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This fund is only available in the Retirement Protector Group Deferred Variable Annuity and the Personal Retirement Planner Qualified Variable Annuity.

### Description:

The fund employs an indexing investment approach designed to track the performance of the Barclays U.S. Aggregate Float Adjusted Bond Index. This index measures a wide spectrum of public, investment-grade, taxable, fixed income securities in the United States—including government, corporate, and international dollar-denominated bonds, as well as mortgage-backed and asset-backed securities, all with maturities of more than 1 year. The fund invests by sampling the index, meaning that it holds a range of securities that, in the aggregate, approximate the full index in terms of key risk factors and other characteristics. All of the fund's investments will be selected through the sampling process, and at least 80% of the fund's assets will be invested in bonds held in the index. The fund maintains a dollar-weighted average maturity consistent with that of the index, which currently ranges between 5 and 10 years. This is a moderate investment.

| Sector weighting                 | Percent of<br>total holdings | Top holdings                  | Percent of<br>total holdings |
|----------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Treasury/Agency .....            | 46.0%                        | N/A                           |                              |
| Government Mortgage-Backed ..... | 20.3%                        |                               |                              |
| Industrial .....                 | 15.7%                        | <b>Total net assets</b> ..... | \$98,946 Million             |
| Finance .....                    | 9.0%                         | <b>Expense Ratio</b> .....    | 0.05%                        |
| Foreign .....                    | 3.5%                         | <b>Fund composition</b>       |                              |
| Utilities .....                  | 2.3%                         | U.S. Government .....         | 66.8%                        |
| Commercial Mortgage-Backed ..... | 1.9%                         | Aaa .....                     | 3.7%                         |
| Other .....                      | 0.8%                         | Aa .....                      | 3.2%                         |
| Asset-Backed .....               | 0.5%                         | A .....                       | 12.7%                        |
|                                  |                              | Baa .....                     | 13.6%                        |

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