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# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

#### FORM 11-K

FOR ANNUAL REPORTS OF EMPLOYEE STOCK PURCHASE, SAVINGS AND SIMILAR PLANS PURSUANT TO SECTION 15 (d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

[X] ANNUAL REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the fiscal year ended December 31, 2007

OR

[\_] TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the transition period from \_\_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_

Commission File Number 1-6028

A. Full title of the plan and the address of the plan, if different from that of the issuer named below:

THE LINCOLN NATIONAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY AGENTS'

# THE LINCOLN NATIONAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY AGENTS' SAVINGS AND PROFIT-SHARING PLAN

B. Name of issuer of the securities held pursuant to the plan and the address of its principal executive office:

Lincoln National Corporation 150 N. Radnor Chester Road, Suite A305 Radnor, PA 19087

#### REQUIRED INFORMATION

Financial statements and schedule for The Lincoln National Life Insurance Company Agents' Savings And Profit-Sharing Plan, prepared in accordance with the financial reporting requirements of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, are contained in this Annual Report on Form 11-K.

Financial Statements and Supplemental Schedule

The Lincoln National Life Insurance Company Agents' Savings and Profit-Sharing Plan

December 31, 2007 and 2006, and for three years ended December 31, 2007, 2006, and 2005

With Report of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm

#### The Lincoln National Life Insurance Company Agents' Savings and Profit-Sharing Plan

# Financial Statements and Supplemental Schedule

December 31, 2007 and 2006, and for three years ended December 31, 2007, 2006, and 2005

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#### Report of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm

Lincoln National Corporation Plan Administrator Lincoln National Corporation

We have audited the accompanying statements of net assets available for plan benefits of The Lincoln National Life Insurance Company Agents' Savings and Profit-Sharing Plan as of December 31, 2007 and 2006, and the related statements of changes in net assets available for plan benefits for each of the three years in the period ended December 31, 2007. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Plan's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits.

We conducted our audits in accordance with the standards of the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States). Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. We were not engaged to perform an audit of the Plan's internal control over financial reporting. Our audits included consideration of internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Plan's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements, assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, and evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the net assets available for plan benefits of the Plan at December 31, 2007 and 2006, and the changes in its net assets available for plan benefits for each of the three years in the period ended December 31, 2007, in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles.

Our audits were performed for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements taken as a whole. The accompanying supplemental schedule of assets (held at end of year) as of December 31, 2007, is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the financial statements but is supplementary information required by the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974. This supplemental schedule is the responsibility of the Plan's management. The supplemental schedule has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in our audits of the financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the financial statements taken as a whole.

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania March 26, 2008 /s/ Ernst & Young LLP

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### The Lincoln National Life Insurance Company Agents' Savings and Profit-Sharing Plan

#### Statements of Net Assets Available for Plan Benefits

	December 31	
	2007	2006
Assets		
Investments:		
Common stock – Lincoln National Corporation		
(cost: 2007 – \$33,920,977; 2006 – \$35,751,944)	\$ 47,511,770	\$ 59,554,426
Wells Fargo Bank short-term investment account	1,564,190	1,748,430
Pooled separate accounts – The Lincoln National		
Life Insurance Company Separate Accounts		
(cost: 2007 – \$91,414,277; 2006 – \$87,337,123)	133,100,849	126,882,016
Investment contracts – The Lincoln National		
Life Insurance Company	14,604,738	16,312,170
Participant loans	3,996,682	4,010,852
Total investments	200,778,229	208,507,894
	54.004	<b>5</b> 0.106
Accrued interest receivable	54,904	58,106
Cash	(4,648)	·
Contributions receivable from participant deferrals	- 2 212 170	12,646
Contributions receivable from Employer companies	2,212,179	_
Total assets	203,040,664	209,318,974
Liabilities		
Due to broker	214	21,546
Total liabilities	214	21,546
Net assets available for plan benefits	\$ 203,040,450	\$ 209,297,428
See accompanying notes.		
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### The Lincoln National Life Insurance Company Agents' Savings and Profit-Sharing Plan

# Statements of Changes in Net Assets Available for Plan Benefits

	Year ended December 31			
2007	2007 2006			
Investment income:				
*	6,688 \$ 1,431,425			
	5,603 907,029	,		
2,302	2,291 2,338,454	2,563,423		
Net realized gain on sale				
and distributions of investments:				
	4,371 5,504,007	5,362,745		
The Lincoln National Life Insurance	.,	-,,		
Company Separate Accounts 8,568	8,425 5,920,004	3,712,858		
12,412	2,796 11,424,011	9,075,603		
Net change in unrealized				
	0,015) 14,925,196	5,961,900		
Contributions:				
•	7,889,483			
1 7 1	1,121 1,960,209			
13,454	4,321 9,849,692	10,365,962		
Transfers (to) from affiliated plans (36)	6,541) (204,186	593,910		
Deposit from Jefferson-Pilot 401(k) Plan	- 14,357,318			
Distributions to participants (26,167)				
	2,742) (173,808	(168,180)		
Net (decrease) increase in net	( 070) 2( 50( 600	(1.010.015)		
•	6,978) 26,506,698	(1,319,315)		
Net assets available for plan benefits	7 429 192 700 720	194 110 045		
at beginning of the year 209,297.  Net assets available for plan benefits	7,428 182,790,730	184,110,045		
at end of the year \$203,040	0,450 \$ 209,297,428	\$ 182,790,730		
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See accompanying notes.				
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#### The Lincoln National Life Insurance Company Agents' Savings and Profit-Sharing Plan

#### Notes to Financial Statements

December 31, 2007

#### 1. Significant Accounting Policies

Investments Valuation and Income Recognition

The investment in Lincoln National Corporation (LNC) common stock is valued at the closing sales price reported on the New York Stock Exchange Consolidated Transactions Tape on the last business day of the year.

The Wells Fargo Bank Short-Term Investment Account, which is invested in the common stock fund, is valued at cost, which approximates fair value.

The fair value of participation units in pooled separate accounts estimated by The Lincoln National Life Insurance Company (Lincoln Life) is based on quoted redemption value of the underlying investments on the last business day of the year.

The investment contracts are valued at contract value as estimated by Lincoln Life. As described in Financial Accounting Standards Board Staff Position, FSP AAG INV-1 and SOP 94-4-1, Reporting of Fully Benefit-Responsive Investment Contracts Held by Certain Investment Companies Subject to the AICPA Investment Company Guide and Defined-Contribution Health and Welfare and Pension Plans (FSP), investment contracts held by a defined-contribution plan are required to be reported at fair value. The Lincoln National Life Insurance Company Agents' Savings and Profit-Sharing Plan (Plan) adopted FSP AAG INV-1 in 2006. The adoption did not have a material effect on the Plan's financial statements, as interest rates are adjusted to market quarterly. Accordingly, contract value, which represents net contributions plus interest at the contract rate, approximates fair value. The contracts are fully benefit-responsive.

Participant loans are valued at their outstanding balances, which approximate fair value.

The cost of investments sold, distributed, or forfeited is determined using the specific identification method. Investment purchases and sales are accounted for on a trade-date basis.

Interest income is recorded on the accrual basis. Dividends are recorded on the ex-dividend date.

#### Use of Estimates

Preparation of financial statements in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts reported in the financial statements and accompanying notes. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

#### **New Accounting Pronouncement**

In September 2006, the FASB issued Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 157, Fair Value Measurements (SFAS 157). SFAS 157 defines fair value, establishes a framework for measuring fair value and expands disclosures about fair value measurements. SFAS 157 is effective for accounting periods beginning after

November 15, 2007. Lincoln Financial Group Finance is currently evaluating the impact, if any, that the adoption of SFAS 157 will have on the Plan's 2008 financial statements.

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The Lincoln National Life Insurance Company Agents' Savings and Profit-Sharing Plan

Notes to Financial Statements (continued)

#### 2. Description of the Plan

The following description of the Plan is a summary only and is qualified in its entirety by the terms and provisions of the Plan document itself.

The Plan is a contributory, defined contribution plan which covers eligible full-time agents of Lincoln Life, Lincoln Financial Advisors Corporation and Lincoln Life & Annuity Company of New York (Employer). Effective April 3, 2006, LNC acquired Jefferson-Pilot Financial Corporation (Jefferson-Pilot). Jefferson-Pilot sponsored a 401(k) plan for its eligible agents. On June 1, 2006, a plan amendment made legacy Jefferson-Pilot agents eligible to participate in the Plan, and assets from legacy Jefferson-Pilot plan accounts were transferred to this Plan. This increased the net assets of the Plan by \$14.4 million. Also effective June 1, 2006, participants were permitted to make pre-tax contributions at a rate of at least 1% but not more than 50% of eligible earnings (increased from the 25% maximum in effect from January 1, 2004 through May 31, 2006) up to a maximum annual amount as determined under applicable law. Highly compensated agents, as defined in the Plan, are limited to 9%.

In addition to each participant's pre-tax contributions, Employer matching contributions are provided to the Plan. As of January 1, 2007, the Employer matching contribution for eligible participants is equal to 50% of each participant's pre-tax contributions, not to exceed 6% of eligible earnings per pay period. Prior to January 1, 2007, the Employer matching contribution for eligible former Jefferson-Pilot agents was equal to 10% of each participant's pre-tax contribution, not to exceed 6% of eligible compensation. In addition, the Employer may contribute an additional discretionary matching contribution, the amount of which (if any) is determined at the sole discretion of LNC's Board after a review of whether Lincoln Financial Advisors has met certain performance-based criteria. To be eligible for the discretionary Employer match, the participant must be employed on the last day of the plan year or have died or become disabled during the plan year. The investment of any Employer matching contributions made are directed by the participant.

Participants' pre-tax, other contributions, and earnings thereon are fully vested at all times. Employer contributions vest based upon years of service as defined in the Plan agreement as follows:

Years of Service	Percent Vested
1	0%
2	50%
3 or more	100%

Participants direct the Plan to invest their contributions, the basic Employer matching contributions, and the Employer discretionary matching contribution in any combination of the investment options offered under the Plan. For 2007, Employer discretionary matching contributions were made in cash, and allocated to the investment funds in accordance with the Participant's elections. No Employer discretionary matching contributions were made for 2006. Employer discretionary matching contributions for 2005 were initially invested in the LNC Common Stock Account. Participants can immediately direct the investment of the Employer discretionary matching contributions to other investment options, subject to certain restrictions set forth in our Insider Trading and Confidentiality policy.

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Notes to Financial Statements (continued)

#### 2. Description of the Plan (continued)

The Employer has the right to discontinue contributions at any time and terminate the Plan subject to the provisions of ERISA. In the event of Plan termination, all non-vested amounts allocated to participant accounts would become fully vested.

The Plan may make loans to participants in amounts up to 50% of the vested account value to a maximum of \$50,000, but not more than the total value of the participant's accounts, excluding Employer contributions that have not been in the Plan for two full years, less the highest outstanding loan balance in the previous 12-month period. Interest charged on new loans to participants is established monthly based upon the prime rate plus 1%. Interest income credited was \$293,769, \$225,353, and \$236,082 in 2007, 2006, and 2005, respectively. Loans may be repaid over any period selected by the participant up to a maximum repayment period of 5 years except that the maximum repayment period may be 20 years for the purchase of a principal residence.

Upon termination of service due to disability or retirement, a participant may elect to receive either a lump-sum amount equal to the entire value of the participant's account or an installment option if certain criteria are met; in cases of death, the participant's beneficiary makes that election. For termination of service due to other reasons, a participant may receive the value of the vested interest in his or her account as a lump-sum distribution. Vested account balances less than \$1,000 are immediately distributable under the terms of the Plan, without the participant's consent, unless the participant has made a timely election of rollover to an Individual Retirement Account or other qualified arrangement.

Each participant's account is credited with the participant's contributions, Employer matching contributions, and applicable investment earnings thereon and is charged with an allocation of administrative expenses and applicable investment losses. Forfeited non-vested amounts are used to reduce future Employer contributions.

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### The Lincoln National Life Insurance Company Agents' Savings and Profit-Sharing Plan

Notes to Financial Statements (continued)

#### 3. Investments

The following is a summary of assets held for investment:

	Do Number of	ecember 31, 2007 Net Asset		December 31, 2 Number of Net Asset		006
	Shares, Units or Par Value	Value Per Unit	Fair Value	Shares, Units or Par Value	Value Per Unit	Fair Value
Fair Values						
Common stock – LNC**	* 816,073	\$ 58.220	\$ 47,511,770*	896,904	\$ 66.400	\$ 59,554,426*
Pooled separate account						
contracts underwritten by	y Lincoln Life:					
Core Equity Account	603,408.454	17.535	10,580,767*	675,925.619	16.597	11,218,540*
Medium Capitalization Equity Account	558,122.762	17.023	9,500,756	637,440.864	15.038	9,586,154
Short-Term Account	2,707,860.831	4.142	11,214,877*	2,474,519.389	3.950	9,774,599
Government/Corporate Bond Account	502,647.363	9.843	4,947,357	478,163.909	9.428	4,508,225
Large Capitalization Equity Account	703,700.685	10.991	7,734,304	845,211.812	9.783	8,268,538
Balanced Account	399,671.268	9.426	3,767,261	329,975.428	8.897	2,935,692
High Yield Bond	842,282.306	4.488	3,780,163	861,514.961	4.386	3,778,949
Account	042,202.300	7.700	3,700,103	001,514.701	7.500	3,770,747
Small Capitalization Equity Account	882,868.835	9.896	8,737,135	1,004,016.412	8.930	8,966,268
Value Equity Account	1,922,453.540	3.122	6,001,708	2,106,200.926	3.048	6,418,858
International Equity Account	941,916.059	12.562	11,832,632*	1,078,128.890	12.018	12,957,276*
Conservative Balanced Account	409,589.675	2.510	1,028,234	327,871.900	2.388	783,056
Aggressive Balanced Account	608,494.129	2.988	1,817,998	494,596.549	2.815	1,392,190
Delaware Growth and Income Account	2,079,971.566	2.138	4,446,147	2,315,835.708	2.205	5,106,881
Scudder VIT Equity 500 Index Account	4,049,051.948	1.268	5,133,793	4,198,242.064	1.208	5,071,896
Fidelity VIP Contrafund	6,414,875.498	1.906	12,229,960*	6,248,064.787	1.625	10,151,855
Neuberger-Berman	1 506 244 002	1 007	2.751.450	1 777 017 110	1 771	2 140 514
AMT Regency Account		1.827	2,751,458	1,777,817.112	1.771	3,148,514
Social Awareness Account	1,311,610.737	1.365	1,789,955	1,514,969.167	1.329	2,014,000

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American Funds						
Insurance Series Global Growth	4,869,650.703	1.457	7,094,107	4,481,783.250	1.270	5,693,657
Neuberger-Berman	, ,		, ,	, ,		, ,
Mid-Cap Growth	3,341,287.715	1.702	5,687,874	3,099,565.265	1.391	4,312,735
Account	. =					
Scudder VIT Small Cap	1,781,845.843	1.859	3,313,342	1,970,608.242	1.901	3,746,520
Index Account	407,813.986	1.899	774,601	289,661.157	1.607	465,485
BlackRock Legacy Account	407,813.980	1.899	774,001	289,001.137	1.007	403,483
American Funds	395,626.878	22.588	8,936,420	348,696.154	18.876	6,582,128
International Account						
Total pooled separate accounts			133,100,849			126,882,016
Contract Value Investment contracts underwritten by Lincoln Life	14,604,738		14,604,738*	16,312,170		16,312,170*
Estimated Value Wells Fargo Bank short-term						
investment account	1,564,190		1,564,190	1,748,430		1,748,430
Participants loans	3,996,682		3,996,682	4,010,852		4,010,852
Total investments			\$200,778,229			\$208,507,894

 $<sup>\</sup>ast$  Investments that represent 5% or more of the fair value of net assets available for benefits as of the indicated date.

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<sup>\*\*</sup> Indicates party-in-interest to the

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Notes to Financial Statements (continued)

#### 3. Investments (continued)

Net realized gain on sale and distribution of investments is summarized as follows:

	Year ended December 31			er 31
		2007	2006	2005
Common stock				
Proceeds from disposition of stock	\$	7,729,845	\$12,038,077	\$ 14,876,314
Cost of stock disposed		3,885,474	6,534,070	9,513,569
Net realized gain on sale and distribution				
of common stock	\$	3,844,371	\$ 5,504,007	\$ 5,362,745
Pooled separate accounts				
Proceeds from disposition of units	\$	49,126,170	\$43,764,916	\$ 33,710,587
Cost of units disposed		40,557,745	37,844,912	29,997,729
Net realized gain on sale and distribution				
of pooled separate accounts	\$	8,568,425	\$ 5,920,004	\$ 3,712,858

The net change in unrealized appreciation of investments in total and by investment classification as determined by fair value is summarized as follows:

	Year ended December 31		
	2007	2006	2005
Fair value in excess of cost:			
At beginning of the year	\$ 63,347,381	\$48,422,185	\$ 42,460,285
At end of the year	55,277,366	63,347,381	48,422,185
Change in net unrealized (depreciation) appreciation of investments	\$ (8,070,015)	\$ 14,925,196	\$ 5,961,900
Common stock	\$ (10,211,687)	\$ 7,023,661	\$ 1,635,194
Pooled separate accounts	2,141,672	7,901,535	4,326,706
Change in net unrealized (depreciation) appreciation of investments	\$ (8,070,015)	\$14,925,196	\$ 5,961,900

The investment contracts (Guaranteed Account) earned an average interest rate of approximately 4.0% in all three years. The credited interest rates for new contributions, which approximate the current market rate, were 4.0% at both December 31, 2007 and 2006. The rate on new contributions is guaranteed through the three succeeding calendar year quarters. The credited interest rates for the remaining contract value balance, which approximate the current market rate, were 4.0% at both December 31, 2007 and 2006, and were determined based upon the performance of Lincoln Life's general account. The credited interest rates can be changed quarterly. The minimum guaranteed rate is 3.5%. The guarantee is based on Lincoln Life's ability to meet its financial obligations from the general assets of Lincoln Life. Restrictions apply to the movement of funds to other investment options. The fair value of the investment contracts approximates contract value. Participants are allocated interest on the investment contacts.

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#### Notes to Financial Statements (continued)

4. Investment Options

The detail of the net assets available for plan benefits by investment option is as follows:

	Investment Options						
December							
31, 2007	Total	1	2	3	4	5	6
Assets							
Investments:							
Common							
stock	\$ 47,511,770	\$ 47,511,770	5 - 5	- 5	\$ - 5	5 - 5	
Short-term							
investment	1.764.100	1.564.100					
fund	1,564,190	1,564,190	_	_	_	_	_
Pooled							
separate	122 100 040			10 500 767	9,500,756	11 214 977	4 047 257
accounts Investment	133,100,849	_	_	10,580,767	9,300,736	11,214,877	4,947,357
contracts	14,604,738		14,604,738				
Participant	14,004,736	_	14,004,736	_	_	_	_
loans	3,996,682	_	_	_	_	_	_
Total	3,770,002						
investments	200,778,229	49,075,960	14,604,738	10,580,767	9,500,756	11,214,877	4,947,357
in vestineires	200,770,223	1,072,700	11,001,700	10,200,707	2,200,720	11,211,077	1,5 17,557
Accrued							
interest							
receivable	54,904	5,966	48,938	_	_	_	_
Cash	(4,648)	_	(4,648)	_	_	_	_
Contributions	receivable						
from							
participant							
deferrals	-	_	_	_	_	_	_
Contributions	receivable						
from							
Employer							
companies	2,212,179	2,212,179	_	_	_	_	_
Net assets	203,040,664	51,294,105	14,649,028	10,580,767	9,500,756	11,214,877	4,947,357
Liabilities							
Due to							
broker	214	_	_	(28,320)	_	94,323	(14,387)

Total liabilities Net assets available for	214		-	- (28,320)	-	94,323	(14,387)
plan benefits Number of participants	\$ 203,040,450	\$ 51,294,103	5 \$ 14,649,028	3 \$ 10,609,087	\$ 9,500,756	\$ 11,120,554	\$ 4,961,744
• •	estment options	1354	366	541	467	480	338
			Investme	nt Options			
December							
31, 2007	7	8	8	10	11	12	13
Assets							
Investments: Common							
stock	\$ -	- \$	- \$	- \$ -	- \$ -	- \$ _	\$ -
Short-term	Ψ	Ψ	Ψ	Ψ	Ψ	Ψ	Ψ
investment							
account	-	_	_			· <u> </u>	_
Pooled							
separate							
accounts	7,734,304	3,767,26	3,780,163	8,737,135	6,001,708	11,832,632	1,028,234
Investment							
contracts Participant	-	_	_		_	_	_
loans	_	_	_	_			_
Total							
investments	7,734,304	3,767,26	3,780,163	8,737,135	6,001,708	11,832,632	1,028,234
Accrued							
interest receivable							
Cash	-	_	_		_	_	_
Cash Contributions	receivable	_	_			_	_
from	receivable						
participant							
deferrals	-	_	_				_
Contributions	s receivable						
from							
Employer							
companies	7.724.204	- 2.767.06	- 2.700.166	- 0.727.125			1 020 224
Net assets	7,734,304	3,767,26	3,780,163	8,737,135	6,001,708	11,832,632	1,028,234
Liabilities							
Due to							
broker	(20,915)	)	- (10,164	(9,880)	(28,411)	(18,761)	_
Total				,	, , ,	, , ,	
liabilities	(20,915)		- (10,164			(18,761)	_
Net assets	\$ 7,755,219	\$ 3,767,26	51 \$ 3,790,327	\$ 8,747,015	\$ 6,030,119	\$ 11,851,393	\$ 1,028,234
available for							

plan benefits Number of participants selecting investment options	471	188	338	579	378	655	52
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### The Lincoln National Life Insurance Company Agents' Savings and Profit-Sharing Plan

# Notes to Financial Statements (continued)

Inv	estment	$\mathbf{O}$	ptions

			III v Cotifficia	Options			
December 31, 2007 Assets	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Investments: Common							
stock Short-term	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	- \$ -	- \$ -	-
investment account	_	_	_	_			_
Pooled separate							
accounts Investment	1,817,998	4,446,147	5,133,793	12,229,960	2,751,458	1,789,955	7,094,107
contracts Participant	-	_	-	_	_		_
loans Total	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
investments	1,817,998	4,446,147	5,133,793	12,229,960	2,751,458	1,789,955	7,094,107
Accrued interest							
receivable	_	_	_	_			_
Cash Contributions re	eceivable	_	_	_	_	_	<u> </u>
from participant							
deferrals Contributions re	–	_	_	_	-	-	_
from	ecervable						
Employer companies	_	_	_	_			_
Net assets	1,817,998	4,446,147	5,133,793	12,229,960	2,751,458	1,789,955	7,094,107
Liabilities  Due to broker	_	(6,031)	_	47,210	4,918	_	(17,740)
Total liabilities Net assets	_	(6,031)	_	47,210	4,918	_	(17,740)
available for plan benefits	\$ 1,817,998	\$ 4,452,178	\$ 5,133,793	\$ 12,182,750	\$ 2,746,540	\$ 1,789,955	\$ 7,111,847
Number of participants	. ,	. ,	. ,	. ,	. ,	. ,	•
selecting investment	153	448	293	673	265	128	438

# options

Loans
-
-
- 996,682
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- -
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#### options

Note: Investment options 23 and 24 had a zero balance as of 12/31/07 and are not shown.

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#### The Lincoln National Life Insurance Company Agents' Savings and Profit-Sharing Plan

#### Notes to Financial Statements (continued)

# 4. Investment Options (continued)

The detail of the net assets available for plan benefits by investment option is as follows:

			Investment O <sub>1</sub>	otions			
December 31,	T 1	1	2	2	4	-	6
2006 Assets	Total	1	2	3	4	5	6
Investments:							
Common							
stock	\$ 59,554,426	\$ 59,554,426	\$ -\$	- 5	\$ -\$	_ :	\$ -
Short-term							
investment							
fund	1,748,430	1,748,430	_	_	_	_	_
Pooled							
separate accounts	126,882,016			11,218,540	9,586,154	9,774,599	4,508,225
Investment	120,862,010	_	_	11,210,340	9,360,134	9,774,399	4,306,223
contracts	16,312,170	_	16,312,170	_	_	_	_
Participant	,,-,-		,				
loans	4,010,852	_	_	_	_	_	_
Total							
investments	208,507,894	61,302,856	16,312,170	11,218,540	9,586,154	9,774,599	4,508,225
Accrued							
interest							
receivable	58,106	6,410	51,123	_	_	_	_
Cash	740,328	(12,604)	752,932	_	_	_	_
Contributions							
receivable							
from							
participant	10.646	10.646					
deferrals Contributions	12,646	12,646	_	_	_	_	_
receivable							
from							
Employer							
companies	_		_	_	_	_	_
Net assets	209,318,974	61,309,308	17,116,225	11,218,540	9,586,154	9,774,599	4,508,225
Liabilities							
Due to broker	21,546	_	204	932	398	2,661	105

Total liabilities Net assets		21,546		_	-	204		932	398		2,661		105
available for plan benefits Number of participants	\$ 2	09,297,428	\$	61,309,308	\$	17,116,021	\$	11,217,608	\$ 9,585,756	\$	9,771,938	\$ 4	4,508,120
selecting inves	stme	nt options		1518		402		623	513		557		372
	Investment Options												
December 31, 2006 Assets		7		8		9		10	11		12		13
Investments: Common stock	\$	_	- \$	_	\$	_	- \$	_	- \$ -	- \$	-	- \$	_
Short-term investment account		-	-	_		_	-	_		_	-	-	_
Pooled separate accounts Investment contracts		8,268,538		2,935,692		3,778,949	_	8,966,268	6,418,858	_	12,957,276		783,056
Participant loans Total investments		8,268,538	-	2,935,692		3,778,949	-	8,966,268	6,418,858	-	12,957,276	-	- 783,056
Accrued interest receivable		-	-			5,776,547	-	-		_	-	-	-
Cash Contributions receivable from participant		-	-	_		_	-	-		_	-	-	_
deferrals Contributions receivable from Employer		_	-	_		_	-	_	-	-	-	-	_
companies Net assets		8,268,538	-	2,935,692		3,778,949	-	8,966,268	6,418,858	-	12,957,276	-	- 783,056
Liabilities Due to broker Total		665		913		7		584	713		425		29
liabilities	\$	665 8,267,873	\$	913 2,934,779	\$	7 3,778,942	\$	584 8,965,684	713 \$ 6,418,145	\$	425 12,956,851	\$	29 783,027

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Net assets available for plan benefits Number of participants selecting investment options	528	183	371	622	411	703	49
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# Notes to Financial Statements (continued)

# **Investment Options**

December 31, 2006 Assets	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Investments: Common stock	\$ -	- \$ _	- \$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	- \$ _
Short-term investment							
account Pooled	_		-	_	-	_	
separate accounts Investment	1,392,190	5,106,881	5,071,896	10,151,855	3,148,514	2,014,000	5,693,657
contracts Participant	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
loans Total	_		_	_	_	_	_
investments	1,392,190	5,106,881	5,071,896	10,151,855	3,148,514	2,014,000	5,693,657
Accrued interest receivable							
Cash Contributions receivable from	-			_		-	
participant deferrals Contributions receivable from	-	-	-	-	_	-	-
Employer companies	_			_	_	_	
Net assets	1,392,190	5,106,881	5,071,896	10,151,855	3,148,514	2,014,000	5,693,657
Liabilities Due to broker Total liabilities Net assets	88 88	1,145 1,145	841 841	1,668 1,668	394 394	33 33	2,927 2,927
available for plan benefits Number of participants	\$ 1,392,102	\$ 5,105,736	\$ 5,071,055	\$ 10,150,187	\$ 3,148,120	\$ 2,013,967	\$ 5,690,730

selecting investment options	143	487	295	667	268	136
			Investment O	ptions		
December 31, 2006 Assets Investments:	21	22	25	26	Loans	
Common stock Short-term	\$ -	- \$	- \$	_	- \$	
investment account Pooled	-	_	_	_	-	
separate accounts Investment	4,312,735	3,746,520	465,485	6,582,128	_	
contracts Participant	_	_	_	_	_	
loans Total	_	_	_	_	4,010,852	
investments	4,312,735	3,746,520	465,485	6,582,128	4,010,852	
Accrued interest					572	
receivable Cash	_	- - –		_	573	
Contributions receivable from participant deferrals	_		_	_		
Contributions receivable from Employer						
companies Net assets	_	-	_	_	-	
available for plan benefits	4,312,735	3,746,520	465,485	6,582,128	4,011,425	
Liabilities Due to broker Total liabilities Net assets available for	944 944	1,104 1,104	922 922	3,844 3,844	- -	
plan benefits Number of participants	\$ 4,311,791	\$ 3,745,416 \$	464,563 \$	6,578,284	\$ 4,011,425	

selecting investment

options 505 416 55 568 228

Note: Investment options 23 and 24 had a zero balance as of 12/31/06 and are not shown.

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#### The Lincoln National Life Insurance Company Agents' Savings and Profit-Sharing Plan

#### Notes to Financial Statements (continued)

# 4. Investment Options (continued)

The detail of the changes in net assets available for plan benefits by investment option is as follows:

			Investment Op	tions			
December 31,							
2007	Total	1	2	3	4	5	6
Investment							
income:							
Cash							
dividends	\$ 1,336,688		\$ -\$	-\$	<b>-</b> \$	- \$	_
Interest	965,603	76,858	594,976	_	_	_	_
Total							
investment							
income	2,302,291	1,413,546	594,976	_	_	_	_
Net realized gain							
distribution of in	nvestments:						
Common							
stock	3,844,371	3,844,371	_	_	_	_	_
Pooled							
separate							
accounts	8,568,425	_	_	664,484	561,776	457,917	126,139
Total net							
realized gains	12,412,796	3,844,371	_	664,484	561,776	457,917	126,139
Net change in u	nrealized						
appreciation							
of investments	(8,070,015)	(10,211,687)	_	(23,248)	630,889	72,885	70,687
Contributions:	0.702.200		207.224	100 610	2=0.040	107.000	222 721
Participant	8,793,200	1,253,272	205,334	488,649	378,949	185,822	222,521
Employer	4 661 101	2 472 004	60.051	1.40.622	110.506	50 100	(0.016
companies	4,661,121	2,472,984	68,051	149,632	110,506	52,493	62,216
Total	10 454 001	2.726.256	272 205	(20, 201	400 455	220.215	204.727
contributions	13,454,321	3,726,256	273,385	638,281	489,455	238,315	284,737
Transfers (to)							
from affiliated	(26.541)	(26,046)	122.760	(01.474)	(26.500)	1 140	(FF 014)
plans	(36,541)	(26,046)	123,769	(91,474)	(36,589)	1,148	(55,814)
Deposit from							
Jefferson-Pilot							
401(k) Plan Distributions	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
	(26,167,088)	(5,292,358)	(2,994,094)	(928,069)	(548,062)	(5,901,943)	(241,702)
to participants Administrative	(20,107,000)	(3,494,338)	(4,774,074)	(740,007)	(340,004)	(3,701,743)	(241,702)
	(152,742)	(38,138)	(9,642)	(7,265)	(6,359)	(23,600)	(3,031)
expenses	(132,142)	(30,130)	(3,044)	(7,203)	(0,339)	(23,000)	(3,031)

Net transfers Net (decrease) incre		(3,431,147)	(455,387)	(861,230)	(1,176,110)	6,503,894	272,608
assets							
available for	(6.056.050)	10.015.202\	(2.466.002)	(600.501)	(05,000)	1.040.616	450.604
plan benefits Net assets available benefits at		10,015,203)	(2,466,993)	(608,521)	(85,000)	1,348,616	453,624
beginning of							
the year 20 Net assets available benefits at		61,309,308	17,116,021	11,217,608	9,585,756	9,771,938	4,508,120
end of the year \$ 20	03,040,450 \$	51,294,105 \$	14,649,028	\$ 10,609,087	\$ 9,500,756	\$11,120,554	\$4,961,744
			I				
December 31,			Investment O	ptions			
2007	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
Investment							
income:							
Cash							
dividends \$	- \$	- \$	<u> </u>	\$ -:	s –	\$ -	- \$ _
Interest	Ψ _	Ψ _		_	Ψ _	Ψ _	· _
Total							
investment							
income	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Net realized gain or	n sale and						
distribution of inve							
Common	stinents.						
stock	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Pooled							
separate							
accounts	328,624	160,650	223,727	627,301	510,207	1,402,736	6,931
Total net	320,021	100,050	223,727	027,301	510,207	1,102,750	0,551
realized gains	328,624	160,650	223,727	627,301	510,207	1,402,736	6,931
Net change in unrea		100,050	223,727	027,301	510,207	1,102,750	0,551
appreciation	unzea						
of investments	567,002	16,677	(131,196)	277,677	(323,142)	(771,756)	31,719
Contributions:	,	,	(,,-)	,	(===,= :=)	(,, =,, = =)	,>
Participant	495,873	232,621	227,386	461,880	385,416	673,139	31,372
Employer	,	,	,	,	,	,	,
companies	153,408	65,594	63,133	128,953	110,044	186,021	8,513
Total	•	,	ŕ	•	ŕ	•	,
contributions	649,281	298,215	290,519	590,833	495,460	859,160	39,885
Transfers (to)	•	·	•	•	·		•
from affiliated							
plans	(58,621)	(47,208)	9,755	(48,121)	(61,018)	(31,786)	2,869
Deposit from				, ,		, ,	
Jefferson-Pilot							
401(k) Plan	_	_	_	_	_	_	-
Distributions							
to participants	(643,603)	(230,133)	(426,186)	(824,414)	(535,077)	(1,532,873)	(39,414)
	(5,356)	(2,150)	(2,737)	(5,918)	(4,329)	(8,767)	(593)

Administrative							
expenses							
Net transfers	(1,349,981)	636,431	47,503	(836,027)	(470,127)	(1,022,172)	203,810
Net (decrease) inc assets	rease in net						
available for							
plan benefits	(512,654)	832,482	11,385	(218,669)	(388,026)	(1,105,458)	245,207
Net assets available benefits at	e for plan						
beginning of							
the year	8,267,873	2,934,779	3,778,942	8,965,684	6,418,145	12,956,851	783,027
Net assets available benefits at	e for plan						
end of the year \$ 13	7,755,219	\$ 3,767,261	\$ 3,790,327	\$ 8,747,015	\$ 6,030,119	\$11,851,393	\$ 1,028,234

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#### Notes to Financial Statements (continued)

# 4. Investment Options (continued)

The detail of the changes in net assets available for plan benefits by investment option is as follows:

Investment Options										
December 31,										
2007	14	15	16	17	18	19	20			
Investment										
income:										
Cash dividends	\$ -\$	- \$	- \$	- \$	- \$	- \$	_			
Interest	_	_	_	_	_	_	_			
otal investment										
income	_	_	_	_	_	_	_			
Net realized gain on sale and										
distribution of in	vestments:									
Common										
stock	_	_	_	_	_	_	_			
Pooled										
separate										
accounts	84,856	388,328	375,161	633,888	304,958	166,495	368,289			
Total net										
realized gains	84,856	388,328	375,161	633,888	304,958	166,495	368,289			
Net change in un appreciation	realized									
of investments	(7,272)	(491,433)	(96,526)	1,059,176	(209,939)	(108,043)	478,622			
Contributions:										
Participant	167,729	397,221	327,593	773,153	192,216	94,470	436,375			
Employer										
companies	47,380	123,171	94,406	229,182	56,811	23,608	115,367			
Total										
contributions	215,109	520,392	421,999	1,002,335	249,027	118,078	551,742			
Transfers (to)										
from affiliated										
plans	19,560	19,808	126,166	54,298	13,290	4,671	26,797			
Deposit from										
Jefferson-Pilot										
401(k) Plan	_	_	_	_	_	_	_			
Distributions to										
participants	(257,743)	(517,097)	(577,682)	(1,141,743)	(339,021)	(341,781)	(675,586)			
Administrative										
expenses	(1,075)	(3,661)	(3,428)	(7,445)	(2,128)	(1,323)	(4,290)			
Net transfers	372,461	(569,895)	(182,952)	432,054	(417,767)	(62,109)	675,543			

Net (decrease) in assets	crease in net						
available for plan benefits Net assets availal	425,896 ble for plan	(653,558)	62,738	2,032,563	(401,580)	(224,012)	1,421,117
benefits at beginning of the	1 202 102	5 105 726	5 071 055	10 150 107	2 1 40 120	2.012.067	5 (00 720
year Net assets availal benefits at	1,392,102 ble for plan	5,105,736	5,071,055	10,150,187	3,148,120	2,013,967	5,690,730
end of the year	\$ 1,817,998	\$ 4,452,178	\$ 5,133,793	\$ 12,182,750	\$ 2,746,540	\$ 1,789,955	\$ 7,111,847
			Investment	Options			
December 31,				1			
2007	21	22	23	24	25	26	Loans
Investment income:							
Cash dividends	\$ -	- \$	\$ -	- \$ -	- \$ -	- \$ _	- \$ _
Interest Total	_	_	_	-			293,769
investment							
income	_	_	_				293,769
Net realized gain distribution of in							
Common							
stock	_	_	-	-			_
Pooled							
separate accounts	400,202	236,248			27,248	512,260	
Total net	400,202	230,246	_	-	- 21,240	312,200	_
realized gains	400,202	236,248	_	_	27,248	512,260	_
Net change in un appreciation		230,240			21,240	312,200	
of investments Contributions:	569,104	(302,865)	_	-	45,981	786,673	_
Participant Employer	333,069	321,154	_		29,914	478,072	_
companies Total	98,406	89,843	_		7,488	143,911	_
contributions Transfers (to)	431,475	410,997	_		37,402	621,983	_
from affiliated							
plans Deposit from	10,159	19,857	_		4,795	(16,806)	_
Jefferson-Pilot							
401(k) Plan	_	_	_				_
Distributions to							
participants Administrative	(712,486)	(326,627)	_	-	(34,679)	(796,203)	(308,512)
expenses	(3,443)	(2,668)	-	-	(343)	(5,053)	_

Net transfers Net (decrease) in assets	700,568 acrease in net	(458,028)	-	_	200,835	1,247,225	-
available for		(400,000)			201 220	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	(1.1.7.10)
plan benefits	1,395,579	(423,086)	_	_	281,239	2,350,079	(14,743)
Net assets availabenefits at	ble for plan						
beginning of the							
year	4,311,791	3,745,416	_	_	464,563	6,578,284	4,011,425
Net assets availa	ble for plan	, ,			,	, ,	, ,
benefits at	•						
end of the year	\$ 5,707,370	\$ 3,322,330	\$ - \$	- \$	745,802	\$ 8,928,363	\$ 3,996,682
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#### Notes to Financial Statements (continued)

# 4. Investment Options (continued)

The detail of the changes in net assets available for plan benefits by investment option is as follows:

Investment Options							
December 31,							
2006	Total	1	2	3	4	5	6
Investment							
income:							
		\$ 1,431,425 \$		-\$	- \$	- \$	
Interest	907,029	75,944	605,734	_	_	_	_
Total							
investment	2 220 454	1.505.260	605.724				
income	2,338,454	1,507,369	605,734	_	_	_	_
Net realized gain and	(loss) on sale						
distribution of inv	zaatmants:						
Common	esuments.						
stock	5,504,007	5,504,007					
Pooled	3,304,007	3,304,007					
separate							
accounts	5,920,004	_	_	842,833	416,271	293,803	45,228
Total net	2,220,00			o . <b>_</b> ,eee	.10,271	2,0,000	,===
realized gains							
(losses)	11,424,011	5,504,007	_	842,833	416,271	293,803	45,228
Net change in uni	ealized apprecia	ition					
(depreciation)							
of investments	14,925,196	7,023,661	_	562,705	431,374	144,500	215,027
Contributions:							
Participant	7,889,483	892,220	219,516	534,884	444,349	156,018	190,879
Employer							
companies	1,960,209	167,578	62,897	147,672	127,649	45,235	39,260
Total							
contributions	9,849,692	1,059,798	282,413	682,556	571,998	201,253	230,139
Transfers (to)							
from affiliated	(204.106)	40.455	(00, (00)	(67.104)	(15.400)	10.074	(24.410)
plans	(204,186)	40,455	(80,699)	(67,104)	(15,423)	19,074	(34,410)
Deposit from Jefferson-Pilot							
401(k) Plan	14,357,318	4,303,193	1,069,761	813,773	30,436	1,810,678	492,367
Distributions to	14,557,510	4,303,173	1,009,701	015,775	<i>5</i> 0, <del>4</del> 50	1,010,070	492,307
participants	(26,009,979)	(7,847,021)	(964,315)	(1,479,911)	(910,747)	(2,990,725)	(329,267)
participants	(20,00),)1))	(1,011,021)	(701,313)	(1,1/2,/11)	(710,171)	(2,770,723)	(327,201)

Administrative expenses Net transfers Net increase (de	(173,808) 	(35,074) - (5,940,883)		(7,555) (2,362,923)		(59,632) 2,232,329	(2,117) 721,015
assets available for plan benefits Net assets availa benefits at	26,506,698	5,615,505	2,140,081	(1,015,626)	(527,217)	1,651,280	1,337,982
beginning of the year Net assets availa benefits at	182,790,730	55,693,803	14,975,940	12,233,234	10,112,973	8,120,658	3,170,138
end of the year	\$ 209,297,428	\$61,309,308	\$ 17,116,021	\$11,217,608	\$ 9,585,756	\$ 9,771,938	\$4,508,120
			Investment (	Options			
December 31,				- F			
2006	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
Investment							
income:							
Cash dividends	•		- \$		-\$ -5	\$ -	- \$ -
Interest	(1)	_		- (1)	_	_	
Total							
investment income	(1)	_	_	- (1)	_	_	_
Net realized gain	` '			(1)			
and	r (1055) on saic						
distribution of ir Common	envestments:						
stock	_					_	
Pooled							
separate							
accounts	256,005	81,440	181,716	609,894	193,896	893,187	26,701
Total net							
realized gains							
(losses)	256,005	81,440	181,716	609,894	193,896	893,187	26,701
Net change in un	• •	iation					
(depreciation) of investments		172 902	101 402	12 247	792.005	1 562 200	24.520
Contributions:	(71,963)	172,802	191,493	13,347	782,905	1,563,299	34,529
Participant	538,206	193,039	229,529	536,012	380,805	715,945	33,347
Employer	330,200	173,037	227,327	330,012	300,003	713,743	33,347
companies	171,749	50,772	56,584	143,170	107,499	182,614	9,907
Total	, , ,	,	<b>,</b>	-, · · ·	,	- ,-	2 %
contributions	709,955	243,811	286,113	679,182	488,304	898,559	43,254
Transfers (to)							
from affiliated							
plans	(52,313)			7,320	(10,103)	35,229	1,020
Deposit from	5,932	24,752	15,909	32,510	34,191	51,862	14,266
Jefferson-Pilot							

401(k) Plan							
Distributions to							
participants	(1,295,769)	(252,933)	(432,917)	(1,022,299)	(489,132)	(1,279,486)	(11,458)
Administrative							
expenses	(6,458)	(1,926)	(2,201)	(6,555)	(3,642)	(7,628)	(601)
Net transfers	(1,922,722)	(92,507)	341,048	(1,170,005)	(4,430)	29,615	(92,800)
Net increase (dec	rease) in net						
assets							
available for							
plan benefits	(2,377,334)	171,296	584,641	(856,607)	991,989	2,184,637	14,911
Net assets availal	ole for plan						
benefits at							
beginning of the							
year	10,645,207	2,763,483	3,194,301	9,822,291	5,426,156	10,772,214	768,116
Net assets availal	ole for plan						
benefits at							
end of the year	\$ 8,267,873	\$ 2,934,779 \$	3,778,942	\$ 8,965,684 \$	6,418,145	\$ 12,956,851	\$ 783,027
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#### The Lincoln National Life Insurance Company Agents' Savings and Profit-Sharing Plan

#### Notes to Financial Statements (continued)

# 4. Investment Options (continued)

The detail of the changes in net assets available for plan benefits by investment option is as follows:

		]	Investment O	ptions			
December 31,							
2006	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Investment							
income:							
Cash dividends	\$ -	\$ - \$	_ \$	- \$	- \$	- \$	_
Interest	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Total investment							
income	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Net realized gain	(loss) on sale						
and							
distribution of inv	vestments:						
Common							
stock	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Pooled							
separate							
accounts	42,775	129,297	157,697	513,922	287,530	118,389	208,894
Total net							
realized gains							
(losses)	42,775	129,297	157,697	513,922	287,530	118,389	208,894
Net change in uni	realized apprecia	ation					
(depreciation)							
of investments	94,353	643,058	544,507	589,751	53,486	96,001	655,306
Contributions:							
Participant	137,628	267,527	270,109	661,729	201,773	110,703	364,104
Employer							
companies	39,834	60,562	51,132	161,104	57,863	22,939	78,005
Total							
contributions	177,462	328,089	321,241	822,833	259,636	133,642	442,109
Transfers (to)							
from affiliated							
plans	3,894	(5,365)	1,588	36,396	(36,824)	(8,716)	(24,011)
Deposit from							
Jefferson-Pilot							
401(k) Plan	48,126	1,132,174	637,563	962,462	44,622	4,590	90,693
Distributions to							
participants	(178,780)	(541,825)	(282,709)	(1,597,150)	(653,613)	(310,567)	(681,560)
	(757)	(1,872)	(2,718)	(5,732)	(2,096)	(1,220)	(2,911)

Administrative expenses Net transfers	216,013	1,356,640	(99,373)	1,124,208	(87,474)	124,902	1,370,075
Net increase (dec assets available for plan benefits	403,086	3,040,196	1,277,796	2,446,690	(134,733)	157,021	2,058,595
Net assets available benefits at	ole for plan						
beginning of the year Net assets availab	_	2,065,540	3,793,259	7,703,497	3,282,853	1,856,946	3,632,135
benefits at end of the year	\$ 1,392,102	\$ 5,105,736	\$ 5,071,055	\$ 10,150,187	\$ 3,148,120	\$ 2,013,967	\$ 5,690,730
			Investment	Options			
December 31,							
2006	21	22	23	24	25	26	Loans
Investment							
income: Cash dividends	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	- \$ _	\$ -	- \$ -
Interest	<b>5</b> –	- ф —	Ф —	Ф —	<b>—</b>	- ф	225,353
Total investment		_	_	_	_	_	223,333
income	_	_	_		_	_	225,353
Net realized gain	(loss) on sale						223,333
and	(1055) 011 5411						
distribution of inv	vestments:						
Common							
stock	_	_	_	_	. <u> </u>	_	_
Pooled							
separate							
accounts	234,335	209,810	10,799	47,687	4,854	113,041	_
Total net							
realized gains							
(losses)	234,335	209,810	10,799	47,687	4,854	113,041	_
Net change in uni	realized appred	eiation					
(depreciation)							
of investments	312,430	322,834	(28,056)	(312,226)	29,581	860,492	_
Contributions:							
Participant	253,827	275,516	3,465	30,702	11,262	236,389	_
Employer	50.020	56.075	020	0.104	0.440	40.675	
companies	59,929	56,075	938	8,124	2,443	48,675	_
Total	212 756	221 501	4 402	20 026	12 705	295.064	
contributions Transfers (to)	313,756	331,591	4,403	38,826	13,705	285,064	_
from affiliated							
plans	(4,642)	(55,583)	59	112	937	45,586	_
Deposit from	(1,012)	(55,505)	3)	112	751	15,500	
Jefferson-Pilot							
401(k) Plan	883,394	515,760	_	_	20,185	865,891	452,228
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Distributions to							
participants	(628,815)	(386,056)	(604)	(222,058)	(69,635)	(518,743)	(631,884)
Administrative							
expenses	(2,324)	(1,872)	(71)	(747)	(149)	(1,567)	_
Net transfers	200,973	181,659	(255,858)	(1,455,551)	465,085	4,928,520	_
Net increase (dec	crease) in net						
assets							
available for							
plan benefits	1,309,107	1,118,143	(269,328)	(1,903,957)	464,563	6,578,284	45,697
Net assets available	ble for plan						
benefits at							
beginning of the							
year	3,002,684	2,627,273	269,328	1,903,957	_	_	3,965,728
Net assets available	ble for plan						
benefits at end	l						
of the year	\$ 4,311,791	\$ 3,745,416	\$ -	\$ - \$	464,563	\$ 6,578,284	\$ 4,011,425
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#### Notes to Financial Statements (continued)

# 4. Investment Options (continued)

The detail of the changes in net assets available for plan benefits by investment option is as follows:

			Investment Op	tions			
December 31,	m . 1	1	2	2	4	~	
2005	Total	1	2	3	4	5	6
Investment							
income:	t 1.627.252	ф 1.627.252 (	th th	`	¢.	¢	ф
Cash dividends	\$ 1,637,253 926,170	\$ 1,637,253		- 5	\$ -	\$ -	<b>&gt;</b> –
Interest Total	920,170	42,239	647,849	_	_	_	_
investment							
income	2,563,423	1,679,492	647,849				
Net realized gain			047,049	_	_	_	_
distribution of inv		ıu					
Common	estilicitis.						
stock	5,362,745	5,362,745	_	_	_	_	_
Pooled	3,302,713	2,202,712					
separate							
accounts	3,712,858	_	_	514,050	197,691	88,332	95,153
Total net	- , . ,			, , , , ,	,	/	,
realized gains							
(losses)	9,075,603	5,362,745	_	514,050	197,691	88,332	95,153
Net change in unr	ealized apprecia	ition					
(depreciation)							
of investments	5,961,900	1,635,194	_	77,193	700,898	133,138	(24,307)
Contributions:							
Participant	7,297,381	859,454	270,526	612,107	479,192	199,702	152,453
Employer							
companies	3,068,581	1,150,018	85,980	186,798	155,517	53,989	41,201
Total							
contributions	10,365,962	2,009,472	356,506	798,905	634,709	253,691	193,654
Transfers (to)							
from affiliated	502.010	017 401	(7.42.170)	122.721	162.042	102 000	50.014
plans	593,910	217,401	(743,178)	132,721	163,042	182,088	59,014
Distributions to participants	(29,711,933)	(7,879,541)	(1 157 105)	(2,198,565)	(1.267.910)	(2,321,490)	(208 220)
Administrative	(29,/11,933)	(7,879,341)	(4,457,185)	(2,198,303)	(1,267,810)	(2,321,490)	(298,239)
	(168,180)	(36,944)	(10,716)	(8,525)	(6,746)	(57,406)	(1,926)
expenses Net transfers	(100,100)	(10,092,131)	1,525,542	(655,420)	(837,995)	3,588,467	566,039
Net (decrease) inc	rrease in net	(10,092,131)	1,323,342	(033,420)	(031,993)	<i>5,5</i> 00, <del>1</del> 07	500,059
The (decrease) III	rease III liet						

	_	_					
assets available for							
plan benefits	(1,319,315)	(7,104,312)	(2,681,182)	(1,339,641)	(416,211)	1,866,820	589,388
Net assets availa		(7,104,312)	(2,001,102)	(1,339,041)	(410,211)	1,000,020	309,300
benefits at	ible for plan						
beginning of the							
year	184,110,045	62,798,115	17,657,122	13,572,875	10,529,184	6,253,838	2,580,750
Net assets availa		02,770,113	17,037,122	13,372,673	10,527,104	0,233,636	2,300,730
benefits at	ioic for plan						
end of the year	\$ 182,790,730 \$	55 693 803	\$ 14 975 940	\$ 12 233 234	\$ 10 112 973	\$ 8 120 658	\$ 3 170 138
end of the year	Ψ102,770,750 Ψ	33,073,003	Ψ 14,273,240	Ψ 12,233,234	Ψ10,112,773	0,120,030	ψ 3,170,130
D 1 21			Investment O	ptions			
December 31,	7	0	0	10	1.1	10	10
2005	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
Investment							
income:	ф ф		¢	ф	¢	ħ	φ
Cash dividends	\$ -\$	_	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -:	<b>&gt;</b> -	-\$ –
Interest	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Total							
investment							
income	– n (loss) on sala and	_	_	_	_	_	· <u>-</u>
distribution of ir	n (loss) on sale and						
Common	ivestificitis.						
stock	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Pooled							
separate							
accounts	(44,606)	43,149	152,770	453,756	262,800	644,155	26,505
Total net	(11,000)	13,117	102,770	132,720	202,000	011,155	20,202
realized gains							
(losses)	(44,606)	43,149	152,770	453,756	262,800	644,155	26,505
	nrealized appreciati	•	7	,	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	,	-,
(depreciation)							
of investments	1,351,784	100,270	(39,709)	(44,275)	34,382	540,865	(2,420)
Contributions:	,	•			,	•	, , ,
Participant	625,193	199,116	193,078	589,557	425,804	630,715	46,819
Employer							
companies	206,728	57,264	52,986	176,482	130,489	186,837	14,330
Total							
contributions	831,921	256,380	246,064	766,039	556,293	817,552	61,149
Transfers (to)							
from affiliated							
plans	206,411	(1,872)	15,440	99,710	(18,544)	94,767	_
Distributions to							
participants	(1,204,026)	(286,433)	(496,943)	(1,158,782)	(1,034,061)	(1,465,613)	(171,537)
Administrative							
expenses	(6,582)	(1,529)	(1,952)	(6,865)	(4,036)	(6,781)	(363)
Net transfers	(522,226)	646,554	597,664	(1,464,873)	(452,759)	797,149	362,780
Net (decrease) in							
	612,676	756,519	473,334	(1,355,290)	(655,925)	1,422,094	276,114

assets available for

plan benefits

Net assets available for plan

benefits at beginning of the

year 10,032,531 2,006,964 2,720,967 11,177,581 6,082,081 9,350,120 492,002

Net assets available for plan

benefits at

end of the year \$ 10,645,207 \$ 2,763,483 \$ 3,194,301 \$ 9,822,291 \$ 5,426,156 \$10,772,214 \$ 768,116

#### The Lincoln National Life Insurance Company Agents' Savings and Profit-Sharing Plan

#### Notes to Financial Statements (continued)

# 4. Investment Options (continued)

The detail of the changes in net assets available for plan benefits by investment option is as follows:

		1	Investment Op	otions			
December 31,							
2005	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Investment							
income:							
Cash dividends	\$ - 5	- \$	- \$	- 5	<b>\$</b> —	\$ - \$	_
Interest	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Total investment							
income	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Net realized gain		d					
distribution of inv	vestments:						
Common							
stock	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Pooled							
separate							
accounts	32,158	101,874	181,527	373,408	165,181	58,926	22,319
Total net							
realized gains							
(losses)	32,158	101,874	181,527	373,408	165,181	58,926	22,319
Net change in un	realized apprecia	tion					
(depreciation)							
of investments	28,796	4,754	(34,315)	599,476	167,744	107,488	332,675
Contributions:							
Participant	117,921	217,327	207,077	444,807	192,202	70,734	245,289
Employer							
companies	33,191	61,604	55,301	129,854	55,788	18,686	70,640
Total							
contributions	151,112	278,931	262,378	574,661	247,990	89,420	315,929
Transfers (to)							
from affiliated							
plans	541	(135,884)	181,772	54,920	22,478	7,463	19,999
Distributions to							
participants	(179,329)	(393,704)	(517,067)	(1,589,320)	(441,613)	(245,708)	(420,056)
Administrative							
expenses	(637)	(1,278)	(2,622)	(3,996)	(1,962)	(982)	(2,019)
Net transfers	56,769	651,375	(445,191)	2,324,849	549,518	451,607	626,118
Net (decrease) in							
	89,410	506,068	(373,518)	2,333,998	709,336	468,214	894,965

assets available for plan benefits Net assets availabl benefits at beginning of the year Net assets availabl benefits at end	899,606	1,559,472	4,166,777	5,369,499	2,573,517	1,388,732	2,737,170
of the year	\$ 989,016	\$ 2,065,540	\$ 3,793,259 \$	7,703,497	\$ 3,282,853	\$ 1,856,946	\$ 3,632,135
			Investment Op	tions			
December 31,					_		
2005	21	22	23	24	Loans		
Investment							
income:	Φ.				•		
	\$ -	- \$	\$ -\$	_			
Interest	_	_	_	_	236,082		
Total investment					226,092		
income	1	_	_	_	236,082		
Net realized gain ( sale and	ioss) oii						
distribution of inve	etmanta.						
Common	estilicitis.						
stock	_	_	_	_	_		
Pooled							
separate							
accounts	87,659	176,798	12,781	66,472	_		
Total net	07,000	170,770	12,701	00,172			
realized gains							
(losses)	87,659	176,798	12,781	66,472	_		
Net change in unre		-,,,,,	,	,			
appreciation							
(depreciation)							
of investments	229,555	(114,432)	(7,020)	184,166	_		
Contributions:							
Participant	209,420	202,110	19,306	87,472	_		
Employer							
companies	63,421	53,310	4,350	23,817	_		
Total							
contributions	272,841	255,420	23,656	111,289	_		
Transfers (to)							
from affiliated	40 =00	10 ==0	40.0	• 670			
plans	19,782	12,779	402	2,658	_		
Distributions to	(200.526)	(460.124)	(110.026)	(276.057)	(400 150)		
participants	(308,526)	(468,134)	(110,036)	(376,057)	(422,158)		
Administrative	(1.504)	(1.700)	(157)	(702)			
expenses	(1,584)	(1,789)	(157)	(783)	_		
Net transfers Net (decrease) incl	716,823	(61,965)	38,270	1,033,036	_		
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assets available for plan benefits Net assets availab benefits at	1,016,550 ble for plan	(201,323)	(42,104)	1,020,781	(186,076)
beginning of the					
year	1,986,134	2,828,596	311,432	883,176	4,151,804
Net assets availab		, ,	,	,	, ,
benefits at end					
of the year	\$ 3,002,684	\$ 2,627,273	\$ 269,328	\$ 1,903,957	\$ 3,965,728
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Notes to Financial Statements (continued)

### 4. Investment Options (continued)

Information with respect to investment options is as follows:

Option	Description of Investment Option
1	LNC Common Stock Account, which invests exclusively in the stock of LNC. However, some funds may be invested in the Wells Fargo Bank Short-Term Investment Account until the LNC stock can be purchased.
2	Guaranteed Account, which invests in investment contracts underwritten by Lincoln Life. The account's balances are backed by the general assets of Lincoln Life.
3	Core Equity Account (SA#11), which seeks to buy large capitalization stocks of well-established companies with the objective of long-term capital appreciation.
4	Medium Capitalization Equity Account (SA#17), which invests in stocks of medium-sized companies with the objective of maximum long-term total return.
5	Short-Term Account (SA#14), which invests in high-quality money market securities with the objective of maximizing interest earnings while maintaining principal.
6	Government/Corporate Bond Account (SA#12), which invests primarily in U.S. government and high-quality corporate bonds and securities.
7	Large Capitalization Equity Account (SA#23), which invests primarily in stocks of large companies that have the potential to grow 50% within 18 months from the date of purchase.
8	Balanced Account (SA#21), which invests in stocks, bonds, and money market instruments, with the objective to maximize long-term total return with a moderate level of risk.
9	High Yield Bond Account (SA#20), which invests primarily in below-investment-grade bonds, providing higher rates of return to compensate for higher risk.
10	Small Capitalization Equity Account (SA#24), which invests primarily in the stock of new, rapid growth companies.

11	Value Equity Account (SA#28), which invests in large capitalization stocks of conservative companies that are industry leaders.
12	International Equity Account (SA#22), which invests primarily in stocks of non-United States companies.
13	Conservative Balanced Account (SA#30), which invests in stocks, bonds, and money market instruments to maximize long-term total earnings with a conservative level of risk.

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Notes to Financial Statements (continued)

# 4. Investment Options (continued)

14	Aggressive Balanced Account (SA#32), which invests in stocks, bonds, and money market instruments to maximize long-term total return with an aggressive level of risk.
15	Delaware Value Account (SA#61), which invests in large capitalization companies that have long-term capital appreciation potential.
16	Scudder VIT Equity 500 Index Account (SA#27), which seeks to replicate the total return of the S&P 500.
17	Fidelity VIP Contrafund (SA#35), which seeks capital appreciation by investing primarily in securities of companies whose value is not fully recognized by the market.
18	Neuberger-Berman AMT Regency Account (SA#38), which seeks capital growth by investing mainly in common stocks of mid-capitalization companies.
19	Social Awareness Account (SA#33), which seeks capital growth and social responsibility by investing in the Lincoln National Social Awareness Portfolio.
20	American Funds New Perspective Account (formerly Global Growth) (SA#34), which invests primarily in common stocks, convertibles, preferred stocks, bonds, and cash to provide long-term growth through investments all over the world.
21	Neuberger-Berman AMT Mid-Cap Growth Account (SA#37), which seeks capital appreciation using a growth-oriented investment approach.
22	Scudder VIT Small Cap Index Account, which seeks to reflect Russell 2000 performance by investing in the Small Cap Index Portfolio.
23	Janus Aspen Growth Account (SA#70), which seeks long-term growth of capital in a manner consistent with the preservation of capital.
24	Fidelity VIP Overseas Account (SA#59), which seeks long-term growth of capital by investing mainly in foreign securities.
25	Blackrock Legacy Account (SA #81), which seeks to provide long-term growth of capital.

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American Funds Insurance Series International Fund Account (SA #54), which seeks capital appreciation by investing primarily in common stocks of companies outside the United States.

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Notes to Financial Statements (continued)

#### 4. Investment Options (continued)

Investment options 3 through 26 are invested in pooled separate accounts of Lincoln Life through a group annuity contract issued by Lincoln Life.

#### 5. Income Tax Status

The Plan has received a determination letter from the Internal Revenue Service dated April 30, 2004, stating that the Plan is qualified under Section 401(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code) and therefore, the related trust is exempt from taxation. Subsequent to this determination by the Internal Revenue Service, the Plan was amended and restated. Once qualified, the Plan is required to operate in conformity with the Code to maintain its qualification. The plan sponsor is committed to maintaining the tax-qualified status of the Plan, operating the Plan in compliance with the Code, and correcting any inadvertent operational errors that may have occurred or could occur.

#### 6. Tax Implications to Participants

Federal (and most states) income tax is deferred on participants contributions, the Employer's contributions, and income earned in the Plan until actual distribution or withdrawal from the Plan.

#### 7. Transactions with Parties-in-Interest

The Plan has investments in common stock of LNC and in pooled separate accounts and investment contracts with Lincoln Life. Lincoln Life charges the Plan for certain administrative expenses including trustee and audit fees. Total administrative expenses charged were \$152,742, \$173,808, and \$168,180 in 2007, 2006, and 2005, respectively.

#### 8. Concentrations of Credit Risks and Market Risks

The Plan has investments in common stock of LNC, pooled separate accounts, and unallocated investment contracts with Lincoln Life of \$47,511,770, \$133,100,849, and \$14,604,738, respectively, at December 31, 2007 (23.4%, 65.6%, and 7.2% of net assets, respectively). LNC and Lincoln Life operate predominately in the insurance and investment management industries.

The Plan invests in various investment securities. Investment securities are exposed to various risks including, but not limited to, interest rate, market, and credit risks. Due to the level of risk associated with certain investment securities, it is at least reasonably possible that changes in the values of investments will occur in the near term and that such changes could materially affect participants' account balances and the amounts reported in the statements of net assets available for plan benefits.

# The Lincoln National Life Insurance Company Agents' Savings and Profit-Sharing Plan

Notes to Financial Statements (continued)

#### 9. Reconciliation to Form 5500

The following is a reconciliation of net assets available for plan benefits per the 2007 statement of net assets available for plan benefits to the Form 5500:

	December 31	
	2007	2006
Net assets available for plan benefits per the financial statements	\$ 203,040,450	\$ 209,297,428
Less: Amounts allocated to withdrawn participants	-	850,631
Net assets available for plan benefits per the Form 5500	\$ 203,040,450	\$ 208,446,797

The following is a reconciliation of distributions to participants per the 2007 statement of changes in net assets available for plan benefits to the Form 5500:

	December 31 2007
Distributions to participants per the financial statements Plus: Amounts allocated to withdrawn participants at year-end	\$ 26,167,088
Less: Amounts allocated to withdrawn participants at prior year-end Distributions to participants per the Form 5500	850,631 \$ 25,316,457

Amounts allocated to withdrawn participants are recorded on the Form 5500 for benefit payments that have been processed and approved for payment prior to year-end but not yet paid.

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Plan Number: 006 EIN: 35-0472300

### Schedule H, Line 4i – Schedule of Assets (Held At End of Year)

#### December 31, 2007

(b)	(c) Description of Investment, Including Maturity Date	(d)	(e)
Identity of Issue, Borrower,	Rate of Interest,	Cost	Current Value
Lessor, or Similar Party	Par, or Maturity Value		
*Common stock account:			
Lincoln National Corporation common stock Wells Fargo Bank short-term	816,073 shares	**	\$ 47,511,770
investment account	1,564,190 par value	**	1,564,190 49,075,960
*Pooled separate accounts –			.,,,,,,,,,
The Lincoln National Life Insurance			
Company Separate Accounts:			
Core Equity Account	603,408.454 participation units	**	10,580,767
Medium Capitalization Equity Account	558,122.762 participation units	**	9,500,756
Short-Term Account	2,707,860.831 participation units	**	11,214,877
Government/ Corporate Bond Account	502,647.363 participation units	**	4,947,357
Large Capitalization Equity Account	703,700.685 participation units	**	7,734,304
Balanced Account	399,671.268 participation units	**	3,767,261
High Yield Bond Account	842,282.306 participation units	**	3,780,163
Small Capitalization Equity Account	882,868.835 participation units	**	8,737,135
Value Equity Account	1,922,453.540 participation units	**	6,001,708
International Equity Account	941,916.059 participation units	**	11,832,632
Conservative Balanced Account	409,589.675 participation units	**	1,028,234
Aggressive Balanced Account	608,494.129 participation units	**	1,817,998
Delaware Growth and Income Account	2,079,971.566 participation units	**	4,446,147

	Scudder VIT Equity 500 Index Account	4,049,051.948 partic	cipation **	5,133,793
	Fidelity VIP Contrafund	6,414,875.498 partic units	cipation **	12,229,960
	Neuberger-Berman AMT Regency Account	1,506,244.982 partic units	cipation **	2,751,458
	Social Awareness Account	1,311,610.737 partic units	cipation **	1,789,955
	American Funds	4,869,650.703 partic units	cipation **	7,094,107
	Insurance Series Global Growth			
	Neuberger-Berman Mid-Cap Growth Account	3,341,287.715 partic units	cipation **	5,687,874
	Scudder VIT Small Cap Index Account	1,781,845.843 partic units	cipation **	3,313,342
	BlackRock Legacy Account	407,813.986 partic units	cipation **	774,601
	American Funds International Account	395,626.878 partic units	cipation **	8,936,420
				133,100,849
*Investment of The Lincoln I				123,100,019
Insurance Con	mpany (Guaranteed Account)	4.00%	interest rate **	14,604,738
Participant lo	ans	Various loans at it	nterest rates	
		varying from 5.0%	o to 10.50%.	3,996,682 \$ 200,778,229

<sup>\*</sup> Indicates party-in-interest to the Plan.
\*\* Indicates a participant-directed account. The cost disclosure is not required.

#### **SIGNATURE**

THE PLAN: Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Administrator of The Lincoln National Life Insurance Company Agents' Savings and Profit-Sharing Plan has duly caused this annual report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

The Lincoln National Life Insurance Company Agents'

Savings and Profit-Sharing Plan

By: /s/ William David

William David on Behalf of the Lincoln National

Corporation Benefits

Committee

Date: March 31, 2008

#### **EXHIBIT 1**

Consent of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm

We consent to the incorporation by reference in the Registration Statement (Form S-3 No. 333-131943) pertaining to The Lincoln National Life Insurance Company Agents' Savings and Profit-Sharing Plan of our report dated March 26, 2008, with respect to the financial statements and schedule of The Lincoln National Life Insurance Company Agents' Savings and Profit-Sharing Plan included in this Annual Report (Form 11-K) for the year ended December 31, 2007.

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania March 26, 2008 /s/ Ernst & Young LLP