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We invite our shareholders to the **Annual General Meeting of Allianz SE, Munich**, to be held as a **virtual general meeting** on Wednesday, May 8, 2024, at 10 a.m. (CEST).

Shareholders can follow the Annual General Meeting in its entirety live via the Company's Online Service (www.allianz.com/agm-service). Chapter III. of this Invitation contains a detailed explanation on how shareholders can access the Online Service. The opening of the Annual General Meeting by the Chairman of the Annual General Meeting as well as the speech of the Chairman of the Management Board will also be accessible to any other interested person live on the internet (www.allianz.com/agm).

Shareholders who have registered for the Annual General Meeting in due time and are registered with their respective shares with the Company's share register (*Aktienregister*) can participate electronically (via the Online Service) in the virtual Annual General Meeting and thus exercise all participation rights in the Annual General Meeting, such as the right to be informed and speak. It is not possible to submit questions in advance of the Annual General Meeting. Exercising voting rights will only be possible via (electronic) absentee voting or by authorizing persons appointed by the Company to vote on shareholders' behalf. For further details and information on the Annual General Meeting, please refer to Chapter III. of this Invitation.

In the decision to hold the Annual General Meeting 2024 virtually, the Management Board was guided in particular by the positive experiences made with the virtual Annual General Meeting of Allianz SE in 2023: The Annual General Meeting was carried out without any technical problems. Unlike in general meetings held in-person in previous years, the majority of participating shareholders did no longer come from the greater area of Munich. Instead, shareholders from all over Germany participated in the virtual Annual General Meeting. At the same time, the number of shareholders from abroad participating in the Annual General Meeting increased. For many shareholders it is the virtual format that enables them to participate in a general meeting of Allianz in the first place. Hence, the Annual General Meeting 2023 better reflected the geographical distribution of Allianz's shareholders than previous in-person general meetings. The Management Board's authorization to hold general meetings virtually was approved by a vast majority. Furthermore, the Company has received positive feedback on the handling of the Annual General Meeting 2023 subsequent to it. Specifically in light of shareholders' feedback, the Company intends to further develop the virtual format.

Like last year, this year too, all members of the Management Board and the Supervisory Board shall participate in-person in the Annual General Meeting at its venue. The venue of the Annual General Meeting within the meaning of the German Stock Corporation Act is Koeniginstrasse 28, 80802 Munich, Germany. Physical presence of shareholders and their representatives at the venue of the Annual General Meeting is excluded (with the exception of the persons appointed by the Company to vote on shareholders' behalf). Participation in accordance with § 118 (1) sentence 2 German Stock Corporation Act ("Aktiengesetz – AktG") is also not possible.



# I. Agenda

 Presentation of the approved Annual Financial Statements and the approved Consolidated Financial Statements as of December 31, 2023, and of the Management Reports for Allianz SE and for the Group, as well as the Report of the Supervisory Board for fiscal year 2023

These documents include the Corporate Governance Statement pursuant to §§ 289f (1) and 315d of the German Commercial Code ("Handelsgesetzbuch – HGB") as well as the explanatory reports on the disclosures pursuant to §§ 289a sentence 1 and 315a sentence 1 HGB and are available on the internet at <a href="https://www.allianz.com/agm">www.allianz.com/agm</a>. In addition, the materials will be made available and explained at the Annual General Meeting.

The Supervisory Board has already approved the Annual Financial Statements and Consolidated Financial Statements prepared by the Management Board. The Financial Statements have thus been formally adopted. Hence, as stipulated by law, no resolution is planned for Agenda Item 1.

#### 2. Appropriation of net earnings

The Management Board and the Supervisory Board propose that the net earnings (*Bilanzgewinn*) of Allianz SE of EUR 5,939,145,880.15 for the fiscal year 2023 is appropriated as follows:

Distribution of a dividend of EUR 13.80 per no-par value share entitled to a dividend: ...... EUR 5,402,128,528.20 Unappropriated earnings carried forward: ...... EUR 537,017,351.95

The proposal for the appropriation of net earnings reflects the 260,394 treasury shares held directly and indirectly by the Company at December 31, 2023. Such treasury shares are not entitled to the dividend pursuant to § 71b AktG. Should there be any change in the number of shares entitled to the dividend by the date of the Annual General Meeting, the above proposal will be amended accordingly and presented for resolution on the appropriation of net earnings at the Annual General Meeting, with an unchanged dividend of EUR 13.80 per no-par value share entitled to a dividend.

Pursuant to § 58 (4) sentence 2 AktG the claim to dividends is due on the third business day following the resolution adopted by the General Meeting.

#### 3. Approval of the actions of the members of the Management Board

The Management Board and the Supervisory Board propose that the actions in fiscal year 2023 of the members of the Management Board of Allianz SE that held office in fiscal year 2023 be approved. The actions will be approved by way of individual resolutions, i.e., separately for each Management Board member.

The actions of the following members of the Management Board that held office in fiscal year 2023 are up for approval:



- a) Oliver Bäte
- b) Sirma Boshnakova
- c) Dr. Barbara Karuth-Zelle
- d) Dr. Klaus-Peter Röhler
- e) Giulio Terzariol
- f) Dr. Günther Thallinger
- g) Christopher Townsend
- h) Renate Wagner
- i) Dr. Andreas Wimmer

#### 4. Approval of the actions of the members of the Supervisory Board

The Management Board and the Supervisory Board propose that the actions in fiscal year 2023 of the members of the Supervisory Board of Allianz SE that held office in fiscal year 2023 be approved. The actions will be approved by way of individual resolutions, i.e., separately for each Supervisory Board member.

The actions of the following members of the Supervisory Board that held office in fiscal year 2023 are up for approval:

- a) Michael Diekmann
- b) Gabriele Burkhardt-Berg
- c) Herbert Hainer
- d) Sophie Boissard
- e) Christine Bosse
- f) Rashmy Chatterjee
- g) Dr. Friedrich Eichiner
- h) Jean-Claude Le Goaër
- i) Martina Grundler
- i) Frank Kirsch
- k) Jürgen Lawrenz
- l) Primiano Di Paolo

# 5. Appointment of the statutory auditor of the Annual Financial Statements, the statutory auditor of the Consolidated Financial Statements, and the auditor for performing the review of the Half-year Financial Report

The Supervisory Board, based on the recommendation of the Audit Committee, proposes that PricewaterhouseCoopers GmbH Wirtschaftsprüfungsgesellschaft, Frankfurt am Main, be appointed as statutory auditor of the Annual Financial Statements and the Consolidated Financial Statements for the fiscal year 2024, and as the auditor to perform the review of the Half-year Financial Report as of June 30, 2024.



The Audit Committee has declared that its recommendation is free from influence by a third party and that no clause of the kind referred to in Art. 16 (6) of the EU Audit Regulation (Regulation (EU) No 537/2014 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 16 April 2014) limiting its scope of choice was imposed upon it.

#### 6. Approval of the Remuneration Report

In accordance with § 162 AktG, the Management Board and the Supervisory Board have prepared a report on the remuneration granted and due to current and former members of the Management Board and the Supervisory Board in fiscal year 2023, which they present to the Annual General Meeting for approval.

The Remuneration Report has been audited by the statutory auditor in accordance with § 162 (3) AktG to ascertain that all information has been provided pursuant to § 162 (1) and (2) AktG. The auditor was also mandated – beyond the statutory requirements – to conduct an audit of the contents of the Remuneration Report. The statutory auditor's opinion issued in respect of the audit of the Remuneration Report is enclosed with the Remuneration Report.

The Remuneration Report for the fiscal year 2023 can be found below, in Chapter II.

The Management Board and the Supervisory Board propose to approve the Remuneration Report for the fiscal year 2023, prepared and audited in accordance with § 162 AktG.

#### 7. New elections to the Supervisory Board

The term of office of Christine Bosse and Herbert Hainer terminates with the end of the Annual General Meeting taking place on May 8, 2024. For this reason, the Annual General Meeting needs to elect two new shareholder representatives to the Supervisory Board.

Pursuant to Art. 40 (2), (3) of Council Regulation (EC) No. 2157/2001 of 8 October 2001 on the Statute for a European company (SE) ("SE-VO"), § 17 SE Implementation Act ("SE-Ausführungsgesetz – SEAG"), § 21 (3) SE Participation Act ("SE-Beteiligungsgesetz – SEBG"), Part B of the Agreement concerning the Participation of Employees in Allianz SE in the version dated June 2021 (Employee Participation Agreement), § 6 of the Statutes of Allianz SE, the Supervisory Board consists of twelve members and is to be composed of six shareholder representatives and six employee representatives. The shareholder representatives are elected by the General Meeting. Pursuant to the Employee Participation Agreement, employee representatives are elected by the SE Works Council.

Upon proposal of the Nomination Committee of the Supervisory Board and taking into account the objectives for the Supervisory Board's composition, including the competence profile and diversity concept developed for the entire Board, the Supervisory Board proposes to elect the following persons as shareholder representatives to the Supervisory Board of Allianz SE:

- a) Stephanie Bruce, Edinburgh and London, United Kingdom, former Chief Financial Officer of abrdn plc.;
- b) Dr Jörg Schneider, Eichenau, Germany, former Chief Financial Officer of Münchener Rückversicherungs-Gesellschaft Aktiengesellschaft in München (Munich Re).



The proposed candidates are to be appointed for a term until the end of the general meeting which resolves on the approval of actions in respect of the fiscal year 2027.

The proposed candidates have no personal or business relations within the meaning of section C.13. of the German Corporate Governance Code with Allianz SE or Group companies, the governing bodies of Allianz SE, or a shareholder with a material interest in the Company. The proposed candidates are considered as independent from the Company and its Management Board. In addition, the Supervisory Board verified with both candidates that they can devote the amount of time expected to be required.

According to § 17 (2) SEAG, the Supervisory Board of Allianz SE must be composed of at least 30 % of both women and men. With the election of the proposed candidates, the minimum requirement of 30 % will be met.

It is intended to have the Annual General Meeting vote on the election to the Supervisory Board on an individual basis.

The CVs of the proposed candidates can be found in Chapter II.

8. Authorization to acquire treasury shares pursuant to § 71 (1) no. 8 AktG (also by means of derivatives and via multilateral trading facilities) and for their utilization with the authorization to exclude shareholders' subscription rights

On May 4, 2022, the Annual General Meeting has authorized the Management Board to acquire and utilize treasury shares pursuant to § 71 (1) no. 8 AktG, the former also by means of derivatives and via multilateral trading facilities. This authorization expires on May 3, 2025, and is to be renewed.

The Management Board and the Supervisory Board, therefore, propose that the following resolution be adopted:

- a) Allianz SE is authorized to acquire treasury shares in an amount of up to 10 % of the share capital of Allianz SE existing at the time of the authorization. In case the share capital decreases by the time of execution of the authorization, the decreased amount shall be decisive. The total amount of treasury shares acquired, together with other treasury shares held by Allianz SE and shares that the Company is deemed to hold pursuant to §§ 71a et seq. AktG must at no time exceed 10 % of the share capital. This authorization shall not be used for the purpose of trading in the Company's treasury shares.
- b) This authorization may be exercised in part or in whole and once or several times, to pursue one or several purposes by Allianz SE or by other companies controlled or majority-owned by Allianz SE or by third parties acting for the account of such companies or for the account of the Company. This authorization is effective until May 7, 2029. The currently existing authorizations to acquire (also by means of derivatives and via multilateral trading facilities) and utilize treasury shares for other purposes adopted by the Annual General Meeting of the Company on May 4, 2022, under Agenda Items 11 and 12 and expiring on May 3, 2025, shall be cancelled upon this new authorization coming into effect, insofar as they were not utilized.
- c) The acquisition of treasury shares may be carried out at the discretion of the Management Board (1) through a stock exchange, (2) through a public tender offer, (3) through a public exchange offer for shares of a stock exchange-listed company within the meaning of § 3 (2) AktG, (4) by means of derivatives, or (5) via multilateral trading facilities.



- (1) If the shares are acquired through a stock exchange, the purchase price per share (excluding incidental costs) shall not exceed by more than 10 %, and not fall short of by more than 10 %, the price determined on the day of trading by the opening auction in the Xetratrading system (or any comparable successor system at the Frankfurt Stock Exchange).
- (2) If the shares are acquired through a public tender offer, the tender price per share or the high and low ends of the price range (excluding incidental costs) shall not exceed by more than 10 %, and not fall short of by more than 20 %, the arithmetic mean of the closing prices in the Xetra-trading system (or any comparable successor system at the Frankfurt Stock Exchange) on the fifth, fourth and third trading day prior to the public announcement of the tender offer. If, after the publication of the public tender offer, material deviations in the relevant market price occur, the offer can be adjusted. In such a case, the basis of any adjustment will be the arithmetic mean of the closing prices in the Xetra-trading system (or any comparable successor system at the Frankfurt Stock Exchange) on the fifth, fourth and third trading day prior to the public announcement of the adjustment.
- (3) If the shares are acquired through a public tender offer to exchange Allianz SE shares for shares of a stock exchange-listed company within the meaning of § 3 (2) AktG ("exchange shares"), the exchange ratio may be stipulated or may be determined by way of an auction. Consideration in cash may supplement the delivery of exchange shares or may be used to settle fractional amounts. Irrespective of the procedure for the exchange, the exchange price per share or the relevant high and low ends of the exchange price range in form of one or more exchange shares and calculative fractional amounts, including any cash or fractional amounts (excluding incidental costs), shall not exceed by more than 10 %, and not fall short of by more than 20 %, the relevant value per share in Allianz SE.

The relevant value of the shares of Allianz SE and of the exchange shares shall be determined based on the arithmetic mean of the relevant closing prices in the Xetra-trading system (or any comparable successor system at the Frankfurt Stock Exchange) on the fifth, fourth and third trading day prior to the public announcement of the exchange offer. In case the exchange shares are not traded at the Frankfurt Stock Exchange, the closing prices of the respective stock exchange at which the exchange shares had the largest trading numbers in the prior calendar year shall be decisive. If, after the public announcement of the public exchange offer, material deviations in the relevant market prices occur, the offer can be adjusted. In such a case the basis of any adjustment will be the arithmetic mean of the relevant closing prices on the fifth, fourth and third trading day prior to the public announcement of the adjustment.

(4) The acquisition of treasury shares may also be carried out by (i) selling options, whereby the Company takes on the obligation to acquire shares in Allianz SE upon exercise ("put options"), (ii) purchasing options that entitle the Company to acquire shares in Allianz SE upon exercise ("call options"), (iii) concluding purchase agreements, in which there are more than two trading days between the conclusion of the agreement for purchasing Allianz SE shares and the fulfillment through the delivery of Allianz SE shares ("forward purchases") or (iv) a combination of put and/or call options and/or forward purchases (all referred to in the following as "derivatives"). The acquisition of treasury shares by way of derivatives has to be carried out by a credit institution, a securities institution or an undertaking that fulfills the requirements of  $\S$  186 (5) sentence 1 AktG. The term of the individual derivatives must be chosen in such a way that the acquisition of Allianz shares upon the exercise or fulfillment of the derivatives will take place no later than May 7, 2029.

The terms and conditions of the derivatives shall ensure that the shares to be delivered to the Company upon exercise or fulfillment of the derivatives have previously been acquired



in keeping with the legal principle of equal treatment. In particular, an acquisition via a stock exchange fulfills this requirement.

The price stipulated in the derivative for the acquisition of one share (excluding incidental costs) in case the options are exercised or the forward purchases are fulfilled shall not exceed by more than 10 %, and not fall short of by more than 10 %, the price of shares in the Company determined by the opening auction in the Xetra-trading system (or any comparable successor system at the Frankfurt Stock Exchange) on the day the derivative contract is concluded. The acquisition price paid by the Company for options shall not materially exceed, and the selling price received by the Company for options shall not materially fall short of, the theoretical market value of the relevant options determined according to recognized finance-mathematical methods, the calculation of such market value taking into account, inter alia, the agreed exercise price. The forward rate agreed by the Company for forward purchases shall not materially exceed the theoretical forward rate determined according to recognized finance-mathematical methods, the calculation of which takes into account, inter alia, the current stock exchange price and the term of the forward purchase.

If treasury shares are acquired using derivatives according to the above rules, the right of shareholders to conclude such derivative contracts with the Company is excluded, in corresponding application of  $\S$  186 (3) sentence 4 AktG. Shareholders have a right to tender their shares in the Company only insofar as the Company is obligated vis-à-vis the shareholder to purchase shares under the derivative contracts. Any further right to tender is excluded.

Existing derivatives agreed during the existence of previous authorizations and on the basis of those authorizations may still be used to acquire treasury shares subject to the preceding conditions.

(5) The acquisition may also be performed using multilateral trading facilities ("MTF") within the definition of § 2 (6) German Stock Exchange Act ("Börsengesetz – BörsG"). The purchase price per share (excluding incidental costs) may not, by more than 10 %, exceed or fall short of the price determined on the day of trading by the opening auction in the Xetra-trading system (or any comparable successor system at the Frankfurt Stock Exchange).

In the cases of (2) and (3), the volume of the acquisition can be restricted. If the public tender offer to acquire or exchange is oversubscribed, the shares will be acquired on a pro-rata basis to the respective tendered shares; to this extent the right of shareholders to tender their shares pro-rata to their participation quota is excluded. Preferential acceptance may be provided for small lots of up to 100 tendered shares per shareholder. The purchase or exchange offer may stipulate additional conditions.

- d) The Management Board is authorized to use shares in the Company acquired on the basis of this authorization for any lawful purposes, including any of the following:
  - (1) The shares can be sold in ways other than through a stock exchange or through an offer to the shareholders, if they are sold for cash at a price not substantially below the stock exchange price of shares in the Company at the time of the sale. This authorization is, however, subject to the requirement that the total number of shares sold under exclusion of subscription rights in corresponding application of § 186 (3) sentence 4 AktG shall not exceed 10 % of the share capital, neither at the time of this authorization becoming effective nor at the time of its exercise. All shares that are issued from authorized capital during the term of this authorization under exclusion of subscription rights pursuant to § 186 (3) sentence 4 AktG must be counted towards this limitation. Furthermore, shares required to be issued to meet obligations arising from bonds (including participation rights) carrying con-



version or option rights or conversion obligations must also be counted towards this limitation, provided that these bonds or participation rights were issued during the term of this authorization under exclusion of subscription rights in corresponding application of  $\S$  186 (3) sentence 4 AktG.

- (2) The shares may be sold for contributions in kind, particularly in connection with the acquisition of companies or interests in companies.
- (3) The shares may be utilized for placement of shares in the Company on foreign stock exchanges on which they are not yet admitted for trading. The initial offer price (excluding incidental costs) of these shares when being placed on additional stock exchanges may not be more than 5 % below the closing price in the Xetra-trading system (or any comparable successor system at the Frankfurt Stock Exchange) on the last trading day prior to the placement.
- (4) The shares may be used to meet obligations under conversion or option rights which were granted by the Company or any of its Group companies in connection with bond issues (including participation rights), or to meet obligations arising from bonds (including participation rights) carrying conversion obligations issued by the Company or any of its Group companies.
- (5) The shares may be offered for purchase to employees of Allianz SE or any of its Group companies. The shares may also be transferred to a third party, if and as long it is legally guaranteed that the third party offers such shares to the aforementioned employees for purchase.
- (6) The shares may be redeemed without an additional resolution by the General Meeting authorizing such redemption of shares or its implementation. The redemption will result in a decrease of the share capital. Deviating from this, the Management Board may decide that the share capital remains unchanged when redeeming shares and that instead of that, the redemption will increase the pro-rata amount of the remaining shares in the share capital pursuant to § 8 (3) AktG. In this case, the Management Board is authorized to adjust the number of shares stated in the Statutes.
- e) The authorizations under lit. d) also apply to the use of shares in the Company acquired on the basis of earlier authorizations pursuant to § 71 (1) no. 8 AktG and to any shares acquired by Group companies or pursuant to § 71d sentence 5 AktG.
- f) The authorizations under lit. d) may be exercised once or several times, in part or in whole, individually or jointly. The authorizations under lit. d) (1), (2), (4), and (5) may also be used by companies controlled or majority-owned by Allianz SE or by third parties acting on the account of such companies or on the account of the Company.
- g) The shareholders' subscription rights on these treasury shares are excluded insofar as these shares are used in accordance with the above authorization under lit. d) (1) to (5). Furthermore, the Management Board is authorized, in the event of a sale of treasury shares by an offer to all shareholders, to grant holders of bonds (including participation rights) carrying conversion or option rights or conversion obligations issued by the Company or its Group companies subscription rights on these shares to the extent they would be entitled thereto after having exercised the conversion or option right or after any conversion obligation has been fulfilled; to this extent, shareholders' subscription rights for these treasury shares are excluded.



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The Remuneration Report describes the structure and arrangements of the remuneration system for the Board of Management and the Supervisory Board of Allianz SE. It explains the application of the remuneration system in the 2023 financial year, using detailed and individualized specifications on the remuneration of current and former members of the Board of Management and the Supervisory Board.

The report was jointly created by the Board of Management and the Supervisory Board, taking into consideration the requirements of § 162 of the German Stock Corporation Act (AktG), and the recommendations of the German Corporate Governance Code in its currently valid version.

It was also decided to allow the auditor to carry out a comprehensive, content audit of the Remuneration Report going above and beyond the legal requirements of § 162 (3) AktG.

# The remuneration year of 2023 at a glance

#### The economic and geopolitical environment

In the first half of the year in particular, 2023 was characterized by the continued dynamic inflation trend in many leading economies. Only in the second half of the year was a slow normalization of inflation rates achieved thanks to rapid interest rate hikes by central banks. The economic impact of high inflation and restrictive monetary policy was also evident on the international capital markets. In addition to high claims inflation, the insurance industry and asset management therefore also had to successfully navigate a very volatile investment environment. Natural disasters, such as the earthquake in Türkiye and Syria as well as thunderstorms in Germany, also posed major challenges for our industry in 2023. The ongoing war in Ukraine and the conflict in the Middle East contributed to the challenging geopolitical and economic environment.

The Supervisory Board's Personnel Committee closely monitored business developments, particularly with regard to potential target achievement at Group level and individual remuneration targets at the half-year and year-end 2023. In addition to the financial targets, the non-financial targets and target achievement for 2023 were also discussed intensively, and changes to the Management Board were prepared and implemented.

#### **Group financial targets**

The annual bonus and the long-term incentive (LTI) allocation are based on two Group financial targets for the relevant financial year: operating profit and net income attributable to shareholders, each at 50 %.

The operating profit target of € 14.20 bn was exceeded to € 14.75 bn, as the Property-Casualty, Life/Health, and Corporate and Other business segments achieved growth in operating profit and more than compensated for the slight decline in the Asset Management business segment. This resulted in a target achievement of 107.69 % for the operating profit.

The transition to IFRS 9 means a significant increase in the share of assets measured at fair value through profit or loss on the balance sheet in the Property-Casualty business segment and thus significantly higher volatility of the net income in combination with fewer steering options. In the Board's remuneration system, which will be submitted for approval by the 2025

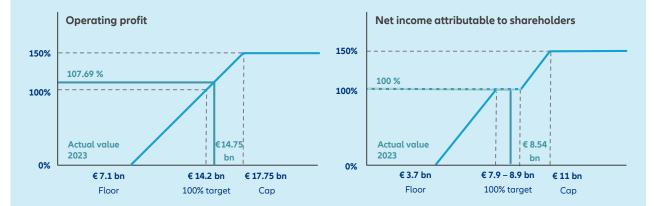


Annual General Meeting, the Group's financial target of net income attributable to shareholders will be adjusted going forward by eliminating certain non-operating effects such as fluctuations from market movements.

For the 2023 financial year, the bonus curve was adjusted in order to address fluctuations in the net income that the Board of Management cannot control in either direction. For this purpose, 100 % target achievement was defined as a plateau with an upward or downward fluctuation range of € 500 mn.

Net income attributable to shareholders amounted to € 8.54 bn in the past financial year and was therefore within the target range of  $\in$  7.9 – 8.9 bn, resulting in a target achievement of 100.00 %.

Overall, this results in a target achievement rate for the Group's financial targets of 103.85 %.



#### **Board of Management performance in 2023**

In the financial year under review, the Board of Management faced unprecedented challenges requiring a team effort. In addition to the geopolitical and macroeconomic challenges, the Board of Management had to meet supervisory requirements and adopt decisions to implement the digital future. These topics had to be jointly addressed by the entire Board of Management across the divisional areas of responsibility. The members of the Board of Management also successfully handled the additional tasks arising from the streamlining effected in the financial year under review. This applies in particular to the business activities in Spain, Portugal and Latin America, Allianz X, and the implementation of IT verticalization and business model transformation.

As a result, the Board of Management achieved a record result in terms of operating profit and net income, despite a massive adverse impact resulting from natural disasters, high inflation, and rapidly rising interest rates. This strong overall performance was achieved on a sustainable basis: Customer satisfaction at Allianz once again reached top scores. The proportion of local business segments considered as market leaders in terms of customer satisfaction as measured by the digital Net Promoter Score (dNPS), for example, grew to 59 %. Employee testimonials were also very positive. The Inclusive Meritocracy Index and Work Well Index Plus, which are used to measure employee satisfaction, rose to new record levels of 81 % and 76 %, respectively, bucking a negative trend in the industry. In addition, the Board of Management also met its ambitious environmental targets. Examples include CO<sub>2</sub> emissions per employee, which were reduced by 62 % versus the baseline year 2019 and were thus further reduced compared to the



previous year (-57 %) despite a normalization of travel behavior after the end of the COVID-19 pandemic.

Due to the very good overall team performance of the Board of Management in all cross-divisional matters, for the first time the Supervisory Board unanimously decided to refrain from differentiating the individual contribution factor for the annual bonus for the 2023 financial year and to set a common factor of 1.15 for the regular Board members and to assess Mr. Bäte's performance in leading the Board of Management team with a factor of 1.17. Individual performance by the individual members of the Board of Management is described in detail below.

#### Potential application of malus and clawback

In the financial year, there was no reason to reduce the payment of variable remuneration (malus) or to reclaim variable remuneration already paid out (clawback).

#### Approval of remuneration system and Remuneration Report

The system for the remuneration of members of the Board of Management was approved by the Annual General Meeting on 5 May 2021 with a majority vote of 87.14 %. The remuneration system applies to all members of the Board of Management who were in office in the 2023 financial year.

The Remuneration Report for 2022 was approved at the Annual General Meeting on 4 May 2023 with a majority vote of 82.94 %.

Overall, the remuneration system and the Remuneration Report are strongly supported by investors and proxy advisors. In discussions with the Supervisory Board, it is emphasized, among other things, that the transparency provided with regard to Board of Management remuneration exceeds the best practice standard in Germany in many respects and that the Supervisory Board exercises its discretionary powers, as granted to them to the usual extent, very responsibly.

#### Changes to the composition of the Board of Management

Giulio Terzariol was released from his mandate as a member of the Board of Management on 31 December 2023 so that he can pursue a career opportunity outside the company in his home country.

Claire-Marie Coste-Lepoutre took over from Giulio Terzariol on 1 January 2024 and has been working with Mr. Terzariol on a seamless handover of his responsibilities.



# Remuneration of the Allianz SE Board of Management

#### **Key principles of Board remuneration**

Remuneration is designed to be appropriate compared to peer companies, given the Allianz Group's range of business activities, operating environment, and business results achieved. The aim is to ensure and promote sustainable and value-oriented management of the company that is in line with our corporate strategy. The key principles are as follows:

- Support of the Group's strategy: The design of variable compensation, and in particular of performance targets, reflects the business strategy and sustainable long-term development of the Allianz Group.
- Alignment of pay and performance: The performance-based variable component of the remuneration of members of the Board of Management forms a significant portion of the overall remuneration, corresponding to 70 % of the target compensation.
- · Sustainability of performance and alignment with shareholder interests: A major part of the variable remuneration reflects longer-term performance, with deferred payout (64 %), and is linked to the absolute and relative performance of the Allianz share price.

#### **Determination of the remuneration system**

The Board of Management's remuneration is decided upon by the entire Supervisory Board, based on proposals prepared by the Supervisory Board's Personnel Committee. If required, the Supervisory Board may seek outside advice from independent external consultants. The Personnel Committee and the Supervisory Board consult with the Chairperson of the Board of Management in assessing the performance and remuneration of Board of Management members. The Chairperson of the Board of Management is generally not involved in discussion about their own remuneration. The Supervisory Board designs the remuneration system for the members of the Board of Management in accordance with the requirements of the AktG in its currently valid version, as well as with regulatory requirements and the recommendations of the German Corporate Governance Code.

Clarity and comprehensibility are ensured at all times. Feedback from investors is also considered.

#### Determination and adequacy of Board of Management remuneration

Based on the remuneration system, the Supervisory Board determines the target total compensation and regularly reviews the appropriateness of the remuneration. This is based on both a horizontal comparison (i.e., with peer companies) and a vertical comparison (in relation to Allianz employees). Again, the Supervisory Board's Personnel Committee develops respective recommendations, if necessary with the assistance of external consultants.

The structure, weighting, and level of each remuneration component should be adequate and appropriate.

#### Horizontal appropriateness

The Supervisory Board regularly benchmarks the remuneration of the Board of Management of Allianz SE against other DAX companies and selected international companies (including, for example, the top positions in the STOXX Europe 600 Insurance), taking into account the company's position, and the Allianz Group's long-term performance, relative size, complexity, and internationality.



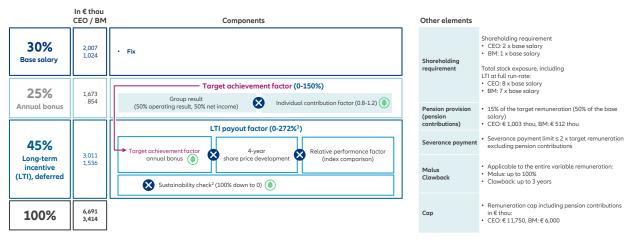
As part of the review in 2022 of the appropriateness of the remuneration of the Board of Management, a need to adjust the level of remuneration for the Board members at Allianz SE was identified for 2023 and going forward. A comparison of Board of Management remuneration with the DAX 40 companies on the basis of turnover, number of employees and market capitalization shows that the remuneration of the Chairperson of the Management Board and the ordinary members of the Management Board is below the comparative value. In addition, the reduction of the entire Board of Management to nine members and the associated redistribution of tasks led to an increase in the workload for the remaining Board members. For these reasons, the Supervisory Board deemed an increase in the annual target remuneration of 5 % for all Board members to be appropriate. The exact amounts can be found in the graph relating to the overview of the structure of the target remuneration.

#### **Vertical appropriateness**

This comparison is based on the total direct remuneration of a member of the Board of Management and the average direct remuneration of an employee of the German Allianz companies. The Supervisory Board's decision in December is based on the factor resulting from this comparison for the previous financial year. For the 2022 financial year, the factor for the Chairperson of the Board of Management to an employee was "65" and the factor for a regular Board member to an employee was "37". For the 2023 financial year, the respective factor for the Chairperson of the Board of Management to an employee is "68" and the factor regular board member to employee is "36".

#### Overview of the Allianz SE remuneration system

The following diagram provides an overview of the structure and amount of the target remuneration of the members of the Board of Management in the 2023 financial year.



CEO = Chief Executive Officer, BM = regular Board member.



Consideration of sustainability criteria.

 $<sup>1</sup>_{The}$  cap of € 11,750 thou, or € 6,000 thou including pension contributions, limits the LTI effective payout to a maximum of 272 % of the target allocation value

<sup>2</sup>\_Review of target achievement for sustainability on the basis of financial, environmental, and social criteria.

#### Components of the Board of Management remuneration and their relation to strategy

#### **Fixed remuneration**

The fixed remuneration components comprise the base salary, perquisites, and pension contributions. These components provide competitive remuneration to attract and retain Board of Management members with experience and skills that enable them to develop and successfully implement the Allianz Group's strategy. They secure a reasonable level of income in line with market conditions and promote a company management that is commensurate with risk.

#### **Base salary**

The base salary, which is not performance-related, is paid in twelve equal monthly installments.

#### **Perquisites**

Perquisites mainly consist of contributions to accident and liability insurances, tax consultant fees, and the provision of a company car and further individual perquisites if applicable. Perquisites are not linked to performance. Each member of the Board of Management is responsible for paying the income tax due on these perquisites. The Supervisory Board regularly reviews the level of perquisites; a contractual annual cap applies. If an appointment to the Board of Management requires a change of residence, relocation expenses are reimbursed to an appropriate extent.

#### **Pension contribution**

To provide competitive and cost-effective retirement and disability benefits, company contributions to the defined-contribution pension plan "My Allianz Pension" are invested with a guarantee for the contributions paid but no further interest guarantee.

Each year, the Supervisory Board decides whether a budget is provided and, if so, to what extent. The current pension contribution generally represents 15 % of the target remuneration of the Board members.

Apart from cases of occupational or general disability for medical reasons, the earliest age a pension can be drawn is 62. Should Board membership cease before the retirement age is reached, accrued pension rights are maintained if vesting requirements are met.

Members of the Board of Management may have additional pension entitlements under former pension plans based on previous positions in the Allianz Group or due to membership of the Board of Management prior to 2015. Payments of social insurance contributions abroad required by Allianz in individual cases may also give rise to additional pension entitlements.

#### Performance-based remuneration

The performance-based variable remuneration includes the short-term annual bonus and longterm share-based remuneration. This composition aims to balance short-term performance, longer-term success, and sustained value creation. The Supervisory Board ensures that the variable remuneration targets are challenging, sustainable, and ambitious.

#### **Annual bonus**

The annual bonus provides incentives for profitable growth and further development of the operating business by successfully implementing the business objectives for the respective financial



year. In doing so, the overall responsibility for reaching the Group targets as well as the individual performance with regard to the operational responsibilities of the individual members of the Board of Management are taken into consideration.

The annual bonus is calculated by multiplying the target achievement factor by the target amount for the annual bonus. It is paid out in cash after the end of the relevant financial year, with payment limited to a maximum of 150 % of the target amount.

#### Long-term incentive - LTI

The long-term, share-based remuneration is oriented mainly towards the sustainable increase in the enterprise value. Taking the share price performance in absolute and relative terms as a basis, it encourages combining the interests of the shareholders with those of the members of the Board of Management.

Other stakeholder aspects are taken into consideration by setting strategic sustainability targets. The achievement of these targets forms the basis for the final assessment at the end of the fouryear contractual vesting period.

Almost two thirds (64 %) of the variable remuneration is share-based, so as to adequately reflect the long-term performance of the company in the Board of Management remuneration.

#### Additional remuneration principles

#### Shareholding obligation and shareholding exposure

The members of the Board of Management are obliged to build up the following degree of share ownership within three years:

- Chairperson of the Board of Management: two times base salary, i.e., € 4,013 thou.
- Regular Board of Management member: one time base salary, i.e., € 1,024 thou.

Ownership is required for the entire term of service on the Board of Management. Shares will be acquired through mandatory pay component conversion. In the event of a base salary increase, the shareholding obligation increases accordingly. The ownership obligation ceases with the end of the mandate.

In combination with the virtual shares (RSU) accumulated over four years through the LTI plan, the Allianz SE Board of Management has significant economic exposure to Allianz stock. This amounts to approximately 800 % of base salary for the Chairperson and approximately 700 % of base salary for a regular Board member.

#### Malus/clawback

In order to ensure sustainable corporate development and to avoid taking inappropriate risks, variable remuneration components may not be paid, or payment may be restricted, in the event of a significant breach of the Allianz Code of Conduct or regulatory Solvency II policies or standards, including risk limits.

In the same way, variable remuneration components already paid may be subject to a clawback for three years after payout. Additionally, a reduction or cancellation of variable remuneration



may be implemented if this is required by the supervisory authority (BaFin) in accordance with its statutory powers.

#### Payout cap

In accordance with § 87a (1) sentence 2 (1) AktG and the recommendations of the German Corporate Governance Code, the Supervisory Board has determined a remuneration cap.

Thus, the actual payout for the underlying financial year – comprising the base salary, variable remuneration and pension service cost – will be capped at maximum of € 11,750 thou for the Chairperson of the Board of Management, and at € 6,000 thou for a regular member of the Board of Management. If the remuneration for the financial year exceeds this amount, compliance with the maximum limit will be ensured by reducing the payout of the long-term variable remuneration accordingly.

This payout cap principle was introduced for the first time for the 2019 financial year. Given that the actual amount of the long-term variable remuneration paid out cannot be determined until after vesting and the final sustainability assessment, compliance with the payout cap will be reported on for the first time in the Remuneration Report for the 2024 financial year.

#### **Deviation from the remuneration system**

The Supervisory Board can temporarily deviate from the remuneration system in exceptional circumstances in accordance with the statutory requirements (§ 87a (2) AktG), if this is necessary in the interests of the long-term welfare of the company. The assessment may take into account both macroeconomic and company-related exceptional circumstances, such as impairment of the longterm viability and profitability of the company. The deviation requires a prior proposal by the Personnel Committee.

Particular components of the remuneration system from which deviations may be made in exceptional cases include the base salary, the annual bonus and the LTI, including their relationship to each other, their respective assessment bases where applicable, the target setting and target achievement assessment principles, and the determination of any payout and payment dates. The duration of the deviation shall be determined by the Supervisory Board at its due discretion, but should not exceed a period of four years. In a crisis situation, for example, this principle is intended to allow the appointment of a new Board member with skills such as crisis management expertise, with a remuneration structure that temporarily deviates from the remuneration structure.

In the 2023 financial year, the Supervisory Board did not make use of the option to deviate from the remuneration system.

#### Remuneration adjustment

The Supervisory Board is also entitled to take appropriate account of extraordinary unforeseeable developments when determining the amount of the variable remuneration components. This rule takes up a recommendation of the German Corporate Governance Code and allows for the adjustment of the remuneration in rare unforeseeable exceptional cases.

Conceivable cases of application include, for example, significant changes in accounting rules, or in the tax or regulatory framework, as well as catastrophic events not yet known at the time of target setting. The application of this rule may also lead to a reduction in the variable remuneration.



The Supervisory Board may also adjust the target remuneration of members of the Board of Management, insofar as this is appropriate to ensure that the remuneration of the Chairperson of the Board of Management or a regular member of the Board of Management is appropriate with regard to their duties and performance. In doing so, it shall take into account the horizontal and vertical comparison of the Board of Management remuneration. The aim of this rule is to moderately adjust Board of Management remuneration on the basis of horizontal and vertical salary trends, and thus to avoid major salary increases.

Rather than being automatic, adjustment requires a justified decision by the Supervisory Board on a case-by-case basis. Such a moderate adjustment of the target remuneration does not in itself represent a significant change to the remuneration system. These adjustments or deviations must be justified in detail in the respective Remuneration Report for the financial year.

#### **Termination of service**

Board of Management contracts are limited to a period of five years. For new appointments, a shorter period of up to three years is provided based on the recommendation by the German Corporate Governance Code.

#### Severance payment cap

Payments for early termination to Board members with a remaining term of contract of more than two years are capped at twice the annual compensation, consisting of the last financial year's base salary and 100 % of the variable target compensation. If the remaining term of contract is less than two years, the payment is made on a pro-rata basis for the remaining term of the contract. Contracts do not contain provisions for any other cases of early termination of Board of Management service.

In the event of a contractually agreed non-compete clause, a severance payment is offset against compensation resulting from the non-compete clause in the event of premature termination of service.

#### Transition payment

Board members appointed before 1 January 2010 are eligible for a transition payment after leaving the Board of Management. The transition payment comprises an amount corresponding to the most recent base salary (paid for a period of six months), plus a one-time payment of 25 % of the target variable remuneration at notice date. Where an Allianz pension is due at the same time, this pension is deducted from the monthly transition payments. In the event of a contractually agreed non-compete clause, the remittance of the transitional payment will be offset against the payment resulting from the non-compete clause.

#### Miscellaneous

#### Internal and external Board appointments

When a member of the Board of Management simultaneously holds an appointment at another company within the Allianz Group or their joint ventures with outside partners, the full amount of the respective remuneration is transferred to Allianz SE.

In recognition of related benefits to the organization, and subject to prior approval by the Supervisory Board of Allianz SE, Board members are also allowed to accept a limited number of non-



executive supervisory roles at appropriate external organizations. In these cases, 50 % of the remuneration received is paid to Allianz SE.

The respective Board member will only retain the full remuneration for that position if the Allianz SE Supervisory Board classifies the appointment as a personal one (ad personam). Any remuneration paid by external organizations will be itemized in those organizations' annual reports; the level of remuneration will be determined by the governing body of the relevant organization.

#### Variable remuneration system

#### Target achievement factor to determine the variable remuneration

In line with the overarching strategic objective "simplicity wins", the calculation of variable remuneration follows a simple system. The annual bonus and LTI allocation are based on only two Group financial targets for the relevant financial year: operating profit and net income attributable to shareholders, each at 50 %. The resulting target achievement is adjusted by an individual contribution factor (ICF) in the range of 0.8 to 1.2, which reflects both the results of the business division and the performance of the individual Board member. If targets are not met, the variable compensation can be reduced to zero. If targets are significantly exceeded, the target achievement is limited to 150 %.





#### **Group financial targets**

The Group financial targets are based on equally weighted targets for Group operating profit and Group net income attributable to shareholders. Adjustments are only applied to acquisitions and disposals that account for more than 10 % of the Group's operating profit or net income attributable to shareholders, or that have a value-adding effect from a risk management perspective (e.g., portfolio transfers) and were not yet known at the time the plan was prepared. This regulation is intended to prevent meaningful transactions from having a negative impact on the remuneration of the Board of Management.

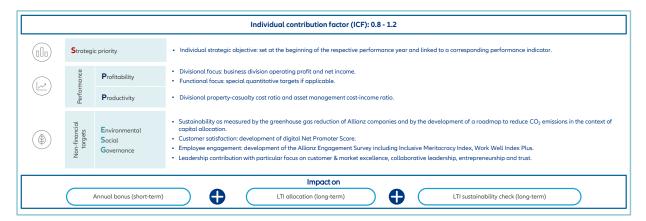
Operating profit highlights the underlying performance of ongoing core operations.

Net income attributable to shareholders is the profit after tax and non-controlling interests (minorities). Furthermore, the net income forms the basis for the dividend payout, as well as for calculating the return on equity. Both key performance indicators (KPIs) are important steering parameters for the Allianz Group and therefore reflect the level of implementation of the Group's strategy.



The Group's financial target achievement is limited to a maximum of 150 % and can drop to zero.

The minimum, target, and maximum values for the Group financial targets are set annually by the Supervisory Board. These targets are documented for the respective next financial year and published ex-post in the Remuneration Report.



#### Individual performance indicators

The Group financial target achievement is multiplied by the ICF for each member of the Board of Management. The ICF is based on an assessment by the Allianz SE Supervisory Board of performance, sustainability and strategic goals, based on KPIs reflecting the respective Board member's area of responsibility and their personal contribution.

- Strategic priority: An individual strategic priority will be set for every Board member at the beginning of each performance year, linked to a corresponding KPI and qualitatively assessed by the Supervisory Board. In addition, overarching strategic goals that apply to all Board members are set.
- Performance (business division targets): For Board members with business-related division responsibilities, the contribution to the financial performance is based on various indicators of profitability (e.g., operating profit and net income) and productivity (e.g., expense ratio) for the respective business division. For Board members with a functional focus, division-specific performance targets are determined based on their key responsibilities, and are qualitatively assessed.
- Sustainability targets: Non-financial sustainability targets take into account customer satisfaction (e.g., digital Net Promoter Score (dNPS), employee engagement (e.g., Allianz Engagement Survey), and leadership quality. The assessment of the individual leadership quality also includes a review of behavioral aspects, such as customer orientation, collaborative leadership, entrepreneurship, and trust (e.g., corporate social responsibility, integrity, diversity, and sustainability as measured by the greenhouse gas reduction of Allianz companies and by the development of a roadmap to reduce CO<sub>2</sub> emissions in the context of capital allocation).

Additional information, in particular regarding the annual sustainability targets for the Allianz SE Board of Management can be found in the Non-Financial Statement for the Allianz Group and Allianz SE.



#### LTI allocation value = LTI target multiplied by the annual bonus target achievement factor (maximum 150%) Performance Year (n) Grant of virtual shares, so-called Restricted Stock Units Allocation LTI/RSU 2023/2024 4-year Allianz relative performance vs. STOXX Europe 600 Insurance Index (factor, with maximum 200% at payout) Allianz share price development (factor, with maximum 200% at payout) Sustainability check (100% to 0%) Payout: nt share price March n+5, adjusted by the and the sustainability check .. ted by the relative performan Payout LTI/RSU 2023/2024

LTI key features

#### Determining the individual contribution factor (ICF)

The Supervisory Board determines the ICF for each member of the Board of Management based on the fulfillment of the individual performance indicators. Most of the performance indicators are provided with quantitative criteria, and therefore offer a sufficiently concrete basis for the combined assessment.

Each ICF category – strategic priority, performance, and sustainability – has a significant weighting, and all three categories are of equal importance and make an equal contribution to the overall assessment. However, the individual indicators are not weighted on a fixed percentage basis, so that the ICF is not determined on the basis of a formulaic calculation. This allows the Supervisory Board to take appropriate consideration of the individual criteria and to react appropriately to changes in priorities during the year. In particular, significantly underperforming in one category should allow a low overall rating without being balanced out by the other indicators.

Since performance is determined without a specified weighting, the ICF covers a narrow range of 0.8 to 1.2.

#### Long-term incentive (LTI) design

The long-term, share-based compensation component makes up the largest portion of variable compensation. It promotes alignment with shareholders and reflects the sustainable implementation of the company's long-term strategy. The LTI is based on the performance in absolute and relative terms (i.e., versus competitors) of the Allianz share. Furthermore, the long-term development of KPIs is reflected in the deferred sustainability assessment following the four-year contractual vesting period.

- Grant and contractual vesting period: The LTI is granted annually in the form of virtual Allianz shares, known as restricted stock units (RSUs). The number of RSUs to be granted corresponds to the LTI allocation amount, divided by the allocation value of an RSU at grant:
  - The LTI allocation amount is calculated by multiplying the LTI target amount by the annual bonus achievement factor, and capped at a maximum of 150 % of the target level.
  - The RSU allocation value is based on the ten-day-average Xetra closing price of the Allianz stock following the annual financial media conference<sup>1</sup>. As RSUs are virtual stock without

<sup>1)</sup> For accounting purposes, the determination of the fair value of RSUs is based on an option pricing model, taking into account additional input parameters, including the term structure of interest rates and the expected relative performance of the Allianz share price compared to the peer index. For the latter, simulation techniques are applied at the valuation date to determine the volatility of the Allianz stock, the volatility of the peer index, their correlation, and the expected dividends. The value of the RSUs used for the board members' compensation may deviate from this IFRS value, as a simplified calculation method was applied to increase transparency and traceability.



dividend payments, the relevant share price is reduced by the net present value of the expected future dividend payments during the four-year contractual vesting period.

The LTI grant is followed by a contractual vesting period of four years. After that period, the LTI amount to be paid is determined based on the relative performance of the Allianz share, the relevant share price, and the results of the sustainability assessment.

- Relative performance versus peers: Besides the absolute share-price development, the LTI payout takes the relative performance of the Allianz share into account. The total shareholder return (TSR) of the Allianz share is benchmarked against the TSR of the STOXX Europe 600 insurance index by reflecting the relation of the total performance of the Allianz share ("Allianz TSR") and the total performance of the STOXX Europe 600 insurance index ("Index TSR") between the start and end of the four-year contractual vesting period. The payout is based on the TSR performance factor, which is calculated as follows:
  - At the end of the contractual vesting period, the difference between the Allianz TSR and the Index TSR is determined in percentage points; the result is multiplied by "2" because the comparison with competitors and the market is critically important, so the outperformance/underperformance is given a twofold weighting.
  - To determine the factor, 100 percentage points are added to the result. Example: 1 percentage point outperformance results in a relative performance factor of 102 %; 1 percentage point underperformance results in a relative performance factor of 98 %.

In order to avoid incentivizing excessive risk-taking, the relative TSR performance factor is limited: it can vary between zero (for underperformance of the index by - 50 percentage points or lower) and 200 % (for outperformance of the index by minimum + 50 percentage points or higher).

• Sustainability assessment: Prior to the payout of each LTI tranche, the Personnel Committee makes a preliminary assessment before the Supervisory Board determines, whether there are any sustainability-related concerns regarding a full payout. If any concerns are identified, payment of the tranche may be cancelled in full or in part.

The sustainability assessment covers:

- compliance breaches,
- balance sheet issues, such as reserve strength, solvency, indebtedness, and ratings,
- KPIs contained in the individual Board members' targets, such as dNPS, employee satisfaction, and climate targets.

The assessment is made by applying a comparable basis; i.e., any regulatory changes, changes in accounting regulations, or changes in calculation methods for the KPIs in question are taken into account.

 Allianz share performance, payout, and cap: Following the end of the four-year contractual vesting period, the granted RSUs are settled in cash, based on the ten-day average Xetra closing price of the Allianz SE share following the annual financial media conference in the year the respective RSU plan vests, multiplied by the relative TSR performance factor, and adjusted by the sustainability assessment, if necessary. The relevant share price is capped at 200 % of the grant price. Likewise, the relative TSR performance factor is capped at a maximum of 200 %. Taking into account the overall compensation cap (€ 6,000 thou for a regular Board member



and € 11,750 thou for the Chairperson of the Board of Management), the LTI payout in relation to the LTI target – which deviates from the individual LTI component caps – is limited to 272 %.

Outstanding RSU holdings are forfeited should a Board member leave at their own request or be terminated for important cause.

# Illustrative examples:

# LTI payout: performance exceeds expectation (scenario 1)

Illustrative example for a regular Board member	%	Number of RSUs	€ thou
LTI initial grant based on:			
•LTI target			1,536
•LTI allocation amount: annual bonus achievement factor applied to LTI target	110		1,690
•RSU grant (listed share price: € 220, share price relevant to the calculation of the allocation:		9,940	
€ 170 (= reduced by the net present value of estimated future dividends of € 50))			
LTI payout at vesting based on:			
•RSUs x share price at vesting (€ 269)			2,674
•TSR relative performance factor: 2 x (TSR Allianz: 45 % – TSR STOXX Europe 600 Insurance:	110		
40 %) + 100 %			
Payout			2,941

# LTI payout: performance remains below expectation (scenario 2)

%	Number of RSUs	€ thou
		1,536
90		1,383
	8,133	
		1,651
50		
		825
	90	90 8,133



# Application of the remuneration system in the financial year

#### Variable remuneration for the financial year

#### Group financial targets and target achievement

The degree of target achievement for the Group's financial targets is calculated as the simple average of the target achievement of the operating profit for the year and the net income attributable to shareholders for the year. The operating profit target of € 14.20 bn was exceeded to € 14.75 bn as the Property-Casualty, Life/Health, Corporate and Other business segments achieved growth in operating profit and more than compensated for the slight decline in the Asset Management business segment. This resulted in a target achievement of 107.69 % for the operating profit.

The transition to IFRS 9 means a significant increase in the share of assets measured at fair value through profit or loss on the balance sheet in the Property-Casualty business segment and thus significantly higher volatility of the net income in combination with fewer steering options. For the 2023 financial year, the bonus curve was adjusted in order to address fluctuations in the net income that the Board of Management cannot control in either direction. For this purpose, 100 % target achievement was defined as a plateau with an upward or downward fluctuation range of € 500 mn. Net income attributable to shareholders amounted to € 8.54 bn in the past financial year and was therefore within the target range of  $\in$  7.9 – 8.9 bn, resulting in a target achievement of 100.00 %.

Overall, this results in a target achievement rate for the Group's financial targets of 103.85 %.

#### Group financial target achievement 2022 und 2023

Group financial target achievement	Operating prof	it	Net income attributable to	shareholders	Achievement level combined in %		
Financial year	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	
Bonus curve							
0 % - Floor in € bn	6.70	7.10	3.60	3.70			
100 % - Target in € bn	13.40	14.20	7.20	7.9 – 8.9			
150 % - Max in € bn	16.75	17.75	9.00	11.00			
Target achievement					105.35	103.85	
Achievement level in € bn1	14.16	14.75	7.17	8.54			
Achievement level in %	111.40	107.69	99.29	100.00			
Weight in %	50.00	50.00	50.00	50.00			

<sup>1</sup>\_The 2022 operating profit and net income attributable to shareholders shown in this table (and also in the following tables within the Remuneration Report) are as published in the Annual Report 2022 and have not been adjusted to reflect the application of the new accounting standards IFRS 9 (Financial Instruments) and IFRS 17 (Insurance Contracts), which have been adopted as of 1 January 2023.

#### Individual performance indicators and application of the individual contribution factor

In order to calculate the annual bonus, the target achievement level of the Group's financial targets is multiplied by the individual contribution factor (ICF). The Supervisory Board determines the ICF for each Board member in line with their achievement of the targets defined in the individual agreement on the individual performance indicators.



#### Individual performance indicators

Board members	Summary of individual performance in 2023	Individual contribution factor (ICF)
Oliver Bäte	<ul> <li>Another record result in a challenging economic and geopolitical environment.</li> <li>Top results in terms of brand value and customer and employee satisfaction as the basis for future success.</li> </ul>	1.17
Sirma Boshnakova	<ul> <li>Very good growth of the platform businesses Allianz Partners, Allianz Direct and the Solvd claims platform.</li> <li>Foundation laid for further growth, e.g., through the successful conclusion of a bancassurance partnership in the Netherlands.</li> </ul>	1.15
Dr. Barbara Karuth-Zelle	<ul> <li>Significant progress in large technology projects, in particular the realignment of the Business Master Platform.</li> <li>Substantial improvements in the stability of infrastructure services and user satisfaction with workplace services.</li> <li>Consistent improvement in the company's IT security and strengthening of Group IT Governance by way of driving ambitious transformation projects forward.</li> </ul>	1.15
Dr. Klaus-Peter Röhler	<ul> <li>Further productivity gains and pursuit of key transformation projects within the Allianz Group.</li> <li>Considerable improvements in customer and employee satisfaction.</li> <li>Financial target achievement was adversely impacted by claims arising from natural disasters, in particular in Germany.</li> </ul>	1.15
Giulio Terzariol	<ul> <li>Further strengthening of the solvency ratio, confirmation of or improvement in key credit ratings, and safeguarding Group liquidity.</li> <li>Very good management of the inflationary environment as the basis for only moderate impacts on the combined ratio in property insurance and on Group results.</li> <li>Successful integration of control functions and sustained strengthening of Group Governance.</li> </ul>	1.15
Dr. Günther Thallinger	<ul> <li>Solid investment result in a capital market environment characterized by extreme interest rate hikes.</li> <li>Safeguarding Group liquidity through consistent reallocation of the investment portfolio, and positioning for a potentially sustained increase in capital market volatility.</li> <li>Strong commitment in formulating and implementing the new ambitious Net-Zero Plan, which contributes to the expansion of Allianz's leading position in sustainability.</li> </ul>	1.15
Christopher Townsend	<ul> <li>Strong results in the Commercial Lines business, driven by a very gratifying performance of Allianz Commercial and Allianz Trade.</li> <li>Improvements of results in the entities in Spain, Portugal, and Latin America.</li> <li>Further progress in developing the cross-border Commercial Lines platform.</li> </ul>	1.15
Renate Wagner	<ul> <li>Robust growth and solid profitability in the Asia-Pacific business despite continued challenges in Australia.</li> <li>Top scores in terms of employee satisfaction and further progress in Diversity &amp; Inclusion, externally recognized through the granting of numerous awards.</li> </ul>	1.15
Dr. Andreas Wimmer	<ul> <li>Cushioning adverse market effects in Asset Management through disciplined cost management and achievement of robust new business despite strong volatility.</li> <li>Very good growth in U.S. Life Insurance and successful pursuit of an ambitious IT transformation.</li> </ul>	1.15

As CEO, Oliver Bäte and his Board of Management team once again led the company to a record profit. In addition to the very good financial performance, his strong personal commitment also helped the company to again achieve top scores for brand value as well as customer and employee satisfaction, forming an excellent basis for the continued successful development of Allianz. With regard to the Capital Markets Day to be held in December 2024, the Supervisory Board expects to see the formulation and implementation of the updated corporate strategy in the new financial year. Moreover, the initiatives launched to deliver further productivity gains in the core business and accelerate profitable customer growth are expected to be consistently pursued.

Sirma Boshnakova successfully drove the growth of the platform business ahead in the completed financial year: Apart from the continued strong development of Allianz Partners, Ms. Boshnakova successfully launched the Solvd claims service platform in several markets. The Allianz Direct direct insurance company also reported robust growth and was migrated to a new IT infrastructure. In addition, the conclusion of a partnership in the bancassurance channel in the Netherlands forms an important basis for further growth. Alongside the continued scaling of Solvd, the Supervisory Board expects Ms. Boshnakova's area of responsibility to deliver further improvement in profitability in 2024.

Barbara Karuth-Zelle delivered significant progress in major technology projects, in particular the realignment of the Business Master Platform. She also achieved considerable enhancements of the stability of infrastructure services and user satisfaction with workplace services. Ms. Karuth-Zelle was also responsible for the implementation of important productivity and digitalization initiatives. In addition, Ms. Karuth-Zelle consistently improved the company's IT security and reinforced Group IT Governance by driving ambitious transformation projects forward. Also, the economic management of the IT budget progressed in the completed financial year. For 2024, the Supervisory Board expects to see continued steady improvements, particularly with regard to the speed of imple-



mentation and profitability of the IT portfolio, as well as significant and visible productivity gains at Allianz Technology.

Klaus-Peter Röhler delivered further productivity gains in the portfolio he manages by and drove important transformation projects forward within the Allianz Group. The significant improvement in customer satisfaction, for example in life insurance in Germany and Switzerland, is particularly noteworthy. Employee satisfaction also continued to improve year-on-year in almost all subsidiaries in Mr. Röhler's portfolio. The achievement of financial targets in Mr. Röhler's portfolio was adversely affected by losses from natural disasters, particularly in Germany. For 2024, the Supervisory Board expects to see further efficiency gains through IT investments and the consistent further development of pricing and claims models in property insur-ance, particularly with regard to the mapping of natural events resulting from climate change.

As CFO, Giulio Terzariol once again contributed significantly to the company's very solid position in all key financial indicators. Despite an extremely challenging economic environment, he further strengthened the solvency ratio, achieved the confirmation of or even improvements in key credit ratings, and safeguarded Group liquidity. He was also instrumental in ensuring that the high inflation rate only had a moderate impact on the combined ratio in property insurance and the Group result. Mr. Terzariol also successfully implemented the integration of the control functions and strengthened Group Governance in the long term. After a career spanning 25 years at Allianz with assignments in various places including the U.S., Asia and at the Munich head office, Mr. Terzariol left the company at the end of the year at his own request. The Supervisory Board thanks Mr. Terzariol for his outstanding contributions to the sustainable success of Allianz and wishes him all the best for the future.

Günther Thallinger once again achieved a solid investment result in a challenging capital market environment characterized by extreme interest rate increases in many economies. Moreover, Mr. Thallinger's consistent reallocation of the investment portfolio helped secure the company's strong positioning, even with regard to a potential continued increase in capital market volatility, as well as Group liquidity. Allianz's leading position in the area of sustainability was further expanded, in particular due to Mr. Thallinger's strong personal commitment in formulating and implementing the new, ambitious Net-Zero Plan. For 2024, the Supervisory Board expects to see a consistent adjustment of the investment portfolio to the changing economic framework, taking account of capital market requirements, as well as further profitable growth in the health insurance business.

Christopher Townsend again achieved strong results in the Commercial Lines business in the 2023 financial year, driven by a very gratifying performance delivered by both Allianz Commercial and Allianz Trade. The entities in Spain, Portugal and Latin America, newly allocated to his area of responsibility, also delivered notably improved results. In addition, Mr. Townsend continued to drive the development of the global Commercial Lines business forward. For 2024, the Supervisory Board expects to see sustained improvements in the results of Allianz UK and the realization of the financial targets and visible productivity gains from the globalization of the Commercial Lines business.

Renate Wagner quickly adjusted to her new responsibility for the Asia-Pacific business in the completed financial year and achieved robust growth and solid profitability despite continued challenges in Australia. Moreover, Ms. Wagner's efforts relating to the workforce and culture at Allianz again delivered very good results. Examples include employee satisfaction, which reached a record level and the top score among Allianz's competitors in the completed financial year. Allianz once again won several awards to honor its success in the area of Diversity & Inclusion. For 2024, the Supervisory Board expects further profitable growth in Asia and improved results in Australia. Furthermore, strategic HR planning will remain a top priority in times of shortages of skilled labor.



Andreas Wimmer safeguarded the resilience of the Asset Management business segment and U.S. Life Insurance in a very challenging capital market environment. In Asset Management, he cushioned adverse market effects through disciplined cost management and achieved robust new business despite strong volatility. In addition to very good growth in U.S. Life Insurance, he also successfully drove an ambitious IT transformation forward. For 2024, the Supervisory Board expects to see the expansion of business with alternative asset classes for third-party customers and the consistent continuation of the integration of the Life Insurance and Asset Management business segments in order to strengthen the resulting business opportunities and the capital efficiency of the Allianz Group.

#### Overview target achievement and variable remuneration for the financial year

The following table shows the amounts for annual payout and LTI-allocation resulting from the target achievement of the financial year, as well as the target, minimum, and maximum amount of the variable compensation components.

# Target achievement and variable remuneration of the members of the Board of Management for the financial year

		Targe	et achieveme	ent		Annual	bonus		LTI allocation <sup>1</sup>				
Board member		Group financial perfor- mance	ICF	Target achieve ment factor	Target	Min	Max	Payout	Target	Min	Max	Alloca-	
Active Board members in 2023		%	0.8-1.2	%	€ thou	€ thou	€ thou	€ thou					
Oliver Bäte	2023	103.85	1.17	121.50	1,673	-	2,510	2,033	3,011	-	4,516	3,658	
Appointed: 01/2008 CEO since 05/2015	2022	105.35	1.16	122.21	1,593	-	2,390	1,947	2,867	-	4,301	3,504	
Sirma Boshnakova	2023	103.85	1.15	119.43	854	-	1,280	1,020	1,536	-	2,304	1,835	
Appointed: 1/2022	2022	105.35	1.12	117.99	813	-	1,220	959	1,463	-	2,195	1,726	
Dr. Barbara Karuth-Zelle	2023	103.85	1.15	119.43	854	-	1,280	1,020	1,536	-	2,304	1,835	
Appointed: 01/2021	2022	105.35	1.12	117.99	813	-	1,220	959	1,463	-	2,195	1,726	
Dr. Klaus-Peter Röhler	2023	103.85	1.15	119.43	854	-	1,280	1,020	1,536	-	2,304	1,835	
Appointed: 04/2020	2022	105.35	1.14	120.10	813	-	1,220	976	1,463	-	2,195	1,757	
Giulio Terzariol	2023	103.85	1.15	119.43	854	-	1,280	1,020	1,536	-	2,304	-	
Appointed: 01/2018 End of service: 12/2023	2022	105.35	1.13	119.05	813	-	1,220	968	1,463	-	2,195	1,742	
Dr. Günther Thallinger	2023	103.85	1.15	119.43	854	-	1,280	1,020	1,536	-	2,304	1,835	
Appointed: 01/2017	2022	105.35	1.13	119.05	813	-	1,220	968	1,463	-	2,195	1,742	
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Dr. Andreas Wimmer	2023	103.85	1.15	119.43	854	-	1,280	1,020	1,536	-	2,304	1,835	
Appointed: 10/2021	2022	105.35	1.12	117.99	813	-	1,220	959	1,463	-	2,195	1,726	
1 Derived by multiplying the LTI t	taraet amour	t by the target	achieveme	nt factor									





# Individual remuneration of members of the Board of Management

The following tables show the individual remuneration of those members of the Board of Management who were active in the reporting year.

The table "Remuneration in the financial year" features the remuneration awarded and due in accordance with § 162 (1) sentence 1 AktG. It includes the payments made in the financial year for base salary, perquisites, and other remuneration. For the variable remuneration, the components for performance fully rendered in the financial year are reported. This requirement is met where the applicable performance criteria are fulfilled and conditions subsequent and suspensive have been met or have ceased to exist. For the 2023 financial year, this is the annual bonus that refers to the 2023 performance period and is paid out in March 2024. For the share-based renumeration, the payout of the Allianz Equity Incentive (AEI) RSU allocated in 2019 for the 2018 financial year, which vested in the 2023 financial year, is reported.

The additional table "Remuneration for the financial year" goes above and beyond the requirements of § 162 AktG. It includes the contributions to base salary and perguisites made in the respective financial year, as well as the annual bonus for the respective financial year and the allocation amount of the share-based remuneration for the financial year.

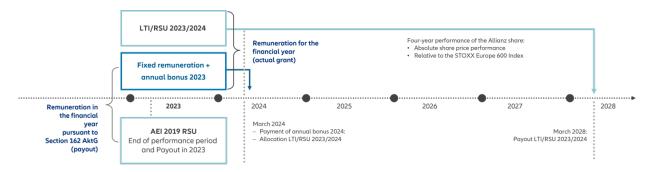
The amounts for the annual bonus and LTI allocation reported here result from the achievement of the targets for the financial year. The information therefore directly depicts the correlation between remuneration and business development.

Furthermore, the remuneration for the financial year is decisive for reviewing the retention of the general payout cap of € 11,750 thou for the Chairperson of the Board of Management and € 6,000 thou for a regular member. It is reviewed prior to the payout in 2028 of the LTI tranches allocated for the 2023 financial year, and reported in the Remuneration Report for the respective financial year.

Furthermore, the pension expenses in the financial year are listed in both tables, even if these expenses are not regarded as remuneration awarded and due in accordance with § 162 AktG. Finally, in addition to the absolute amounts, the share of the individual remuneration components relative to the total remuneration is stated.

For the sake of clarity, the information provided for by the Stock Corporation Act on remuneration awarded and due to former members of the Board of Management is shown in a separate table.

The following diagram presents the allocation of the remuneration components in the two tables, using the financial year 2023 as an example:





#### Remuneration in the financial year

The following table shows the remuneration awarded and due in accordance with § 162 (1) sentence 1 AktG. It includes the payments made in the financial year for base salary and perquisites, the annual bonus that refers to the performance period of the financial year, and the payout amount of the share-based remuneration that vested in the financial year. Furthermore, the pension expenses in the financial year are listed, even if these are not regarded as remuneration awarded and due in accordance with § 162 AktG.

# Individual remuneration: 2023 and 2022

€ thou (total might not sum up due to rounding)

			Fixed com	pensation	Variable ter		Variabl te				Total compensation			
Board members		Base s	salary	Perqu	isites	Annual bonus		Share-		Other compensation		acc. § 162 AktG	Pension service cost	Total
Board members active in financial year		€ thou	in % of TC	€ thou	in % of TC	€ thou	in % of TC	€thou	in % of TC	€thou	in % of TC	€ thou	€ thou	€ thou
Oliver Bäte	2023	2,007	32	35	1	2,033	32	2,283	36	-	-	6,357	1,109	7,466
Appointed: 01/2008 CEO since 05/2015	2022	1,911	34	15	_	1,947	34	1,786	32	-		5,660	1,122	6,782
Sirma Boshnakova	2023	1,024	49	29	1	1,020	49	-	-	-	-	2,072	444	2,516
Appointed: 01/2022	2022	975	50	27 <sup>1</sup>	1	959	49	-	-	-	-	1,961	412	2,373
Dr. Barbara Karuth-Zelle	2023	1,024	49	27	1	1,020	49	-	-	-	-	2,071	552	2,622
Appointed: 01/2021	2022	975	50	11	1	959	49	-	-	-	-	1,945	556	2,502
Dr. Klaus-Peter Röhler	2023	1,024	49	54	3	1,020	49	-	-	-	-	2,097	502	2,599
Appointed: 04/2020	2022	975	49	19	1	976	50	-	-	-	-	1,970	533	2,503
Giulio Terzariol	2023	1,024	30	83	2	1,020	30	1,251	37	-	-	3,378	555	3,933
Appointed: 01/2018 End of service: 12/2023	2022	975	49	30	2	968	49					1,973	570	2,543
Dr. Günther Thallinger	2023	1,024	31	4	-	1,020	31	1,278	38	-	-	3,325	547	3,872
Appointed: 01/2017	2022	975	32	2		968	32	1,106	36			3,051	548	3,599
Christopher Townsend	2023	1,024	50	18	1	1,020	49	-	-	-	-	2,062	434	2,496
Appointed: 01/2021	2022	975	49	30	2	968	49	-	-	-	-	1,972	412	2,384
Renate Wagner	2023	1,024	49	30	1	1,020	49	-		-	_	2,074	529	2,602
Appointed: 01/2020	2022	975	49	26	1	976	49	-			-	1,977	526	2,504
Dr. Andreas Wimmer	2023	1,024	50	8	-	1,020	50	-	_	-	-	2,051	538	2,589
Appointed: 10/2021	2022	975	50	9		959	49					1,944	413	2,357

 $<sup>1\</sup>_Ms$ . Boshnakova's perquisites include the payment by Allianz Partners of accommodation expenses totaling  $\in$  11 thou until 30 June 2022, the date of termination of her employment

#### Compliance with the maximum remuneration principles on payouts for share-based remuneration in the 2023 financial year

In the 2023 financial year, the RSU tranches for the 2018 financial year, allocated in March 2019, were paid out to Oliver Bäte, Giulio Terzariol, and Dr. Günther Thallinger. According to the remuneration system applicable at the time of the allocation, the RSU payout is solely dependent on the absolute share price performance and capped at 200 % above the grant price. During the term of the AEI/RSU 2019 tranche, the decisive price of the Allianz share rose from € 193.66 to € 219.06. The increase, and therefore the payout, remained significantly below this cap.

#### Remuneration for the financial year

The following table shows the remuneration for the financial year. It contains the variable remuneration amounts resulting directly from the target achievement of the financial year: the annual bonus – as in the remuneration in the financial year table above – and the allocation amount of the LTI grant for the financial year.



#### Individual remuneration: 2023 and 2022

€ thou (total might not sum up due to rounding)

		Fixed compensation				Variable short- term Variable					Total	Pension		
Board members		Base salary Pe		Perqu	Perquisites		Annual bonus		Share-based compensation		Other compensation		service	Total
Board members active in financial			in %		in %		in %		in %		in %			
year		€ thou	of TC	€ thou	of TC	€ thou	of TC	€ thou	of TC	€ thou	of TC	€ thou	€ thou	€ thou
Oliver Bäte	2023	2,007	26	35	-	2,033	26	3,658	47	-	-	7,732	1,109	8,841
Appointed: 01/2008 CEO since 05/2015	2022	1,911	26	15	-	1,947	26	3,504	47	_	-	7,378	1,122	8,500
Sirma Boshnakova	2023	1,024	26	29	1	1,020	26	1,835	47		-	3,907	444	4,351
Appointed: 01/2022	2022	975	26	27 <sup>1</sup>	1	959	26	1,726	47	-	-	3,687	412	4,099
Dr. Barbara Karuth-Zelle	2023	1,024	26	27	1	1,020	26	1,835	47	-	-	3,905	552	4,457
Appointed: 01/2021	2022	975	27	11	-	959	26	1,726	47	-	-	3,672	556	4,228
Dr. Klaus-Peter Röhler	2023	1,024	26	54	1	1,020	26	1,835	47	-	-	3,932	502	4,434
Appointed: 04/2020	2022	975	26	19	1	976	26	1,757	47	-	-	3,727	533	4,260
Giulio Terzariol	2023	1,024	48	83	4	1,020	48	-	-	-	-	2,126	555	2,682
Appointed: 01/2018 End of service: 12/2023	2022	975	26	30	1	968	26	1,742	47	_	-	3,715	570	4,285
Dr. Günther Thallinger	2023	1,024	26	4	-	1,020	26	1,835	47	-	-	3,882	547	4,429
Appointed: 01/2017	2022	975	26	2	-	968	26	1,742	47	-	-	3,687	548	4,235
Christopher Townsend	2023	1,024	26	18	-	1,020	26	1,835	47	-	-	3,896	434	4,330
Appointed: 01/2021	2022	975	26	30	1	968	26	1,742	47	-	-	3,714	412	4,126
Renate Wagner	2023	1,024	26	30	1	1,020	26	1,835	47		-	3,908	529	4,437
Appointed: 01/2020	2022	975	26	26	1	976	26	1,757	47			3,735	526	4,261
Dr. Andreas Wimmer	2023	1,024	26	8	-	1,020	26	1,835	47			3,885	538	4,424
Appointed: 10/2021	2022	975	27	9		959	26	1,726	47			3,670	413	4,083
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<sup>1</sup>\_Ms. Boshnakova's perquisites include the payment by Allianz Partners of accommodation expenses totaling € 11 thou until 30 June 2022, the date of termination of her employment

#### Members who retired from the Board of Management in the reporting year

Giulio Terzariol left the Board of Management of Allianz SE as of 31 December 2023 at his own request. All RSUs held by him on 31 December 2023 were forfeited on 2 January 2024.

# Remuneration awarded and due in the 2023 financial year for former members of the Board of Management

The following table shows the components awarded and due to former members of the Board of Management in the 2023 financial year, in accordance with § 162 AktG, and their relative share of total remuneration.

Sergio Balbinot has made use of the option to draw his pension benefits mainly as a lump sum. The "other compensation" column shows the compensation (in total: € 1,625.5) for the post-contractual non-competition clause to the extent already paid in 2023.

According to § 162 (5) AktG, reporting is done at individual employee level for up to 10 years after the end of the financial year in which the Board member in question has ended their activity. Remuneration awarded and due totaling € 4 mn was awarded in the 2023 financial year to 12 members of the Board of Management who had left before this period.



#### **Individual remuneration: 2023**

€ thou (total might not sum up due to rounding)

Former members of the Board of Management	Share-based co	ompensation	Pensi	ons	Other comp	ensation	Total
	€ thou	in % of total	€ thou	in % of total	€ thou	in % of total	€ thou
Sergio Balbinot (until 12/2022)	1,318	21	3,359	54	1,499	24	6,176
Ivan de la Sota (until 12/2022)	1,082	100	-	-	-	-	1,082
Jacqueline Hunt (until 09/2021)	1,278	99	-	-	9	1	1,287
Dr. Christof Mascher (until 12/2020)	1,159	90	132	10	-	-	1,291
Niran Peiris (until 12/2020)	1,225	100	-	-	-	-	1,225
Dr. Axel Theis (until 03/2020)	1,318	80	334	20	-	-	1,652
Dr. Helga Jung (until 12/2019)	1,225	97	41	3	-	-	1,266
Dr. Dieter Wemmer (until 12/2017)	-	-	95	100	-	-	95
Dr. Werner Zedelius (until 12/2017)	-	-	482	100	-	-	482
Dr. Maximilian Zimmerer (until 12/2016)	-	-	282	100	-	-	282
Manuel Bauer (until 08/2015)	-	-	136	100	-	-	136
Michael Diekmann (until 04/2015)	-	-	682	100	-	-	682
Clement Booth (until 12/2014)	-	-	151	100	-	-	151

#### **Share-based remuneration**

The following table shows the development of the RSU portfolios of the members of the Board of Management in the reporting year. The number of RSUs granted under the former Allianz Equity Incentive (AEI – up to and including the allocation for the 2018 financial year) and under the current Long Term Incentive (LTI – from the 2019 financial year) are displayed separately. As Giulio Terzariol left the Executive Board on 31 December 2023, all RSUs (38,697 units) expired on 2 January 2024.

The reported RSU portfolios may include RSUs which have been granted prior to the appointment as member of the Board of Management of Allianz SE. The decisive price of the Allianz share at the time of payout was € 219.06.

# RSU portfolio development in financial year

			Develo				
Board members	RSU plan	Number of RSUs on 1 January 2023	Number of RSUs allocated in March 2023	Number of RSUs settled in March 2023	Number of RSUs forfeited in 2023	Number of RSL o 31 December 202	
Oliver Bäte	LTI/RSU	53,943	20,335	-	-	74,278	
	AEI/RSU	10,422	-	10,422	-	-	
Sirma Boshnakova	LTI/RSU	-	10,017	-	-	10,017	
	AEI/RSU	12,735	-	1,591	-	11,144	
Dr. Barbara Karuth-Zelle	LTI/RSU	10,203	10,017	-	-	20,220	
DI. Barbara Karutii-Zette	AEI/RSU	6,723	-	1,955	-	4,768	
Dr. Klaus-Peter Röhler	LTI/RSU	16,201	10,196	-	-	26,397	
DI. Kluus-Felei Konlei	AEI/RSU	12,166	-	4,903	-	7,263	
Giulio Terzariol¹ (until 12/2023)	LTI/RSU	28,590	10,107	-	-	38,697	
	AEI/RSU	5,713	-	5,713	-	-	
Dr. Günther Thallinger	LTI/RSU	28,590	10,107			38,697	
	AEI/RSU	5,834	-	5,834	-	-	
Christopher Townsend	LTI/RSU	10,203	10,107	-	-	20,310	
	AEI/RSU	-	-		-	-	
Renate Wagner	LTI/RSU	18,084	10,196	-	-	28,280	
Renute Wugner	AEI/RSU	2,532	-	1,327	-	1,205	
Dr. Andreas Wimmer	LTI/RSU	2,638	10,017	-	-	12,655	
DI. Alidieds Willillier	AEI/RSU	9,844	-	1,101	-	8,743	



### Shareholding requirements

Under the shareholding requirements, members of the Board of Management must build share ownership within three years. The following table shows the values of the share ownership and RSU portfolios, and their proportion of base salary.

### Shareholding exposure as of 31 December 2023

in € thou	Share-ownership portfolio <sup>1</sup>	RSU portfolio <sup>2</sup>	Total portfolio	Proportion of total portfolio value of base salary in %
Board members active in financial year				
Oliver Bäte	4,942	17,195	22,137	1,103
Sirma Boshnakova	545	4,786	5,331	521
Dr. Barbara Karuth-Zelle	1,154	5,806	6,961	680
Dr. Klaus-Peter Röhler	1,135	7,866	9,001	879
Giulio Terzariol (until 12/2023)	1,265	9,135	10,400	1,016
Dr. Günther Thallinger	1,265	9,135	10,400	1,016
Christopher Townsend	1,154	4,708	5,862	573
Renate Wagner	1,159	6,861	8,020	783
Dr. Andreas Wimmer	545	4,866	5,411	529

<sup>1</sup>\_Based on the XETRA closing price of the Allianz share as of 29 December 2023. Shareholdings as of 31 December 2023: Oliver Bäte: 20,427 shares; Giulio Terzariol and Dr. Günther Thallinger: 5,230 shares each, Renate Wagner: 4,789 shares, Dr. Barbara Karuth-Zelle and Christopher Townsend: 4,771 shares each, Dr. Klaus-Peter Röhler: 4,693 shares, Sirma Boshnakova and Dr. Andreas Wimmer: 2,252 shares each.

#### **Pensions**

Company contributions to the current pension plan "My Allianz Pension" are 15 % of total target direct compensation, reduced by an amount covering the death and occupational or general disability risk. The contributions are invested in a fund with a guarantee on the contributions paid, but no further interest guarantee.

For members with pension rights under the now frozen defined benefit plan, the above contribution rates are reduced by 19 % of the expected annual pension from that frozen plan.

In 2023, the Allianz Group paid € 5 mn (2022: € 6 mn) to increase reserves for pensions and similar benefits for active members of the Board of Management. As of 31 December 2023, reserves for pensions and similar benefits for active members of the Board of Management amounted to € 35 mn (2022: € 35 mn).

Reserves for current pension obligations and accrued pension rights for former members of the Board of Management totaled € 176 mn (2022: € 171 mn).



<sup>2</sup>\_Based on fair value of RSU portfolio as of 31 December 2023 shown in the table reporting the share-based compensation. The determination of the LTI fair values is based on an option pricing model taking into account additional input parameters, including the term structure of interest rates and the expected relative performance of the Allianz share price compared to the peer index. For the latter, simulation techniques are applied at the valuation date to determine the volatility of the Allianz stock, the volatility of the peer index, and their correlation. All RSUs held by Giulio Terzariol on 31 December 2023 were forfeited on 2 January 2024.

### Individual pensions: 2023 and 2022

€ thou (total might not sum up due to rounding)

		Current pension plan		Previous pension plans <sup>1</sup>		Total	
Board members		SC <sup>2</sup>	DBO <sup>3</sup>	SC <sup>2</sup>	DBO <sup>3</sup>	SC <sup>2</sup>	DBO <sup>3</sup>
Oliver Bäte	2023	942	7,012	167	4,713	1,109	11,725
Oliver Bate	2022	913	5,848	209	4,608	1,122	10,456
Circa Dahadaya	2023	444	1,202	-	-	444	1,202
Sirma Boshnakova	2022	412	739	-	-	412	739
D D 1	2023	479	2,147	73	840	552	2,987
Dr. Barbara Karuth-Zelle	2022	464	1,608	92	804	556	2,412
Dr. Klaus-Peter Röhler	2023	478	2,894	24	1,880	502	4,774
Dr. Klaus-Peter Ronier	2022	462	2,331	71	1,843	533	4,174
Cirilia Tarancial (mail 12/2022)	2023	477	3,026	78	1,064	555	4,090
Giulio Terzariol (until 12/2023)	2022	462	2,460	108	1,001	570	3,461
De Cüekker Thellierer	2023	480	3,598	67	1,193	547	4,791
Dr. Günther Thallinger	2022	466	3,005	82	1,252	548	4,257
Christopher Terrened	2023	434	1,308	-	-	434	1,308
Christopher Townsend	2022	412	845	-	-	412	845
D W	2023	480	2,220	49	168	529	2,388
Renate Wagner	2022	465	1,678	61	176	526	1,854
De Andrews Williams	2023	481	1,751	58	238	538	1,989
Dr. Andreas Wimmer	2022	367	1,222	46	237	413	1,459

1\_Previous closed and frozen plans, including transition payment for Oliver Bäte.
2\_SC = service cost. Service costs are calculatory costs for the DBO related to the business year reported.

# **Comparative presentation**

The following overview compares the annual development of the remuneration of the members of the Board of Management, the average remuneration of the employees, and selected earnings parameters over the last five financial years.

The remuneration of the members of the Board of Management presented in the table corresponds to the total remuneration rewarded and due in the respective financial year. The earnings development is shown using the two key performance indicators for the Group's financial target achievement – operating profit and net income attributable to shareholders, as well as net income as reported in the individual financial statements of Allianz SE. The workforce of the German companies of the Allianz Group is used to present the average employee remuneration on the basis of full-time equivalents.

Dr. Günther Thallinger received the share-based compensation for the first time in the 2022 financial year and Giulio Terzariol in 2023. The significant change from 2020 to 2021 in Dr. Klaus-Peter Röhler's remuneration is explained by the fact that he joined the Board of Management during the year, so the remuneration reported for 2020 is pro rata only. The same rationale applies to the increase from 2021 to 2022 in Dr. Andreas Wimmer's remuneration, as he joined during 2021.

Remuneration awarded and due to former members of the Board of Management for the financial years following their departure comprises mainly pension payments, share-based compensation payouts, and other remuneration.



<sup>3</sup>\_DBO = Defined Benefit Obligation, end of year. The figures show the obligation for Allianz resulting from defined benefit plans, taking into account realistic assumptions with regard to interest rate, dynamics, and biometric probabilities.

## **Comparative presentation**

	D	evelopment of	Board of Mar	agement com	npensation, prof	it, and average	compensation	of employees	
Financial year	2019	Change 2019 to 2020 in %	2020	Change 2020 to 2021 in %	2021	Change 2021 to 2022 in %	2022	Change 2022 to 2023 in %	2023
Board of management compensation in € thou									
Board members active in financial year									
Oliver Bäte	5,058	6	5,350	11	5,912	(4)	5,660	12	6,357
Sirma Boshnakova (appointed: 01/2022)	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,961	6	2,072
Dr. Barbara Karuth-Zelle	-	-	-	-	1,861	5	1,945	6	2,071
Dr. Klaus-Peter Röhler	-	-	1,285	47	1,888	4	1,970	6	2,097
Giulio Terzariol (end of service: 12/2023)	1,946	(13)	1,694	10	1,870	6	1,973	71	3,378
Dr. Günther Thallinger	1,926	(13)	1,678	10	1,852	65	3,051	9	3,325
Christopher Townsend	-	-	-	-	1,903	4	1,972	5	2,062
Renate Wagner	-	-	1,708	10	1,883	5	1,977	5	2,074
Dr. Andreas Wimmer (appointed: 10/2021)	-	-	-	-	472	312	1,944	6	2,051
Former members									
Sergio Balbinot (end of service 12/2022)	2,030	80	3,644	(5)	3,453	(8)	3,184	94	6,167
Ivan de la Sota¹ (end of service 12/2022)	1,833	(6)	1,717	6	1,814	(3)	1,755	(38)	1,082
Jacqueline Hunt (end of service: 09/2021)	1,967	(14)	1,699	39	2,357	23	2,903	(56)	1,287
Dr. Christof Mascher (end of service: 12/2020)	3,356	(2)	3,285	(56)	1,452	(17)	1,200	8	1,291
Niran Peiris (end of service: 12/2020)	1,730	(13)	1,507	-	-	-	4	30,525 <sup>2</sup>	1,225
Dr. Axel Theis (end of service: 03/2020)	1,988	21	2,405	(26)	1,773	(17)	1,472	12	1,652
Dr. Helga Jung (end of service: 12/2019)	3,135	(54)	1,428	(5)	1,354	(17)	1,118	13	1,266
Profit development in € bn									
Operating profit	11.86	(9)	10.75	25	13.40	6	14.16	4	14.75
Net income attributable to shareholders	7.91	(14)	6.81	(3)	6.61	2	6.743	27	8.54
Net income acc. Allianz SE financial statement	4.60	-	4.61	16	5.35	(10)	4.79	68	8.05
Average employee compensation in € thou									
Average compensation based on full-time equivalent	86	(6)	81	4	84	4	87	7	93



<sup>1.</sup> In order to ensure actual comparability for Mr. de la Sota, Mr. de la Sota's compensation for the 2022 financial year is shown as € 6,502 thou, excluding the severance payment made in January 2023. Including the severance payment, his compensation amounts to € 8,257 thou, and the change 2021 to 2022 is 355 %.

2\_The significant increase reported is due to the fact that Niran Peiris received a payment from share-based remuneration in 2023, while only expenses for tax consultancy fees were reimbursed in 2022.

3\_Including the adjustment impact of the deconsolidation in Russia, Group net income amounted to € 7.17 bn, with a growth rate of 19%.

# Remuneration of the Allianz SE Supervisory Board

The remuneration of the Supervisory Board is governed by the Statutes of Allianz SE and the German Stock Corporation Act. Furthermore, the structure of the Supervisory Board's remuneration is regularly reviewed with regard to its compliance with German, European, and international corporate governance recommendations and regulations.

### **Remuneration principles**

- The set total remuneration is both aligned with the scale and scope of the Supervisory Board's duties and appropriate in view of the Company's activities and its business and financial situation. This also reflects the contribution made by the monitoring activity of the Supervisory Board to the long-term development of the Company.
- The remuneration takes into account the individual functions and responsibilities of Supervisory Board members, such as Chairperson, Deputy Chairperson, or Committee memberships.
- · The remuneration structure allows proper oversight of management as well as independent decisions on executive personnel and remuneration.
- Given Allianz's relative size and complexity as well as its sustainable performance, the remuneration of the Supervisory Board is oriented towards the fourth quartile of the supervisory board remuneration of peers in the DAX.

#### Remuneration structure and components

The remuneration for the Supervisory Board of Allianz SE provides for a fixed remuneration. Supervisory Board members who had only served on the Supervisory Board during part of the financial year receive one twelfth of the remuneration for each month of service commenced. This shall apply accordingly for membership of Supervisory Board committees.

The Supervisory Board's Remuneration System was presented to the Annual General Meeting of Allianz SE on 4 May 2023 and was approved with a majority vote of 95.07 %.

#### **Fixed annual remuneration**

The remuneration of a Supervisory Board member consists of a fixed cash amount paid pro rata temporis after the end of the respective quarter of the financial year. Each regular Supervisory Board member receives a fixed remuneration amounting to € 150 thou per year. The Chairperson receives € 450 thou, each Deputy Chairperson receives € 225 thou.



#### **Committee-related remuneration**

The Chairperson and members of the Supervisory Board committees receive additional committee-related remuneration which is also paid pro rata temporis after the end of the respective quarter of the financial year. The committee-related remuneration is as shown in the graph below:

#### Fixed annual remuneration



#### Committee remuneration

	Audit Committee	Personnel Committee	Risk Committee	Standing Committee	Technology Committee	Sustainability Committee	Nomination Committee		
Chairperson	€ 150 thou		€ 50 thou						
Member	€ 75 thou			€ 25 thou			€ 12.5 thou		

#### Attendance fees and expenses

In addition to the fixed and committee-related remuneration, members of the Supervisory Board receive an attendance fee of € 1,000 for each Supervisory Board or committee meeting they attend in person. Should several meetings be held on the same or consecutive days, the attendance fee will only be paid once. The attendance fee is payable after the respective meeting.

In addition, the Supervisory Board members are reimbursed for expenses incurred in connection with their Supervisory Board activities. The company provides insurance coverage and technical support to the Supervisory Board members to an extent reasonable for carrying out their Supervisory Board duties.

#### Remuneration awarded and due

The following table shows the remuneration awarded and due in accordance with § 162 AktG. It comprises the fixed remuneration, committee remuneration, and attendance fees as well as members' relative share of the total remuneration.



#### Individual remuneration: 2023 and 2022

€ thou (total might not sum up due to rounding)

Members of the Supervisory Board		Fixed remu	neration	Comm		Attenda	nce fees	Total								
				remune	ration			remune- ration	Α	N	Р	R	S	Т	SU	
Members active in financial ye	ear	€ thou	in % of total	€ thou	in % of total	€ thou	in % of total	€ thou								
Michael Diekmann	2023	450.0	59	300.0	40	9.0	1	759.0	М	С	С	С	С	М	М	
(Chairperson)	2022	250.0	47	275.0	51	12.0	2	537.0	М	С	С	С	С	М	М	
Gabriele Burkhardt-Berg	2023	225.0	74	75.0	25	6.0	2	306.0			M			М	M	
(Deputy Chairperson)	2022	187.5	71	75.0	28	3.0	1	265.5			М			М	М	
Herbert Hainer	2023	225.0	80	50.0	18	6.0	2	281.0			M		М			
(Deputy Chairperson: from 05/2022)	2022	166.7	76	50.0	23	4.0	2	220.7			М		М			
Sophie Boissard	2023	150.0	53	125.0	44	7.0	2	282.0	М				М		M	
	2022	125.0	56	91.7	41	5.0	2	221.7	М				M		M	
Christine Bosse	2023	150.0	62	87.5	36	6.0	2	243.5		М		М			C	
	2022	125.0	58	87.5	41	3.0	1	215.5		М		М			C	
Rashmy Chatterjee	2023	150.0	73	50.0	24	5.0	2	205.0						С		
(from 05/2022)	2022	83.3	70	33.3	28	3.0	3	119.7						С		
Dr. Friedrich Eichiner	2023	150.0	40	212.5	57	10.0	3	372.5	С	М		М		М		
	2022	125.0	43	158.3	55	6.0	2	289.3	С	М		М		М		
Jean-Claude Le Goaër	2023	150.0	58	100.0	39	9.0	3	259.0	М				М			
	2022	125.0	61	75.0	36	6.0	3	206.0	М				M			
Martina Grundler	2023	150.0	64	75.0	32	8.0	3	233.0	М							
	2022	125.0	70	50.0	28	4.0	2	179.0	М							
Frank Kirsch	2023	150.0	73	50.0	24	6.0	3	206.0				М			M	
	2022	125.0	70	50.0	28	3.0	2	178.0				М			М	
Jürgen Lawrenz	2023	150.0	73	50.0	24	6.0	3	206.0					М	М		
	2022	125.0	70	50.0	28	3.0	2	178.0					М	М		
Primiano Di Paolo	2023	150.0	83	25.0	14	6.0	3	181.0				М				
(from 05/2022)	2022	83.3	81	16.7	16	3.0	3	103.0				М				
Total	2023	2,250.0	64	1,200.0	34	84.0	2	3,534.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
	2022	1,776.0	61	1,059.4	37	55.0	2	2,890.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	

Legend: C = Chairperson of the respective committee, M = Member of the respective committee. 1\_Abbreviations: A = Audit, N = Nomination, P = Personnel, R = Risk, S = Standing, T = Technology, SU = Sustainability.

## **Comparative presentation**

The following overview compares the annual development of the remuneration of the members of the Supervisory Board, the average remuneration of employees, and selected earnings parameters over the last five financial years. The remuneration of the members of the Supervisory Board presented in the table corresponds to the total remuneration awarded and due in the respective financial year.

In the case of Ms. Rashmy Chatterjee and Mr. Primiano Di Paolo, the significant change from 2022 to 2023 is due to the fact that only pro rata remuneration is reported for both of them for the 2022 financial year, as they joined the Supervisory Board during the year.

The earnings development is shown using the two key performance indicators for the Group's financial target achievement – operating profit and net income attributable to shareholders, as well as net income as reported in the individual financial statements of Allianz SE. The workforce of the German companies of the Allianz Group is used to present the average employee remuneration on the basis of full-time equivalents.



## **Comparative presentation**

Comparative information	Dev	elopment of S	upervisory B	oard compen	sation, profit	, and average	compensati	on of employe	es
Financial year	2019	Change 2019 to 2020 in %	2020	Change 2020 to 2021 in %	2021	Change 2021 to 2022 in %	2022	Change 2022 to 2023 in %	2023
Supervisory Board compensation in € thou									
Active members in financial year									
Michael Diekmann	484.0	-	486.0	9	530.9	1	537.0	41	759.0
Gabriele Burkhardt-Berg	243.5	(1)	240.5	9	261.4	2	265.5	15	306.0
Herbert Hainer	181.0	(1)	180.0	(2)	176.0	25	220.7	27	281.0
Sophie Boissard	184.0	(3)	178.0	13	200.9	10	221.7	27	282.0
Christine Bosse	156.0	(2)	153.0	37	209.3	3	215.5	13	243.5
Rashmy Chatterjee (since 05/2022)	-	-	-	-	-	-	119.7	71	205.0
Dr. Friedrich Eichiner	284.0	(1)	281.0	(1)	278.0	4	289.3	29	372.5
Jean-Claude Le Goaër	209.0	(3)	203.0	-	203.0	1	206.0	26	259.0
Martina Grundler	182.0	(2)	179.0	(2)	176.0	2	179.0	30	233.0
Frank Kirsch	156.0	(1)	154.0	13	173.9	2	178.0	16	206.0
Jürgen Lawrenz	181.0	(1)	179.0	(2)	176.0	1	178.0	16	206.0
Primiano Di Paolo (since 05/2022)	-	-	-	-	-	-	103.0	76	181.0
Profit development in € bn									
Operating profit	11.86	(9)	10.75	25	13.40	6	14.16	4	14.75
Net income attributable to shareholders	7.91	(14)	6.81	(3)	6.61	2	6.74 <sup>1</sup>	27	8.54
Net income acc. Allianz SE financial statement	4.60	-	4.61	16	5.35	(10)	4.79	68	8.05
Average employee compensation in € thou									
Average compensation based on full-time equivalent	86	(6)	81	4	84	4	87	7	93

# Remuneration for mandates in other Allianz companies and for other functions

Mr. Jürgen Lawrenz did not receive any remuneration for his service on the Supervisory Board of Allianz Technology SE. All current employee representatives of the Supervisory Board, except for Ms. Martina Grundler, are employed by Allianz Group companies and receive market-based remuneration for their services.



### **Auditor's Report**

To Allianz SE, Munich

We have audited the remuneration report of Allianz SE, Munich, for the financial year from 1. January to 31. December 2023 including the related disclosures, which was prepared to comply with § [Article] 162 AktG [Aktiengesetz: German Stock Corporation Act].

#### Responsibilities of the Executive Directors and the Supervisory Board

The executive directors and the supervisory board of Allianz SE are responsible for the preparation of the remuneration report, including the related disclosures, that complies with the requirements of § 162 AktG. The executive directors and the supervisory board are also responsible for such internal control as they determine is necessary to enable the preparation of a remuneration report, including the related disclosures, that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

#### **Auditor's Responsibilities**

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on this remuneration report, including the related disclosures, based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with German generally accepted standards for the audit of financial statements promulgated by the Institut der Wirtschaftsprüfer (Institute of Public Auditors in Germany) (IDW). Those standards require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the remuneration report, including the related disclosures, is free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts including the related disclosures stated in the remuneration report. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment. This includes the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the remuneration report including the related disclosures, whether due to fraud or error.

In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the preparation of the remuneration report including the related disclosures. The objective of this is to plan and perform audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the company's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by the executive directors and the supervisory board, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the remuneration report including the related disclosures.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.



### **Audit Opinion**

In our opinion, based on the findings of our audit, the remuneration report for the financial year from 1. January to 31. December 2023, including the related disclosures, complies in all material respects with the accounting provisions of § 162 AktG.

# Reference to an Other Matter – Formal Audit of the Remuneration Report according to § 162 AktG

The audit of the content of the remuneration report described in this auditor's report includes the formal audit of the remuneration report required by § 162 Abs. [paragraph] 3 AktG, including the issuance of a report on this audit. As we express an unqualified audit opinion on the content of the remuneration report, this audit opinion includes that the information required by § 162 Abs. 1 and 2 AktG has been disclosed in all material respects in the remuneration report.

#### Restriction on use

We issue this auditor's report on the basis of the engagement agreed with Allianz SE. The audit has been performed only for purposes of the company and the auditor's report is solely intended to inform the company as to the results of the audit. Our responsibility for the audit and for our auditor's report is only towards the company in accordance with this engagement. The auditor's report is not intended for any third parties to base any (financial) decisions thereon. We do not assume any responsibility, duty of care or liability towards third parties; no third parties are included in the scope of protection of the underlying engagement. § 334 BGB [Bürgerliches Gesetzbuch: German Civil Code], according to which objections arising from a contract may also be raised against third parties, is not waived.

Munich, 26 February 2024

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Florian Möller Wirtschaftsprüfer (German Public Auditor) Dennis Schnittger Wirtschaftsprüfer (German Public Auditor)





# 2. Information on Agenda Item 7 (Information on the candidates nominated for election to the Supervisory Board)



Stephanie Bruce, resident in Edinburgh and London, United Kingdom Former Chief Financial Officer abrdn plc.

#### Personal details

Date of birth: November 16, 1968 Place of birth: Glasgow, United Kingdom

#### Education

- Bachelor of Laws (LL.B.), University of Edinburgh, United Kingdom
- Chartered Accountant, Institute of Chartered Accountants in Scotland
- Associate of Association of Corporate Treasurers

#### Professional career

1990 – 2002	PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP, London, United Kingdom, various positions in the provision of auditing and advisory services for investment and insurance companies
2002 – 2009	PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP, Partner, Audit, Risk Assurance and Treasury Solutions Group
2009 – 2012	PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP, Head of Financial Services Scotland
2012 – 2016	PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP, Head of Assurance Scotland
2016 – 2019	PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP, Head of Financial Services, Assurance United Kingdom & Regions of the United Kingdom
2019 – 2023	abrdn plc., Edinburgh, United Kingdom, Member of the Board of Directors and Chief Financial Officer

# Membership in other mandatory supervisory boards in Germany

None

# Membership in comparable supervisory bodies in Germany and abroad

None





Dr Jörg Schneider, resident in Eichenau, Germany Former Chief Financial Officer Münchener Rückversicherungs-Gesellschaft Aktiengesellschaft in München (Munich Re)

#### Personal details

Date of birth: September 29, 1958 Place of birth: Duisburg, Germany

#### **Education**

- Bachelor of business administration (BA)
- First state examination for lawyers, Ludwig-Maximilians-University, Munich
- · Second state examination for lawyers, Bavaria
- PhD (Dr Jur), Ludwig-Maximilians-University, Munich

#### Professional career

1988 – 1993	Munich Re, participations management expert
1993 – 1997	Munich Re, Head of Participations
1997 – 2000	Munich Re, Head of Group Investments
2000 – 2001	Munich Re, Member of the Board of Management,
	responsible for IT, credit and surety insurance
2001 – 2018	Munich Re. Member of the Board of Management, Chief Financial Officer

## Membership in other mandatory supervisory boards in Germany

• Bayerische Landesbank AöR (Chairman of the Audit Committee)

# Membership in comparable supervisory bodies in Germany and abroad

• Aldi Süd KG (Member of the Advisory Board, Chairman of the Audit Committee)



### Report of the Management Board on Agenda Item 8

Under Agenda Item 8, the Company is authorized to acquire treasury shares in an amount of up to 10 % of the current share capital. This may be done by the Company itself, by other companies controlled or majority-owned by the Company, or by third parties acting for the account of such companies or the account of the Company. In case the share capital decreased by the time of execution of the authorization, the decreased amount shall be decisive. The authorization is to remain valid until May 7, 2029. This authorization is intended to particularly enable share buy-backs and redemptions, which constitute an important element of the Company's capital management along the dividend and growth strategy.

The acquisition via a stock exchange may also be carried out in the form of a structured buy-back program carried out by a mandated credit institution, securities institution or undertaking that fulfills the requirements of § 186 (5) sentence 1 AktG.

Pursuant to § 71 (1) no. 8 AktG, the shares may also be acquired and sold in ways other than via a stock exchange. In addition to buying on a stock exchange, the Company may also acquire treasury shares by means of a public tender offer to the shareholders of the Company. The principle of equal treatment set forth by the German Stock Corporation Act must be observed. In this instance, the shareholders may decide how many shares they wish to tender and, if a price range has been fixed, at what price.

The Company may also offer as consideration shares of a listed company as defined in § 3 (2) AktG instead of cash. Pursuant to this provision, a company is deemed to be a listed company if its shares are admitted to trading on a market which is regulated and supervised by state-recognized authorities, has regular trading and is directly or indirectly accessible to the general public. Thus, this allows the Company greater flexibility than if it were restricted to cash offers. At the same time, the Company obtains the opportunity to place shares held by it. Correspondingly, shareholders can exchange all or part of their shares in Allianz for shares in such other companies.

If, in case of a public tender offer or a public exchange offer, the number of offered shares exceeds the number of shares that had been intended for purchase, the purchase will not take place in the ratio of the participation but in the ratio of the tendered shares. This serves to simplify the allocation process. A preferred consideration of up to 100 tendered shares per shareholder can be provided for (minimum allocation).

Besides the aforementioned possibilities of acquiring treasury shares the acquisition by means of derivatives is also permitted.

For the Company, it may be advantageous to sell put options or purchase call options instead of directly acquiring shares in the Company. In addition, it can be advantageous to purchase shares by means of forward purchases. In doing so, the Management Board intends to use put and call options, as well as forward purchases (hereinafter also collectively referred to as "derivative contracts" or "derivatives") only as a supplement to conventional share buy-backs. The acquisition of treasury shares by way of derivatives has to be carried out by a credit institution, a securities institution or an undertaking that fulfills the requirements of § 186 (5) sentence 1 AktG.

When selling put options, the Company grants the acquirer of the put options the right to sell Allianz shares to the Company at a price laid down in the put option (exercise price). As consideration, the Company receives an option premium, which corresponds to the value of the disposal right taking into account the exercise price, the term of the option and the volatility of the Allianz share. If the put option is exercised, the option premium paid by the acquirer of the put option reduces the overall consideration rendered by the Company for the acquisition of the share. It is



economically favorable to the option holder to exercise the put option if the Allianz share price at the time of exercise is lower than the exercise price, because the put option holder can then sell the shares at the higher exercise price. From the Company's point of view, the advantage of a share buy-back using put options is that the exercise price is fixed already on the day the option contract is concluded, while the liquidity does not flow until the exercise date. Moreover, due to the option premium collected, the overall acquisition price of the shares for the Company is lower than the share price at the time the option contract is concluded. If the option holder does not exercise the option because the share price at the exercise date is higher than the exercise price, the Company will not be able to acquire treasury shares in this way, but can still keep the collected option premium.

If a call option is purchased, the Company acquires the right to purchase, against payment of an option premium a predetermined number of shares at a predetermined price (exercise price) from the seller of the option, the "option writer". It is economically favorable to the Company to exercise the call option if the Allianz share price is higher than the exercise price, because it can then purchase the shares from the option writer at the lower exercise price. In this way, the Company hedges itself against rising share prices. Furthermore, the Company's liquidity is not affected, since the fixed acquisition price for the shares does not need to be paid until the call options are exercised.

In the case of a forward purchase, the Company agrees with the forward seller to purchase the shares on a set future date. The purchase is made according to a forward price that is determined when the forward purchase is concluded. On the date agreed, the Company pays the forward price to the forward seller; in return the forward seller delivers the shares.

The term of the derivatives must end on May 7, 2029, at the latest, and must be chosen in such way that the acquisition of Allianz shares upon the exercise of the options and the fulfillment of forward purchases will take place no later than May 7, 2029.

The acquisition price to be paid by the Company for the shares is the exercise price fixed in the particular put or call option or the forward price agreed for the forward purchase. The exercise price or the forward price may be higher or lower than the stock exchange price of Allianz shares when the put option is sold, the call option is acquired, or the forward purchase is concluded. However, the exercise or forward price (excluding any incidental costs) may not exceed by more than 10 % and not fall short of by more than 10 %, the price determined for shares in the Company in the opening auction in the Xetra-trading system (or any comparable successor system at the Frankfurt Stock Exchange) on the day of the derivative contract.

The option premium agreed on by the Company when selling the put options or acquiring the call options may, in the case of put options, not be materially lower and, in the case of call options, not be materially higher than the theoretical market value of the respective options on the date the option contract is concluded. The theoretical market value must be determined using recognized finance-mathematical methods, with the calculation of such market value taking into account, among other things, the agreed exercise price. The discount on the theoretical market value determined using recognized finance-mathematical methods in case put options are sold, or the addon in case call options are acquired, may, however, in no event exceed 5 % of the determined theoretical market value of the options.

Similarly, the forward price agreed by the Company for forward purchases may not materially exceed the theoretical forward price determined according to recognized finance-mathematical methods, the calculation of which must take into account, among other things, the current stock exchange price and the term of the forward purchase.



The terms and conditions of the derivatives shall ensure that the shares to be delivered to the Company upon exercise of the options or fulfillment of forward purchases have previously been acquired in keeping with the legal principle of equal treatment. In particular, an acquisition via a stock exchange fulfills this requirement.

The determination of the option premium and the exercise price or forward price in the manner described above and the obligation to settle options and forward purchases only with shares that have previously been acquired in keeping with the legal principle of equal treatment, rule out economic disadvantages for shareholders as a consequence of the acquisition of treasury shares via options or forward purchases. Since the Company receives or pays a fair market price, the shareholders not involved in the derivative transactions do not suffer any loss in value. This is comparable to the position of shareholders in the case of share buy-backs via the stock exchange, where in fact not all shareholders are able to sell shares to the Company. Both the regulations governing the structure of the derivatives and the regulations governing the shares suitable for delivery ensure that full account is taken of the principle of equal treatment of shareholders also in this form of acquisition.

Therefore, it is justified that a claim by shareholders to conclude such derivative contracts with the Company is excluded, in corresponding application of § 186 (3) sentence 4 AktG. By excluding subscription rights, the Company – unlike in an offer to all shareholders to purchase options or conclude forward purchase contracts – is in a position to conclude derivative contracts at short notice and is thus provided with the necessary flexibility to react quickly to market situations.

If shares are acquired using derivatives, shareholders have a right to offer their shares only insofar as the Company is obligated vis-à-vis the respective shareholder to purchase the relevant shares under the options or forward purchases. Otherwise, the use of derivatives in acquiring shares would not be possible, and thus the Company would not be able to generate the associated benefits. Having carefully weighed the interests of the shareholders and the interests of the Company, the Management Board considers the non-granting or restriction of the shareholders' rights to offer shares to be justified and reasonable, given the advantages resulting from the use of derivative contracts for the Company.

It may also be beneficial to the Company to not only acquire treasury shares via the stock exchange, but also via a multilateral trading facility ("MTF"). MTFs are defined in § 2 (6) German Stock Exchange Act ("Börsengesetz – BörsG"). By additionally using a buy-back via MTFs, the Company can gain access to a larger trading volume. The Company will, as a rule, acquire treasury shares via those MTFs where it is evident that prices do not materially deviate from the stock exchange prices on the regulated market. Particularly these types of MTF are not materially different from a stock exchange in the formal sense. Acquisitions made via MTFs are subject to the same upper and lower price limits that apply to buy-backs performed via the stock exchange; an acquisition made via MTFs is likewise linked to the stock exchange price determined on the Frankfurt Stock Exchange through the opening auction in the electronic trading system.

The treasury shares acquired may be used for any lawful purposes, including the following:

The acquired treasury shares can be sold for cash outside a stock exchange with exclusion of subscription rights. As a prerequisite, these shares must be sold against a cash consideration at a price that is not substantially below the stock exchange price of shares in the Company at the time of the sale. This authorization makes use of the option of the eased exclusion of subscription rights provided for by § 71 (1) no. 8 AktG in corresponding application of § 186 (3) sentence 4 AktG. As shares may be sold only at a price not substantially below the applicable stock exchange price, shareholders are duly protected against dilution. The final sales price of the treasury shares will be determined shortly before the sale. The Management Board will set any potential discount on the



stock exchange price as low as possible. The discount will in no event exceed 5 % of the current stock exchange price at the time of the exercise of the authorization.

This authorization applies with the proviso that the shares disposed of under exclusion of subscription rights in corresponding application of § 186 (3) sentence 4 AktG, may not, in total, exceed 10 % of the share capital of the Company, neither at the time when this authorization takes effect nor at the time when it is exercised. In determining this 10 % limit, all shares must be included that are issued from authorized capital during the term of this authorization under exclusion of subscription rights pursuant to § 186 (3) sentence 4 AktG. Furthermore, shares required to be issued to meet obligations arising from bonds (including participation rights) carrying conversion or option rights or conversion obligations must also be included in determining this 10 % limit if these bonds (or participation rights) were issued under exclusion of subscription rights during the term of this authorization in corresponding application of § 186 (3) sentence 4 AktG. This limitation, and the fact that the sales price must be based on the stock exchange price, adequately protects the economic interests and voting rights of the shareholders. This authorization is in the interest of the Company because it affords greater flexibility. It enables the Company, for example, to sell treasury shares to institutional investors or to target new investor groups.

The disposal of treasury shares may also be made against contributions in kind under exclusion of shareholders' subscription rights. As a result, the Management Board would be able to offer treasury shares in appropriate cases as consideration for the acquisition of a company, interests in companies, or other assets. The ability to offer treasury shares as consideration is advantageous when competing for attractive acquisition targets. If market opportunities arise, it also affords the necessary scope for acquiring companies, interests in companies or other assets, while at the same time maintaining liquidity. This may also be useful under the aspect of an optimal financing structure. When determining the valuation ratios, the Management Board will ensure that shareholders' interests are adequately protected and take into account the stock exchange price of the Allianz share.

In addition, the authorization allows the use of treasury shares under exclusion of shareholders' subscription rights for the placement of shares in the Company on foreign stock exchanges on which they are not yet admitted for trading. This allows for the expansion of the shareholder base in foreign countries and to increase the attractivity of the shares. The initial offer price (excluding incidental costs) of these shares when being placed on additional stock exchanges may not be more than 5 % below the closing price in the Xetra-trading system (or any comparable successor system at the Frankfurt Stock Exchange) on the last trading day prior to the placement.

Furthermore, it might be feasible to use, in whole or in part, treasury shares, excluding shareholders' subscription rights, instead of a capital increase to meet obligations under conversion or option rights or conversion obligations. The possibility to partially exclude shareholders' subscription rights for the benefit of holders of bonds (including participation rights) with conversion or option rights or a conversion obligation enables the Company to offer subscription rights to shares, instead of a reduction of the option or conversion price, to such bond holders as a protection against dilution.

The acquired treasury shares may also be offered for sale to the employees of the Company or its Group companies. This may be an economically viable alternative to a capital increase. Offering shares to the employees is in the interests of the Company and its shareholders, because it enhances employee identification with the Company and encourages them to take responsibility for the Company. For treasury shares to be offered to employees, the shareholders' subscription rights with regard to such shares must be excluded. In determining the price to be paid by the employees, a customary discount on offers of shares to employees may be granted. The authorization also provides the possibility to offer shares to employees without consideration. The treasury shares may also be transferred to a third party in charge of the administration of the employee stock



participation program, if and as long it is legally guaranteed that the third party offers such shares to the aforementioned employees for purchase.

The Company may redeem treasury shares acquired on the basis of this authorization and previous authorizations without obtaining another resolution by the General Meeting. In principle, this leads to a decrease in the share capital. Alternatively, the Management Board is authorized to carry out the redemption without changing the share capital pursuant to § 237 (3) no. 3 AktG. In this case, the redemption will increase the pro-rata amount of the remaining shares in the share capital pursuant to § 8 (3) AktG.

The aforementioned possibilities of utilizing treasury shares also pertain to shares acquired pursuant to § 71 (1) no. 8 AktG on the basis of authorizations granted by previous General Meetings. This also applies to shares purchased by Group companies or pursuant to § 71d sentence 5 AktG.

The Management Board will report on the extent to which it has made use of the authorization at the respective next Annual General Meeting following such use.



# III. Additional information

### Total number of shares and voting rights

At the time of convening the Annual General Meeting, the Company's share capital is divided into 391,718,983 no-par value shares with participation and voting rights. Of these, 612,394 are treasury shares, from which no rights derive for the Company. In addition, due to the limitations set forth in § 3a of the Statutes for registration with the share register in one's own name for shares belonging to another person (so-called "nominee holdings"), 155,731,139 shares are not registered with the share register at the time of convening the Meeting and are therefore not entitled to vote. The total number of shares entitled to vote at the time of convocation thus amounts to 235,375,450. The number of shares entitled to vote may still change after the convocation by disclosure and registration of nominee holdings in accordance with § 3a of the Statutes as well as by a change in the number of treasury shares.

#### 2. Access to the Online Service

Shareholders may log into the Online Service by using their shareholder number and designated password. Shareholders who receive their invitation to the Annual General Meeting by e-mail, will, in that e-mail, be provided with the information necessary to log into the Online Service. All other shareholders registered with the share register will receive their Online Service login data along with the letter of invitation to the Annual General Meeting.

Shareholders who are only registered with the share register after the beginning of April 17, 2024, will, in accordance with the statutory requirements, not receive an invitation and therefore the information required to log into the Online Service. However, they can request their respective login data required for the Online Service at the address mentioned under Section 3.a).

Shareholders may exercise all shareholder rights through a representative. If a shareholder issues an authorization of a third party to act on the shareholder's behalf vis-à-vis the Company, this representative will receive their own login data for the Online Service by mail, to the address provided by the shareholder. Representatives may also contact the Company directly with regard to receiving their login data. In this case, representatives will receive their login data once they have proven their authorization to the Company. The authorization or the proof of authorization should be provided to the Company as soon as possible, so that representatives receive their login data in time.

#### 3. Prerequisites and procedure for participation

Shareholders wishing to exercise shareholder rights in the Annual General Meeting, such as the right to be informed and the right to speak, have to participate in the Annual General Meeting. In accordance with § 12.4. of the Statutes, only shareholders who have registered for participation in time and are registered with their respective shares with the share register may participate – personally or through representatives – in the Annual General Meeting. Shareholders participate in the Annual General Meeting via electronic connection (elektronische Zuschaltung).



### a) Registration

Registrations for the Annual General Meeting must be completed no later than Wednesday, May 1, 2024, either via the Online Service at

### www.allianz.com/agm-service

or at the following address

Hauptversammlung Allianz SE c/o ADEUS Aktienregister-Service-GmbH 20722 Hamburg Germany e-mail: hv-service@allianz.com.

Registrations for the Annual General Meeting do not result in shares being blocked from trading, i.e., shareholders can continue to dispose of their shares freely after they have registered.

#### b) Registration with the share register

In addition to proper and timely registration for the Annual General Meeting, participation in the Annual General Meeting requires a registration as shareholder with the share register (Aktienregister) of the Company. In this respect, the status of the share register as of the end of May 1, 2024, shall be decisive.

Applications for registration of transfers with the share register received by the Company after the end of May 1, 2024 (technical record date), and up to the end of the Annual General Meeting on May 8, 2024, will only be entered in the Company's share register with effect after the Annual General Meeting on May 8, 2024. However, this also does not result in shares being blocked from trading.

## c) Electronic connection

Shareholders participate in the Annual General Meeting via electronic connection. On May 8, 2024, shareholders can electronically connect to the Annual General Meeting by logging into the Online Service during the Meeting and thus exercise all participation rights in the Annual General Meeting. The same applies to a representative. Please note that the representative will only be able to use the Online Service if they receive the respective login data in time (see hereon Section 2.).

If a shareholder has authorized one or more third parties to represent them at the Annual General Meeting, electronic connection of the shareholder additionally requires the revocation of any authorization issued to third parties (for details, see Section 4.c)). In contrast, authorizations issued to the persons appointed by the Company need not be revoked for being able to electronically connect. This paragraph applies accordingly to the electronic connection of a representative if a shareholder has authorized multiple third parties to represent them at the Annual General Meeting.



### 4. Prerequisites and procedure for exercising voting rights

Pursuant to § 12.4. of the Statutes, the exercise of voting rights, too, requires proper registration for the Annual General Meeting as well as the shareholder being registered with the respective shares with the Company's share register. Shareholders may exercise their voting rights – personally or by representatives – either by absentee vote (Briefwahl) or by authorizing the persons appointed by the Company (von der Gesellschaft benannte Stimmrechtsverteter).

#### a) Procedure for absentee voting

Absentee votes or changes to absentee votes can be sent to the Company either electronically via the Online Service at

## www.allianz.com/agm-service

or in writing to the address

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provided that they are received until the end of the voting at the Annual General Meeting.

### b) Authorizing persons appointed by the Company

In addition to absentee voting, shareholders also have the option of authorizing the persons appointed by the Company and issuing them instructions on how to exercise their voting rights.

The persons appointed by the Company can be authorized and instructed, or instructions already issued can be changed, via the Online Service at www.allianz.com/agm-service until the end of voting at the Annual General Meeting. In addition, the issuance of an authorization and instructions, the change of instructions, or the revocation of an authorization, may be submitted to the address stated above in Section 3.a), provided that they are submitted in text form (Textform) and received until the end of the voting at the Annual General Meeting.

The persons appointed by the Company will vote solely on the basis of the instructions issued by the shareholder. If the vote on an Agenda Item is split into separate votes, the instruction issued on this Item will apply accordingly to all Sub-Items. Please note that persons appointed by the Company will not accept instructions to speak, to raise objections against resolutions of the Annual General Meeting, to ask questions, or to submit shareholder proposals or election nominations.

#### c) Procedure for voting by representatives

Shareholders can opt to have their voting rights exercised by a representative. Please note that the representative will only be able to use the Online Service if they receive the respective login data in time (see hereon Section 2.).

Authorizations, their revocation and proof of authorization vis-à-vis the Company must be submitted in text form either via the Online Service or to the address provided in Section 3.a) above.



If intermediaries, shareholders' associations, proxy advisors or other persons as specified in § 135 (8) AktG are appointed as representatives, the procedure and form of the authorization is governed by their respective provisions, which can be requested from them. Those intermediaries, shareholders' associations or proxy advisors participating in the Company's Online Service can also be authorized, pursuant to the procedures laid down by the Company, at www.allianz.com/agm-service.

Representatives may also exercise voting rights at the Annual General Meeting only via absentee voting or by authorizing persons appointed by the Company. Please note that the information and notes on the exercise of other shareholder rights in the context of the Annual General Meeting contained in this Invitation apply mutatis mutandis to shareholder representatives.

## 5. Forms for registration, absentee voting and authorizing representatives

Forms provided by the Company can be used to register for the Annual General Meeting, vote by absentee voting and/or authorize representatives. They are available at www.allianz.com/agm.

- 6. Amendments to the Agenda, shareholder proposals, election nominations, statements and shareholders' right to be informed, to speak, and to object
  - a) Request for amendments to the Agenda pursuant to Art. 56 sentence 2 and 3 SE-VO, § 50 (2) SEAG, § 122 (2) AktG

Shareholders whose holdings together account for one twentieth (5 %) of the share capital or a prorated amount of EUR 500,000 (the latter corresponds to 167,413 Allianz shares – rounded up to the next highest whole number of shares) may request that items be placed on the Agenda and be announced. This quorum is required pursuant to Art. 56 sentence 3 of Council Regulation (EC) No. 2157/2001 of 8 October 2001 on the Statute for a European company ("SE-Verordnung – SE-VO") in conjunction with § 50 (2) of the Act on implementing Council Regulation (EC) No. 2157/2001 of 8 October 2001 on the Statute for a European company ("SE-Ausführungsgesetz – SEAG") for requests for amendments to the Agenda made by the shareholders of a European company (SE).

Each new Agenda Item must be accompanied by a statement of reasons or a proposed resolution. Requests must be addressed to the Company's Management Board and be received by the Company by 12 midnight on April 7, 2024, at the latest. Please send your request in written form in accordance with § 126 German Civil Code ("Bürgerliches Gesetzbuch – BGB") to the following address

Allianz SE **Investor Relations** Koeniginstrasse 28 80802 Munich Germany

or in electronic form in accordance with § 126a BGB by e-mail to investor.relations@allianz.com.



Requests for amendments to the Agenda that must be announced and have not already been announced on convocation of the Annual General Meeting will be published in the Federal Gazette (Bundesanzeiger) without delay after receipt. In addition, they will be made accessible on the internet at www.allianz.com/agm and communicated to the shareholders.

### b) Shareholder proposals and election nominations pursuant to §§ 126 (1) and (4), 127 AktG

Every shareholder is entitled to submit counter-proposals to the proposals presented by the Management Board and/or the Supervisory Board regarding specific Agenda Items, and to make election nominations in case of elections to the Supervisory Board or the election of the statutory auditor. Counter-proposals and election nominations pursuant to §§ 126 (1), 127 AktG must be received by the Company by 12 midnight on April 23, 2024, at the latest, and must only be sent to the Company at the following address. Counter-proposals and election nominations sent elsewhere cannot be considered:

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e-mail: investor.relations@allianz.com.

In accordance with § 126 (2) sentence 1 AktG, a counter-proposal and its reasons need not be made accessible (i) inasmuch as the Management Board would make itself liable to prosecution by making them accessible, (ii) if the counter-proposal would result in a resolution of the Annual General Meeting which would be unlawful or infringe the Statutes, (iii) if they contain information which in material aspects is evidently false or misleading or if they are libelous, (iv) if a counter-proposal made by the shareholder based on the same facts has already been made accessible to a general meeting in accordance with § 125 AktG, or (v) if the same counter-proposal of the shareholder, based on substantially the same reasons, has been made accessible pursuant to § 125 AktG to at least two general meetings of the Company within the past five years and at such general meetings less than one-twentieth of the share capital represented has voted in favor of such counter-proposal.

Pursuant to § 127 sentence 1 AktG, the aforementioned exclusions apply mutatis mutandis to election nominations. In accordance with § 127 sentence 3 AktG, election nominations for the appointment of Supervisory Board members or the statutory auditor will, moreover, only be made accessible if they contain the information required pursuant to § 124 (3) sentence 4 AktG on the name, the profession and the place of residence of the nominated person, and, in case of election nominations for the appointment of Supervisory Board members, the information required pursuant to § 125 (1) sentence 5 AktG on the nominated person's memberships in other mandatory supervisory boards in Germany.

Counter-proposals and election nominations that satisfy the aforementioned prerequisites will be made accessible by the Company online at www.allianz.com/agm, including the shareholder's name, reasons that are to be made accessible and any comments by the Management Board. Such counter-proposals and election nominations shall be deemed to have been made at the time they are made accessible. If, however, the shareholder making the counter-proposal or election nomination is not registered with the share register and is not duly registered for the Annual General Meeting (for details, see Section 3.a) and b)), the counter-proposal or election nomination need not be dealt with at the Annual General Meeting (§§ 126 (4) AktG, 127 sentence 1 AktG).



Shareholders can exercise their voting rights in relation to the counter-proposals and election nominations, in accordance with the conditions set forth in Section 4, by absentee voting or by authorizing and instructing the persons appointed by the Company.

### c) Statements pursuant to § 130a (1) to (4) AktG

Shareholders duly registered for the Annual General Meeting have the right to state their views on the Agenda Items prior to the Annual General Meeting. The respective statements may be submitted as video statements via the Online Service at www.allianz.com/agm-service, and must be received by the Company by 12 midnight on May 2, 2024. Video statements may have a maximum length of 3 minutes. The other technical requirements for submission are set out in the Online Service at www.allianz.com/agm-service.

Duly submitted video statements from shareholders will be made accessible, including the shareholder's name, to all shareholders duly registered for the Annual General Meeting, no later than four days prior to the Annual General Meeting, via the Online Service at www.allianz.com/agm-service.

A statement will not be made accessible (i) inasmuch as the Management Board would make itself liable to prosecution by making it accessible, (ii) if it contains information which in material aspects is evidently false or misleading or if it is libelous, or (iii) if the shareholder reveals that they will neither participate in the Annual General Meeting nor be represented there (§§ 130a (3) sentence 4, 126 (2) sentence 1 no. 1, 3, and 6 AktG). Please note that any shareholder proposals, election nominations, questions and declarations of objection against resolutions of the Annual General Meeting included in the statements will not be considered.

### d) Right to be informed and right to speak pursuant to §§ 130a (5) and (6), 131 (1) and (4) AktG

Every shareholder connected electronically to the Annual General Meeting has a right to be informed and a right to speak at the Annual General Meeting (§§ 130a (5), 131 (1) AktG).

The right to speak can be exercised by means of video communication in the course of livespeeches (Wortmeldungen). It is intended that the Chairperson will also restrict the right to be informed in the Annual General Meeting to video communication. At the Annual General Meeting, shareholders can therefore exercise their right to speak as well as their right to be informed in accordance with  $\S\S$  130a (5), 131 (1) AktG only in the course of live-speeches. Questions cannot be submitted by any other means of (electronic) communication, neither before nor during the Annual General Meeting. Information requests pursuant to § 131 (4) AktG can likewise only be made in live-speeches. Shareholder proposals and election nominations can form part of live-speeches.

Requests for live-speeches can be submitted during the Annual General Meeting via the Online Service at www.allianz.com/agm-service. During the Annual General Meeting the Chairperson of the meeting will provide more details on how such requests can be submitted and how speakers are given the floor.

The Company reserves the right to test the proper functioning of the video communication, i.e., the video and audio transmission between the shareholder and the Company, during the Annual General Meeting and prior to the shareholder's relevant live-speech, and to refuse the request if proper functioning is not ensured (§ 130a (6) AktG). For the purpose of the video communication, shareholders should therefore possess an internet-capable device equipped with camera and microphone and have a stable internet connection. No installation of apps or software on the device is required.



In accordance with § 131 (1) AktG, the shareholder may request that the Management Board provide them with information on matters concerning the Company, the legal and business relations of the Company with affiliated enterprises and on the situation of the Group and the enterprises included in the Consolidated Financial Statements, provided that the information requested is necessary for the proper assessment of an Agenda Item.

In accordance with § 131 (3) AktG, the Management Board is entitled, in the case of an information request pursuant to § 131 (1) AktG, to refuse to provide the information, (i) inasmuch as, based on prudent business judgement, the provision of the information is suited to have a considerable detrimental effect on the Company or on an affiliated enterprise, (ii) inasmuch as it relates to tax valuations or the amount of individual taxes, (iii) regarding the difference between the value at which items are shown in the Financial Statements and a higher value of such items, (iv) with regard to the methods of accounting and valuation, if disclosure of such methods in the notes to the Financial Statements suffices to provide a clear view of the actual condition of the Company's assets, financial position and profitability within the meaning of § 264 (2) HGB, (v) inasmuch as the Management Board would make itself liable to prosecution by providing the information, (vi) if the information has been continuously accessible on the Company's website for at least seven days prior to the start of the Annual General Meeting and during it.

Furthermore, in accordance with §§ 130a (5) sentence 4, 131 (2) sentence 2 AktG in conjunction with § 13.3. sentence 3 and 4 of the Statutes, the Chairperson of the meeting is entitled to reasonably limit the time within which shareholders may exercise their right to be informed and their right to speak, and, in determining the time available for a live-speech, to distinguish between a shareholder's first speech and subsequent ones, as well as on the basis of other reasonable criteria.

#### e) Right to object pursuant to § 118a (1) sentence 2 no. 8 AktG

From the beginning until the end of the Annual General Meeting shareholders electronically connected to it may declare their objection to resolutions of the Annual General Meeting for inclusion in the minutes of the notary recording the Annual General Meeting via the Online Service at www.allianz.com/agm-service.

# 7. Notice on the Company's website

This Invitation to the Annual General Meeting, any documents relating to Agenda Items as well as other documents pursuant to § 124a AktG are available online at www.allianz.com/agm.

# 8. Limitations set forth in the Statutes on registering shares belonging to others in one's own name with the share register

The registration with the share register of Allianz SE is a prerequisite for participation in the Annual General Meeting and for exercising voting rights. Pursuant to § 3a of the Statutes, the registration with the share register of shares belonging to another in one's own name is permissible under the following prerequisites:

a) without limitation for registration of up to 0.2 % of the share capital stated in the Statutes (this corresponds to 783,437 shares – rounded down to the next lower whole number of shares) per registered person;



- b) for registration of more than 0.2 % and up to 3 % of the share capital stated in the Statutes (this corresponds to 11,751,569 shares – rounded down to the next lower number of shares) per registered person, registration of the portion of the shares in excess of 0.2 % of the statutory share capital is permissible as long as the Company is informed of the data pursuant to § 67 (1) sentence 1 and 2 AktG of each of the persons on whose behalf the registered person holds more than 0.2 % of the statutory share capital, respectively;
- c) registration is only permissible up to a maximum of 3 % of the statutory share capital per registered person.

Disclosures pursuant to lit. b) above can be submitted to the Company at

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and must be received by the Company by May 1, 2024, at the latest. Forms that can be used for the disclosure will be provided upon request.

In order to prevent exceeding the 3 % ceiling pursuant to lit. c) above, filings for register transfers can be forwarded to the Company by way of the usual procedure. For purposes of determining the right to participate and to vote, the status of the share register at the end of May 1, 2024, shall be decisive.

#### 9. Data privacy information for shareholders and their representatives

When registering for the Annual General Meeting, authorizing a representative to exercise shareholder rights or exercising such rights, Allianz SE collects personal data about the respective shareholders and their representatives. This is done in order to enable shareholders and their representatives to exercise rights in connection with the Annual General Meeting.

Allianz SE processes personal data of shareholders and their representatives in compliance with the EU General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) and all other relevant legal provisions. Details on the processing of personal data as well as the rights of shareholders and their representatives pursuant to the GDPR can be found at www.allianz.com/dataprotection-shareholders.

#### 10.Gender-neutral language

For better readability, this Invitation to the Annual General Meeting 2024 does not use genderneutral language. However, all personal designations and terms are to be understood as being gender-neutral.



#### 11. Publication in the Federal Gazette

The Annual General Meeting on May 8, 2024, was convened by publication of the foregoing Agenda in the Federal Gazette on March 20, 2024.

Munich, March 2024 The Management Board

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