As the scope, complexity and potential impact of the global coronavirus/COVID-19 outbreak evolves, The Standard continues to monitor the impacts of the virus closely and adjust our response appropriately.

The unique nature of this health crisis is creating significant volatility in the stock market alongside an unprecedented decline in interest rates. While the outcome remains uncertain, continued volatility — positive and negative — is likely. In the short term, supply chain disruptions and impacts to travel and tourism will lead to economic impacts.

The Standard has plans in place to help address concerns related to the spread of coronavirus/COVID-19. We are undertaking a variety of activities to protect our business operations, safeguard the health of our employees and continue meeting the needs of our customers. Our focus has not changed — we will provide the best possible experience for our customers.

Our company was founded in 1906 and our fiscally conservative management approach has helped us navigate through significant volatility and unforeseen events to ensure we can keep our financial commitments. This approach is built on the strength of our disciplined financial practices, sound investment strategies, unique mix of high-performing businesses and industry expertise.

Our balance sheet is the cornerstone of our financial strength and provides us with a foundation of resilience to manage through a wide range of economic cycles.

Bond Portfolio
Our bond portfolio is strong. Our strategy is to maintain a diversified portfolio of high-quality, fixed-maturity securities to keep us well-protected should any industries experience difficulties. As of Dec. 31, 2019:

- a $10.74 billion portfolio
- average portfolio credit quality rating of “A” as measured by Standard & Poor’s

Commercial Mortgage Loan Portfolio
Our commercial mortgage loans have consistently provided a superior balance of risk and return. We offer small commercial mortgage loans to borrowers who want a fixed rate over time, and we rigorously underwrite every commercial mortgage loan we make. The quality of our commercial mortgage loan portfolio is excellent. As of Dec. 31, 2019:

- $7.13 billion portfolio (on approximately 6,000 loans)
- average loan size of approximately $1.2 million

Greg Ness
Chairman, President and CEO

Standard Insurance Company
Financial Strength Ratings
A+ (Strong) by Standard & Poor’s fifth of 20 ratings
A1 (Good) by Moody’s fifth of 21 ratings
A (Excellent) by A.M. Best* third of 13 ratings
As of January 2020
* Rating includes The Standard Life Insurance Company of New York

StanCorp Financial Group
Long-Term Senior Debt Ratings
Standard & Poor’s: BBB+
Moody’s: Baa1
A.M. Best: bbb+
As of January 2020
The Standard Stands the Test of Time

In the July 2019 issue of Best’s Review, Standard Insurance Company was recognized for maintaining an “A” rating or higher from A.M. Best Company since 1928. The Standard was honored to be among one of only eight life/health insurers to consistently achieve an “A” rating or higher for the past 90 years. Given rapidly evolving markets, changing customer needs and challenging economic times, this is a significant accomplishment. We are proud of this longstanding track record of financial strength.

Balance Sheet as of Dec. 31, 2019

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<th>Assets</th>
<th>$33.49 billion</th>
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<tr>
<td>Fixed Maturity Securities</td>
<td>57.8% of cash and investments</td>
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<td>A- or Higher</td>
<td>65.6%</td>
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<td>BBB- to BBB+</td>
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<td>BB- to BB+</td>
<td>3.6%</td>
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<tr>
<td>B+ or Lower</td>
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<td>Commercial Mortgage Loans</td>
<td>38.4% of cash and investments</td>
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<td>Real Estate and Other Invested Assets</td>
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<td>Portfolio Yields</td>
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<td>Fixed Maturity Securities</td>
<td>3.60%</td>
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<td>Commercial Mortgage Loans</td>
<td>4.70%</td>
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Capital and surplus of the insurance subsidiaries was in excess of 500% of the Company Action Level Risk-Based Capital (RBC) required by regulators.

Corporate Profile

StanCorp Financial Group, Inc., through its subsidiaries marketed as The Standard — Standard Insurance Company, The Standard Life Insurance Company of New York, Standard Retirement Services, StanCorp Mortgage Investors, StanCorp Real Estate and StanCorp Equities — is a leading provider of financial products and services. StanCorp’s subsidiaries offer group and individual disability insurance, group life and accidental death and dismemberment insurance, group dental and group vision insurance, absence management services, retirement plans products and services, individual annuities, and the origination and servicing of fixed-rate commercial mortgage loans. For more information about StanCorp Financial Group, Inc., visit the Investor Relations pages on standard.com.

StanCorp Financial Group became part of the Meiji Yasuda family of companies in 2016. The Standard serves as Meiji Yasuda’s primary U.S. presence and partner, maintaining its Portland, Oregon, operations and headquarters as well as its employees, management team, brand, product mix, distribution channels and community support.

Meiji Yasuda and The Standard are both leaders in group benefit insurance in their respective markets. Meiji Yasuda, founded in 1881 and headquartered in Tokyo, is the oldest and third-largest life insurance company in Japan, with the largest share of group insurance in the Japanese market. With more than 42,000 employees and 6.9 million customers, Meiji Yasuda specializes in group and individual life insurance, bancassurance and group annuity products, and has assets of $363 billion and premium income of $25 billion. In addition to Japan, Meiji Yasuda has insurance operations throughout the U.S., Poland, China, Indonesia and Thailand.

Except where indicated, data represents consolidated results for StanCorp Financial Group, Inc.

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