Audited Financial Statements

PRINCIPAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY U.S. PROPERTY SEPARATE ACCOUNT CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2009 AND 2008

	2009	2008
INCREASE (DECREASE) IN NET ASSETS RESULTING FROM OPERATIONS:		
Net investment income	\$204,295,660	\$200,693,583
Net loss recognized from real estate investment sales	(204,489,328)	(24,104,203)
Unrealized loss on investments and debt	(1,613,752,252)	(946,168,470)
Less: Portion attributable to noncontrolling interests	57,258,301	29,792,091
Net decrease in net assets resulting from operations	(1,556,687,619)	(739,786,999)
INCREASE (DECREASE) IN NET ASSETS RESULTING FROM CAPITAL TRANSACTIONS:		
Total contributions	224,397,243	1,288,341,437
Total distributions	(157,882,616)	(2,045,435,255)
Less: Portion attributable to noncontrolling interests	29,119,005	27,000,824
Net increase (decrease) in net assets resulting from capital transactions	95,633,632	(730,092,994)
DECREASE IN NET ASSETS ATTRIBUTABLE TO U.S. PROPERTY SEPARATE ACCOUNT	(1,461,053,987)	(1,469,879,993)
NET ASSETS ATTRIBUTABLE TO U.S. PROPERTY SEPARATE ACCOUNT:		
Beginning of year	4,877,678,537	6,347,558,530
End of year	\$3,416,624,550	\$4,877,678,537

See notes to consolidated financial statements.