FORM 4

## **UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

## STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person*  Walker Roberto  (Last) (First) (Middle)  711 HIGH STREET					PI	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PRINCIPAL FINANCIAL GROUP INC [ PFG ]  3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/29/2023									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner  X Officer (give title Other (specify					
															P, Principal	Latin	below)			
					_ 4.1	lf Am	endme	nt, Date o	of Origin	al File	d (Month/Da		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)							
(Street) DES MOINES IA 50392													-		porting Person an One Reporting					
(City) (State) (Zip)				R	Rule 10b5-1(c) Transaction Indication															
						Check this box to indicate that a transaction was made pursuant to a contract, instruction or written plan that is intended to satisfy the affirmative defense conditions of Rule 10b5-1(c). See Instruction 10.														
		Tab	ole I - No	on-Der	ivativ	e Se	curit	ties Ac	quire	l, Di	sposed o	f, or Be	neficia	lly Owne	d					
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year		2A. Deeme Execution I if any (Month/Day		on Date,				l. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 an		5) Secur Benef Owne	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Dwned Following		n: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership				
									Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transa	Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)		
Common Stock			03/29	03/29/2023				A		14,558	A	\$37.	38 54	1,248(3)		D				
Common Stock			03/29/2023		$\perp$			A		12,335	A	\$62.	78 60	5,583(3)		D				
Common Stock			03/29/2023		$\perp$			D		26,293(1	) D	\$72.8		40,290(3)		D				
Common Stock 03/29/2					0/2023	023		D		600(1)	00 <sup>(1)</sup> D \$		34 39	39,690(3)		D				
		•	Table II								oosed of, convertil			y Owned						
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deen Executio if any (Month/D	n Date,		Transaction Code (Instr.				6. Date Exercisable Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		of Securiti		Derivativ Security		e s lly	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)		
									Date		Expiration		Amoun or Numbe of	1						
Employee Stock					Code	V	(A)	(D)	Exercis	able	Date	Title	Shares							
Option (Right to Buy)	\$37.38	03/29/2023			M			3,744	02/22/2	.018	02/22/2026	Stock	3,744	\$37.38	0		D			
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$37.38	03/29/2023			M			10,814	02/22/2	019	02/22/2026	Common Stock	10,814	\$37.38	0		D			
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$62.78	03/29/2023			M			4,111	02/27/2	2018	02/27/2027	Common Stock	4,111	\$62.78	0		D			
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$62.78	03/29/2023			M			4,112	02/27/2	019	02/27/2027	Common Stock	4,112	\$62.78	0		D			
Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)	\$62.78	03/29/2023			M			4,112	02/27/2	2020	02/27/2027	Common Stock	4,112	\$62.78	0		D			

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. The sales reported were effected pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 trading plan adopted by the reporting person on 2/24/2023.
- 2. The price reported in Column 4 is a weighted average price. These shares were sold in multiple transactions at prices ranging from \$72.33 to \$73.32, inclusive. The reporting person undertakes to provide Principal Financial Group, Inc., any security holder of Principal Financial Group, Inc., or the staff of the Securities Exchange Commission, upon request, full information regarding the number of shares sold at each separate price within the ranges set forth in this footnote.
- $3.\ Includes\ 5,106\ shares\ acquired\ pursuant\ to\ the\ Principal\ Financial\ Group,\ Inc.\ Employee\ Stock\ Purchase\ Plan.$

Clint Woods

03/31/2023

\*\* Signature of Reporting Person

Date

\*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

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