$125,765	\$ 278,919

The tax effects of temporary differences that give rise to significant portions of the deferred income tax assets and liabilities at December 31, 2020 and 2019, are presented in the following table:

	2020	2019
Deferred income tax assets: Reserves for future policy benefits Net operating losses Capital losses	\$ 1,326,194 - - -	\$ 1,626,691 14,404 2,805
Nondeductible accruals Other	2,107 3	1,738 3
Total deferred tax assets	1,328,304	1,645,641
Deferred income tax liabilities: Differences between tax and financial reporting amounts concerning certain reinsurance		
transactions Investments Deferred acquisition costs/value of	(781,927) (417,508)	(1,233,619) (132,507)
business acquired	(43,325)	(104,628)
Total deferred tax liabilities	(1,242,760)	(1,470,754)
Valuation allowance	<u> </u>	
Net deferred tax asset	\$ 85,544	\$ 174,887

Deferred income taxes reflect the tax impact of temporary differences between the carrying amount of assets and liabilities for financial reporting purposes and those for income tax purposes. The Company records valuation allowances when it believes that it is more likely than not that gross deferred income tax assets will not be realized.

The Company's U.S. federal income tax return for tax years 2018-2020 are open and subject to examination by the Internal Revenue Service.

As of December 31, 2020, the Company had no unrecognized tax benefits.

## 10. STATUTORY REQUIREMENTS AND DIVIDEND RESTRICTIONS

The Company is subject to insurance laws and regulations of Bermuda. These regulations include restrictions that limit the amount of dividends or other distributions available to shareholders without prior approval of the insurance regulatory authorities.

Under Bermuda law, the following statutory conditions must all be met prior to a distribution to shareholders:

1. The value of the assets backing the Company's insurance liabilities, as certified by the Company's approved actuary, must be greater than the Company's reserves (also certified) after the distribution (Insurance Act, Section 24);

- 2. Company must be solvent after payment of the dividend, i.e. the realizable value of its assets must be greater than its liabilities (Companies Act, Section 54);
- 3. Bermuda Monetary Authority (BMA) approval is required for dividends exceeding 25% of the Company's statutory capital and surplus, per its previous year's statutory balance sheet (Insurance Act, Section 31B);
- 4. BMA approval is required for any distribution exceeding 15% of the Company's statutory capital, per its previous year's statutory financial statements (Insurance Act, Section 31C); and,
- 5. After the distribution, the Company's capital must be above regulatory margins (Insurance Act, Sections 31B and 31C).

The Company can pay dividends of \$528,791 in 2021 without prior regulatory approval.

## 11. SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY

#### **Dividends**

On March 26, 2020, the Company declared a dividend of \$400,000 payable to its shareholders, WRL and Wilton Re US Holdings. The dividend was paid using cash and fixed income securities by April 6, 2020.

On October 1, 2020, the Company declared a dividend of \$145,000 payable to its shareholders, WRL and Wilton Re US Holdings. The dividend was paid using cash and fixed income securities by October 7, 2020. There were no dividends declared or paid in 2019.

## 12. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

The Company is party to a Service Agreement with its affiliate, Wilton Re Services, Inc., (Wilton Services) under which Wilton Services provides certain accounting, actuarial and administrative services to the Company (the Services Agreement). During 2020 and 2019, the Company incurred \$5,768 and \$3,040, respectively of expenses for these services. Amounts payable to parents, subsidiaries and affiliates of \$7,985 and \$6,173 at December 31, 2020 and 2019, respectively, were primarily related to the Services Agreement.

## 13. COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

## **Funding of Investments**

The Company has commitments to fund limited partnership investments of \$35,248 and as of December 31, 2020, \$10,923 is unfunded. The Company anticipates that the majority will be invested over the next five years; however, these commitments could become due any time at the request of the counterparties.

## **Reinsurance Trust Agreement**

In November 2008, the Company entered into a reinsurance trust agreement with WRAC as beneficiary, for the purpose of collateralizing the Company's obligations under the terms of the reinsurance agreements between the Company and WRAC. At December 31, 2020 and 2019, the balance in the trust was \$3,399 and \$3,063, respectively.

#### **Legal Proceedings**

In the normal course of business, the Company is involved in litigation, principally from claims made under insurance policies and contracts. The ultimate disposition of such litigation is not expected to have a material adverse effect on the Company's financial condition, liquidity or results of operations. At the current time the Company is not a party to any pending litigation.

## **Capital Maintenance Agreement**

Effective April 5, 2019, the Company entered into a Capital Maintenance Agreement (CMA) with WRL. Under the CMA terms, WRL agrees to maintain in the Company, "Available Statutory Economic Capital and Surplus" in excess of 125% of its "Enhanced Capital Requirement" at all times as defined in the Insurance (Prudential Standards) (Class C, D and Class E Solvency Requirement) Rules 2011, up to an aggregate amount of \$400,000.

### 14. LONG TERM AND OTHER DEBT

## **Liquidity Facilities**

WRL obtains letters of credit for the benefit of various affiliated and unaffiliated insurance companies from which the Company assumes business. These letters of credit represent guarantees of performance under the reinsurance agreements and allow ceding companies to take statutory reserve credits.

In October 2018, WRL, along with the Wilton Re US Holdings, extended its existing credit facility with a \$500,000 senior revolving credit facility (Wells Fargo Facility I) 2 years, with new expiry in 2023 with a syndicate of lenders. The facility includes a \$100,000 letter of credit (LOC) sublimit. The facility also requires WRL's combined leverage ratio not to be greater than 0.35 to 1.00 and that WRL maintain a minimum adjusted consolidated tangible net worth. Borrowings under the Wells Fargo Facility I bear interest, at the applicable borrower's option, at either a base rate or a LIBOR rate (or, in the case of borrowings denominated in Canadian Dollars, at the Canadian Dollar Offered Rate or "CDOR"), in each case, plus an applicable margin that is determined according to a sliding scale based upon the majority of the financial strength rating of WRAC, the Company, and *ivari* (a Canadian life insurance affiliate). The applicable margin for base rate loans ranges from 0.125% to 1.000%. The applicable margin for LIBOR loans/CDOR Loans ranges from 1.125% to 2.000%. Any amounts borrowed may be repaid at any time without prepayment penalty.

LOCs issued under the Wells Fargo facility I may be collateralized by qualifying cash and securities (liquid collateral). The market value of collateral held by the Company at December 31, 2020 and 2019, was \$27,340 and \$26,116, respectively. At December 31, 2020 and 2019, there were approximately \$17,825 and \$19,325, respectively of outstanding bank letters of credit issued by the Company under the facility in favor of non-affiliated companies, and \$0 borrowed under the line of credit.

In October 2020, WRL, along with Wilton Re US Holdings, renewed its 364-day \$500,000 senior revolving credit facility (Wells Fargo Facility II), which was first added in October 2017, with a syndicate of lenders. Wells Fargo Facility II has the same financial covenant restrictions and rates as Wells Fargo Facility I.

The Company is a borrower under both Wells Fargo Facility I and Wells Fargo Facility II. Other than the LOCs issued, the Company has not borrowed under either facility for December 31, 2020 and 2019.

#### 15. FAIR VALUE

The Company has categorized its assets and liabilities recorded at fair value, based on the priority of the inputs to the valuation technique, into a three level hierarchy. The fair value hierarchy gives the highest priority to quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (Level 1) and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (Level 3). If the inputs used to measure fair value fall within different levels of the hierarchy, the category level is based on the lowest priority level input that is significant to the fair value measurement of the instrument.

Financial assets and liabilities recorded at fair value on the consolidated balance sheets are categorized as follows:

Level 1 Unadjusted guoted prices for identical assets or liabilities in an active market.

The types of financial investments included in Level 1 are listed equities, mutual funds, money market funds, US Treasury Securities and non-interest bearing cash.

Pricing inputs other than quoted prices in active markets which are either directly or indirectly observable as of the reporting date, and fair value determined through the use of models or other valuation methods. Such inputs may include benchmarking prices for similar assets in active, liquid markets, quoted prices in markets that are not active and observable yields and spreads in the market. Level 2 valuations may be obtained from independent sources for identical or comparable assets or through the use of valuation methodologies using observable market-corroborated inputs. Prices from third-party pricing services are validated through analytical reviews.

The types of financial instruments included in Level 2 include publicly traded issues such as US and foreign corporate securities, and residential and commercial mortgage backed securities, among others.

Prices or valuation techniques that require inputs that are both unobservable and significant to the overall fair value measurement. They reflect management's own assumptions about the assumptions a market participant would use in pricing the asset or liability. Market standard techniques for determining the estimated fair value of certain securities that trade infrequently may rely on inputs that are not observable in the market or cannot be derived from or corroborated by market observable data. Prices are determined using valuation methodologies such as discounted cash flow models and other techniques. Management believes these inputs are consistent with what other market participants would use when pricing similar assets.

The types of financial investments included in Level 3 excluding funds withheld, primarily include private placements, and certain asset-backed and mortgage-backed securities.

## **Recurring Fair Value Measurements**

The assets and liabilities measured at fair value on a recurring basis and their placement in the fair value hierarchy, including those items for which the Company has elected the FVO, are summarized below at:

At December 31, 2020	Fair Value		Level 1	Level 2	Level 3
Invested assets:					
U.S. government and agencies	\$ 34,188		\$ 26,489	\$ 7,699	\$ -
State and political subdivisions	13,463		-	8,858	4,605
Foreign sovereign	1,170		-	1,170	-
Corporate securities	107,025		-	102,176	4,849
Residential mortgage-backed securities	1,885		-	1,630	255
Commercial mortgage-backed securities	22,204		-	22,204	-
Asset backed securities	34,378		-	26,431	7,947
Collateralized debt obligations	13,575			13,575	
Total fixed maturity	227,888		26,489	183,743	17,656
Preferred stock	7,141		-	7,141	-
Common stock	, 72		-	, 72	-
Total fixed maturity and equity securities	235,101		26,489	190,956	17,656
Other invested assets:					.=
Life settlement contracts—direct	170,488		-	-	170,488
All other	6,964	1		6,964	
Total other invested assets	177,452		-	6,964	170,488
Total invested assets	412,553		26,489	197,920	188,144
Funds withheld at interest:					
U.S. government and agencies	2,859,521		2,421,946	437,575	_
State and political subdivisions	949,418		-	861,199	88,219
Foreign sovereign	30,683		_	30,683	-
Corporate securities	10,168,851		_	9,768,324	400,527
Residential mortgage-backed securities	812,494		_	812,493	400,327
Commercial mortgage-backed securities	508,123		_	508,123	-
Asset backed securities	912,179		_	580,499	331,680
Collateralized debt obligations	505,969			473,671	32,298
Total fixed maturity	16,747,238		2,421,946	13,472,567	852,725
Preferred stock	128,234		_	128,234	_
Common stock	3		_	3	-
Total fixed maturity and equity securities	16,875,475		2,421,946	13,600,804	852,725
Commercial mortgage loans	1,024,433		-	-	1,024,433
Other invested assets	642,353			425,097	217,256
Funds withheld at interest—segregated portfolio of assets—general account	18,542,261		2,421,946	14,025,901	2,094,414
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Funds withheld at interest—segregated portfolio of assets—separate account	3,820,310			3,820,310	
Total funds withheld at interest	22,362,571	23	2,421,946	17,846,211	2,094,414
Other liabilities:					
Life settlement contracts—secured borrowing	(45,585)				(45,585)
Total	\$ 22,729,539		\$ 2,448,435	\$ 18,044,131	\$ 2,236,973

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Limited partnerships of \$11,953 is a component of other invested assets not measured at fair value on a recurring basis.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Cash and short-term investments of \$358,680 is a component of funds withheld at interest: segregated portfolio of assets—general account not measured at fair value on a recurring basis.

<sup>3</sup> Funds withheld at interest: Non segregated portfolio of assets of \$539,350 are a component of Funds withheld at interest not measured at fair value on a recurring basis.

At December 31, 2019	Fair Value		Level 1	Level 2	Level 3
Invested assets:					
U.S. government and agencies	\$ 94,018		\$ 25,729	\$ 68,289	\$ -
State and political subdivisions	44,876		-	41,482	3,394
Foreign sovereign	7,221		-	7,221	-
Corporate securities	249,613		-	244,691	4,922
Residential mortgage-backed securities	124,149		-	124,149	-
Commercial mortgage-backed securities	87,319		-	87,319	-
Asset backed securities	81,670		-	69,850	11,820
Collateralized debt obligations	49,429			49,429	
Total fixed maturity	738,295		25,729	692,430	20,136
Preferred stock	6,395			6,395	
Total fixed maturity and equity securities	744,690		25,729	698,825	20,136
Other invested assets:					
Life settlement contracts—direct	202,314		-	-	202,314
All other	15,057	1		15,057	
Total invested assets	962,061		25,729	713,882	222,450
Funds withheld at interest:					
U.S. government and agencies	2,400,444		1,978,282	422,162	-
State and political subdivisions	850,143		-	803,145	46,998
Foreign sovereign	32,834		-	32,834	-
Corporate securities	7,692,631		_	7,416,205	276,426
Residential mortgage-backed securities	1,095,087		-	1,095,063	24
Commercial mortgage-backed securities	494,556		_	494,556	-
Asset backed securities	844,585		_	569,463	275,122
Collateralized debt obligations	317,079		_	260,132	56,947
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Total fixed maturity	13,727,359		1,978,282	11,093,560	655,517
Preferred stock	129,946		-	129,946	-
Common stock	1		-	-	1
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Total fixed maturity and equity securities	13,857,306		1,978,282	11,223,506	655,518
Commercial mortgage loans	1,104,310		-	-	1,104,310
Other invested assets	356,778			204,037	152,741
Funds withhold at interest, sogregated					
Funds withheld at interest—segregated portfolio of assets—general account	15,318,394		1,978,282	11,427,543	1,912,569
Funds withheld at interest—segregated portfolio of assets—separate account	3,667,604			3,667,604	
Total funds withheld at interest	18,985,998	23	1,978,282	15,095,147	1,912,569
Other liabilities: Life settlement contracts—secured borrowing	(54,383)		<u> </u>		(54,383)
Total	\$ 19,893,676		\$ 2,004,011	\$ 15,809,029	\$ 2,080,636
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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Limited partnerships of \$14,391 is a component of other invested assets not measured at fair value on a recurring basis.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Cash and short-term investments of \$317,330 is a component of funds withheld at interest: segregated portfolio of assets—general account not measured at fair value on a recurring basis.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Funds withheld at interest: Non segregated portfolio of assets of \$502,001 are a component of Funds withheld at interest not measured at fair value on a recurring basis.

#### **Fixed Maturity and Equity Securities**

Publicly traded fixed maturity securities included in fixed maturity and equity securities and funds withheld at interest are valued based on quoted market prices or broker prices. Private placement securities included in fixed maturity and equity securities and funds withheld at interest are valued based on the credit quality and duration of marketable securities deemed comparable by the Company's investment advisor, which may be of another issuer. In some cases, discounted cash flow analysis may be used.

## U.S. Government and Agencies, State and Political Subdivisions, Foreign Sovereign and Corporate Securities

US Treasury securities, which trade based on quoted prices for identical assets in an active market, are included in Level 1.

The fair value of Level 2 bonds and securities is predominantly priced by third-party pricing services and broker quotes. Their pricing models typically utilize the following inputs: principal and interest payments, treasury yield curve, credit spreads from new issue and secondary trading markets, early redemption or call features, benchmark securities and reported trades.

Level 3 bonds and securities primarily represent investments in privately placed bonds, credit tenant loans and other less liquid corporate and municipal bonds for which prices are not readily available. To determine a fair value, the Company may rely on modeling for market valuation using both observable and unobservable inputs. These inputs are entered into industry standard pricing models to determine the final price of the security. These inputs typically include: projected cash flows, discount rate, industry sector, underlying collateral, credit quality of the issuer, maturity, embedded options, recent new issuance, comparative bond analysis, and seniority of debt.

The extent of the use of each market input depends on the asset class, market conditions and the relevant market data available. Depending on the security, these inputs may change, some market inputs may not be relevant or additional inputs may be necessary.

The fair value of corporate bonds classified as Level 3 is sensitive to changes in the interest rate spread over the corresponding US Treasury rate. This spread represents a risk premium that is affected by company-specific and market factors. An increase in the spread can be caused by a perceived increase in credit risk of a specific issuer and/or an increase in the overall market risk premium associated with similar securities.

#### Mortgage-Backed Securities, Asset-Backed Securities and Collateralized Debt Obligations

This category consists of residential mortgage-backed securities, commercial mortgage-backed securities, and other asset-backed securities, such as credit card and automobile receivables, home equity loans, manufactured housing bonds and collateralized debt obligations. Level 2 securities are priced from information provided by third-party pricing services and independent broker quotes. For mortgage-backed and asset-backed securities, valuation is based primarily on matrix pricing or other similar techniques using standard market inputs including spreads for actively traded securities, spreads off benchmark yields, expected prepayment speeds and volumes, current and forecasted loss severity, credit rating, weighted average coupon, weighted average maturity, average delinquency rates, geographic region, debt-service coverage ratios and issuance-specific information including, but not limited to: collateral type, payment terms of the underlying assets, payment priority within the tranche, structure of the security, deal performance, vintage of loans and insurance guarantees.

The Company has included mortgage-backed and asset-backed securities with less liquidity in Level 3, these securities are primarily privately placed transactions with little transparency to the market or other securities with limited or inactive trading markets. Significant inputs cannot be derived principally from or corroborated by observable market data. The significant unobservable inputs used in the fair value measurement of these securities typically include: discounted cash flows, credit rating of issuer, debt coverage ratios, type and quality of underlying collateral, prepayment rates, probability of default and loss severity in the event of default.

Included in the pricing of mortgage-backed and asset-backed securities are estimates of the rate of future prepayments of principal over the remaining life of the securities. Such estimates are derived based on the securities' underlying structure and rates of prepayments previously experienced at the interest rate levels projected for the underlying collateral. Changes in significant inputs used in the fair value measurement, such as the paydown rate (the projected annual rate of principal reduction), may affect the fair value of the securities. For example, a decrease in the paydown rate would increase the projected weighted average life and increase the sensitivity of the fair value to changes in interest rates.

## **Preferred and Common Stock**

The fair values of preferred and common stocks are primarily based upon quoted market prices in active markets and are classified within Level 1 in the fair value hierarchy. The fair values of preferred and common stocks, for which quoted market prices are not readily available, are based on prices obtained from independent pricing services and are generally classified within Level 2 in the fair value hierarchy.

## **Other Invested Assets**

## Surplus debentures

Surplus debentures are similar to corporate securities. The fair values of surplus debentures are primarily based on prices obtained from independent pricing services or may be obtained from independent third-party dealers in the absence of quoted market prices. They are generally classified within Level 2 in the fair value hierarchy.

#### **Funds Withheld**

The fair value of embedded derivatives associated with funds withheld reinsurance treaties is determined based upon a total return swap methodology with reference to the fair value of the investments held by the ceding company that support the Company's funds withheld at interest asset. The fair value of the underlying assets is generally based on market observable inputs using market valuation methodologies.

## Changes of Level 3 Assets and Liabilities Measured at Fair Value on a Recurring Basis

We obtain our Level 3 fair value measurements from independent, third-party pricing sources. We do not develop the significant inputs used to measure the fair value of these assets and liabilities, and the information regarding the significant inputs is not readily available to us. Independent broker-quoted fair values are non-binding quotes developed by market makers or broker-dealers obtained from third-party sources recognized as market participants. The fair value of a broker-quoted asset or liability is based solely on the receipt of an updated quote from a single market maker or a broker-dealer recognized as a market participant as we do not adjust broker quotes when used as the fair value

measurement for an asset or liability. In addition, some prices are determined based on discounted cash flow models.

For all assets and liabilities measured at fair value on a recurring basis, excluding funds withheld, using significant unobservable inputs (Level 3), the following table presents select activity for the years ended December 31, 2020 and 2019:

	2020								
	Purchases	Transfer into				Purchases	Transfer into		Transfer out of
Invested assets:									
State and political subdivisions	\$ 1,000	\$	-	\$	-	\$ 3,000	\$	-	\$ -
Corporate securities	-		-		-	-		-	-
Residential mortgage-backed									
securities	255		-		-	-		-	-
Asset-backed securities						4,479			<u>(2,985</u> )
Total invested assets	\$ 1,255	\$		\$	<u>-</u>	\$ 7,479	\$		\$ (2,985)

## **16. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS**

There have been no events occurring subsequent to the close of the books or accounts that would have a material effect on the financial condition of the Company. Subsequent events have been considered through April 19, 2021, representing the date at which the consolidated financial statements were available to be issued.

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**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION** 



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## INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT ON SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

To the Board of Directors of Wilton Reinsurance Bermuda Limited:

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Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the consolidated financial statements as a whole. The supplementary consolidating balance sheets as of December 31, 2020 and 2019, and the supplementary consolidating statement of comprehensive income (loss) for the years then ended are presented for the purpose of additional analysis and are not a required part of the consolidated financial statements. This supplementary information is the responsibility of the Company's management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the consolidated financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in our audits of the consolidated financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the consolidated financial statements or to the consolidated financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion such information is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the consolidated financial statements as a whole.

April 19, 2021

# CONSOLIDATING BALANCE SHEET AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2020 (Amounts in thousands of U.S. dollars)

Assets		WREB		Mills Creek		ninations	c	WREB onsolidated
Investments								
Fixed maturity and equity securities	\$	235,101	\$	_	\$	_	\$	235,101
Policy loans	Ą	16,980	Ţ	_	Ą	_	۲	16,980
Funds withheld at interest	2	23,260,600		_		_		23,260,600
Other invested assets	_	18,918		170,488		_		189,406
Short term investments		800		-		-		800
Total investments		23,532,399		170,488		-		23,702,887
Cash and cash equivalents		90,074		5,022		_		95,096
Accrued investment income		1,314		-		_		1,314
Premiums receivable		21,138		_		_		21,138
Other reinsurance receivables		152,366		_		_		152,366
Net deferred acquisition costs		40,867		_		-		40,867
Value of in-force business acquired		238,668		-		-		238,668
Net deferred income taxes		85,544		-		-		85,544
Other assets		375,836		6,877	(:	182,342)		200,371
Total assets	\$ 2	24,538,206	\$	182,387	\$ (:	182,342)	\$	24,538,251
Liabilities and shareholders' equity								
Liabilities:								
Reserves for future policy benefits	\$ 1	2,312,845	\$	-	\$	-	\$	12,312,845
Interest sensitive contract liabilities		9,956,227		-		-		9,956,227
Other reinsurance liabilities Other liabilities		50,947 103,023		- 45		-		50,947 103,068
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Total liabilities	2	22,423,043		45	-		_	22,423,087
Shareholders' equity:								
Class A-1 common shares		32		-		-		32
Class A-2 common shares Class B common shares		11 218		-		-		11 218
Additional paid-in capital		798,110		144,821	(	- 144,821)		798,110
Retained earnings and accumulated		750,110		144,021	ι.	144,021)		750,110
other comprehensive income (loss)		1,316,792		37,521		(37,521 <sub>)</sub>		1,316,792
Total shareholders' equity		2,115,163		182,342	(:	182,342)		2,115,163
Total liabilities and shareholders' equity	\$ 2	24,538,206	\$	182,387	\$ (:	182 <u>,</u> 342)	\$	24,538,251

## CONSOLIDATING BALANCE SHEET AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2019

(Amounts in thousands of U.S. dollars)

Assets	WREB	Mills Creek	Eliminations	WREB Consolidated
Investments Fixed maturity and equity securities Policy loans Funds withheld at interest Other invested assets  Total investments  Cash and cash equivalents Accrued investment income Premiums receivable Other reinsurance receivables Net deferred acquisition costs	\$ 744,690 17,291 19,805,329 29,447 20,596,757 34,150 4,952 18,034 11,692 45,081	\$ - - 202,308 202,308 2,500 - - -	\$ - - - - - - - - -	\$ 744,690 17,291 19,805,329 231,755 20,799,065 36,650 4,952 18,034 11,692 45,081
Value of in-force business acquired  Net deferred income taxes  Other assets  Total assets  Liabilities and shareholders' equity	522,333 174,887 407,976 \$ 21,815,862	10,500 \$ 215,308	(214,902) \$ (214,902)	522,333 174,887 203,574 \$ 21,816,268
Liabilities: Reserves for future policy benefits Interest sensitive contract liabilities Other reinsurance liabilities Other liabilities Total liabilities	\$ 9,673,443 9,836,607 62,153 58,146 19,630,349	\$ - - - 406 406	\$ - - - -	\$ 9,673,443 9,836,607 62,153 58,552 19,630,755
Shareholders' equity: Class A-1 common shares Class A-2 common shares Class B common shares Additional paid-in capital Retained earnings and accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)	32 11 218 798,110 1,387,142	210,567 4,335	(210,567) (4,335)	32 11 218 798,110 1,387,142
Total shareholders' equity  Total liabilities and shareholders' equity	2,185,513 \$ 21,815,862	214,902 \$ 215,308	(214,902) \$ (214,902)	2,185,513 \$ 21,816,268

# CONSOLIDATING STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (LOSS) FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2020 (Amounts in thousands of US dollars)

	WREB		WREB		Mill	s Creek	Elimina	ations	Со	WREB nsolidated
Revenues										
Net premiums	\$	94,229	\$	-	\$	-	\$	94,229		
Policy fees and charges		107,563		-		-		107,563		
Inuring third-party reinsurance commissions		(8)		-		-		(8)		
Investment earnings—net		693,408	3	3,186		-		726,595		
Net change in unrealized gains (losses) on investments										
classified as trading and other		(22,823)		-		-		(22,823)		
Change in value of derivatives and embedded derivatives—net	1	398,027						1,398,027		
Total revenues	2,	270,396	3	3,186				2,303,582		
Benefits and expenses										
Claims and policy benefits—net of reinsurance ceded	1,	,119,787		-		-	-	1,119,787		
Interest credited to interest sensitive contract liabilities		233,462		-		-		233,462		
Acquisition costs and other insurance expenses		330,244		-		-		330,244		
Operating expenses		19,674		-				19,674		
Total benefits and expenses	1	,703,167		-				1,703,167		
Net income (loss) and comprehensive income (loss) before										
income taxes and equity in net income (loss) of subsidiary		567,229	3	3,186		-		600,415		
Income tax expense (benefit)		125,765		-				125,765		
Net income (loss) and comprehensive income (loss) before equity in net income (loss) of subsidiary		441,464	3	3,186		-		474,650		
Equity in net income (loss) of subsidiary		33,186			(33,	<u>,186</u> )				
Net income (loss) and comprehensive income (loss)	\$	474,650	\$ 3	3,186	\$ (33,	.186)	\$	474,650		

# CONSOLIDATING STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (LOSS) FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2019 (Amounts in thousands of US dollars)

	WREB		Mi	lls Creek	Elim	inations	Co	WREB onsolidated
Revenues								
Net premiums	\$	78,618	\$	-	\$	-	\$	78,618
Policy fees and charges		105,453		-		-		105,453
Inuring third-party reinsurance commissions		1,297		-		-		1,297
Investment earnings—net		624,079		4,335		-		628,414
Net change in unrealized gains (losses) on investments								
classified as trading and other		51,957		-		-		51,957
Change in value of derivatives and embedded derivatives — net	_	1,518,637	_					1,518,637
Total revenues		2,380,041		4,335				2,384,376
Benefits and expenses								
Claims and policy benefits—net of reinsurance ceded		417,496		-		-		417,496
Interest credited to interest sensitive contract liabilities		238,426		-		-		238,426
Acquisition costs and other insurance expenses		389,721		-		-		389,721
Operating expenses		9,454						9,454
Total benefits and expenses		1,055,097		<u>-</u>				1,055,097
Net income (loss) and comprehensive income (loss) before								
income taxes and equity in net income (loss) of subsidiary		1,324,944		4,335		-		1,329,279
Income tax expense (benefit)		278,919						278,919
Net income (loss) and comprehensive income (loss) before equity in net income (loss) of subsidiary		1,046,025		4,335		-		1,050,360
Equity in net income (loss) of subsidiary		4,335				<u>(4,335</u> )		
Net income (loss) and comprehensive income (loss)	\$	1,050,360	\$	4,335	\$	(4,33 <u>5</u> )	\$	1,050,360