

Athene Holding Ltd. Reports Fourth Quarter And Full Year 2020 Results

HAMILTON, Bermuda, Feb. 17, 2021 /PRNewswire/ -- Athene Holding Ltd. ("Athene") (NYSE: ATH), a leading financial services company specializing in retirement solutions, today announced financial results for the fourth quarter and full year 2020. The earnings release, financial supplement, and earnings presentation are available at <u>ir.athene.com/financials/quarterly-results</u>.



Jim Belardi, CEO of Athene said, "Our robust fourth quarter results capped a year of record growth in which we generated \$56 billion of gross inflows across our diversified funding channels, underwritten to very attractive returns above our historical average. A primary driver of this activity was record net organic growth of 27% for the year. Despite the pandemic, our focus and discipline to execute Athene's business strategy never wavered – originate low cost, persistent funding and employ alpha-generating investing capabilities to drive compelling net spread."

Belardi continued, "Our strong financial results demonstrate both the resilience of our model and our ability to drive consistent excellence even through periods of volatility. The significant profitable growth we generated in 2020 will increase our earnings power in 2021 and beyond. Importantly, we continue to see an abundance of organic and inorganic opportunities in front of us. As one of the best capitalized businesses in the industry, we will use our position of strength to build upon our compelling track record of delivering long-term shareholder value."

Conference Call

Management will host a conference call to review Athene's financial results on Wednesday, February 17, 2021 at 10:00 a.m. ET.

- Live conference call: Toll-free at (866) 901-0811 (domestic) or (346) 354-0810 (international)
- Conference call replay available through March 3, 2021 at (800) 585-8367 (domestic) or (404) 537-3406 (international)
- Conference ID number: 1145498

• Live and archived webcast available at ir.athene.com

About Athene

Athene Holding Ltd. (NYSE: ATH), through its subsidiaries ("Athene"), is a leading financial services company with total assets of \$202.8 billion as of December 31, 2020 and operations in the United States, Bermuda, and Canada. Athene specializes in helping its customers achieve financial security and is a solutions provider to institutions. Founded in 2009, Athene is *Driven to Do More* for our policyholders, business partners, shareholders, and the communities in which we work and live. For more information, please visit <u>www.athene.com</u>.

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regulatory authorities as required for Athene's operations; and other factors discussed from time to time in Athene's filings with the SEC, including its annual report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2019, its quarterly report on Form 10-Q for the quarterly period ended September 30, 2020 and its other SEC filings, which can be found at the SEC's website <u>www.sec.gov</u>.

All forward-looking statements described herein are qualified by these cautionary statements and there can be no assurance that the actual results, events or developments referenced herein will occur or be realized. Athene does not undertake any obligation to update or revise forward-looking statements to reflect changed assumptions, the occurrence of unanticipated events or changes to future operating results.

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