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Insurance Company
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American Continental
Insurance Company

Continental Life Insurance Company of Brentwood, Tennessee

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### **Producer Information And Appointment Form (PIF)**

from Aetna Health Insurance Company (AHIC),
Aetna Health and Life Insurance Company (AHLIC),
Aetna Life Insurance Company (ALIC),
American Continental Insurance Company (ACI), and
Continental Life Insurance Company of Brentwood, Tennessee (CLI)

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- Please print clearly completing all fields using blue or black ink, and initial any corrections.
- If completing electronically, fill in all blue highlighted areas. When complete, sign form, and print a copy for your records and submit.

#### 1. Initial appointment

Complete all sections 2 - 9 below.

Your appointment request will be processed for all entities listed above in states where you are appropriately licensed and product is available. You are not authorized to solicit any application on behalf of the company until you receive your welcome letter and producer writing code.



If no sales channel is selected, default selection is individual agent.

Sales channel Select one

- Telesales Agent (Exclusively direct to consumer phone sales)
- O Individual Agent (Any agent that is not exclusively direct to consumer phone sales)

#### 2. Individual applicant appointment information

information				
Name First, Middle, Last, Suffix (As it ap	ppears on your Reside	ent License)		
Social Security Number (SSN)	National Produce	r Number (NPN)		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Date of birth	Gender ○ Female	○ Male		
Residential address (Not a P.O. Box)				
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Business address (P.O. Box accepted)				
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Preferred mailing address Select one  Residential Business	E-mail address			
Previous names List all other names or a	aliases you have use	d in the last 7 yea	ars	
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LLC appointment information				
Appointment type entity <i>Select one</i> O Partnership  O LLC	○ Incorporated E	ntity		
Entity name As it appears on your Domi	cile State License	Tax Identification	on Number (TIN)	

E-mail address

is required for additional names.

Attach a separate sheet if more space

Proceed to Section 4 if you are not	Appointment type	Appointment type entity <i>Select one</i>			
Proceed to Section 4 if you are not Incorporated, a Partnership, or LLC.	<ul><li>Partnership</li></ul>	$\bigcirc$ LLC	O Incorporated E	ntity	
	Entity name As it	appears on your l	Domicile State License	Tax Identification	on Number (TIN)
Officer should complete Section 3	•			•	
Officer should complete Section 3.	Entity address				
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	City			State	Zip
	Entity phone		Entity fax		

Website address

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4. Appointment states requested						
Attach applicable licenses for states listed.	Resident license state	Non-resident state(	s) where appointment is requested			ted
nsted.	•	•				
	Florida appointments: Florida re Florida to hold appointments in eac.					in
5. Business practices questions						
If completing for an officer and entity/agency, indicate details for yes answers for each as	Have you ever had an insurance denied, suspended, cancelled or		Individua O Yes	al/Officer ○ No	Entity/ O Yes	<b>∕Agency</b> ○ No
appropriate.	Has any regulatory body ever sa penalized or otherwise discipline	nctioned, censured,	○ Yes	○ No	○ Yes	○ No
	3. Has any state, federal or self-reg complaint against you, fined, san penalized or otherwise discipling their regulations or state or federal controls.	nctioned, censured, ed you for a violation of	○ Yes	○ No	○ Yes	○ No
	4. Have you ever been convicted o contendere (no contest), served fines or court costs, had charges type of first offender or deferred sentence procedure, or are any or against you for any FELONY offer.	any probation, paid any s dismissed through any d adjudication or suspended charges currently pending	○ Yes	○ No	○ Yes	○ No
	If you answered yes to question separate page with this applicat		ing in the s	pace given	below or i	nclude a
	Year of offense(s):					
	Jurisdiction (county or federal where the case(s) took place:					
	Your name at the time of the o	ffense: •				
	Charges/offenses:					
	Sentencing and other informat	tion:				
	5. Are you in possession of a valid DOI or other regulatory authority offenses? <i>Please attach/include answered yes</i> .	y for any of the above	○ Yes	○ No	│ ○ Yes	○ No
	6. In the last seven years, have you guilty or nolo contendere (no cor paid any fines or court costs, ha any type of first offender or defe suspended sentence procedure, pending against you for any MIS a minor traffic violation?	ntest), served any probation, d charges dismissed through erred adjudication or or are any charges currently		○ No	○ Yes	○ No
	<ul><li>7. In the past ten years, have you petition or declared bankruptcy?</li></ul>		○ Yes	○ No	○ Yes	○ No

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8. Are there any unsatisfied judgments, garnishments or liens against you?

 $\bigcirc$  Yes

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 $\bigcirc$  No

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○ Yes

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### **Business practices questions** continued

			Individual	/Officer	Entity/A	gency
		9. Are you in debt to any insurance company?	○ Yes	$\bigcirc$ No	○ Yes	○ No
		10. Are you currently a party to any litigation or a subject of any investigation(s)?	○ Yes	○ No	○Yes	○ No
A	If the answer to all questions is "No," please proceed to Section 6.	11. Have you ever had an appointment with another insurance company denied or terminated for cause?	○ Yes	○ No	○ Yes	○ No
A	If you answer "Yes" to any of these questions, please provide a detailed explanation here. We will contact you for additional details if needed and your appointment request may be delayed.	•				
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#### 6. Disclosure of Intent to Obtain Consumer Reports

Please review and print for your records the Disclosure of Intent to Obtain Consumer Reports. This is to advise you that Aetna Inc. and its affiliates may obtain one or more consumer reports with respect to establishing your eligibility for employment, appointment, promotion, reassignment, and/or retention as an employee, agent and/or representative of Aetna Inc., or one or more of its affiliates.

If requested, the report may be obtained from the investigative consumer-reporting agency named below or another investigative consumer-reporting agency:

Applicant Insight, Inc. 5652 Meadowlane Street New Port Richey, FL, 34652 www.applicantinsight.com 800 771.7703

If a consumer report is obtained and you reside in a state with a legal requirement to provide a free copy of the consumer report upon request, we will automatically instruct the consumer reporting agency to send you a copy of the report at no charge.

The report may contain information regarding your character, general reputation, personal characteristics and mode of living. The nature and scope of the report is: financial and credit history, criminal records search, licensing and disciplinary action history, and employment history verification.

Notice Regarding Credit Freezes: Aetna may require an inquiry into your personal credit history as part of the screening process. If you have exercised your right to freeze your credit profile/report with any of the 3 credit bureaus, Aetna asks that you please contact the applicable bureaus to temporarily remove the freeze for a period of no less than 10 days from the date of the application. Failure to remove the freeze may delay, or ultimately eliminate you from, the onboarding process.

For California, Minnesota and Oklahoma applicants only	For	California,	Minnesota	and (	Oklahoma	applicants	only
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I request to receive a copy of this report.	○ Yes	$\bigcirc$ IV0

#### For California Resident Agents Only

Pursuant to the California Investigative Consumer Reporting Agencies Act, Aetna Inc. is required to provide you with the summary of provisions listed below.

California Investigative Consumer Reporting Agencies Act Summary of the Provisions of Section 1786.22

- (a) An investigative consumer reporting agency shall supply files and information required under Section 1786.10 during normal business hours and on reasonable notice.
- (b) Files maintained on a consumer shall be made available for the consumer's visual inspection, as follows:
  - 1. In person, if he appears in person and furnishes proper identification. A copy of his file shall also be available to the consumer for a fee not to exceed the actual costs of duplication services provided.
  - 2. By certified mail, if he makes a written request, with proper identification, for copies to be sent to a specified addressee. Investigative consumer reporting agencies complying with requests for certified mailings under this section shall not be liable for disclosures to third parties caused by mishandling of mail after such mailings leave the investigative consumer reporting agencies.
  - 3. A summary of all information contained in files on a consumer and required to be provided by Section 1786.10 shall be provided by telephone, if the consumer has made a written request, with proper identification for telephone disclosure, and the toll charge, if any, for the telephone call is prepaid by or charged directly to the consumer.
- (c) The term "proper identification" as used in subdivision (b) shall mean that information generally deemed sufficient to identify a person. Such information includes documents such as a valid driver's license, social security account number, military identification card, and credit cards. Only if the consumer is unable to reasonably identify himself with the information described above, may an investigative consumer-reporting agency require additional information concerning the consumer's employment and personal or family history in order to verify his identity.
- (d) The investigative consumer reporting agency shall provide trained personnel to explain to the consumer any information furnished him pursuant to Section 1786.10.
- (e) The investigative consumer reporting agency shall provide a written explanation of any coded information contained in files maintained on a consumer. This written explanation shall be distributed whenever a file is provided to a consumer for visual inspection as required under Section 1786.22.
- (f) The consumer shall be permitted to be accompanied by one other person of his choosing, who shall furnish reasonable identification. An investigative consumer reporting agency may require the consumer to furnish a written statement granting permission to the consumer reporting agency to discuss the consumer's file in such person's presence.

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#### 7. Electronic funds transfer (EFT) Complete this section to authorize automatic electronic transfer of commission payments

You must sign on the signature line at the bottom of this page to authorize and receive commission payments via EFT. Sections 2 and 3 must be completed.

If completing this section for an officer and an entity, the EFT authorization will apply to the entity.

You may either attach a voided bank check or complete all information in this section as it appears on your check.

This is an example of a personal check. A business check may be different.

Institution name for deposit Routing number Account number

#### To find the routing and account numbers

For checks with an ACH RT

character routing number, which

John Henry Doe PH. 000-000-0000 1234 Any Street Mycity, TN 00000 (Automated Clearing House Routing) number, please use this routing number. For checks with "payable through" under the bank name, please contact the financial institution to help obtain the corrrect Routing Number. ★Local Bank For For all other checks, use the nine-

appears between the II symbols, usually at the bottom left corner of the check.

\$ Dollars ACH RT 012345678 49876543214 1234567# 001234 Do not use your check number, usually located here.

The account number is up to 17 characters long and appears next to the use symbol at the bottom of the check and usually to the right of the bank routing number.

#### 8. Acknowledgment and signature

The Aetna companies listed at the top of page 1 are referred to as the "the Company," "us," "our" and "we" in this section.

The appointment applicant is referred to as "you" and "your" in this section.

When submitting for an officer and an entity, this acknowledgement applies for both.

By signing below, you

- Acknowledge that you have read, understood and agree to comply with the provisions contained in your agent contract, commission advance addendum, and/or Final expense life insurance commission advance and financing agreement, as applicable, and the Guide to Ethical Market Conduct and the Multipurpose Confidentiality Addendum and Producer Conduct Rule, all of which may be downloaded and printed at www.aentaseniorproducts.com (Secure Login – Agents) or you may also request a copy by calling 800 264,4000 option 3.5.
- Agree to receive official correspondence including, but not limited to, contracts, contract amendments, commission schedules, bulletins, notices and other Company communications, by email and by posting to the agent web portal at www.aetnaseniorproducts.com (Secure Login – Agents). You further agree to notify the Company if you change your email address by emailing the Licensing Department at AETSSIContracting@aetna.com.
- Acknowledge that you have received and read the Disclosure of Intent to Obtain Consumer Reports and you consent and authorize Aetna Inc. and its affiliates to obtain additional background information, as we deem necessary, through independent investigation, FINRA CRD reports, from the National Insurance Producer Registry and/or through an investigative consumer reporting agency (consumer reporting agencies including but not limited to those identified in the 'Disclosure of Intent to Obtain Consumer Reports') and other consumer reports (collectively, "background reports").
- Authorize us to share with our affiliates the information contained in this PIF or any other information that we may obtain including background reports for the purposes of establishing your eligibility and/or continuing eligibility for appointment with us and our affiliates as well as you authorize us to share any such information as required by law.
- Authorize your employers and other insurance companies you are or have been appointed with to release to us any and all information that they may have about you, personal or otherwise, and you agree to release all such parties from all liability that may result from furnishing this information to us.
- Understand and agree that your appointment will, in part, be based upon this PIF and the background report information and that any information you provide us that is inaccurate or incomplete shall be grounds for termination of your appointment.
- Certify that you have not been convicted of any criminal felony involving dishonesty or breach of trust or been convicted of an offense under section 1033 of the Violent Crime and Law Enforcement Act of 1994. You agree to immediately inform the Company of any arrest of the types described in the preceding sentence.
- If applicable, authorize Aetna or any of its affiliates to automatically transfer funds to your checking account and make adjustments to your account in the event of errors. Additionally, you authorize the named financial institution to complete these transactions. This authorization is to remain in full force and effect until we receive written notice from you requesting termination or until we have notified you of our intention to terminate your EFT services.

By signing below, you acknowledge that you have personally reviewed the information and answers contained in your completed PIF and you certify under penalty of perjury that the information provided herein is accurate and complete.

You also certify under penalty of perjury that the information provided herein is accurate and complete.

You must sign here in

order for us to process your appointment, and EFT if applicable.

**Signature** 

**Title** Required if signing for an entity

Date



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9. Appointing company and hierarch	You may be appointed to sell only	those products for which your	firm or aganovic contracted			
	rou may be appointed to sell only	those products for which your	illill of agency is contracted.			
	Writing agent name	Phone	Date			
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Level provided applies to all	Producer's commission					
products listed.	Producer level :					
	Medicare Supplement					
	Complementary products					
	Final Expense					
Please list all members of this Writing Agent's hierarchy beginning	Producer name or company na	me	Writing code			
with the lowest level.	Intermediary					
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To prevent delay, please review the contracting checklist on the	Managing General Agent					

next page before submitting all required documents.

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#### 10. Contracting checklist

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NOTE: You are not authorized to solicit any application on behalf of the company until you receive your "welcome" letter and company writing code.

To prevent delay, please complete all required documents before submitting.

FORM	NOTES
Producer Information and Appointment Form	All pages.
○ Contract	All pages. Please submit Agent Contract if agent is not to be compensated by the company. Please submit General Agent Contract if agent is to be compensated by the company.
○ Commission Advance Addendum	If applicable; up-line Agent needs to sign as MGA and guarantor. Please indicate number of advance months for each product.
○ Commission schedule	Not applicable for licensed only agents.
○ Form W9	Not applicable for licensed only agents.
○ License copies	For all states in which you are requesting appointment, for both agent and agency if applicable.
<ul> <li>Multipurpose Confidentiality Addendum and Producer Conduct Rule</li> </ul>	Read and retain for reference.

Read and retain for reference.

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O Guide to Ethical Market Conduct

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**General Agent Contract** 

P. O. Box 680579 Franklin, Tennessee 37068-0579

#### **SECTION I - PARTIES**

Aetna Companies

#### **SECTION II - APPOINTMENT, TERRITORY AND RELATIONSHIP**

- 1. The Company selected above appoints the person or entity named above as its General Agent (referred to as "GA") with the authority and obligations set forth in this Contract. GA hereby accepts such appointment and agrees to the terms and conditions of this Contract.
- 2. GA shall solicit only in the territory where the Company officially appoints said GA. GA does not have the exclusive right to represent Company in any territory. Company reserves the right to appoint other marketing general agents, general agents and agents to represent Company in any territory.
- 3. GA understands and agrees that it is an independent contractor, not an employee of Company. GA is free to use its independent judgment as to the persons from whom applications are solicited and the time, place and manner of solicitation. However, this does not excuse GA from its duty to comply with Company rules and with those governmental laws and regulations that apply to GA or Company. If training courses, sales methods and materials, office facilities or similar aids and services are extended or made available to the GA, it is agreed that the purpose and effect is not to give Company control of the GA's time or direction or control over the manner or means by which the GA shall conduct business, but only to assist the GA in such business and to comply with governmental laws and regulations.

#### **SECTION III - AUTHORITY AND LIMITATIONS**

- 4. Provided GA is properly licensed and appointed with Company, GA is authorized to solicit applications for insurance policies on the lives and health of people satisfactory to Company and to collect initial premium payments, but only through checks, drafts or money orders made payable to the applicable underwriting Company. GA agrees that all cash, checks or monies received by GA for or on behalf of Company shall be held by GA in trust for Company and shall be promptly submitted to Company in accordance with the Company's rules and practices.
- 5. GA is authorized to: (a) recommend licensed Agents or General Agents for appointment and assignment to GA. GA acknowledges and agrees that Company reserves the right to reassign, terminate, refuse to appoint, and/or contract with any such Agents or General Agents in Company's sole discretion; (b) recruit, train and supervise Agents and General Agents appointed by Company and assigned to GA (such Agents and General Agents are referred to as "Agency") to solicit applications for insurance policies on the lives and health of people satisfactory to Company.
- 6. GA's authority to represent Company is expressly limited to the terms of this Contract. By entering into this Contract and accepting Company's authorizations, GA agrees to the following:
  - (a) To be knowledgeable of, and comply with, all applicable licensing requirements, laws and regulations of the jurisdiction(s) in which GA operates; to ensure that Agency appointed under the terms of this contract comply with all applicable licensing requirements in the jurisdiction(s) in which they conduct business and to monitor their continued compliance of such laws by completing all required continuing education or other licensing requirements; and to notify Company immediately if any such license is terminated, suspended or revoked;
  - (b) To be knowledgeable of and comply with the rules, policies and procedures of Company, including but not limited to: market conduct standards, ethical guidelines, underwriting practices, application procedures, policy delivery procedures, licensing and appointment practices, client services and support responsibilities, and all other areas of conduct of Company as contained in rate manuals, field guides, authorized software, and other communications directed to GA from time to time by Company;
  - (c) To be competent and knowledgeable in the insurance products for which GA is authorized to solicit applications and in the consumer needs they are designed to address; to explain to clients and potential clients the terms and benefits of such insurance products for which GA solicits an application; and not to make untrue or misleading statements with respect to such insurance products;
  - (d) To accept the responsibility to ensure that sales of insurance products comply with all applicable federal, state and local laws, rules and regulations;
  - (e) To supervise and be responsible for its Agency, employees and others acting on GA's behalf and to indemnify Company for its losses resulting from the acts and omissions of its Agency, employees and others acting on the GA's behalf;
  - (f) That all applications submitted for Company insurance products are subject to acceptance or rejection by Company in its sole discretion, except when an application is correctly completed and received for an applicable open enrollment period or guaranteed issue situation;
  - (g) Not to: (i) extend the time for payment of any premium; (ii) quote premiums or rates other than specified or published by Company and; (iii) waive or modify any terms, conditions, or limitations of a policy issued by Company;
  - (h) Not to adjust or settle any claim or commit Company with respect to any claim;
  - (i) Not to offer, pay, or allow to be offered or paid, as an inducement to any proposed insured or applicant, a rebate of premiums, policy fees or any other inducement not specified in the insurance product, except as may be expressly allowed by law and in compliance with state rules and regulations;
  - (j) Not to directly or indirectly induce or attempt through any means to induce any policyholder of Company to cancel, lapse, fail to renew, or replace any policy issued by Company for the purpose of purchasing a replacement policy from an entity other than Company;

- (k) Not to directly or indirectly induce or attempt to induce any agents or employees of Company to terminate their relationship with Company;
- (I) To notify Company immediately if GA becomes aware of any consumer complaint, inquiry, investigation, litigation or other matter arising out of the sale of insurance products under this contract, and to assist Company in responding to or resolving such matter;
- (m) Not to publish, use or distribute any advertising, marketing or sales materials of any type referencing Company's or Aetna Inc.'s name, insurance products, logos or services or which are designed to solicit and/or sell Company's or Aetna Inc.'s insurance products without first obtaining our prior written approval to do so. This includes, but is not limited to, websites, illustrations and materials used at the point of sale or to generate leads;

#### **SECTION IV - LIEN AND SET-OFF**

7. GA agrees to grant Company a valid first lien on all commissions, service fees and any other compensation payable under this or any prior contract with Company as security for the payment of any and all debts or claims due or to become due to Company from the GA. Company may charge and set off any such amounts due from compensation payable. In addition, GA agrees to pay interest on any such outstanding indebtedness at the maximum rate of interest permitted by law. In the event of default on any debt or claim due or to become due to Company from the GA, the Company is authorized, without notice and without any judicial action, to foreclose its lien by crediting any or all of such commissions, service fees or other compensation, accrued or to accrue, toward the reduction of such debt or claim. The lien created hereby shall not be extinguished by termination of this Contract.

#### **SECTION V - COMPENSATION**

"Compensation" - means first year, renewal and override commissions and other forms of remuneration earned by GA in connection with the sale of Company's insurance products.

- 8. **Personal Production** Company will pay GA first year commissions and renewal commissions at the rates and for the policy years set forth on the Schedule of Commissions herein when the respective premiums on policies personally produced by GA are actually due and paid to the Company. If a policy personally produced by GA is lapsed for non-payment of premiums and is subsequently reinstated, except when through the direct efforts of the GA, the payment of future Compensation shall be governed by the Company's then current rules and practices.
- 9. **Agency Production** GA shall receive first year override commissions and renewal override commissions on the business produced by Agency while this contract is in force. Such first year override and renewal override commissions shall be for GA's services in recruiting, training and supervising the members of Agency and shall be at the rates shown in the Schedule of Commissions herein, subject to the following provisions:
  - (a) First year override commissions and renewal override commissions shall be equal to the difference (if any), at the time each policy is issued, between the commissions provided in the Schedule of Commissions herein and the total Compensation provided in the contracts of the members of Agency.
  - (b) Upon termination of any contracts of members of Agency, any Compensation that is no longer payable pursuant to the members' contracts shall not be used to increase the Compensation payable to GA.
  - (c) Where Company pays all of the first year and renewal commissions directly to GA on business produced by members of the Agency, GA agrees to accept full responsibility and liability for prompt and full payment of all such commissions to GA's Agents pursuant to the terms of GA's separate agreement with such Agents. In addition, GA agrees to keep appropriate commission accounting records and to send commission statements to such Agents. If a member of the Agency is terminated for cause, Company may terminate payment of future Compensation to GA on business produced by said member.
- 10. The Company shall mail to the last known address of GA as reflected on Company records a statement showing Compensation and deductions made within the monthly accounting period or at such other accounting period as determined by Company. Each statement is deemed to be correct and accurate unless objection is made in writing within thirty (30) days of the date of the statement. If the net Compensation payable in any accounting period is less than twenty-five dollars (\$25), then payment will be deferred until accrued Compensation exceeds twenty-five dollars (\$25).
- 11. Any rule or policy of Company regarding issues such as payment of Compensation, replacement of policies, conversions or underwriting requirements, in effect at the time the Compensation is earned, may affect the Compensation paid to GA and may reduce the Compensation otherwise payable pursuant to the Commission Schedules. In addition, all Compensation payable is subject to adjustment due to limitations and/or restrictions imposed by any applicable laws or regulations.
- 12. GA agrees to repay Company, by charge back or direct payment, the amount of Compensation previously paid to GA if, for any reason and at any time during or after the term of this Contract, Company refunds any premium or other monies paid on any sale made by GA under this Contract. Examples of such circumstances may include but not be limited to: returns during free look or extended free look periods, waiver of premium, premature surrender or termination of a policy, Compensation is unearned, or Compensation was paid in error. Commissions will not be paid on interim term premiums, premiums waived, premiums increased, or premiums paid in advance (except as they are applied toward payment of the current premium).

#### **SECTION VI - TERMINATION**

- 13. Except where a longer notice period is required by law, either party for any reason and without cause may terminate this Contract by giving the other party at least fifteen (15) days prior written notice, such notice to be delivered either personally, by first-class U.S. Mail or by a nationally recognized overnight courier to the party's last known address.
- 14. This Contract may be terminated immediately for cause without prior notice. For purposes of this Contract, "cause" shall include, but not be limited to, the following acts by GA:
  - (a) A violation of any of the material terms or provisions contained in this Contract including, but not limited to, Paragraph 6 hereof;
  - (b) Fraudulent, dishonest or illegal act adversely affecting the Company;
  - (c) Withholding or misappropriating funds belonging to the Company, its policyholders or applicants for any reason;
  - (d) Voluntarily surrendering or agreeing to the temporary suspension of GA's license after being cited for misconduct by any governmental authority exercising jurisdiction over GA;
  - (e) Willful violation of the laws, rules or regulations of any jurisdiction or any governmental authority exercising jurisdiction over GA; or
  - (f) Willful violation of any provisions of the HIPAA Producer Conduct Rule.
- 15. If Company believes it may have the right to terminate this Contract for cause, the Company can notify GA that it is suspending this Contract while it investigates whether cause for termination exists. This suspension can be imposed in place of terminating the Contract in order to provide time for determining the facts. Until a suspension is withdrawn by Company, it has the same effect on GA's rights to compensation and authority to represent Company hereunder

as does termination. Company will notify GA whether the suspension is to be withdrawn or the Contract is to be terminated for cause. If the suspension is withdrawn, all accumulated compensation will be paid to the GA. No interest shall be payable on any compensation withheld under this Paragraph and subsequently paid. If the Contract is terminated, the termination shall take effect as of the date GA was sent the notice of suspension, and no further compensation shall be due or payable hereunder for any reason after the date of termination.

- 16. This Contract terminates automatically in the event:
  - (a) Of GA's death, if GA is a natural person; or
  - (b) Any license or registration GA is required to maintain under the terms of this Contract is canceled, revoked or not renewed; or
  - (c) If GA is a corporation, limited liability company or partnership, GA is dissolved, or ceases to exist.

#### **SECTION VII - VESTED COMPENSATION**

- 17. Compensation due and payable to GA will be fully vested and payable to GA after termination of this Contract subject to the following provisions:
  - (a) If such termination is for any cause other than GA's death or GA's violation of any of the terms or provisions of this contract, GA will receive first year commission, first year override commission, renewal commission, and renewal override commission as provided in Paragraphs 8 and 9 hereof.
  - (b) If such termination is due to the death of the GA, the first year commission, first year override commission, renewal commission and renewal override commission as provided in Paragraphs 8 and 9 hereof, unless assigned, will be paid to the surviving spouse. Otherwise the commission will be paid to the executors, administrators or assigns of GA.
  - (c) If GA is terminated for "cause", in accordance with Paragraph 14, at, before or after such termination, all Compensation due or to accrue to the GA under this Contract and Schedule of Commissions or any previous contract and Schedule of Commissions between GA and Company shall be forfeited to Company. Forfeited Compensation will not be applied to offset any indebtedness owed by GA to Company.
  - (d) No Compensation shall be payable after such termination except as provided in this Paragraph 17, and all Compensation otherwise payable hereunder shall be subject to the lien established in Paragraph 7 and to any assignments by GA.
  - (e) If after termination of this contract the net Compensation paid to GA in a calendar year is an amount less than Three Hundred Dollars (\$300), then Company's obligation to pay Compensation in all subsequent years will terminate.

#### **SECTION VIII - RECORDS AND SUPPLIES**

18. GA shall keep correct accounts and records of all business transacted and money collected for Company, which accounts and records shall be open at all times to inspection and examination by Company's authorized representatives. All accounts, records, rate books, application forms, advertising materials, Company literature or any other supplies furnished GA by Company are the property of Company and shall be returned to Company immediately upon termination of this Contract at GA's expense.

#### **SECTION IX - RESERVED RIGHTS OF COMPANY**

- 19. Company may exercise at any time, in its sole discretion, the following rights:
  - (a) To change, amend or adopt rules and practices from time to time establishing
    - [i] First year commissions and renewal commissions for all policies, whether or not listed in the Schedule of Commissions, including but not limited to, changing, withdrawing, amending or altering such Schedule of Commissions;
    - [ii] Commissions on any new policy, which in the judgment of Company is a changed policy, taking the place of a terminated policy issued by Company;
    - [iii] Commissions on conversions;
    - [iv] Commissions on reinstated policies.
  - (b) To withdraw the future issuance of any policy;
  - (c) To withdraw from any territory;
  - (d) To modify or change its premium rates;
  - (e) To adopt rules and practices from time to time relating to any matter not otherwise provided in this Contract.

#### **SECTION X - WAIVER**

20. No act of forbearance on the part of the Company to enforce any of the provisions of this Contract shall be construed as a modification of this Contract, nor shall the failure of either party to exercise any right or privilege herein granted be considered as a waiver of such right or privilege.

#### **SECTION XI - ASSIGNMENT**

21. The GA shall not assign this Contract or any compensation payable hereunder without the prior written consent of the President of the Company.

#### **SECTION XII - MODIFICATION OR AMENDMENT**

22. Any modification or amendment of this Contract must be in writing and properly executed by GA and the President of Company.

#### **SECTION XIII - LAW, JURISDICTION AND VENUE**

23. This Contract shall be governed and construed pursuant to the laws of the State of Tennessee. Any action, suit or proceeding between the parties to this Contract, whether or not such action arises from this Contract, shall be filed in the state courts or federal courts respectively located in Williamson County and Davidson County, Tennessee. The Tennessee courts (state and federal), only, will have jurisdiction over any controversies regarding this Contract, and the parties hereto consent to the jurisdiction of said courts and said courts shall be the proper forums, solely and exclusively, for adjudication of any matters regarding or relating to this Contract or any matter between the parties. The parties agree to waive their rights to a trial by jury in any action, suit or proceeding that may arise under this Contract or that may arise for any reason between the parties.

#### **SECTION XIV - SOLE AGREEMENT**

24. This Contract, including all exhibits, Producer Conduct Rule and Schedule of Commissions as may be attached and incorporated herein by reference, constitute

the entire agreement between the parties with respect to the subject matter hereof, both oral and written. This Contract may only be amended in writing signed by both parties, including the President of this Company, except as amended by the Company itself, pursuant to Paragraph 19 of this Contract. There are no oral or written collateral representations, agreements or understandings between or by the parties except as provided in this Contract. The parties understand and agree that after the Contract has been executed, the Company shall destroy the original and the parties shall thereafter rely upon true and correct copies thereof, which shall serve the same purposes as the original.

#### **SECTION XV - SAVINGS CLAUSE**

25. If any provision of this Contract shall be contrary to the laws of the particular state, country or jurisdiction where used, such contrary provision shall not entirely invalidate this Contract, and this Contract shall be construed as not containing the particular provision held to be invalid in such state, country or jurisdiction and the rights and obligations of the GA and the Company shall be construed and enforced in such a manner as nearly as possible to effect the intent and purposes of the Contract.

#### **SECTION XVI - SURVIVAL PROVISIONS**

26. All provisions of this Contract which show by their intent, or which may be reasonably implied by their context, to survive the termination of this Contract, shall be so construed, and the parties shall liberally construe the survival of all provisions contained within this Contract.

#### SECTION XVII - PRIVACY AND NONDISCLOSURE OF FINANCIAL AND HEALTH INFORMATION

**EFFECTIVE DATE** 

This Contract shall take effect as of

27. The parties hereby acknowledge that their relationship under this Contract may invoke some of the obligations and duties under the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 ("HIPAA"). Therefore, the party receiving the Confidential Information shall be solely responsible for maintaining the security of such Confidential Information and for complying with that party's respective obligations and duties under HIPAA. The "Producer Conduct Rule" establishes GA's obligations under HIPAA and GA acknowledges receipt of the Producer Conduct Rule, which is fully incorporated herein by reference.

#### **SECTION XVIII - INDEMNIFICATION**

**HOME OFFICE USE ONLY** 

**Date Signed** 

28. GA agrees to indemnify and hold Company harmless from any and all expenses, reasonable attorney fees, costs, causes of action and damages resulting from and in consequence of the negligence, recklessness or intentional misconduct of GA or others acting for or on behalf of GA, including Agents and General Agents, including, but not limited to, failure to comply with the provisions of this Contract. GA shall defend any such claim, action, suit, or proceeding which may be brought against Company and all expenses, costs and attorney fees incurred in connection therewith shall be paid by GA. Company agrees to indemnify and hold GA harmless from any and all expenses, reasonable attorney fees, costs, causes of action and damages resulting from and in consequence of the negligence, recklessness or intentional misconduct of Company or its employees. The provisions of this section shall survive the termination of this Contract.

WITNESS WHEREOF, GA and Company have entered into this agreement through their duly authorized representatives on the dates set forth below.						
Aetna Health Insurance Company Aetna Health and Life Insurance Company Aetna Life Insurance Company American Continental Insurance Company Continental Life Insurance Company of Brentwood, Tennessee	General Agent					
Ву:	Agent signature					
Title: Chief Marketing Officer	Agent name printed:					
Date Signed:	Date Signed:					

#### COMPLETE IF GA IS INCORPORATED OR LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

FOR AND IN CONSIDERATION OF Company's execution of this Contract and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the undersigned agrees to be personally bound by all of the terms and obligations of Contract and does hereby personally guarantee the performance of all provisions and obligations of the GA in this Contract.

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Personal Signature	



Aetna Health and Life **Insurance Company** 

**Aetna Life Insurance Company** 

**American Continental Insurance Company** 

**Continental Life Insurance Company** of Brentwood, Tennessee

Aetna Companies P. O. Box 680579 Franklin, Tennessee 37068-0579 Tel: 800 264.4000 option 3, 5 Fax: 866 618 4993 AETSSIContracting@Aetna.com

**Commission Advance Addendum** 

from Aetna Health and Life Insurance Company (AHLIC), Aetna Life Insurance Company (ALIC) American Continental Insurance Company (ACI), and Continental Life Insurance Company of Brentwood, Tennessee (CLI)

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- Please fill in all appropriate information and sign where necessary.
- Please print clearly using blue or black ink.
- If completing electronically, fill in all blue highlighted areas. When complete, print form, sign, and return.
- Keep a copy of this form for your records.
- This is an addendum to the contract. A contract is required with each legal entity for which you wish to sell.

#### 1. Financing Agreement

The Producer requests commission advancing.

If approved by the Company, advancing will apply to all policies issued under the applicable Company Contract; except that (a) policies issued on the agent and the agent's immediate family members or (b) reissued policies do not qualify for advancing under this Addendum.

This Financing Agreement is not effective until it has been approved in writing by Company and Producer shall have executed a Note and Security Agreement and this Financing Agreement in a form satisfactory to Company. Moreover, Company shall have the right to discontinue advancing at any time without prior notice and for any reason, which shall include, without limitation, a Producer's existing debit balance, low production, poor business persistency or bankruptcy filing.

Company and the undersigned Producer agree that loans hereunder shall be secured by a Note and Security Agreement executed by the undersigned Producer, to which reference is made.

It is expressly understood and agreed that all payments made to the Producer under this Financing Agreement shall at all times be considered as loans, fully secured under the terms of said Note and Security Agreement, and that such Note shall be repayable upon demand regardless of whether or not the undersigned has any commissions earned, payable or to be payable. The undersigned hereby agrees to pay and be responsible for any and all loans to: 1) the undersigned; 2) the undersigned's Agency; and, 3) agents assigned to Producer ("Agency Members") for which Producer is responsible under Producer's contract with Company, or under Financing Agreements entered into by Company and such Agency Members.

Producer expressly acknowledges that Company makes no representation to Producer that it will lend, now or in the future, any money to Producer. Producer acknowledges that any expense Producer incurs in the development of any business will not be in reliance upon loans to be made by Company in the future and, to the extent that Producer develops business in expectation of future loans, such development will be at Producer's sole risk. In order to avoid any misunderstanding in the future, the parties agree that they may not amend the foregoing provisions unless such modification is reduced to writing and signed by each of the parties.

#### 2. Note and Security Agreement

For value received, the undersigned Producer and personal guarantor, if applicable, jointly and severally, promise to pay on demand by and to the order of Aetna Health and Life Insurance Company and/or Aetna Life Insurance Company and/or American Continental Insurance Company and/or Continental Life Insurance Company of Brentwood, Tennessee (hereafter collectively called "Company"), the principal sum of all indebtedness resulting from loans to Producer in accordance with the Company Financing Agreement and any remuneration, special advances, fees, charge backs, dues, interest or any other charges to Producer's accounts (herein collectively called "debit balance") which Producer agrees may be used to establish the amount of indebtedness hereunder. Furthermore, Producer agrees to pay all indebtedness incurred by agents assigned to Producer ("Agency Members") for which Producer is responsible under Producer's contract with Company, or under Financing Agreements entered into by Company and such Agency Members, if such indebtedness is not satisfied within thirty days of such Agency Member's termination or upon thirty days written notice by Company. Upon thirty days written notice or upon notice of termination of Producer's contract for any reason, parties acknowledging below agree to immediately pay Producer's debit balance, in full, in cash or by cashier's check payable to Company.

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#### 2. Note and Security Agreement (continued)

The Producer agrees that an account will be maintained in Producer's name by Company, and that pursuant to Producer's contract with Company, all amounts advanced or charged to Producer are indebtedness under this Note and bear interest as provided herein. Producer hereby agrees and consents to the assignment of this Note and Security Agreement to any bank and/or any third party assignee. Producer hereby authorizes Company to apply earned commissions under Producer's contract with Company to this debit balance account until such time that actual earnings exceed the amounts loaned plus other amounts for which Producer may be responsible.

To assure that debit balances hereunder will be repaid, Producer hereby assigns, transfers and conveys to Company a first lien upon the following: any commissions, service fees, bonuses or other compensation payable to Producer by Company or by any Company affiliates; and all credits and value from property held in Producer's name by Company or its affiliates. By execution hereof, Producer assigns to Company all of the above which will be security for indebtedness hereunder. Upon default the holder hereof shall have all rights and remedies of a secured party under applicable provisions of the Tennessee Uniform Commercial Code or other provisions of applicable law.

The current interest rate on this Note shall be .5% per month on unpaid balance of Producer's account or the maximum legal rate under applicable law, whichever is less. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary, Producer shall not be required to pay more interest for any period than the maximum legal rate permissible under applicable law.

This Note and Security Agreement ("Agreement") shall survive the termination of all contractual relationships between Producer and Company. Producer further agrees that in the event it becomes necessary to enforce payment of this Agreement through legal action, Producer will also pay the responsible attorneys' fees and court costs incurred by Company or its affiliates in enforcing this Agreement. All amounts due hereunder shall be payable at the Company office, and since this Agreement is partly to be performed in Tennessee, suit may be brought hereunder in Williamson County, Tennessee.

All parties hereto severally waive presentment for payment, notice of dishonor, protest and notice of protest.

#### 3. Disclosure of intent to obtain consumer reports

This is to advise you that Aetna Inc. and its affiliates may obtain one or more consumer reports with respect to establishing your eligibility for commission advancing, employment, appointment, promotion, reassignment, and/or retention as an employee, agent, and/or representative of Aetna Inc., or one or more of its affiliates. If requested, the report will be obtained from the investigative consumer reporting agency named below:

Applicant Insight, Inc. 5652 Meadowlane Street New Port Richey, FL, 34652 www.applicantinsight.com 800 771.7703

If a consumer report is obtained and you reside in a state with a legal requirement to provide a free copy of the consumer report upon request, we will automatically instruct the consumer reporting agency to send you a copy of the report at no charge. The report may contain information regarding your character, general reputation, personal characteristics and mode of living. The nature and scope of the report is: financial and credit history, criminal records search, licensing and disciplinary action history, and employment history verification.

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4. Acknowledgement							
Complete and return to: Fax 866 618.4993 Email AETSSIContracting@Aetna.com	Type of contract Select one  General Agent  Producer Name of entity or individual  .						
You will be charged interest for advances received at the rate of .5% per month or the maximum legal rate, whichever is less. Refer to Section 2 for details.	Entity Select one or more  Aetna Health and Life All policy premium m Aetna Life Insurance C All policy premium m American Continental All policy premium m Continental Life Insura All policy premium m	Insurance Companodes and direct Company (ALIC) nodes and direct Insurance Companodes and direct Ince Company of	bill bill any (ACI) bill Brentwood, Tenn	essee (CLI)			
	Advance period	6 months	9 months	12 months			
	Issued policies: Medicare Supplement Health Insurance Final Expense			O O N/A			
	an employee, agent,  If Producer is incorporate for and in consideration, the reagrees to be personal and Note and Security provisions and obligation.	on advancing as in of this Addendur of this Addendur on and its affiliate of therefrom with ng, employment, and/or representated or is a limition of Company's eceipt and sufficiently bound by all of ty Agreement and	m. s to procure one of each other with rappointment, protative of Aetna Inted liability comparadvancing commoncy of which is head to does hereby per	espect to establishi motion, reassignmends., or one or more of any: issions and other goereby acknowledged, bligations of this Fin	ing my eligibility for int, and/or retention as its affiliates. od and valuable , the undersigned ancing Agreement		
The parties accept full responsibility and are held liable for all debts	Corporation •			Date •			
incurred from this Commission Advance Addendum to the producer's contract.	Producer's signature			Title			
contract.  Officer title is required if Producer is incorporated or is a limited liability company.	General Agent's/Managing General Agent's signature  X						
	Home office use only.  Company approval  Signature of authorized or	fficial		Date			
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### Form (Rev. December 2014) Department of the Treasury

# Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification

Give Form to the requester. Do not send to the IRS.

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Print or type See Specific Instructions on page 2.	1 Name (as shown on your income tax return). Name is required on this line; do not leave this line blank										
	2 Business name/disregarded entity name, if different from above										
	3 Check appropriate box for federal tax classification; check only one of the following seven boxes:  ☐ Individual/sole proprietor or ☐ C Corporation ☐ S Corporation ☐ Partnership ☐ Trust/estate single-member LLC ☐ Limited liability company. Enter the tax classification (C=C corporation, S=S corporation, P=partnership) ►					Exemptions (codes apply only to certain entities, not individuals; see instructions on page 3):     Exempt payee code (if any)					
	Note. For a single-member LLC that is disregarded, do not check LLC; check the appropriate box in the line above for the tax classification of the single-member owner.					Exemption from FATCA reporting code (if any)					
	Other (see instructions) ▶					(Applies to accounts maintained outside the U.S.)					
	5 Address (number, street, and apt. or suite no.)	Requester's name and a				d address (optional)					
	6 City, state, and ZIP code										
	7 List account number(s) here (optional)			****		*************	***************************************				
Par	Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)								***************************************		
Enter	Enter your TIN in the appropriate box. The TIN provided must match the name given on line 1 to avoid  Social security number										
backup withholding. For individuals, this is generally your social security number (SSN). However, for a resident alien, sole proprietor, or disregarded entity, see the Part I instructions on page 3. For other entities, it is your employer identification number (EIN). If you do not have a number, see <i>How to get a TIN</i> on page 3.					-		-[				
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<b>Note.</b> If the account is in more than one name, see the instructions for line 1 and the chart on page 4 for guidelines on whose number to enter.				r Employer identification number							
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Pari	II Certification										
Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:											
1. The number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me); and											
2. I am not subject to backup withholding because: (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding; and											
3. 1 ar	n a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person (defined below); and										
4. The FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that I am exempt from FATCA reporting is correct.											
becau interes genera instruc	cation instructions. You must cross out item 2 above if you have been notified by the IRS see you have failed to report all interest and dividends on your tax return. For real estate transt paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, contributions ally, payments other than interest and dividends, you are not required to sign the certification tions on page 3.	sactions, to an ind	item 2 c	loes r etirem	not app nent ar	oly. F	or moi	rtgage (IRA).	and		
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#### **General Instructions**

Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code unless otherwise noted.

Future developments. Information about developments affecting Form W-9 (such as legislation enacted after we release it) is at www.irs.gov/fw9.

#### Purpose of Form

An individual or entity (Form W-9 requester) who is required to file an information return with the IRS must obtain your correct taxpayer identification number (TIN) which may be your social security number (SSN), individual taxpayer identification number (ITIN), adoption taxpayer identification number (ATIN), or employer identification number (EIN), to report on an information return the amount paid to you, or other amount reportable on an information return. Examples of information returns include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Form 1099-INT (interest earned or paid)
- Form 1099-DIV (dividends, including those from stocks or mutual funds)
- Form 1099-MISC (various types of income, prizes, awards, or gross proceeds)
- Form 1099-B (stock or mutual fund sales and certain other transactions by brokers)
- Form 1099-S (proceeds from real estate transactions)
- Form 1099-K (merchant card and third party network transactions)

- Form 1098 (home mortgage interest), 1098-E (student loan interest), 1098-T (tuition)
- Form 1099-C (canceled debt)
- Form 1099-A (acquisition or abandonment of secured property)

Use Form W-9 only if you are a U.S. person (including a resident alien), to provide your correct TIN.

If you do not return Form W-9 to the requester with a TIN, you might be subject to backup withholding. See What is backup withholding? on page 2.

By signing the filled-out form, you:

- 1. Certify that the TIN you are giving is correct (or you are waiting for a number to be issued),
  - 2. Certify that you are not subject to backup withholding, or
- 3. Claim exemption from backup withholding if you are a U.S. exempt payee. If applicable, you are also certifying that as a U.S. person, your allocable share of any partnership income from a U.S. trade or business is not subject to the withholding tax on foreign partners' share of effectively connected income, and
- 4. Certify that FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that you are exempt from the FATCA reporting, is correct. See *What is FATCA reporting?* on page 2 for further information.