

Announcement

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LICONY appoints Christine M. DeBiase, Chief Administrative Officer and General Counsel of Brighthouse Financial, Inc., to Board of Directors

Albany, NY, March 4, 2021 – The Life Insurance Council of New York has appointed Christine M. DeBiase, Chief Administrative Officer and General Counsel of Brighthouse Financial, Inc., to the Board of Directors for a three-year term, effective retroactively to January 1, 2021.

“I am pleased to welcome Christine DeBiase to the LICONY Board. With her extensive experience in the life industry, she brings another substantial voice to help guide LICONY’s advocacy agenda,” said Richard A. Loconte, President and CEO of LICONY. “Additionally, Christine’s work leading diversity and inclusion initiatives at Brighthouse Financial will be a tremendous asset and will contribute greatly to LICONY efforts.”

At Brighthouse Financial, DeBiase is responsible for legal, compliance, corporate governance, sustainability, government relations, procurement, and third-party risk management. She is a member of the Brighthouse Financial senior leadership team and an Executive Sponsor of the company’s Diversity and Inclusion strategy.

Brighthouse Financial is one of the largest providers of annuities and life insurance in the United States.¹

“I am honored to join the Board of Directors of LICONY,” DeBiase said. “LICONY is a vital voice in helping to foster a productive and efficient business environment in which life insurers can best serve their customers now and into the future, and I look forward to contributing to this distinguished board.”

LICONY is governed by a 16-member Board of Directors that meets at least four times a year.

About Brighthouse Financial, Inc.

Brighthouse Financial, Inc. (Brighthouse Financial) (Nasdaq: BHF) is on a mission to help people achieve financial security. As one of the largest providers of annuities and life insurance in the U.S.,¹ Brighthouse Financial specializes in products designed to help people protect what they’ve earned and ensure it lasts. Learn more at brighthousefinancial.com.

¹ Ranked by 2019 admitted assets. Best’s Review®: Top 200 U.S. Life/Health Insurers. A.M. Best, 2020.

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