FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* OKEEFE MARY A]	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PRINCIPAL FINANCIAL GROUP INC PFG]							(Che	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner Officer (give title Other (specify					
(Last)	(F	irst)	(Middle)		3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 05/23/2003							7	X below) Sr. VP Corp. Rel. & Comp. HR					
(Street)					4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year) 05/27/2003							Line)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person					
(City)	(S	tate)	(Zip)									Form filed by More than One Reporting Person						
		Ta	ble I - Non	-Derivat	ive Se	curiti	es A	cquired,	Dis	posed of	, or Ben	eficially	/ Owned					
Date			2. Transact Date (Month/Day	Execution Date,			Code (r, Transaction Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4)				5. Amoun Securities Beneficia Owned Fo	s lly ollowing	Form	: Direct I Indirect I str. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership		
								Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Reported Transacti (Instr. 3 a				(Instr. 4)	
			Table II - D					quired, D ts, optior					Owned					
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Da if any (Month/Day/Y	Code	saction e (Instr.	of		6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)			7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Securit (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Price of Derivative Security (Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction (Instr. 4)	e s Illy	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Beneficial Ownership t (Instr. 4)	
				Code	e V	(A)	(D)	Date Exercisable		xpiration ate	Title	Amount or Number of Shares						
Phantom	o(1)(2)	05/23/2003				22.36		00/00/1000) (0/00/1000(3)	Common	22.36	\$20.04	2 228	11	D		

Explanation of Responses:

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- 1. The original version of this form was inadvertently filed under another issuer's central index key (CIK) number. The transactional information that appears in Table II is unchanged and was correct and complete as originally filed.
- 2. Security converts to common stock on a one-for-one basis.
- 3. The reported phantom stock units were acquired pursuant to the Principal Select Savings Excess Plan and may be transferred at any time into another investment alternative under the plan. Interests under the plan will be settled upon the reporting person's retirement or other termination of service.

Joyce N. Hoffman, by Power of <u>Attorney</u>

07/11/2003

** Signature of Reporting Person Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
- ** 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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