

Voya Financial Mourns the Passing of J. Barry Griswell, Director

NEW YORK--(BUSINESS WIRE)-- Voya Financial, Inc. (NYSE: VOYA), today shared the following statement from Chairman and CEO Rodney O. Martin, Jr., on the June 5 passing of J. Barry Griswell, who had served as a director of Voya's board since 2013.

"With the passing of Barry, we have all lost a dear friend and colleague," said Martin. "Barry was an extraordinary supporter of Voya, our management team and our people. His leadership experience and knowledge of our industry were tremendous assets for our company as we were preparing for our initial public offering in 2013 and as we transformed our business portfolio during the past seven years. Equally important was Barry's impact on our culture. He was a passionate proponent of our commitment to diversity and inclusion as well as our focus on serving the communities in which we live and work. Barry was proud of the recognition that Voya has earned as a corporate citizen; however, he continually challenged us to do better.

"We remain inspired by Barry's many contributions to Voya as well as his philanthropic and volunteer contributions. Barry will be deeply missed by the many people who knew him directly as well as the many more whose lives he positively impacted through his philanthropic work and community support. On behalf of all of us at Voya Financial, we want to provide our deepest condolences to Barry's family at this difficult time," added Martin.

Griswell's career spanned four decades in financial services, including serving as chairman and CEO of Principal Financial Group. He also led the Community Foundation of Greater Des Moines from 2010 until he retired in 2013.

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