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Washington, D.C. 20549

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Registration Statement Under The Securities Act of 1933	[X]
Pre-Effective Amendment No.	[_]
Post-Effective Amendment No. 33	[X]
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Registration Statement Under the Investment Company Act of 1940	[X]
Amendment No. 96	[X]
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Genworth Life of New York VA Separate Account 1  
(Exact Name of Registrant)

Genworth Life Insurance Company of New York  
(Name of Depositor)

666 Third Avenue, 9th Floor, New York, New York 10017  
(Address of Depositor's Principal Executive Office, Zip Code)

(804) 281-6000  
(Depositor's Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

Heather Harker, Esq.  
Vice President and Associate General Counsel  
Genworth Life Insurance Company of New York  
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Richmond, Virginia 23230  
(Name and Complete Address of Agent for Service)

Approximate Date of Proposed Public Offering: Upon the effective date of this  
Post-Effective Amendment to the Registration Statement.

It is proposed that this filing will become effective (check appropriate box)

[X] immediately upon filing pursuant to paragraph (b) of Rule 485

[\_] on [date] pursuant to paragraph (b) of Rule 485

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previously filed post-effective amendment.

Title of Securities Being Registered: Flexible Premium Variable Deferred  
Annuity Contracts

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GENWORTH LIFE OF NEW YORK VA SEPARATE ACCOUNT 1

This supplement updates certain information contained in your prospectus. Please read it and keep it with your prospectus for future reference.

A. Asset Allocation Program -- Update to the Asset Allocation Models

The "Asset Allocation Program" section of the contract prospectus is revised to reflect that new Asset Allocation Models are available and effective on September 8, 2008. If you purchased your contract prior to September 8, 2008, and you are participating in a Model, you will remain in that Model as it was previously constituted until the earlier of October 24, 2008, or the Valuation Day we receive instructions from you to participate in the updated Model. On that date, we will reallocate your Contract Value in accordance with any changes to the Model you have selected. The new Asset Allocation Models, including the Build Your Own Asset Allocation Model, are provided in the tables below. The prospectus is revised accordingly.

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MODEL PERCENTAGE ALLOCATIONS AND PORTFOLIO SELECTIONS

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	Portfolios	Model A	Model B	Model C
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Equities				
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Large Cap Growth	Fidelity VIP Contrafund(R) Portfolio -- Service Class 2	2%	4%	5%
	JPMorgan Insurance Trust Intrepid Growth Portfolio -- Class 1	2%	4%	5%
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Large Cap Value	AllianceBernstein Growth and Income Portfolio -- Class B	2%	3%	5%
	Fidelity VIP Equity-Income Portfolio -- Service Class 2	1%	3%	4%
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Large Cap Core	JPMorgan Insurance Trust Diversified Equity Portfolio -- Class 1	2%	3%	5%
	JPMorgan Insurance Trust Equity Index Portfolio -- Class 1	1%	3%	4%
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Mid Cap Growth	JPMorgan Insurance Trust Diversified Mid Cap Growth Portfolio -- Class 1	1%	1%	2%
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Mid Cap Core	JPMorgan Insurance Trust Intrepid Mid Cap Portfolio -- Class 1	1%	1%	2%
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Small Cap Core	Oppenheimer Main Street Small Cap Fund/VA -- Service Shares	0%	1%	2%
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Global Equity	Franklin Templeton VIP Templeton Growth Securities Fund -- Class 2 Shares	2%	4%	6%
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Global REITs	AIM V.I. Global Real Estate Fund -- Series II shares	0%	1%	2%
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Foreign Large Cap Growth	American Century VP International Fund -- Class I	3%	6%	9%
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Foreign Large Cap Value	Franklin Templeton VIP Templeton Foreign Securities Fund -- Class 2 Shares	3%	6%	9%
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Total % Equities		20%	40%	60%
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## Fixed Income

Medium Duration	JPMorgan Insurance Trust Core Bond Portfolio -- Class 1	10%	7%	5%
	JPMorgan Insurance Trust Government Bond Portfolio -- Class 1	10%	8%	5%
Short Duration	PIMCO VIT Low Duration Portfolio -- Administrative Class Shares	32%	24%	16%
TIPS	American Century VP Inflation Protection Fund -- Class II	16%	12%	8%
Domestic High Yield	PIMCO VIT High Yield Portfolio -- Administrative Class Shares	4%	3%	2%
Bank Loans	Eaton Vance VT Floating-Rate Income Fund	4%	3%	2%
Global Bonds	MFS(R) VIT Strategic Income Series -- Service Class Shares	4%	3%	2%
Total % Fixed Income		80%	60%	40%

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Portfolios	Model D	Model E
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Fidelity VIP Contrafund(R) Portfolio -- Service Class 2	7%	9%
JPMorgan Insurance Trust Intrepid Growth Portfolio -- Class 1	7%	9%
AllianceBernstein Growth and Income Portfolio -- Class B	6%	8%
Fidelity VIP Equity-Income Portfolio -- Service Class 2	6%	7%
JPMorgan Insurance Trust Diversified Equity Portfolio -- Class 1	7%	8%
JPMorgan Insurance Trust Equity Index Portfolio -- Class 1	6%	7%
JPMorgan Insurance Trust Diversified Mid Cap Growth Portfolio -- Class 1	2%	3%
JPMorgan Insurance Trust Intrepid Mid Cap Portfolio -- Class 1	2%	3%
Oppenheimer Main Street Small Cap Fund/VA -- Service Shares	2%	3%
Franklin Templeton VIP Templeton Growth Securities Fund -- Class 2 Shares	8%	10%
AIM V.I. Global Real Estate Fund -- Series II shares	3%	3%
American Century VP International Fund -- Class I	12%	15%
Franklin Templeton VIP Templeton Foreign Securities Fund -- Class 2 Shares	12%	15%
	80%	100%
JPMorgan Insurance Trust Core Bond Portfolio -- Class 1	2%	0%
JPMorgan Insurance Trust Government Bond Portfolio -- Class 1	3%	0%
PIMCO VIT Low Duration Portfolio -- Administrative Class Shares	8%	0%
American Century VP Inflation Protection Fund -- Class II	4%	0%
PIMCO VIT High Yield Portfolio -- Administrative Class Shares	1%	0%
Eaton Vance VT Floating-Rate Income Fund	1%	0%
MFS(R) VIT Strategic Income Series -- Service Class Shares	1%	0%
	20%	0%

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MODEL PERCENTAGE ALLOCATIONS AND PORTFOLIO SELECTIONS  
 BUILD YOUR OWN ASSET ALLOCATION MODEL

<TABLE> <CAPTION> Core Asset Class (20% to 80%)	Specialty Asset Class (0% to 20%)	Fixed Income Asset Class (20% to 60%)
<S> AIM V.I. Large Cap Growth Fund -- Series I shares AllianceBernstein Balanced Wealth Strategy Portfolio -- Class B American Century VP Income & Growth Fund -- Class I American Century VP Value Fund -- Class I The Dreyfus Socially Responsible Growth Fund, Inc. -- Initial Shares DWS Dremam High Return Equity VIP -- Class B Shares Fidelity VIP Contrafund(R) Portfolio -- Service Class 2 Fidelity VIP Equity-Income Portfolio -- Service Class 2 Franklin Templeton VIP Founding Funds Allocation Fund -- Class 2 Shares Franklin Templeton VIP Franklin Income Securities Fund -- Class 2 Shares Franklin Templeton VIP Large Cap Growth Securities Fund -- Class 2 Shares Franklin Templeton VIP Mutual Shares Securities Fund -- Class 2 Shares Franklin Templeton VIP Templeton Foreign Securities Fund -- Class 2 Shares Franklin Templeton VIP Templeton Global Asset Allocation Fund -- Class 2 Shares Franklin Templeton VIP Templeton Growth Securities Fund -- Class 2 Shares GE Investments Funds Total Return Fund -- Class 3 Shares JPMorgan Insurance Trust Balanced Portfolio -- Class 1 JPMorgan Insurance Trust Diversified Equity Portfolio -- Class 1 JPMorgan Insurance Trust Equity Index Portfolio -- Class 1 JPMorgan Insurance Trust Intrepid Growth Portfolio -- Class 1 MFS(R) VIT Total Return Series -- Service Class Shares Oppenheimer Capital Appreciation Fund/VA -- Service Shares Oppenheimer Main Street Fund/VA -- Service Shares </TABLE>	<C> AIM V.I. Capital Appreciation Fund -- Series I shares AIM V.I. Global Real Estate Fund -- Series II shares AllianceBernstein Global Technology Portfolio -- Class B American Century VP Inflation Protection Fund -- Class II American Century VP International Fund -- Class I American Century VP Ultra(R) Fund -- Class I Dreyfus Investment Portfolios -- MidCap Stock Portfolio -- Initial Shares DWS Dremam Small Mid Cap Value VIP -- Class B Shares DWS Technology VIP -- Class B Shares Eaton Vance VT Floating-Rate Income Fund Fidelity VIP Mid Cap Portfolio -- Service Class 2 JPMorgan Insurance Trust Diversified Mid Cap Growth Portfolio -- Class 1 JPMorgan Insurance Trust Intrepid Mid Cap Portfolio -- Class 1 MFS(R) VIT Strategic Income Series -- Service Class Shares Oppenheimer Main Street Small Cap Fund/VA -- Service Shares PIMCO VIT High Yield Portfolio -- Administrative Class Shares	<C> JPMorgan Insurance Trust Core Bond Portfolio -- Class 1 JPMorgan Insurance Trust Government Bond Portfolio -- Class 1 PIMCO VIT Low Duration Portfolio -- Administrative Class Shares

B. Qualified Retirement Plans

The following disclosure is added as a new subsection in the "Tax Matters" provision of the prospectus under the heading "Qualified Retirement Plans." The disclosure is provided in connection with certain Code requirements applicable to IRAs and certain requirements applicable to Qualified Contracts covered by ERISA.

Disclosure Pursuant to Code and ERISA Requirements

The ongoing fees and expenses of the contracts and the charges you may pay when you surrender or take withdrawals from your contract, as well as the range of fees and expenses of the Portfolios that you will pay indirectly when your assets are allocated to the Portfolios, are discussed above in the "Fee Tables" provision of the prospectus. More detail concerning each Portfolio's fees and expenses is included in the prospectus for each Portfolio.

GFWM, the investment adviser under the Asset Allocation Program, is an affiliate of the Company. There is no direct fee for participation in the Asset Allocation Program, and GFWM receives no compensation for its asset allocation services. However, the Company may receive fees from the investment adviser or distributor of a Portfolio for certain administrative and other services we provide to you or to the Portfolio relating to the allocation of your assets to the Portfolio, and the amount of these fees may vary from Portfolio to Portfolio. Furthermore, the Company or our affiliate Capital Brokerage Corporation may receive Rule 12b-1 fees in varying amounts from the Portfolios or their distributors for distribution and related services. Additional information on the fees payable to the Company and

Capital Brokerage Corporation by the Portfolios and their advisers and distributors, including the range of such fees, is included in the "Subaccounts" provision of the prospectus. Additional information regarding the Asset Allocation Program and the potential conflicts of interest to which GFWM is subject is included in the "Asset Allocation Program" provision of the prospectus.

When you purchase a contract through a broker-dealer, the broker-dealer is paid a commission and may be paid a separate marketing allowance. The maximum aggregate amount of such compensation is 9.6% of a contract owner's aggregate purchase payments. The broker-dealer firm generally pays a portion of such commission to its representative who assisted you with the purchase, and that amount will vary depending on the broker-dealer and the individual representative. One broker-dealer offering the contracts, Genworth Financial Services Corporation, is an affiliate of the Company. The Company has no agreement with any broker-dealer and any representative of a broker-dealer that limits the insurance and investment products or other securities they offer to those issued by the Company.

By signing the application for the contract, you acknowledge receipt of these disclosures and approve the purchase of the contract, the Asset Allocation Program, and the investments made pursuant to the Asset Allocation Program.

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Part A and Part B of Post-Effective Amendment No. 31 to the Registration Statement, which was filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on April 29, 2008, are incorporated by reference into this Post-Effective Amendment No. 33 to the Registration Statement.

#### PART C

##### OTHER INFORMATION

#### Item 24. Financial Statements and Exhibits

##### (a) Financial Statements

All required financial statements are included in Part B of this Registration Statement.

##### (b) Exhibits

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- (1) (a) Resolution of Board of Directors of GE Capital Life Assurance Company of New York ("GE Capital Life") authorizing the establishment of the GE Capital Life Separate Account II (the "Separate Account"). Previously filed on September 10, 1997 with initial filing to Form N-4 for GE Capital Life Separate Account II, Registration No. 333-39955.
- (1) (b) Resolution of the Board of Directors of GE Capital Life Assurance Company of New York authorizing the change in name of GE Capital Life Assurance Company of New York to Genworth Life Insurance Company of New York. Previously filed on January 3, 2006 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 22 to Form N-4 for Genworth Life of New York VA Separate Account 1, Registration No. 333-47016.
- (1) (c) Resolution of the Board of Directors of GE Capital Life Assurance Company of New York authorizing the change in name GE Capital Life Separate Account II to Genworth Life of New York VA Separate Account 1. Previously filed on January 3, 2006 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 22 to Form N-4 for Genworth Life of New York VA Separate Account 1, Registration No. 333-47016.
- (2) Not Applicable.
- (3) Underwriting Agreement between GE Capital Life and Capital Brokerage Corporation. Previously filed on May 13, 1998 with Pre-Effective Amendment No. 1 to Form N-4 for GE Capital Life Separate Account II, Registration No. 333-39955.
- (3) (i) Dealer Sales Agreement. Previously filed on May 13, 1998 with Pre-Effective Amendment No. 1 to Form N-4 for GE Capital Life Separate Account II, Registration No. 333-39955.

- (4) (i) Form of Policy NY1155 4/00. Previously filed on November 2, 2001 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 3 to Form N-4 for GE Capital Life Separate Account II, Registration No. 333-47016.
- (4) (ii) Endorsements to Policy.
  - (a) Guarantee Account Rider NY4066. Previously filed on September 10, 1997 with initial filing to Form N-4 for GE Capital Life Separate Account II, Registration No. 333-39955.
  - (a) (i) Guarantee Account Endorsement NY5265 6/03. Previously filed on August 27, 2003 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 10 to Form N-4 for GE Capital Life Separate Account II, Registration No. 333-47016.
  - (b) Trust Endorsement NY5066. Previously filed on September 10, 1997 with initial filing to Form N-4 for GE Capital Life Separate Account II, Registration No. 333-39955.
  - (c) Pension Endorsement NY5067. Previously filed on May 13, 1998 with Pre-Effective Amendment No. 1 to Form N-4 for GE Capital Life Separate Account II, Registration No. 333-39955.

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- (d) Individual Retirement Annuity Endorsement NY5069. Previously filed on May 13, 1998 with Pre-Effective Amendment No. 1 to Form N-4 for GE Capital Life Separate Account II, Registration No. 333-39955.
  - (e) 403(b) Annuity Endorsement NY5070. Previously filed on May 13, 1998 with Pre-Effective Amendment No. 1 to Form N-4 for GE Capital Life Separate Account II, Registration No. 333-39955.
  - (f) Optional Death Benefit Rider NY5071. Previously filed on March 1, 2000 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 3 to Form N-4 for GE Capital Life Separate Account II, Registration No. 333-39955.
  - (g) Roth IRA Annuity Endorsement NY5134. Previously filed on November 2, 2001 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 3 to Form N-4 for GE Capital Life Separate Account II, Registration No. 333-47016.
  - (h) Death Benefit available at Death of Any Annuitant Endorsement NY5155 12/00. Previously filed on September 13, 2002 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 7 to Form N-4 for GE Capital Life Separate Account II, Registration No. 333-47016.
  - (i) Enhanced Payment Rider NY5136 11/00. Previously filed on September 13, 2002 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 7 to Form N-4 for GE Capital Life Separate Account II, Registration No. 333-47016.
  - (j) Payment Protection Rider. Previously filed on May 17, 2005 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 20 to Form N-4 for GE Capital Life Separate Account II, Registration No. 333-47016.
  - (k) Guaranteed Minimum Withdrawal Benefit for Life Rider. Previously filed on September 1, 2006 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 25 to Form N-4 for Genworth Life of New York VA Separate Account 1, Registration No. 333-47016.
  - (l) Payment Protection Variable Annuity Rider. Previously filed on October 20, 2006 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 26 to Form N-4 for Genworth Life of New York VA Separate Account 1, Registration No. 333-47016.
  - (m) Guaranteed Minimum Withdrawal Benefit for Life Rider. Previously filed on April 25, 2007 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 28 to Form N-4 for Genworth Life of New York VA Separate Account 1, Registration No. 333-47016.
  - (n) Guaranteed Minimum Withdrawal Benefit for Life Rider. Previously filed on November 27, 2007 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 30 to Form N-4 for Genworth Life of New York VA Separate Account 1, Registration No. 333-47016.
  - (o) Guaranteed Minimum Withdrawal Benefit for Life Rider. Previously filed on August 26, 2008 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 32 to Form N-4 for Genworth Life of New York VA Separate Account 1, Registration No. 333-47016.

- (5) Form of Application. Previously filed on October 20, 2006 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 26 to Form N-4 for Genworth Life of New York VA Separate Account 1, Registration No. 333-47016.
- (6) (a) Amended and Restated Articles of Incorporation of Genworth Life Insurance Company of New York. Previously filed on January 3, 2006 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 22 to Form N-4 for Genworth Life of New York VA Separate Account 1, Registration No. 333-47016.
- (6) (b) By-Laws of Genworth Life Insurance Company of New York. Previously filed on January 3, 2006 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 22 to Form N-4 for Genworth Life of New York VA Separate Account 1, Registration No. 333-47016.
- (7) Reinsurance Agreement. Previously filed on April 30, 2004 with Post Effective Amendment No. 16 to Form N-4 for GE Capital Life Separate Account II, Registration No. 333-47016.
- (8) (a) Fund Participation Agreement between J.P. Morgan Series Trust II and GE Capital Life Assurance Company of New York. Previously filed on April 28, 2005 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 19 to Form N-4 for GE Capital Life Separate Account II, Registration No. 333-97085.

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- (8) (a) (i) Amendment to Fund Participation Agreement between Genworth Life Insurance Company of New York and JP Morgan Series Trust II. Previously filed on April 25, 2007 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 28 to Form N-4 for Genworth Life of New York VA Separate Account 1, Registration No. 333-47016.
- (8) (b) Fund Participation Agreement between Genworth Life Insurance Company of New York and Federated Insurance Series. Previously filed on April 25, 2007 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 28 to Form N-4 for Genworth Life of New York VA Separate Account 1, Registration No. 333-47016.
- (8) (c) Participation Agreement between GE Investments Funds, Inc. and Genworth Life Insurance Company of New York. Previously filed on September 1, 2006 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 25 to Form N-4 for Genworth Life of New York VA Separate Account 1, Registration No. 333-47016.
- (8) (d) Fund Participation Agreement between Janus Aspen Series and GE Capital Life Assurance Company of New York. Previously filed on April 28, 2005 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 19 to Form N-4 for GE Capital Life Separate Account II, Registration No. 333-97085.
- (8) (e) Form of Participation Agreement regarding Oppenheimer Variable Account Funds. Previously filed on May 1, 2002 with Post-Effective Amendment 5 to Form N-4 for GE Capital Life Separate Account II, Registration No. 333-47016.
- (8) (f) [Reserved.]
- (8) (g) Amended and Restated Fund Participation Agreement among Variable Insurance Products Funds, Fidelity Distributors Corporation and Genworth Life Insurance Company of New York. Previously filed on April 29, 2008 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 31 to Form N-4 for Genworth Life & Annuity VA Separate Account 1, Registration No. 333-47016.
- (8) (g) (i) First Amendment to Amended and Restated Fund Participation Agreement among Variable Insurance Products Funds, Fidelity Distributors Corporation and Genworth Life Insurance Company of New York. Previously filed on April 29, 2008 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 31 to Form N-4 for Genworth Life & Annuity VA Separate Account 1, Registration No. 333-47016.
- (8) (h) Form of Participation Agreement regarding Goldman Sachs Variable Insurance Trust. Previously filed on April 28, 2005 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 19 to Form N-4 for GE Capital Life Separate Account II, Registration No. 333-97085.
- (8) (i) Fund Participation Agreement between Genworth Life Insurance Company of New York and Legg Mason Partners Variable Equity Trust. Previously



filed on April 25, 2007 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 28 to Form N-4 for Genworth Life of New York VA Separate Account 1, Registration No. 333-47016.

- (8) (j) Form of Participation Agreement between AIM Variable Insurance Series and GE Capital Life Assurance Company of New York. Previously filed on April 28, 2005 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 19 to Form N-4 for GE Capital Life Separate Account II, Registration No. 333-97085.
- (8) (j) (i) Amendment to Fund Participation Agreement between Genworth Life Insurance Company of New York and AIM Variable Insurance Funds. Previously filed on April 25, 2007 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 28 to Form N-4 for Genworth Life of New York VA Separate Account 1, Registration No. 333-47016.
- (8) (k) Form of Participation Agreement between Alliance Variable Series and GE Capital Life Assurance Company of New York. Previously filed on April 28, 2005 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 19 to Form N-4 for GE Capital Life Separate Account II, Registration No. 333-97085.

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- (8) (k) (i) Amendment to Fund Participation Agreement between Genworth Life Insurance Company of New York and AllianceBernstein Variable Products Series Fund, Inc. Previously filed on April 25, 2007 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 28 to Form N-4 for Genworth Life of New York VA Separate Account 1, Registration No. 333-47016.
- (8) (l) Fund Participation Agreement between Genworth Life Insurance Company of New York and Dreyfus. Previously filed on April 25, 2007 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 28 to Form N-4 for Genworth Life of New York VA Separate Account 1, Registration No. 333-47016.
- (8) (m) Form of Participation Agreement between MFS Variable Insurance Trust and GE Capital Life Assurance Company of New York. Previously filed on April 28, 2005 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 19 to Form N-4 for GE Capital Life Separate Account II, Registration No. 333-97085.
- (8) (m) (i) Amendment to Fund Participation Agreement between Genworth Life Insurance Company of New York and MFS Variable Insurance Trust. Previously filed on April 25, 2007 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 28 to Form N-4 for Genworth Life of New York VA Separate Account 1, Registration No. 333-47016.
- (8) (n) Form of Participation Agreement between PIMCO Variable Insurance Trust and GE Capital Life Assurance Company of New York. Previously filed on April 28, 2005 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 19 to Form N-4 for GE Capital Life Separate Account II, Registration No. 333-97085.
- (8) (n) (i) Fund Participation Agreement between Genworth Life Insurance Company of New York and PIMCO Variable Insurance Trust. Previously filed on April 25, 2007 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 28 to Form N-4 for Genworth Life of New York VA Separate Account 1, Registration No. 333-47016.
- (8) (o) Form of Participation Agreement between Rydex Variable Trust and GE Capital Life Assurance Company of New York. Previously filed on April 28, 2005 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 19 to Form N-4 for GE Capital Life Separate Account II, Registration No. 333-97085.
- (8) (p) [Reserved.]
- (8) (q) Form of Participation Agreement between Merrill Lynch Variable Series Funds, Inc. and GE Capital Life Assurance Company of New York. Previously filed on April 28, 2005 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 19 to Form N-4 for GE Capital Life Separate Account II, Registration No. 333-97085.
- (8) (q) (i) First Amendment to the Participation Agreement between BlackRock Variable Series Funds, Inc., BlackRock Distributors, Inc. and Genworth Life Insurance Company of New York. Previously filed on April 29, 2008 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 31 to Form N-4 for Genworth Life & Annuity VA Separate Account 1, Registration No. 333-47016.
- (8) (r) Fund Participation Agreement between Evergreen Variable Annuity Trust and GE Capital Life Assurance Company of New York. Previously filed

on November 5, 2004 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 18 to Form N-4 for GE Capital Life Separate Account II, SEC File No. 333-47016.

- (8) (s) Form of Fund Participation Agreement between American Century Investment Services, Inc. and GE Capital Life Assurance Company of New York regarding American Century Variable Portfolios II, Inc. Previously filed on April 28, 2005 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 19 to Form N-4 for GE Capital Life Separate Account II, Registration No. 333-97085.
- (8) (t) Fund Participation Agreement between Eaton Vance Variable Trust and GE Capital Life Assurance Company of New York. Previously filed on April 28, 2005 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 19 to Form N-4 for GE Capital Life Separate Account II, Registration No. 333-97085.
- (8) (t) (i) Amendment to Fund Participation Agreement between Genworth Life Insurance Company of New York and Eaton Vance Variable Trust. Previously filed on April 25, 2007 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 28 to Form N-4 for Genworth Life of New York VA Separate Account 1, Registration No. 333-47016.

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- (8) (u) Amended and Restated Fund Participation Agreement between Franklin Templeton Variable Insurance Products Trust, Franklin/Templeton Distributors, Inc., Genworth Life Insurance Company of New York and Capital Brokerage Corporation. Previously filed on September 1, 2006 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 25 to Form N-4 for Genworth Life of New York VA Separate Account 1, Registration No. 333-47016.
- (8) (v) Fund Participation Agreement between Nations Separate Account Trust and GE Capital Life Assurance Company of New York. Previously filed on April 28, 2005 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 19 to Form N-4 for GE Capital Life Separate Account II, Registration No. 333-97085.
- (8) (w) Fund Participation Agreement between The Prudential Series Fund, Inc. and Genworth Life Insurance Company of New York. Previously filed on April 25, 2007 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 28 to Form N-4 for Genworth Life of New York VA Separate Account 1, Registration No. 333-47016.
- (8) (x) Fund Participation Agreement between Scudder Variable Series II and GE Capital Life Assurance Company of New York. Previously filed on April 28, 2005 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 19 to Form N-4 for GE Capital Life Separate Account II, Registration No. 333-97085.
- (8) (x) (i) Fund Participation Agreement between Genworth Life Insurance Company of New York and DWS Variable Series II. Previously filed on April 25, 2007 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 28 to Form N-4 for Genworth Life of New York VA Separate Account 1, Registration No. 333-47016.
- (8) (y) Fund Participation Agreement between Van Kampen Life Investment Trust and Genworth Life Insurance Company of New York. Previously filed on April 25, 2007 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 28 to Form N-4 for Genworth Life of New York VA Separate Account 1, Registration No. 333-47016.
- (8) (z) Fund Participation Agreement between American Century Investment Services, Inc. and GE Capital Life Assurance Company of New York regarding American Century Variable Portfolios, Inc. Previously filed on April 28, 2005 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 19 to Form N-4 for GE Capital Life Separate Account II, Registration No. 333-97085.
- (8) (aa) Fund Participation Agreement between JPMorgan Insurance Trust and Genworth Life Insurance Company of New York. Previously filed on April 24, 2006 with Post Effective Amendment No. 24 to Form N-4 for Genworth Life of New York VA Separate Account 1, Registration No. 333-47016.
- (8) (bb) Fund Participation Agreement between Genworth Life Insurance Company of New York and The Universal Institutional Funds, Inc. Previously filed on April 25, 2007 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 28 to Form N-4 for Genworth Life of New York VA Separate Account 1, Registration No. 333-47016.
- (9) Opinion and Consent of Heather C. Harker, Counsel for Genworth Life Insurance Company of New York. Previously filed on April 29, 2008

with Post-Effective Amendment No. 31 to Form N-4 for Genworth Life & Annuity VA Separate Account 1, Registration No. 333-47016.

- (10) Consent of Independent Registered Public Account Firm. Previously filed on April 29, 2008 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 31 to Form N-4 for Genworth Life & Annuity VA Separate Account 1, Registration No. 333-47016.
- (11) Not Applicable.
- (12) Not Applicable.
- (13) Power of Attorney. Previously filed on April 29, 2008 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 31 to Form N-4 for Genworth Life of New York VA Separate Account 1, Registration No. 333-47016.
- (14) Power of Attorney for Kelly L. Groh. Previously filed on August 26, 2008 with Post-Effective Amendment No. 32 to Form N-4 for Genworth Life of New York VA Separate Account 1, Registration No. 333-47016.

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Item 25. Directors and Officers of the Depositor

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Name -----	Address -----	Position with Company -----
<S>	<C>	<C>
David J. Sloane.....	666 Third Avenue, 9th Floor New York, New York 10017	Director, Chairperson of the Board, President and Chief Executive Officer
James D. Atkins.....	700 Main Street Lynchburg, Virginia 24504	Director and Senior Vice President
Marshal S. Belkin...	345 Kear Street Yorktown Heights, New York 10598	Director
Ward E. Bobitz.....	6620 West Broad Street Richmond, Virginia 23230	Director, Vice President and Assistant Secretary
Richard I. Byer.....	11 Westwind Road Yonkers, NY 10710	Director
Paul A. Haley.....	6610 West Broad Street Richmond, Virginia 23230	Director, Senior Vice President and Chief Actuary
Jerry S. Handler....	151 West 40th Street New York, New York 10018	Director
Isidore Sapir.....	449 Golden River Drive Golden Lakes Village West Palm Beach, Florida 33411	Director
Pamela S. Schutz....	6610 West Broad Street Richmond, Virginia 23230	Director and Executive Vice President
Geoffrey S. Stiff...	6610 West Broad Street Richmond, Virginia 23230	Director and Senior Vice President
Thomas M. Stinson...	6630 West Broad Street Richmond, Virginia 23230	Director and President, Long Term Care Division
Robert A. Straniere.	300 East 57th Street New York, New York 10022	Director
Terrence O. Jones...	7 Times Square Tower Suite 1906 New York, New York 10036	Director
Kelly L. Groh.....	6610 West Broad Street Richmond, Virginia 23230	Director, Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer
Brian J. Mason.....	6610 West Broad Street Richmond, Virginia 23230	Vice President and Chief Compliance Officer
Thomas E. Duffy.....	6610 West Broad Street Richmond, Virginia 23230	Senior Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary
Mark W. Griffin.....	3003 Summer Street Stamford, Connecticut 06904	Senior Vice President and Chief Investment Officer
John Connolly.....	6620 West Broad Street Richmond, Virginia 23230	Senior Vice President, Long Term Care Division
Elena K. Edwards....	700 Main Street Lynchburg, Virginia 24504	Senior Vice President
William C. Goings, II.....	700 Main Street Lynchburg, Virginia 24504	Senior Vice President
Christopher J. Grady	6610 West Broad Street Richmond, Virginia 23230	Senior Vice President
Patrick B. Kelleher.	6620 West Broad Street Richmond, Virginia 23230	Senior Vice President
Scott J. McKay.....	6620 West Broad Street Richmond, Virginia 23230	Senior Vice President

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Name ----	Address -----	Position with Company -----
<S>	<C>	<C>
Victor C. Moses.....	601 Union Street Suite 2200 Seattle, Washington 98101	Senior Vice President
Leon E. Roday.....	6620 West Broad Street Richmond, Virginia 23230	Senior Vice President
James H. Reinhart...	6610 West Broad Street Richmond, Virginia 23230	Senior Vice President
Heather C. Harker...	6610 West Broad Street Richmond, Virginia 23230	Vice President and Associate General Counsel
Jac J. Amerell.....	6610 West Broad Street Richmond, Virginia 23230	Vice President and Controller
Gary T. Prizzia.....	6620 West Broad Street Richmond, Virginia 23230	Treasurer
Matthew P. Sharpe...	6610 West Broad Street Richmond, Virginia 23230	Vice President

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Item 26. Persons Controlled by or Under Common Control With the Depositor or Registrant

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Item 27. Number of Contract Owners

There were 2,911 owners of Qualified Contracts and 2,246 owners of Non-Qualified Contracts as of February 20, 2008.

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Item 28. Indemnification

(a) Article VII of the By-Laws of Genworth Life Insurance Company of New York provides that:

1. To the fullest extent allowed under New York Law, including New York Business Corporation Law, the Company shall indemnify each director, officer and employee of this Company who was or is a party or is threatened to be made a party to any threatened, pending or completed action, suit or proceeding, whether civil, criminal, administrative, arbitratve, or investigative (other than an action by or in the right of the Company) by reason of the fact that he is or was a director, officer or employee of the Company, or is or was serving at the request of the Company as a director, officer or employee of another company, partnership, joint venture, trust, employee benefit plan or other enterprise, against reasonable expenses (including attorneys' fees), judgments, fines and amounts paid in settlement actually and reasonably incurred by him in connection with such action, suit or proceeding if he acted in good faith and in a manner he reasonably believed to be in the best interest of the Company, and with respect to any criminal action, had no reasonable cause to believe his conduct unlawful. The termination of any action, suit or proceeding by judgment, order, settlement, conviction, or upon a plea of nolo contendere, shall not of itself create a presumption that the person did not act in good faith, or in a manner opposed to the best interests of the Company, and, with respect to any criminal action or proceeding, had any reasonable cause to believe his conduct unlawful.

2. To the fullest extent allowed under New York Law, including New York Business Corporation law, the Company shall indemnify each director, officer or employee of the Company who was or is a party or is threatened to be made a party to any threatened, pending or completed action or suit by or in the right of the Company to procure a judgment in its favor by reason of the fact that he is or was a director, officer or employee of the Company, or is or was serving at the request of the Company as a director, officer or employee of another company, partnership, joint venture, trust, employee benefit plan or other enterprise, against reasonable expenses (including attorneys' fees) actually and reasonably incurred by him in connection with the defense or settlement of such action or suit if he acted in good faith for a purpose which he reasonably believed to be in the best interests of the Company.

3. Notice to the Superintendent of Insurance for the State of New York of any payment of indemnification, advancement or allowance under Subsections 1 and 2 above shall be made at least thirty (30) days prior thereto in accordance with the requirements of Section 1216 of New York Insurance Law.

4. For the purposes of this section, the Company shall be deemed to have requested a person to serve an employee benefit plan where the performance by such person of his duties to the Company also imposes duties on, or otherwise involves services by, such person to the plan or participants or beneficiaries of the plan; excise taxes assessed on a person with respect to an employee benefit plan pursuant to applicable law shall be considered fines; and action taken or omitted by a person with respect to an employee benefit plan in the performance of such person's duties for a purpose reasonably believed by such person to be in the interests of the participants and beneficiaries of the plan shall be deemed to be for a purpose which is not opposed to the best interests of the Company.

5. Any indemnification under Subsections 1 and 2 (unless ordered by a court) shall be made by the Company only as authorized in the specific case upon a determination that indemnification of the director, officer or employee is proper in the circumstances because he has met the applicable standard of conduct set forth in Subsections 1 and 2. Such determination shall be made:

a. by the Board of Directors of the Company by a majority vote of a quorum consisting of the directors who were not parties to such action, suit or proceeding; or

b. if such quorum is not obtainable, or even if obtainable, a quorum of disinterested directors so directs, (1) by the Board upon the opinion of independent legal counsel in a written opinion; or, (2) by the Stockholders of the Company.

6. Expenses (including attorney's fees) incurred in defending an action, suit or proceeding, whether civil, criminal, administrative, arbitratve or investigative, may be paid by the Company in advance of the

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final disposition of such action, suit, or proceeding as authorized in the manner provided in Subsection 3 upon receipt of an undertaking by or on behalf of the director, officer or employee to repay such amount to the Company in case the person receiving the advancement or allowance is ultimately found not to be entitled to indemnification, or when indemnification is granted to the extent such advances exceed the indemnification to which he is entitled.

7. The Company shall have the power to the fullest extent allowed under New York Law, including New York Business Corporation law, to indemnify any person referred to in this Section.

8. Every reference herein to director, officer or employee shall include every director, officer or employee, or former director, officer or employee of the Company and its subsidiaries and shall enure to the benefit of the heirs, executors and administrators of such person.

9. The foregoing rights and indemnification shall not be exclusive of any other rights and indemnifications to which the directors, officers and employees of the Company may be entitled according to law.

10. Provisions of Article VII as set forth above shall constitute a contract between the Company and the directors.

Insofar as indemnification for liability arising under the Securities Act of 1933 (the "Act") may be permitted to directors, officers and controlling persons of the Registrant pursuant to the foregoing provision, or otherwise under circumstances where the burden of proof set forth in Section 11(b) of the Act has not been sustained, the Registrant has been advised that in the opinion of the Securities and Exchange Commission such indemnification is against public policy as expressed in the Act and is, therefore, unenforceable.

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#### Item 29. Principal Underwriter

(a) Capital Brokerage Corporation is the principal underwriter of the contracts as defined in the Investment Company Act of 1940, and is also the principal underwriter for flexible premium variable annuity contracts and flexible premium single life and joint and last survivor variable life insurance policies issued through Genworth Life of New York VA Separate Account

1, Genworth Life of New York VA Separate Account 2 and Genworth Life of New York VL Separate Account 1.

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Name	Address	Positions and Offices with Underwriter
<S>	<C>	<C>
Christopher J. Grady	6610 W. Broad St. Richmond, VA 23230	Director, President and Chief Executive Officer
Geoffrey S. Stiff...	6610 W. Broad St. Richmond, VA 23230	Director and Senior Vice President
John G. Apostle.....	6620 W. Broad St. Richmond, VA 23230	Director
Patrick B. Kelleher.	6610 W. Broad St. Richmond, VA 23230	Senior Vice President
Victor C. Moses.....	601 Union Street, Suite 2200 Seattle, WA 98101	Senior Vice President
Edward J. Wiles, Jr.	3001 Summer St., 2nd Floor Stamford, CT 06905	Senior Vice President

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Name	Address	Positions and Offices with Underwriter
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Scott E. Wolfe.....	6620 W. Broad Street Richmond, VA 23230	Senior Vice President and Chief Compliance Officer
Kelly L. Groh.....	6610 W. Broad Street Richmond, Virginia 23230	Chief Financial Officer
James H. Reinhart...	6610 W. Broad St. Richmond, VA 23230	Vice President
Michele L. Trampe...	6610 W. Broad St. Richmond, VA 23230	Vice President and Controller
Gary T. Prizzia.....	6620 W. Broad Street Richmond, VA 23230	Treasurer
Gabor Molnar.....	6610 W. Broad St. Richmond, VA 23230	Financial & Operations Principal

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Name of Principal Underwriter	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
	Net Underwriting Discounts and Commissions	Compensation on Redemption	Brokerage Commissions	Compensation
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Capital Brokerage Corporation.	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	10.0%	\$17.9 million

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Item 30. Location of Accounts and Records

All accounts and records required to be maintained by Section 31(a) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 and the rules under it are maintained by Genworth Life Insurance Company of New York at its Service Center at 6610 West Broad Street, Richmond, Virginia 23230.

Item 31. Management Services

Not applicable.

Item 32. Undertakings

(a) Registrant undertakes that it will file a post-effective amendment to this Registration Statement as frequently as necessary to ensure that the audited financial statements in the Registration Statement are never more than 16 months old for so long as payments under the variable annuity contracts may be accepted.

(b) Registrant undertakes that it will include either (1) as part of any application to purchase a contract offered by the prospectus, a space that an

applicant can check to request a Statement of Additional Information, or (2) a post card or similar written communication affixed to or included in the Prospectus that the applicant can remove to send for a Statement of Additional Information.

(c) Registrant undertakes to deliver any Statement of Additional Information and any financial statements required to be made available under this Form promptly upon written or oral request to Genworth Life Insurance Company of New York at the address or phone number listed in the Prospectus.

STATEMENT PURSUANT TO SECTION 26(f) OF THE INVESTMENT COMPANY ACT OF 1940

Genworth Life Insurance Company of New York hereby represents that the fees and charges deducted under the contract, in the aggregate, are reasonable in relation to the services rendered, the expenses expected to be incurred, and the risks assumed by Genworth Life Insurance Company of New York.

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SECTION 403(b) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE REPRESENTATIONS

Genworth Life Insurance Company of New York represents that in connection with its offering of contracts as funding vehicles for retirement plans meeting the requirements of Section 403(b) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, it is relying on a no-action letter dated November 28, 1988, to the American Council of Life Insurance (Ref. No. IP-6-88) regarding Sections 22(e), 27(c)(1), and 27(d) of the Investment Company Act of 1940, and that paragraphs numbered (1) through (4) of that letter will be complied with.

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SIGNATURES

As required by the Securities Act of 1933 and the Investment Company Act of 1940, the Registrant certifies that it meets the requirements of Securities Act Rule 485(b) for effectiveness of this Registration Statement and has duly caused this Registration Statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, duly authorized, in the County of Henrico, and Commonwealth of Virginia, on the 29th day of August, 2008.

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GENWORTH LIFE OF NEW YORK VA SEPARATE  
ACCOUNT 1  
(Registrant)

By: /s/ MATTHEW P. SHARPE  
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Matthew P. Sharpe  
Vice President

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BY: GENWORTH LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF  
NEW YORK  
(Depositor)

By: /S/ MATTHEW P. SHARPE  
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Matthew P. Sharpe  
Vice President

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Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, this Registration Statement has been signed below by the following persons in the capacities and on the dates indicated.

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Signature	Title	Date
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<C> /S/ DAVID J. SLOANE*	<S> Director, Chairperson of the Board, President and Chief Executive	<C> August 29, 2008
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David J. Sloane	Officer	
/S/ JAMES D. ATKINS*	Director and Senior Vice President	August 29, 2008
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James D. Atkins		
/S/ MARSHAL S. BELKIN*	Director	August 29, 2008
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Marshal S. Belkin		
/S/ WARD E. BOBITZ*	Director, Vice President and Assistant Secretary	August 29, 2008
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Ward E. Bobitz		
/S/ RICHARD I. BYER*	Director	August 29, 2008
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Richard I. Byer		
/S/ PAUL A. HALEY*	Director, Senior Vice President and Chief Actuary	August 29, 2008
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Paul A. Haley		
/S/ JERRY S. HANDLER*	Director	August 29, 2008
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Jerry S. Handler		
/S/ ISIDORE SAPIR*	Director	August 29, 2008
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Signature	Title	Date
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/S/ PAMELA S. SCHUTZ*	Director and Executive Vice President	August 29, 2008
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Pamela S. Schutz		
/S/ GEOFFREY S. STIFF*	Director and Senior Vice President	August 29, 2008
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Geoffrey S. Stiff		
/S/ THOMAS M. STINSON*	Director and President, Long Term Care Division	August 29, 2008
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Thomas M. Stinson		
/S/ ROBERT A. STRANIERE*	Director	August 29, 2008
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Robert A. Straniere		
/S/ TERRENCE O. JONES*	Director	August 29, 2008
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Terrence O. Jones		
/S/ KELLY L. GROH*	Director, Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer	August 29, 2008
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Kelly L. Groh		
/S/ JAC J. AMERELL*	Vice President and Controller	August 29, 2008
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Jac J. Amerell		

\*By: /S/ MATTHEW P. SHARPE , pursuant to Power of Attorney executed on March 31, 2008 and on August 15, 2008. August 29, 2008

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