

ACE LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY LIMITED

**OPERATIONAL STATUS OF UNIVERSAL LIFE FUND
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2012**





**AUDITOR'S REPORT TO BOARD OF MANAGEMENT AND DIRECTORS
OF ACE LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY LIMITED**

We have audited the accompanying operational status of Universal Life Fund of ACE Life Insurance Company Limited ("the Company") for the year ended 31 December 2012. The operational status of Universal Life Fund is the responsibility of the Company's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the operational status based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with Vietnamese Standards on Auditing. Those standards require that we have to plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the operational status of the Universal Life Fund is free from material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosure in the operational status of Universal Life Fund. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our audit opinion.

In our opinion, the operational status of Universal Life Fund of ACE Life Insurance Company Limited for the year ended 31 December 2012 has been prepared, in all material respects, in accordance with the guidelines (Article 15.2) of the Decision No. 96/2007/QĐ/BTC issued by the Ministry of Finance dated 23 November 2007.



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Audit report number HCM3441
19 March 2013

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A SUMMARY OF OPERATIONAL STATUS OF UNIVERSAL LIFE FUND

I. PREMIUMS AND VALUE OF UNIVERSAL LIFE FUND DURING THE YEAR

	Note	Million VND
Total premiums deposited		982,066
Amount of premiums allocated to cost of insurance		(170,173)
Fee deductions:		
- Front-end fees		(324,045)
- Policy administration fees		(43,614)
Total premiums invested in Universal Life Fund		444,234
Interest credited to policyholders		120,895
Amount of account values transferred out of the fund	(3)	(14,681)
Value of Universal Life Fund at the beginning of year		1,103,670
Value of Universal Life Fund at the end of year		1,654,118
Investment yield of Universal Life Fund		11.40%

II. REPORT STATUS OF ASSETS OF THE UNIVERSAL LIFE FUND

	Value at beginning of year Million VND	Changes during the year Million VND	Value at end of year Million VND
Assets			
- Cash	3,340	18,590	21,930
- Investment portfolio	1,024,817	485,188	1,510,005
+ Term deposits	25,000	13,247	38,247
+ Government bonds	686,844	618,310	1,305,154
- Term 5 years or less than	300,789	194,968	495,757
- Term 10 years	342,395	423,222	765,617
- Term 15 years	43,660	120	43,780
+ Corporate bonds	312,973	(146,369)	166,604
- Term 5 years or less than	312,973	(146,369)	166,604
- Other assets	75,513	46,670	122,183
Total assets	1,103,670	550,448	1,654,118

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III. REPORT ON INCOME AND EXPENSES OF THE UNIVERSAL LIFE FUND

Item	2008 Million VND	2009 Million VND	2010 Million VND	2011 Million VND	2012 Million VND
Income:					
+ Interest on current accounts	22	1	28	56	167
+ Interest on term deposits	2,772	4,935	1,496	3,087	3,128
+ Interest on government bonds	3,972	10,698	28,224	51,924	102,323
+ Interest on corporate bonds	2,524	5,130	16,316	40,143	45,021
Total income	9,290	20,764	46,064	95,210	150,639
Expenses:					276
Total expenses	-	-	-	-	276
Difference between income and expenses	9,290	20,764	46,064	95,210	150,363
Interest credit to policyholders	7,477	17,814	37,872	77,797	120,895
Actual investment yield	11.00%	10.00%	10.85%	11.62%	11.40%
Interest rate credited to policyholders:					
+ For regular policies	9.15%	8.25%	8.86%	9.90%	9.50%
+ For single premium policies	9.40%	8.50%	9.11%	10.15%	9.75%

B NOTE

1. When participating in Universal Life Insurance products, the collected premium, after being deducted by the contracted expenses, will be transferred to a fund, namely Universal Life Fund. This fund is controlled and invested for profits by ACE Life under the approved investment policy that is presented to the policyholders when the products were introduced to them.
2. The investment objectives are to maximise and stabilize the income from long-term investments. ACE Life has invested in a list of sources which can bring in a foreseeable stable income under a reasonable level in a medium and long-term future, including debt instruments (mainly bonds, long term deposits, and other instruments which can generate fixed income) issued by financial institutions, or corporate organisations operating in Vietnam in accordance with current laws and regulations.
3. Detail of account values was transferred out of the universal life fund as followings:

Type of transactions	Millions VND
- Claims	(1,773)
- Partial surrenders and surrenders	(12,401)
- Others	(507)
Total	(14,681)

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B NOTE (continued)

1. Since Universal Life Fund commenced its operation in March 2006, ACE Life has always paid its customers, who have regular Universal Life policies with the company, above the commitment of 4% per annum which is stated in the insurance policies, in particular:

<i>Period</i>	<i>Credit rates (% p.a.)</i>	
	<i>Range</i>	<i>Average</i>
March 2006 to 31 December 2007	6.50%	6.50%
January 2008 to 31 December 2008	6.80% - 11.50%	9.15%
January 2009 to 31 December 2009	7.50% - 11.00%	8.25%
January 2010 to 31 December 2010	8.00% - 9.70%	8.86%
January 2011 to 31 December 2011	9.40% - 10.50%	9.90%
January 2012 to 31 December 2012	9.30% - 10.00%	9.50%

From March 2008, ACE Life has distributed single premium Universal Life products, which have a guaranteed credit interest rate of 5% per annum for the first 10 years and 4% per annum for the remaining in-force years, to the public. For customers of single premium Universal Life products, the credit interest rates are always 0.25% per annum higher than the regular premium Universal Life products in the same period.

With a sound investment policy and with realistic status and prospects of Vietnamese economy in a long term future, ACE Life expressed their confidence that the investment results could exceed their commitments with its customers.

Ho Chi Minh City, 19 March 2013



Nguyen Paul George
Deputy Country President,
Appointed Actuary



Lam Hai Tuan
Chairman, Country President