

The Variable Annuity Life Insurance Company

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Important Message Regarding Your Variable Annuity Contract!

You are the owner of an Equity Director Fixed and Variable Annuity contract ("Contract") issued by The Variable Annuity Life Insurance Company (VALIC). VALIC no longer files a registration statement for the Contract and as a result does not prepare a product prospectus for your Contract.

As required pursuant to Securities and Exchange Commission regulations, VALIC will mail or email, if you elected to receive regulatory documents through electronic delivery, (i) current prospectuses for each of the funds offered in the Contract as investment options, any prospectus supplements, all proxy materials and other shareholder materials, (ii) financial statements of VALIC and VALIC Separate Account A, and (iii) semi-annual and annual reports of the funds offered in the Contract.

Be sure to read and retain any prospectus supplements, fund prospectuses and financial statements. These documents contain valuable information concerning each fund that can help you make informed decisions about your contract. Please note that not all fund companies' issue their prospectuses on the same date and additional fund related documents may be received at a later date.

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