

# Fidelity Life Assurance Limited

Registered office: 8 Surrey Street, Norwich, Norfolk, NR1 3NG

**Annual FSA Insurance Returns for the year ended  
31st December 2002**



Accounts and statements pursuant to the  
Financial Services and Markets Act 2000

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Global Business

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Name of insurer **Fidelity Life Assurance Limited**

Global business

Financial year ended **31st December 2002**

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**G N WITHERS**  
Chief Executive

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**J A NEWMAN**  
Director

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**M N URMSTON**  
Director

26<sup>th</sup> March 2003

**Statement of solvency**Name of insurer **Fidelity Life Assurance Limited**

Global business

Financial year ended **31st December 2002**

R9	Company registration number 869405	GL/UK/CM GL	Period ended			Units £000
			day	month	year	
			31	12	2002	
		As at the end of this financial year	As at the end of the previous year		Source	
		1	2		Form	Line Column

**GENERAL INSURANCE BUSINESS****Available assets**

Other than long term insurance business assets allocated towards general insurance business required minimum margin	11			See instructions 1 and 2
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**Required minimum margin**

Required minimum margin for general insurance business	12			12 . 49
Excess (deficiency) of available assets over the required minimum margin (11-12)	13			

**LONG TERM INSURANCE BUSINESS****Available assets**

Long term insurance business admissible assets	21	3526	4117	10 . 11
Other than long term insurance business assets allocated towards long term insurance business required minimum margin	22	795	972	See instructions 1 and 3
Total mathematical reserves (after distribution of surplus)	23	2795	3378	See instruction 4
Other insurance and non-insurance liabilities	24	569	482	See instruction 5
Available assets for long term insurance business required minimum margin (21+22-23-24)	25	957	1229	

**Implicit Items admitted under Rule 2.10(5) as modified**

Future profits	31			
Zillmerising	32			
Hidden reserves	33			

Total of available assets and implicit items (25+31+32+33)	34	957	1229	
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**Required minimum margin**

Required minimum margin for long term insurance business	41	100	100	60 . 69
Explicit required minimum margin (1/6 x 41, or minimum guarantee fund if greater)	42	100	100	
Excess (deficiency) of available assets over explicit required minimum margin (25-42)	43	857	1129	
Excess (deficiency) of available assets and implicit items over the required minimum margin (34-41)	44	857	1129	

**CONTINGENT LIABILITIES**

Quantifiable contingent liabilities in respect of other than long term insurance business as shown in a supplementary note to Form 15	51			See instruction 6
Quantifiable contingent liabilities in respect of long term insurance business as shown in a supplementary note to Form 14	52			See instruction 6



**Statement of net assets**Name of insurer **Fidelity Life Assurance Limited**

Global business

Financial year ended **31st December 2002**

	R10	Company registration number <b>869405</b>	GL/UK/CM <b>GL</b>	Period ended			Units
				day	month	year	
				<b>31</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>2002</b>	<b>£000</b>
		As at the end of this financial year <b>1</b>	As at the end of the previous year <b>2</b>	Source			
				Form	Line	Column	
Long term insurance business - admissible assets	<b>11</b>	3526	4117	13	89	1	
Long term insurance business - liabilities and margins	<b>12</b>	3526	4117	14	59	1	

Other than Long term insurance business - admissible assets	<b>21</b>	1749	2129	13	89	1	
Other than Long term insurance business - liabilities	<b>22</b>	954	1157	15	69	1	
Net admissible assets (21-22)	<b>23</b>	795	972				
Other assets allowed to be taken into account in covering the required minimum margin	Unpaid amounts (including share premium) on partly paid shares	<b>24</b>					
	Supplementary contributions for a mutual carrying on general insurance business	<b>25</b>					
Liabilities allowed to be left out of account in covering the required minimum margin	Subordinated loan capital	<b>26</b>					
	Cumulative preference share capital	<b>27</b>					
Available assets (23 to 27)	<b>29</b>	795	972				

**Represented by:**

Paid up share capital (other than cumulative preference share capital)	<b>51</b>	1250	1250				
Amounts included in lines 24 to 27 above	<b>52</b>						
Amounts representing the balance of net assets	<b>56</b>	(455)	(278)				
Total (51 to 56) and equal to line 29 above	<b>59</b>	795	972				

**Movement of balance of net assets for solvency  
purposes - as per line 56**

Balance brought forward at the beginning of the financial year	<b>61</b>	(278)	(120)	10	56	2	
Retained profit/(loss) for the financial year	<b>62</b>	(105)	(169)	16	59	1	
Movement in asset valuation differences	<b>63</b>		11	See instruction 2			
Decrease/(increase) in the provision for adverse changes	<b>64</b>			See instruction 3			
Other movements (particulars to be specified by way of supplementary note)	<b>65</b>	(72)					
Balance carried forward at the end of the financial year (61 to 65)	<b>69</b>	(455)	(278)				

**Analysis of admissible assets**Name of insurer **Fidelity Life Assurance Limited**

Global business

Financial year ended **31st December 2002**Category of assets **Total other than long term insurance business assets**

			Company registration number	GL/UK/CM	Period ended			Units	Category of assets	
			R13	869405	GL	31	12	2002	£000	1
Investments							As at the end of this financial year 1	As at the end of the previous year 2		
Land and buildings						11				
Investments in group undertakings and participating interests	UK insurance business dependants	Shares	21							
		Debt securities issued by, and loans to, dependants	22							
	Other insurance dependants	Shares	23							
		Debt securities issued by, and loans to, dependants	24							
	Non-insurance dependants	Shares	25							
		Debt securities issued by, and loans to, dependants	26							
	Other group undertakings and participating interests	Shares	27							
		Debt securities issued by, and loans to, group undertakings	28							
		Participating interests	29							
		Debt securities issued by, and loans to, undertakings in which the insurer has a participating interest	30							
Total sheet 1 (11 to 30)						39				

**Analysis of admissible assets**Name of insurer **Fidelity Life Assurance Limited**

Global business

Financial year ended **31st December 2002**Category of assets **Total other than long term insurance business assets**

		Company registration number	GL/UK/CM	Period ended			Units	Category of assets	
		R13	869405	GL	31	12	2002	£000	1
Investments (continued) Deposits with ceding undertakings Assets held to cover linked liabilities					As at the end of this financial year 1		As at the end of the previous year 2		
Other financial investments	Equity shares			41					
	Other shares and other variable yield securities			42					
	Holdings in collective investment schemes			43	671		850		
	Rights under derivative contracts			44					
	Debt securities and other fixed income securities	Fixed interest	Approved securities	45			249		
			Other	46					
		Variable interest	Approved securities	47					
			Other	48					
	Participation in investment pools			49					
	Loans secured by mortgages			50					
	Other loans	Loans to public or local authorities and nationalised industries or undertakings		51					
		Loans secured by policies of insurance issued by the company		52					
		Other		53					
	Deposits with approved credit institutions and approved financial institutions	Withdrawal subject to a time restriction of one month or less		54	207		950		
		Withdrawal subject to a time restriction of more than one month		55					
	Other			56					
Deposits with ceding undertakings			57						
Assets held to match linked liabilities	Index linked			58					
	Property linked			59					
Reinsurers' share of technical provisions	Provision for unearned premiums			60					
	Claims outstanding			61					
	Provision for unexpired risks			62					
	Other			63					
Total sheet 2 (41 to 63)				69	878		2049		



**Analysis of admissible assets**Name of insurer **Fidelity Life Assurance Limited**

Global business

Financial year ended **31st December 2002**Category of assets **Total other than long term insurance business assets**

Category of assets		Total other than long term insurance business assets		Company registration number	GL/UK/CM	Period ended			Units	Category of assets
		day	month			year				
		R13	869405	GL	31	12	2002	£000	1	
Debtors						As at the end of this financial year 1		As at the end of the previous year 2		
Other assets										
Debtors arising out of direct insurance operations	Policyholders				71					
	Intermediaries				72					
Salvage and subrogation recoveries					73					
Debtors arising out of reinsurance operations	Due from ceding insurers and intermediaries under reinsurance business accepted				74					
	Due from reinsurers and intermediaries under reinsurance contracts ceded				75					
Other debtors	Due from dependants	Due in 12 months or less after the end of the financial year			76					
		Due more than 12 months after the end of the financial year			77					
	Other	Due in 12 months or less after the end of the financial year			78	5		29		
		Due more than 12 months after the end of the financial year			79					
Tangible assets					80					
Cash at bank and in hand	Deposits not subject to time restriction on withdrawal, with approved credit institutions and approved financial institutions and local authorities				81	866		43		
	Cash in hand				82					
Other assets (particulars to be specified by way of supplementary note)					83					
Prepayments and accrued income	Accrued interest and rent				84			8		
	Deferred acquisition costs				85					
	Other prepayments and accrued income				86					
Deductions (under rules 4.14(2)(b) and 4.14(3)) from the aggregate value of assets					87					
Total sheet 3 (71 to 86 less 87)					88	871		80		
Grand total of admissible assets (39+69+88)					89	1749		2129		
Reconciliation to asset values determined in accordance with the insurance accounts rules										
Total admissible assets (as per line 89 above)					91	1749		2129		
Total assets in excess of the admissibility limits of Appendix 4.2 (as valued in accordance with those Rules before applying admissibility limits)					92					
Solvency margin deduction for subsidiary undertakings which are insurance undertakings					93					
Other differences in the valuation of assets (other than for assets not valued above)					94					
Assets of a type not valued above, (as valued in accordance with the insurance accounts rules)					95					
Total assets determined in accordance with the insurance accounts rules (91 to 95)					99	1749		2129		
Amounts included in line 89 attributable to debts due from related insurers, other than those under contracts of insurance or reinsurance					100					

**Analysis of admissible assets**Name of insurer **Fidelity Life Assurance Limited**

Global business

Financial year ended **31st December 2002**Category of assets **Total long term insurance business assets**

			Company registration number	GL/UK/CM	Period ended			Units	Category of assets	
			R13	869405	GL	31	12	2002	£000	10
Investments						As at the end of this financial year 1			As at the end of the previous year 2	
Land and buildings						11				
Investments in group undertakings and participating interests	UK insurance business dependants	Shares	21							
		Debt securities issued by, and loans to, dependants	22							
	Other insurance dependants	Shares	23							
		Debt securities issued by, and loans to, dependants	24							
	Non-insurance dependants	Shares	25							
		Debt securities issued by, and loans to, dependants	26							
	Other group undertakings and participating interests	Shares	27							
		Debt securities issued by, and loans to, group undertakings	28							
		Participating interests	29							
Debt securities issued by, and loans to, undertakings in which the insurer has a participating interest		30								
Total sheet 1 (11 to 30)						39				

**Analysis of admissible assets**Name of insurer **Fidelity Life Assurance Limited**

Global business

Financial year ended **31st December 2002**Category of assets **Total long term insurance business assets**

		Company registration number	GL/UK/CM	Period ended			Units	Category of assets	
		R13	869405	GL	31	12	2002	£000	10
Investments (continued) Deposits with ceding undertakings Assets held to cover linked liabilities					As at the end of this financial year 1			As at the end of the previous year 2	
Other financial investments	Equity shares			41					
	Other shares and other variable yield securities			42					
	Holdings in collective investment schemes			43	99			97	
	Rights under derivative contracts			44					
	Debt securities and other fixed income securities	Fixed interest	Approved securities	45				446	
			Other	46					
		Variable interest	Approved securities	47					
			Other	48					
	Participation in investment pools			49					
	Loans secured by mortgages			50					
	Other loans	Loans to public or local authorities and nationalised industries or undertakings		51					
		Loans secured by policies of insurance issued by the company		52					
		Other		53					
	Deposits with approved credit institutions and approved financial institutions	Withdrawal subject to a time restriction of one month or less		54	893			251	
		Withdrawal subject to a time restriction of more than one month		55					
	Other			56					
Deposits with ceding undertakings			57						
Assets held to match linked liabilities	Index linked		58						
	Property linked		59	2485			3028		
Reinsurers' share of technical provisions	Provision for unearned premiums		60						
	Claims outstanding		61						
	Provision for unexpired risks		62						
	Other		63						
Total sheet 2 (41 to 63)			69	3477			3822		

**Analysis of admissible assets**Name of insurer **Fidelity Life Assurance Limited**

Global business

Financial year ended **31st December 2002**Category of assets **Total long term insurance business assets**

Category of assets		Total long term insurance business assets		Company registration number	GL/UK/CM	Period ended			Units	Category of assets
		day	month			year				
		R13	869405	GL	31	12	2002	£000	10	
Debtors						As at the end of this financial year 1		As at the end of the previous year 2		
Other assets										
Debtors arising out of direct insurance operations	Policyholders				71					
	Intermediaries				72					
Salvage and subrogation recoveries					73					
Debtors arising out of reinsurance operations	Due from ceding insurers and intermediaries under reinsurance business accepted				74					
	Due from reinsurers and intermediaries under reinsurance contracts ceded				75					
Other debtors	Due from dependants	Due in 12 months or less after the end of the financial year			76					
		Due more than 12 months after the end of the financial year			77					
	Other	Due in 12 months or less after the end of the financial year			78	21		46		
		Due more than 12 months after the end of the financial year			79					
Tangible assets					80					
Cash at bank and in hand	Deposits not subject to time restriction on withdrawal, with approved credit institutions and approved financial institutions and local authorities				81					
	Cash in hand				82					
Other assets (particulars to be specified by way of supplementary note)					83	26		235		
Prepayments and accrued income	Accrued interest and rent				84	2		14		
	Deferred acquisition costs				85					
	Other prepayments and accrued income				86					
Deductions (under rules 4.14(2)(b) and 4.14(3)) from the aggregate value of assets					87					
Total sheet 3 (71 to 86 less 87)					88	49		295		
Grand total of admissible assets (39+69+88)					89	3526		4117		
Reconciliation to asset values determined in accordance with the insurance accounts rules										
Total admissible assets (as per line 89 above)					91	3526		4117		
Total assets in excess of the admissibility limits of Appendix 4.2 (as valued in accordance with those Rules before applying admissibility limits)					92					
Solvency margin deduction for subsidiary undertakings which are insurance undertakings					93					
Other differences in the valuation of assets (other than for assets not valued above)					94					
Assets of a type not valued above, (as valued in accordance with the insurance accounts rules)					95					
Total assets determined in accordance with the insurance accounts rules (91 to 95)					99	3526		4117		
Amounts included in line 89 attributable to debts due from related insurers, other than those under contracts of insurance or reinsurance					100					

**Long term insurance business liabilities and margins**Name of insurer **Fidelity Life Assurance Limited**

Global business

Financial year ended **31st December 2002**Category of assets **Total long term insurance business assets**

		Company registration number	GL/UK/CM	Period ended			Units	Category of assets	
		R14	869405	GL	31	12	2002	£000	10
				As at the end of this financial year 1	As at the end of the previous year 2		Source		
Mathematical reserves, after distribution of surplus		11	2795		3378		See Instruction 2		
Cash bonuses which had not been paid to policyholders prior to end of the financial year		12					See Instruction 3		
Balance of surplus/(valuation deficit)		13					See Instruction 4		
Long term insurance business fund carried forward (11 to 13)		14	2795		3378		See Instruction 5		
Claims outstanding which had fallen due for payment before the end of the financial year	Gross amount		15						
	Reinsurers' share		16						
	Net (15-16)		17						
Provisions for other risks and charges	Taxation		21			58			
	Other		22						
Deposits received from reinsurers		23							
Creditors and other liabilities	Arising out of insurance operations	Direct insurance business	31	30		54			
		Reinsurance accepted	32						
		Reinsurance ceded	33						
	Debenture loans	Secured	34						
		Unsecured	35						
	Amounts owed to credit institutions		36						
	Other creditors	Taxation	37	371		246			
		Other	38	168		124			
Accruals and deferred income		39							
Provision for adverse changes (calculated in accordance with rule 5.3)		41							
Total other insurance and non-insurance liabilities (17 to 41)		49	569		482				
Excess of the value of net admissible assets		51	162		257		See Instruction 6		
Total liabilities and margins		59	3526		4117				
Amounts included in line 59 attributable to liabilities to related companies, other than those under contracts of insurance or reinsurance		61	96						
Amounts included in line 59 attributable to liabilities in respect of property linked benefits		62	2411		2993				
Amount of any additional mathematical reserves included in line 51 which have been taken into account in the appointed actuary's certificate		63					See Instruction 7		

**Liabilities (other than long term insurance business)**Name of insurer **Fidelity Life Assurance Limited**

Global business

Financial year ended **31st December 2002**

				Company registration number	GL/UK/CM	Period ended			Units	
				R15	869405	GL	31	12	2002	£000
						As at the end of this financial year 1			As at the end of the previous year 2	
Technical provisions (gross amount)	Provision for unearned premiums				11					
	Claims outstanding				12					
	Provision for unexpired risks				13					
	Equalisation provisions		Credit business		14					
			Other than credit business		15					
	Other				16					
	Total (11 to 16)				19					
Provisions for other risks and charges	Taxation				21					
	Other				22					
Deposits received from reinsurers					31					
Creditors	Arising out of insurance operations		Direct insurance business		41					
			Reinsurance accepted		42					
			Reinsurance ceded		43					
	Debenture loans		Secured		44					
			Unsecured		45					
	Amounts owed to credit institutions				46					
	Other creditors		Taxation		47	10			10	
			Recommended dividend		48					
			Other		49	944			1147	
Accruals and deferred income					51					
Total (19 to 51)					59	954			1157	
Provision for adverse changes (calculated in accordance with rule 5.3) [Regulation 61 of the Insurance Companies Regulations 1994]					61					
Cumulative preference share capital					62					
Subordinated loan capital					63					
Total (59 to 63)					69	954			1157	
Amounts included in line 69 attributable to liabilities to related insurers, other than those under contracts of insurance or reinsurance					71	935			1157	

**Profit and loss account (non-technical account)**Name of insurer **Fidelity Life Assurance Limited**

Global business

Financial year ended **31st December 2002**

			Company registration number	GL/UK/CM	Period ended			Units	
			R16	869405	GL	31	12	2002	£000
			This financial year		Previous year		Source		
			1		2		Form	Line	Column
Transfer (to)/from the general insurance business technical account		From Form 20	11				20 . 59		
		Equalisation provisions	12						
Transfer from the long term insurance business revenue account			13				40 . 26		
Investment income	Income		14	37		34			
	Value re-adjustments on investments		15						
	Gains on the realisation of investments		16						
Investment charges	Investment management charges, including interest		17	15		18			
	Value re-adjustments on investments		18	199		175			
	Loss on the realisation of investments		19						
Allocated investment return transferred to the general insurance business technical account			20				20 . 51		
Other income and charges (particulars to be specified by way of supplementary note)			21						
Profit or loss on ordinary activities before tax (11+12+13+14+15+16-17-18-19-20+21)			29	(177)		(159)			
Tax on profit or loss on ordinary activities			31	(72)		10			
Profit or loss on ordinary activities after tax (29-31)			39	(105)		(169)			
Extraordinary profit or loss (particulars to be specified by way of supplementary note)			41						
Tax on extraordinary profit or loss			42						
Other taxes not shown under the preceding items			43						
Profit or loss for the financial year (39+41-(42+43))			49	(105)		(169)			
Dividends (paid and proposed)			51						
Profit or loss retained for the financial year (49-51)			59	(105)		(169)			

**Long term insurance business : Revenue account**Name of insurer **Fidelity Life Assurance Limited**

Global business

Ordinary insurance business

Financial year ended **31st December 2002**Name and number of fund/Summary **Ordinary Long Term 1**

	Company registration number	GL/UK/CM	Period ended			Units	OB/IB	No of fund/ Summary	No of part of Fund
			day	month	year				
<b>R40</b>	<b>869405</b>	<b>GL</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>2002</b>	<b>£000</b>	<b>OB</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Items to be shown net of reinsurance ceded</b>						The financial year		Previous year	
						<b>1</b>		<b>2</b>	
Earned premiums						<b>11</b>	9	10	
Investment income receivable before deduction of tax						<b>12</b>	188	190	
Increase (decrease) in the value of non-linked assets brought into account						<b>13</b>	(138)	(34)	
Increase (decrease) in the value of linked assets						<b>14</b>	(565)	(491)	
Other income						<b>15</b>	20		
Total income (11 to 15)						<b>19</b>	(486)	(325)	
Claims incurred						<b>21</b>	104	255	
Expenses payable						<b>22</b>	24	43	
Interest payable before deduction of tax						<b>23</b>	1	13	
Taxation						<b>24</b>	(32)	(97)	
Other expenditure						<b>25</b>			
Transfer to (from) non technical account						<b>26</b>			
Total expenditure (21 to 26)						<b>29</b>	97	214	
Increase (decrease) in fund in financial year (19-29)						<b>39</b>	(583)	(539)	
Fund brought forward						<b>49</b>	3378	3917	
Fund carried forward (39+49)						<b>59</b>	2795	3378	



**Long term insurance business : Analysis of premiums and expenses**Name of insurer **Fidelity Life Assurance Limited**

Global business

Ordinary insurance business

Financial year ended **31st December 2002**Name and number of fund/Summary **Ordinary Long Term 1**

		Company registration number	GL/UK/CM	Period ended			Units	OB/IB	No of fund/ Summary	No of part of Fund	
		R41	869405	GL	31	12	2002	£000	OB	1	0
					Gross		Payable to or recoverable from reinsurers		Net of reinsurance (1-2)		
					1		2		3		
Earned premiums in the financial year	Life assurance and general annuity contracts	Single premium	11								
		Regular premium	12	9				9			
	Pension business contracts	Single premium	13								
		Regular premium	14								
	Permanent health contracts	Single premium	15								
		Regular premium	16								
	Other contracts	Single premium	17								
		Regular premium	18								
	Total premiums	Single premium	19								
		Regular premium	29	9				9			
Total premiums at lines 19 and 29 attributable to	UK contracts	31	9				9				
	Overseas contracts	32									
Expenses payable in the financial year	Commission payable in connection with acquisition of business		41								
	Other commission payable		42								
	Management expenses in connection with acquisition of business		43								
	Management expenses in connection with maintenance of business		44	24				24			
	Other management expenses		45								
	Total expenses (41 to 45)		49	24				24			
	Total expenses at line 49 attributable to	UK contracts	51	24				24			
		Overseas contracts	52								

**Long term insurance business : Analysis of claims**Name of insurer **Fidelity Life Assurance Limited**

Global business

Ordinary insurance business

Financial year ended **31st December 2002**Name and number of fund/Summary **Ordinary Long Term 1**

		Company registration number	GL/UK/CM	Period ended			Units	OB/IB	No of fund/ Summary	No of part of Fund	
		R42	869405	GL	31	12	2002	£000	OB	1	0
Claims incurred in the financial year					Gross		Recoverable from reinsurers		Net of reinsurance (1-2)		
					1		2		3		
Life assurance and annuity contracts	On death			11	37				37		
	By way of lump sums on maturity			12	1				1		
	By way of annuity payments			13							
	By way of payments arising from other insured events			14							
	On surrender or partial surrender			15	66				66		
	Total life assurance and annuity claims (11 to 15)			19	104				104		
Pension business contracts	On death			21							
	By way of lump sums on vesting			22							
	By way of vested annuity payments			23							
	On surrender or partial surrender			24							
	Total pension business claims (21 to 24)			29							
Permanent health contracts	By way of lump sums			31							
	By way of periodical payments			32							
	Total permanent health claims (31+32)			39							
Other contracts	By way of lump sums			41							
	By way of periodical payments			42							
	Total claims (41+42)			49							
Total claims (19+29+39+49)				59	104				104		
Total claims at line 59 attributable to		UK contracts		61	104				104		
		Overseas contracts		62							

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Financial year ended		31st December 2002																							
Name and number of fund/Summary				Ordinary Long Term 1		Company registration number		GL/UK/CM		Period ended			Units		OB/IB		No of fund/ Summary		No of part of Fund						
										day month year															
						R43		869405		GL		31		12		2002		£000		OB		1		0	
Name of fund				Directly held assets		Investment in other internal linked funds of the insurer		Total assets (2+3)		Provision for tax on unrealised capital gains		Secured and unsecured loans		Other liabilities		Net asset value (4-5-6-7)									
1				2		3		4		5		6		7		8									
Flexible Investment - Asset fund				1308				1308		(156)				27		1437									
American Growth - Asset fund				100				100		(14)						114									
Trust of Trusts - Asset fund				833				833		(100)				47		886									
Flexible Investment - Policyholders fund						1428		1428								1428									
American Growth - Policyholders fund						106		106								106									
Trust of Trusts Policyholders fund						877		877								877									
Total				2241		2411		4652		(270)				74		4848									

**Long term insurance business : Aggregate revenue account for internal linked funds**Name of insurer **Fidelity Life Assurance Limited**

Global business

Ordinary insurance business

Financial year ended **31st December 2002**Name and number of fund/Summary **Ordinary Long Term 1**

	Company registration number	GL/UK/CM	Period ended			Units	OB/IB	No of fund/ Summary	No of part of Fund
			day	month	year				
<b>R44</b>	<b>869405</b>	<b>GL</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>2002</b>	<b>£000</b>	<b>OB</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>
Value of total creation of units						11			9
Investment income attributable to the funds before deduction of tax						12			69
Increase (decrease) in the value of investments in the financial year						13			(762)
Other income						14			
Total income (11 to 14)						19			(684)
Value of total cancellation of units						21			235
Charges for management						22			(4)
Charges in respect of tax on investment income						23			
Taxation on realised capital gains						24			
Increase (decrease) in amount set aside for tax on capital gains not yet realised						25			(137)
Other expenditure						26			1
Total expenditure (21 to 26)						29			95
Increase (decrease) in funds in financial year (19-29)						39			(779)
Internal linked funds brought forward						49			3216
Internal linked funds carried forward (39+49)						59			2437

**Long term insurance business : Supplementary information for internal linked funds**Name of insurer **Fidelity Life Assurance Limited**

Global business

Ordinary insurance business

Financial year ended **31st December 2002**Name and number of fund **Ordinary Long Term 1**

	Company registration number	GL/UK/CM	Period ended			Units	OB/IB	No of fund	No of part of Fund	
			day	month	year					
	R45	869405	GL	31	12	2002	£000	OB	1	0
Name of fund		Amount of taxable unrealised capital gain or loss	Percentage provision for tax on unrealised capital gains		Percentage provision for tax on realised capital gains		Liquidity percentage	Valuation price per unit		
1		2	3		4		5	6		
Flexible Investment - Asset fund		(780)	20.00		22.00		(35.65)	5.950000		
American Growth - Asset fund		(70)	20.00		22.00		7.14	5.740000		
Trust of Trusts - Asset fund		(500)	20.00		22.00		(4.73)	7.640000		
Flexible Investment - Policyholders fund								6.030000		
American Growth - Policyholders fund								5.730000		
Trust of Trusts Policyholders fund								7.730000		

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Name of insurer **Fidelity Life Assurance Limited**

Global business

Financial year ended **31st December 2002**

- 1 The investigation relates to 31 December 2002.
- 2 The last investigation related to 31 December 2001.
- 3 The valuation has been made in conformity with rule 5.6 of the Interim Prudential Sourcebook (Insurers).
- 4 (1) There are no remaining non-linked contracts.
- 5 (1)
  - (a) **Flexible Investment Bond, American Growth Bond, Trust of Trusts Bond**
  - (b) These are similar without profits whole life insurance contracts.
  - (c) The contracts were purchased by single premium.
  - (d) The benefit on death is the bid value of units multiplied by a factor depending upon age at the date of death. The factors are:

Age at Death	Factor
40 and under	1.6
41 - 50	1.3
51 - 60	1.1
61 - 65	1.05
66 - 70	1.03
71 and above	1.01

- (e) There are no guaranteed investment returns.
- (f) The margins available for expenses and policy benefits are:
  - (i) A bid/offer spread of 5% plus rounding, modified by the investment allocation proportion.
  - (ii) An annual management charge of 0.5% of the value of the fund.
- (g) The charges are fixed.
- (h) The bonds may be surrendered for the bid value of units.
  - (i) Benefits are wholly determined by investment in one of the Company's internal linked funds.
- (j) None.
- (k) These contracts are closed to new business.
- (l) Not applicable.

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Global business

Financial year ended **31st December 2002**

- (a) Flexible Investment Plan, Secured Investment Plan, Top Ten Plan, Trust Managers Plan, Trust of Trusts Plan**
- (b)** These are similar without profits whole life insurance contracts.
- (c)** Premiums are payable monthly or yearly; several contracts have been made paid up.
- (d)** The benefit on death is the greater of a guaranteed sum assured or the bid value of units.
- (e)** There are no guaranteed investment returns.
- (f)** The margins available for expenses and policy benefits are:
  - (i) A low investment allocation for a designated period.
  - (ii) A bid/offer spread of 5% plus rounding.
  - (iii) An annual management charge of 0.5% of the value of the fund.
  - (iv) A service charge of £3 pa if premiums are payable monthly.
- (g)** The charges are fixed.
- (h)** The plans may be surrendered for the bid value of units.
- (i)** Benefits are wholly determined by investment in one of the Company's internal linked funds.
- (j)** Certain policies have continuing guarantees. Those identified with suffix (a) in Form 53 guarantee a return of premiums on surrender. The value shown in column 7 is the guaranteed amount on the 2002 policy anniversary. Those identified with suffix (b) in Form 53 guarantee a return of premiums for the month following each quinquennial policy anniversary. The value of column 7 is the equivalent guarantee applying at the 2002 policy anniversary.
- (k)** These contracts are closed to new business.
- (l)** Not applicable.

**5 (4) Unit Valuation**

The Flexible Investment Fund holds shares in UK Index Tracking OEIC and a single gilt. The value is adjusted by the fund management charge and provisions for tax to produce a net fund value. The net fund value is divided by the number of units to give a bare unit price. This is the price at which units are created or cancelled. Units are allocated at the offer price which is calculated by dividing the basic price by 0.95 and rounding to the nearest 0.1%. Units are deallocated at 95% of the offer price.

The American Growth Fund is invested in shares in the International Index Tracking OEIC. The Trust of Trusts Fund invests directly in external unit trusts. For these funds the bid value of units is taken and adjusted for the annual management charge, and for capital gains tax for the investments in the unit trusts. The calculation of the unit price is then as for the Flexible Investment Fund.

- (5)** The provision for tax is calculated on a daily basis from the movements in realised and unrealised gains or losses, using tax rates reflecting the expected tax payable or recoverable by the Company as these gains or losses are realised. The tax rate used will be the current standard rate of income tax (except if the fund is in a loss position when credit will be given, but at a lower rate). For unrealised gains on some funds this rate is discounted to allow for the anticipated turnover. Taxes on deemed disposals of unit trusts and collective investments are dealt with in the same way and no separate or different calculations are made.

The provision is reviewed from time to time as more accurate information on the actual realised and unrealised gains or losses of the funds become available. The Capital Gains Tax provision is held within the internal linked funds until the actual tax charge is known.

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Global business

Financial year ended **31st December 2002**

The following percentages were deducted or provided for during the year :-

	<b>Overall Gains</b>	<b>Overall Losses</b>
<b>Realised:</b>		
Loan Relationships	22%	22%
Other	22%	22%
<b>Unrealised:</b>		
UK Equities	20%	20%
Loan Relationships	20%	20%

- (6) For units invested externally, the Company will receive sale proceeds at the publicly available price. It does not expect to purchase any further external units.
- 6 (1) The unit liability has been taken as the bid value of units, together with non-unit reserves for mortality and future expenses, not supported by margins within the business.
- (a) The Company holds no derivatives.
- (f) Provision has been made for the prospective liability to taxation on unrealised capital gains as part of the deferred tax provision in line 21 of Form 14. This provision has been established on the basis of accounting standard FRS19.
- (g) Although the guaranteed surrender values are well covered, a specific reserve of 10% of the current guarantees is held.
- 7 (1) The mortality table used is A67/70 ultimate.
- (5) The mortality basis is prudent and more than adequate to cover the AIDS mortality risks.
- 8 Not applicable.
- 9 (a) All units are accumulating, and hence none has been discounted.
- The mortality risk on Flexible Investment Bond, American Growth Bond and Trust of Trusts Bond has been valued by discounting the excess of death benefit above bid value of units (based on fund values at 31 December 2002) for each future year, using a discount rate of 3.50%.
- The mortality risk on Flexible Investment Plan, Secured Investment Plan, Top Ten Plan, Trust Managers Plan and Trust of Trusts Plan has been valued as the cost of providing one year's life cover.
- (b) Future overhead expenses of £43,000 pa (gross) have been valued over the next 10 years and an expense reserve set up.
- 10 (1) Future inflation of 4% pa has been assumed.
- (2) The amounts available for expenses during 2003, based on the fund values at 31 December 2002, are:
- |  |                |
|--|----------------|
|  | <b>£'000's</b> |
| Annual management charge                         | 12             |
| Release of expense reserves (grossed up for tax) | 43             |
|  | <u>55</u>      |
- (3) The Company is not authorised to write new business.
- 11 Not applicable.
- 12 The Company has no reinsurance arrangements in force.



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Global business

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**13,14** The Company has no with profits business.

**15,16** The Company has no with profits business.

**17** Form 46 follows.

**18** Form 47 is not relevant.

**19** Forms 48 and 49 follow.

**20** Forms 53 and 55 follow.

**21** Form 57 is not relevant.

**22** Form 58 follows.

**23** Form 60 is not required.

**John Lister**  
**Appointed Actuary**

Financial year ended **31st December 2002**

		Company registration number		GL/UK/CM		Period ended			Units	UK/OS	NL/LN
						day	month	year			
						R46	869405	GL			
		Life assurance and general annuity		Pensions business		Permanent health		Other business			
		No of contracts	Annual premiums	No of contracts	Annual premiums	No of contracts	Annual premiums	No of contracts	Annual premiums		
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8		
In force at beginning of year	11	184	9								
New business and increases	12										
Net transfers and other alterations 'on'	13										
Total 'on' (12+13)	19										
Deaths	21	2									
Other insured events	22										
Maturities	23										
Surrenders	24	6	1								
Forfeitures	25										
Conversions to paid-up policies for reduced benefits	26										
Net transfers, expiries and other alterations 'off'	27										
Total 'off' (21 to 27)	29	8	1								
In force at end of year (11+19-29)	39	176	8								

**Long term insurance business : Expected income from admissible assets not held to match liabilities in respect of linked benefits**Name of insurer **Fidelity Life Assurance Limited**

Global business

Financial year ended **31st December 2002**Category of assets **Total long term insurance business assets**

		Company registration number	GL/UK/CM	Period ended			Units	Category of assets	
		R48	869405	GL	31	12	2002	£000	10
Type of asset			Value of admissible assets as shown on Form 13 1		Expected income from admissible assets 2		Yield %  3		
Land and buildings			11						
Fixed interest securities	Approved securities		12						
	Other		13						
Variable interest and variable yield securities (excluding items shown at line 16)	Approved securities		14						
	Other		15						
Equity shares and holdings in collective investment schemes			16	99		2		1.90	
Loans secured by mortgages			17						
All other assets	Producing income		18	903		35		3.88	
	Not producing income		19	39					
Total (11 to 19)			29	1041		37		3.55	

**Long term insurance business : Valuation summary of property linked contracts**Name of insurer **Fidelity Life Assurance Limited**

Global business

United Kingdom business

Financial year ended **31st December 2002**Type of business **Life Assurance & General Annuity Insurance Business**Category of surplus **11: Ordinary Long Term**Company  
registration  
number

GL/UK/CM

Period ended  
day month year

Units

UK/OS

Type of  
businessCategory  
of surplus

Business Category of surplus 11: Ordinary Long Term							R53	869405	GL	31	12	2002	£000	UK	L&GA	11
Name of contract	Valuation basis		No of contracts	Amount of sums assured or annuities per annum, including vested reversionary bonuses			Amount of annual premiums		Category of unit link	Unit liability		Other liabilities		Amount of mathematical reserves		
	Rate of interest	Mortality or morbidity table		Guaranteed on death	Current on death/current payable per annum	Guaranteed on maturity	Office premiums	Net premiums		Current benefit value	Discounted value	Mortality and expenses	Options and guarantees other than investment performance guarantees			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15		
DIRECT WRITTEN INSURANCE BUSINESS Non-Profit Policies																
Whole life assurance - without guarantees :																
Flexible Investment Bond			32		549				FI	539	539	4		543		
American Growth Bond			16		108				AG	106	106	1		107		
Trust of Trusts Bond			2		47				T of T	46	46			46		
Flexible Investment Plan			34		139				FI	139	139			139		
Secured Investment Plan			8		44				FI	44	44			44		
Top Ten Plan			1	5	83				FI	83	83			83		
Trust Managers Plan			3		19				T of T	19	19			19		
Trust of Trusts Plan			6	18	70				T of T	70	70			70		
Whole life assurance - with guarantees :																
Flexible Investment Plan (a)			27	90	545	71	2		FI	545	545			545		
Secured Investment Plan (a)			3	5	78	9			FI	78	78			78		

**Long term insurance business : Valuation summary of property linked contracts**Name of insurer **Fidelity Life Assurance Limited**

Global business

United Kingdom business

Financial year ended **31st December 2002**Type of business **Life Assurance & General Annuity Insurance Business**Category of surplus **11: Ordinary Long Term**Company  
registration  
number

GL/UK/CM

Period ended  
day month year

Units

UK/OS

Type of  
businessCategory  
of surplus

Business Category of surplus 11: Ordinary Long Term						R53	869405	GL	31	12	2002	£000	UK	L&GA	11
Name of contract	Valuation basis		No of contracts	Amount of sums assured or annuities per annum, including vested reversionary bonuses			Amount of annual premiums		Category of unit link	Unit liability		Other liabilities		Amount of mathematical reserves	
	Rate of interest	Mortality or morbidity table		Guaranteed on death	Current on death/current payable per annum	Guaranteed on maturity	Office premiums	Net premiums		Current benefit value	Discounted value	Mortality and expenses	Options and guarantees other than investment performance guarantees		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	
Trust Managers Plan (b)	3.50		44	202	742	161	6		T of T	742	742			742	
Additional reserves :															
Reserve for future overhead expenses not otherwise provided													350		350
Maturity and surrender value guarantees														24	24
Mortality reserve													5		5
Sub total: Non-Profit Policies			176	320	2424	241	8			2411	2411	360	24	2795	
Sub total: Direct Written Insurance Business			176	320	2424	241	8			2411	2411	360	24	2795	
Net total: Life Assurance & General Annuity Insurance Business			176	320	2424	241	8			2411	2411	360	24	2795	
Net total: United Kingdom Insurance Business			176	320	2424	241	8			2411	2411	360	24	2795	

**Long term insurance business : Analysis of units in internal linked funds and direct holdings of assets matching liabilities in respect of property linked benefits**Name of insurer **Fidelity Life Assurance Limited****(Sheet 1)**

Global business

United Kingdom business

Financial year ended **31st December 2002**Category of surplus **11: Ordinary Long Term**

Internal linked fund

Category of surplus			11: Ordinary Long Term				Company registration number			GL/UK/CM			Period ended			Units		UK/OS		Category of surplus		IL/DH							
												day month year																	
						R55			869405			GL			31 12 2002			£000		UK		11		ILH					
Name of fund link or directly held asset			Name of unit type			Valuation price per unit or asset			Total actual number of units in force or directly held assets			Value of total actual units in force or directly held assets			Value of actual units held by other internal linked funds			Value of directly held assets and actual units in force excluding those held by other internal linked funds (5-6)			Value of units or directly held assets deemed allocated to contracts			Value of surplus units or directly held assets (7-8+9)					
1			2			3			4			5			6			7			8			9			10		
Life Fidelity Flexible Investment			Ordinary			5.945104			241728			1437			1428			9									9		
Sub total: Life Fidelity Flexible Investment												1437			1428			9									9		
Life Fidelity American Growth			Ordinary			5.744732			19873			114			106			8									8		
Sub total: Life Fidelity American Growth												114			106			8									8		
Life Fidelity Trust of Trusts			Ordinary			7.644015			115900			886			877			9									9		
Sub total: Life Fidelity Trust of Trusts												886			877			9									9		
Flexible investment			Accumulation			6.032552			236676			1428						1428			1428								
Sub total: Flexible investment												1428						1428			1428								
American growth			Accumulation			5.726897			18582			106						106			106								
Sub total: American growth												106						106			106								
Trust of trusts			Accumulation			7.726674			113444			877						877			877								
Sub total: Trust of trusts												877						877			877								
Total: 11: Ordinary Long Term												4848			2411			2437			2411						26		

**Long term insurance business : Valuation result and distribution of surplus**Name of insurer **Fidelity Life Assurance Limited**

Global business

Financial year ended **31st December 2002**Company  
registration  
number

GL/UK/CM

Period ended  
day month year

Units

Category  
of surplusCategory of surplus **11: Ordinary Long  
Term**

Category of surplus		11: Ordinary Long Term		R58	869405	GL	31	12	2002	£000	11
Valuation result	Fund carried forward							11	2795		
	Bonus payments made to policyholders in anticipation of a surplus							12			
	Transfers out of fund/ parts of fund		Transfer to non-technical account					13			
			Transfer to other funds/parts of funds					14			
	Net transfer out of funds/parts of funds (13+14)							15			
	Total (11+12+15)							16	2795		
	Mathematical reserves for accumulating with profit policies							17			
	Mathematical reserves for other non linked contracts							18			
	Mathematical reserves for property linked contracts							19	2795		
	Mathematical reserves for index linked contracts							20			
	Total (17 to 20)							21	2795		
Surplus including contingency and other reserves held towards the solvency margin (deficiency) (16-21)							29				
Composition of surplus	Balance of surplus brought forward unappropriated from last valuation							31			
	Transfers into fund/part of fund		Transfer from non-technical account					32			
			Transfer from other funds/parts of fund					33			
	Net transfer into fund/part of fund (32+33)							34			
	Surplus arising since the last valuation							35			
	Total (31+34+35)							39			
Distribution of surplus	Bonus payments made to policyholders in anticipation of a surplus							41			
	Allocated to policyholders by way of		Cash bonuses					42			
			Reversionary bonuses					43			
			Other bonuses					44			
			Premium reductions					45			
	Total allocated to policyholders (41 to 45)							46			
	Net transfer out of fund/part of fund							47			
	Total distributed surplus (46+47)							48			
	Balance of surplus (including contingency and other reserves held towards the solvency margin) carried forward unappropriated							49			
	Total (48+49)							59			
Percentage of distributed surplus allocated to policyholders of fund/part of fund								61			
Corresponding percentage at three immediately previous valuations	Latest	(year of valuation 2001 )					62				
	Earlier	(year of valuation 2000 )					63				
	Earliest	(year of valuation 1999 )					64				

## Supplementary notes

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### 0901 Written Concession

At the request of the Company, the Secretary of State issued on 28 May 1985 an Order under Section 68 of the said Act, which:

- a) removed the requirements to maintain the margin of solvency referred to in regulation 4(1)(a) of the Insurance Companies Regulations 1981 (replaced by Regulation 17(a)(i) of the Insurance Companies Regulations 1994), and
- b) modified the amount of the minimum guarantee fund referred to in Paragraph 1(c) of Schedule 3 (replaced by Schedule 5) to the said Regulations to £100,000.

This written concession has been carried forward under the transitional provisions of the Supervision Manual in relation to the equivalent rules in IPRU (INS).

### 1001 Reconciliation of net assets

	2002 £'000	2001 £'000
Other than long term insurance business assets (Form 13 L99)	1,749	2,129
Other than long term insurance business liabilities (Form 15 L59)	(954)	(1,157)
	795	972
Excess surplus assets not declared to shareholders	162	257
Net Assets attributable to Shareholders per the Statutory Accounts	957	1,229

### 1002 Other Movements

Other movements at line 65 relate to a prior year adjustment in respect of deferred tax. A provision of tax on unrealised appreciation of shareholders assets is now specifically provided for.

### 1310 Amounts set off

Amounts set off have been applied in line with generally accepted accounting principles, where applicable.

### 1311 Counterparty limits

The investment guidelines operated by the Company specify exposure to counterparties by asset type as follows:

#### Deposits

The maximum permitted exposure to counterparties is set out in the lending limit list approved by the Group Risk Committee. The maximum exposure to individual counterparties is limited as follows:

Tier 1: A maximum of £1m  
Tier 2: A maximum of £750,000  
Tier 3: A maximum of £500,000

Tier 1 represents AAA rated institutions, Tier 2 represents institutions rated AA- or better whilst Tier 3 represents institutions rated A- or better.

At the year end there is a temporary breach of the permitted limits due to the maturity of gilts fund holdings. The proceeds from these maturities was reinvested in early 2003.

### 1312 Counterparty exposure

Counterparty exposures with deposit takers which exceeded 5% of the Long Term Insurance Business Amount as at 31 December 2002 are as follows:

	£'000
Bank of New York	799
Alliance & Leicester plc	200
Bank of Scotland plc	200
Bradford & Bingley plc	200
Coventry Building Society	100
Nationwide Building Society	200
Northern Rock plc	200



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### **1317 Other assets**

Assets backing property-linked benefits at line 59 exclude the value of surplus units held. Surplus units as outlined in column 10 of Form 55 have been reported under "other assets" at line 83.

### **1318 Deposits with credit institutions**

Under Appendix 4.1 IPRU (INS) advantage has been taken of the option allowing an admissibility limit for debts due from approved credit institutions of £2m, rather than 20% of the long term insurance business amount. Fidelity Life Assurance Limited has deposits with the credit institutions disclosed in Note 1312.

### **1401 Adverse changes**

**1501**

There is no provision for adverse changes on the basis that policyholders' funds are wholly unit linked and there is no uncovered exposure to derivatives or stock lending.

### **1402 Contingent liabilities**

**1502**

The liability to Capital Gains Tax as at 31 December 2002 is nil.

There are no contingent liabilities applicable to the Company.

There are no charges over any assets of the Company.

There are no guarantees, indemnities or any other contractual commitments.

There are no other fundamental uncertainties

### **1601 Rates of exchange**

**4005**

The Company conducts all its business in the UK and has no direct overseas investments. All transactions and balances are therefore in sterling.

### **1700 Analysis of derivative contracts**

No Form 17 has been prepared on the basis that the company has no derivative contracts.

### **4002 Other Income**

Other income at line 15 refers to a rebate of investment management charges.

### **4008 Provision of management services**

Management services have been provided throughout the financial year by Norwich Union Life Services Limited.

Investment management services have been provided throughout the financial year by Morley Fund Management Limited.

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**4009 Related party transactions**

Related party transactions which exceeds 5% of the long-term insurance business amount are as follows:

Name of connected party: Norwich Union Life Services Limited

Nature of relationship: Fellow group undertaking

Transactions during the period: £22,774 less a rebate of investment management charges.

Amounts unpaid or outstanding at the end of the period: £46,048

Amounts written off in the period: Nil

Nature of transactions: Charges for management services provided.

**4301 Valuation of assets backing linked funds**

Holdings in fixed interest securities have been valued at middle market value less accrued income. Unit trust holdings have been valued at middle market value. OEIC fund holdings have been valued at market value.

**4402 Other Expenditure**

Other expenditure at line 26 relates to interest on negative cash balances held by the funds from time to time.

**4403 Annual Management Charges**

Annual Management charges for 2001 have not been taken and have been credited back to the funds in 2002.

**4501 Valuation price per unit**

The valuation prices in column 6 are stated in pounds.

**4801 Accrued interest**

The full amount of accrued interest of £2,449 from Form 13 line 84 has been included on Form 48, line 19.

**5301 Unit linked definitions**

Definitions in column 10 are as follows:-

<b>Ref</b>	<b>Description</b>
AG	American Growth Fund
FI	Flexible Investment Fund
T of T	Trust of Trust

**5501 Valuation price per unit**

The valuation prices in column 3 are stated in pounds.

Returns under the Accounts and Statements Rules

**Statement on derivatives required by IPRU (INS) 9.29**

Name of insurer **Fidelity Life Assurance Limited**

Global business

Financial year ended **31st December 2002**

It is not the policy of the Company to use derivatives in the management of its funds. No derivatives were used during the financial year.

Returns under the Accounts and Statements Rules

**Statement on controllers required by IPRU (INS) 9.30**

Name of insurer **Fidelity Life Assurance Limited**

Global business

Financial year ended **31st December 2002**

100% of the issued Share Capital of the Company is held by Norwich Union Life Holdings Limited.

100% of the issued Share Capital of Norwich Union Life Holdings Limited is held by Norwich Union Holdings Limited.

100% of the issued Share Capital of Norwich Union Holdings Limited is held by Norwich Union plc.

100% of the issued Share Capital of Norwich Union plc is held by General Accident plc.

100% of the issued ordinary Share Capital of General Accident plc is held by the Ultimate Parent Undertaking, Aviva plc (previously known as CGNU plc).

All shares are voting shares.

There have been no changes to the ownership of the Company during the year.

**Statement of information on appointed actuary required by IPRU (INS) 9.36**

Name of insurer **Fidelity Life Assurance Limited**

Global business

Financial year ended **31st December 2002**

**J Lister**

In accordance with rule 9.36 of the Interim Prudential Sourcebook for Insurers, J Lister, the appointed actuary of the Company, was requested to furnish and has provided the following information:

**(a)**

- (1) An interest in 5,110 ordinary shares at 31 December 2002 in Aviva plc, and an interest in 3,250 ordinary shares at 31 December 2001.
- (2) 8,159 ordinary shares are held in the Aviva Long Term Incentive Plan and 9,954 ordinary shares are held in the CGNU Deferred Bonus Plan.
- (3) Options were held at 31 December 2002 to subscribe for 37,253 ordinary shares in Aviva plc under UK Employees Savings Related and Executive Share Option Schemes:

	No. of shares
Options held at 31 December 2001	40,106
Options granted during the year	Nil
Options exercised or lapsed during the year	(2,853)

- (b) Two low cost endowment policies with CGNU Life Assurance Limited, with aggregate sums assured of £46,000 and monthly premiums of £259. One savings policy with a monthly premium of £30 and a sum assured plus bonus of £4,223. The actuary also holds a number of investment products managed by Norwich Union Investment Funds Limited. In addition the actuary held general insurance policies with subsidiaries of Aviva plc for which total premiums of £1,500 were paid in the year to 31 December 2002.
- (c) The aggregate amount of remuneration, bonuses and the value of other benefits (excluding pension rights) under the actuary's contract of employment with Aviva Employment Services Limited for 2002 was £206,670. Under the contract he was Appointed Actuary and Director of:

Fidelity Life Assurance Limited

*appointed actuary of:-*

The Yorkshire Insurance Company Limited

CGU Insurance plc

Tesco Personal Finance Life Limited

*And a director of:-*

The General Practice Finance Corporation Limited

The General Practice Finance Corporation Property Management Limited

Norwich Union Commercial Finance Limited

Norwich Union Commercial Mortgages Limited

Norwich Union Mortgage Finance Limited

Norwich Union Mortgages (Life) Limited

Norwich Union Mortgage Holdings Limited

- (d) Pensions and life assurance benefits as provided to all employees under the terms and conditions of the Aviva Companies' UK Pensions Schemes. Sickness and accident benefits as provided to all employees under the terms and conditions of these schemes.

**Statement of information on appointed actuary required by IPRU (INS) 9.36**

Name of insurer **Fidelity Life Assurance Limited**

Global business

Financial year ended **31st December 2002**

**J M Webber**

In accordance with rule 9.36 of the Interim Prudential Sourcebook for Insurers, J M Webber, the appointed actuary of the Company until 18 March 2002, was requested to furnish and has provided the following information:

**(a)**

- (1) An interest in 7,638 ordinary shares at 31 December 2002 in Aviva plc, and an interest in 7,638 ordinary shares at 31 December 2001.
- (2) 6,294 ordinary shares are held in the Aviva Long Term Incentive Plan and 9,710 ordinary shares are held in the AVIVA Deferred Bonus Plan.
- (3) Options were held at 31 December 2002 to subscribe for 42,284 ordinary shares in Aviva plc under UK Employees Savings Related and Executive Share Option Schemes:

	No. of shares
Options held at 31 December 2001	21,300
Options granted during the year	20,984
Options exercised or lapsed during the year	-

- (b) Two with profits endowment policies with Norwich Union Life & Pensions Limited, with aggregate sums assured of £44,500 and annual premiums of £3,502. The actuary also holds a number of investment products managed by Norwich Union Investment Funds Limited. In addition, the actuary held general insurance policies with subsidiaries of Aviva plc for which total premiums of £1749 were paid in the year to 31 December 2002.
- (c) The aggregate amount of remuneration, bonuses and the value of other benefits (excluding pension rights) under the actuary's contract of employment with Aviva Employment Services Limited for 2002 was £266,984. Under the contract he was Appointed Actuary and Director of Fidelity Life Assurance Limited (until 18 March 2002) and Appointed Actuary of Tesco Personal Finance Life Limited (until 18 March 2002).
- (d) Pensions and life assurance benefits as provided to all employees under the terms and conditions of the Aviva Companies' UK Pensions Schemes. Sickness and accident benefits as provided to all employees under the terms and conditions of these schemes. Benefits in accordance with the relocation policy of Aviva plc.

**Certificate by the directors required by IPRU (INS) 9.34(a) and IPRU (INS) Appendix 9.6**

Name of insurer **Fidelity Life Assurance Limited**

Global business

Financial year ended **31st December 2002**

We certify:

- 1 (a)** in relation to the part of the return comprising Forms 9, 9A, 10, 13 to 16 and 40 to 45, (including the supplementary notes) and the statements required by rules 9.29 and 9.30 that:

  - (i) the return has been prepared in accordance with the Accounts and Statements Rules;
  - (ii) proper accounting records have been maintained and adequate information has been obtained by Fidelity Life Assurance Limited (the Company); and
  - (iii) appropriate systems and controls have been established and maintained by the Company over its transactions and records;
- (b)** that reasonable enquiries have been made by the Company for the purpose of identifying material connected-party transactions;
- (c)** that in respect of the Company's business which is not excluded by rule 7.6, the assets held throughout the financial year enabled the Company to comply with rules 7.1 to 7.5 (matching and localisation);
- (d)** in relation to the statement required by rule 9.36:

  - (i) that for the purpose of preparing the statement, proper accounts and records have been maintained; and
  - (ii) that the information given has been ascertained in conformity with that rule.
- 2** that the margin of solvency required by rule 2.1 has been maintained throughout the financial year.
- 3 (a)** that the requirements of rules 3.1 to 3.4 have been fully complied with and in particular that, subject to the provisions of rules 3.2(2) to (4) and rule 3.3, assets attributable to long term insurance business, the income arising therefrom, the proceeds of any realisation of such assets and any other income or proceeds allocated to the long term insurance business funds have not been applied otherwise than for the purpose of the long term insurance business;
- (b)** that any amount payable from or receivable by the long term insurance business funds in respect of services rendered by or to any other business carried on by the Company or by a person who, for the purposes of rule 3.4, is connected with it or is a subordinate company of it has been determined and where appropriate apportioned on terms which are believed to be no less than fair to those funds, and any exchange of assets representing such funds for other assets of the Company has been made at fair market value;
- (c)** that all guarantees given by the Company of the performance by a related company which would fall to be met by any long term insurance business fund have been disclosed in the return, and that the funds on which each such guarantee would fall has been identified therein;
- (d)** that the investment policy and practice of the Company in respect of the internal linked funds maintained was, during the financial year, consistent with any representations made to policyholders or potential policyholders of the Company;
- (e)** that the returns in respect of long term insurance business are not distorted by agreements with any other company carrying on insurance business with which the Company has financial, commercial or administrative links, or by any arrangements which could affect the apportionment of expenses and income; and
- (f)** that the Company has fully complied with the requirements of rule 3.5.

**Certificate by the directors required by IPRU (INS) 9.34(a) and IPRU (INS) Appendix 9.6**

Name of insurer **Fidelity Life Assurance Limited**

Financial year ended **31st December 2002**

**4 (a)** that the systems and controls established and maintained by the Company in respect of its business complied at the end of the financial year with the following published guidance:

(i) Guidance Note P.1 – ‘Systems and controls over the investments (and counterparty exposure) of insurers with particular reference to the use of derivatives’;

(ii) ‘The prevention of Money Laundering - Guidance Notes for the UK Financial Sector’ (revised December 2001) issued by the Joint Money Laundering Steering Group;

and it is reasonable to believe that those systems continued to so comply subsequently and will continue to so comply in future; and

**(b)** the return has been prepared in accordance with the following published guidance:

(i) Guidance Note 4.1 - ‘Guidance for insurers and auditors on the Valuation of Assets Rules’;

(ii) Guidance Note 4.2 - ‘Use of derivative contracts in insurance funds’; and

(iii) Guidance Note 9.1 - ‘Preparation of Returns’.

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**G N WITHERS**  
Chief Executive

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**J A NEWMAN**  
Director

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**M N URMSTON**  
Director

26<sup>th</sup> March 2003



**Certificate by the appointed actuary required by IPRU (INS) 9.34(b)**

Name of insurer **Fidelity Life Assurance Limited**

Global business

Financial year ended **31st December 2002**

I certify:

- (a)
  - (i) that in my opinion proper records have been kept by Fidelity Life Assurance Limited (the Company) adequate for the purpose of the valuation of the liabilities of its long term business;
  - (ii) that the sum of the mathematical reserves constitute proper provision as at 31st December 2002 for the long term insurance business liabilities (other than liabilities which had fallen due before the end of the financial year) including the increase in those liabilities arising from a distribution of surplus as a result of an investigation as at that date into the financial condition of the long term insurance business;
  - (iii) that for the purpose of sub-paragraph (ii) above, the liabilities have been assessed in accordance with the Determination of Liabilities Rules in the context of assets valued in accordance with the Valuation of Assets Rules, as shown in Form 13;
  - (iv) that the current versions of Guidance Notes, issued by the Institute of Actuaries and the Faculty of Actuaries, numbered GN1, GN2 (effective date 30.12.02), GN7, GN8 (effective date 30.12.02), GN22 and GN25 have been complied with; and
  - (v) that in my opinion premiums for contracts entered into during the financial year and the income earned thereon are sufficient, on reasonable actuarial assumptions and taking into account the other financial resources of the Company that are available for the purpose, to enable the Company to meet its commitments in respect of those contracts and, in particular, to establish adequate mathematical reserves.
- (b) that the amount of the required minimum margin applicable to the Company's long term insurance business immediately following the end of the financial year (including any amounts resulting from any increase in liabilities arising from a distribution of surplus as a result of the investigation into the financial condition of the long term business) is £100,000.

J Lister

Appointed Actuary

26 March 2003

**Report of the auditors to the directors pursuant to rule 9.35 of the Accounts and Statements Rules**

Name of insurer **Fidelity Life Assurance Limited**

Global Business

Financial year ended **31st December 2002**

We have examined the following documents prepared by the company pursuant to the Accounts and Statements Rules set out in Chapter 9 to the Interim Prudential Sourcebook for Insurers ("the Rules") made by the Financial Services Authority under section 138 of the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (the "Act").

- Forms 9, 9A, 10, 13 to 16 and 40 to 45 (including the supplementary notes) ("the Forms");
- the statement required by rule 9.29 on page 32 ("the statement"); and
- the certificate signed in accordance with rule 9.34(a) on page 36 ("the certificate").

In the case of the certificate, our examination did not extend to:

- a) paragraph 1 in relation to the statements required by rules 9.30 and 9.36 concerning controllers and Information on the appointed actuary;
- b) paragraph 3(d) concerning the investment policy and practice of internal linked funds required by paragraph 4(d) of Appendix 9.6; and
- c) paragraph 4(a) in so far as it relates to controls with respect to Money Laundering.

This report is made solely to the company's directors, in accordance with rule 9.35 of the Accounts and Statements Rules. Our examination has been undertaken so that we might state to the company's directors those matters we are required by the Rules to state to them in an auditors' report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the company for our examination, for this report, or for the opinions we have formed.

**Respective responsibilities of the company and its auditors**

The company is responsible for the preparation of an annual return (including the Forms, statement and certificate) under the provisions of the Rules. Under rule 9.11 the Forms and statement are required to be prepared in the manner set out in the Rules and to state fairly the information provided on the basis required by the Rules.

It is our responsibility to form an independent opinion as to whether the Forms and statement meet these requirements, and in the case of the certificate whether it was or was not unreasonable for the persons giving the certificate to have made the statement therein, and to report our opinions to you. Our responsibilities, as independent auditors, are established in the United Kingdom by Statute, the Auditing Practices Board and by our profession's ethical guidance.

**Bases of opinions**

We conducted our work in accordance with Practice Note 20 "The audit of insurers in the United Kingdom" issued by the Auditing Practices Board. Our work included examination, on a test basis, of evidence relevant to the amounts and disclosures in the Forms and statement. It also included an assessment of the significant estimates and judgements made by the company in the preparation of the Forms and statement.

We planned and performed our work so as to obtain all the information and explanations which we considered necessary in order to provide us with sufficient evidence to give reasonable assurance that the Forms and statement are free from material misstatement, whether caused by fraud or other irregularity or error, and comply with rule 9.11.

In the case of the certificate, the work performed involved a review of the procedures undertaken by the signatories to enable them to make the statements therein, and does not extend to an evaluation of the effectiveness of the company's internal control systems.

In giving our opinion we have relied on the certificate of the actuary on page 39 with respect to the mathematical reserves and the required minimum margin.

**Opinions**

In our opinion:

- (a) the Forms and statement fairly state the information provided on the basis required by the Rules and have been properly prepared in accordance with the provisions of those Rules; and
- (b) according to the information and explanations received by us:
  - (i) the certificate has been properly prepared in accordance with the provisions of the Rules; and
  - (ii) it was not unreasonable for the persons giving the certificate to have made the statements therein.

Ernst & Young LLP  
Registered Auditor  
London  
28 March 2003