Pricing Supplement Dated 12/17/2007 (To Prospectus dated November 21, 2007, and Prospectus Supplement dated November 21, 2007)

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(PRINCIPAL FINANCIAL GROUP LOGO)

Principal Life Insurance Company

Principal® Life CoreNotes® (Callable) (That are also Asset-Backed Securities) Issued Through and Obligations of Principal Life Income Fundings Trust 2007-129 (the "Trust" and "Issuing Entity")

The description of this pricing supplement of the particular terms of the Principal® Life CoreNotes® offered hereby, and the Funding Agreement (specified below) issued by Principal Life Insurance Company ("Principal Life") to the Trust, the payment obligations of which are fully and unconditionally guaranteed by the Guarantee (specified below) issued by Principal Financial Group, Inc. to the Trust, supplements the description of the general terms and provisions of the notes, the funding agreements and the guarantees set forth in the accompanying prospectus and prospectus supplement, to which reference is hereby made..

1. The Notes

Principal Amount:	TBD	Purchasing Agent Discount:	1.500%
Issue Price:	100.0%	Original Issue Date:	12/27/2007
Net Proceeds to the Trust:	TBD	Stated Maturity Date:	12/15/2017
Interest Payment Dates:	The 15th day of ev	very sixth month commencing on 06/15/2008	
Initial Interest Payment Date:	6/15/2008		
Regular Record Date:	15 calendar days p	rior to the Interest Payment Date	
Type of Interest Rate:	[X] Fixed Rate	[] Floating Rate	
Interest Rate:	5.85%		
Discount Note:	[]Yes	[X] No	
Terms of Survivor's Option: Annual Put Limitation: Individual Put Limitation: Trust Put Limitation:		[X] \$2,000,000 or 2%; or [] \$ or% [X] \$250,000; or [] \$ [X] 2%; or \$	
Redemption Provisions: Initial Redemption Date: Redemption: Additional Other Terms:	[X]Yes 12/15/2009 [X] In whole only [] May be in whol Any redemption da Redemption Date		the Initial
Repayment:	[]Yes	[X] No	
Authorized Denominations:	\$1,000		

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The Notes issued under the Program are rated AA by Standard & Poor's ("S&P").

Principal Life expects the Notes to be rated Aa2 by Moody's Investors Service, Inc. ("Moody's").

Purchasing Agent(s) Purchasing Notes as	[X] Yes	[] No	If Yes,
Principal:			

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Total:			TBD	
State of Organization of the Trust:	New York			
Additional/Other Terms:	None			
2. <u>The Funding Agreement</u>				
Funding Agreement Issuer:	Principal Life In	surance Company		
Funding Agreement No.:	6-14898			
Deposit:	\$15.0			
Net Deposit:	TBD			
Effective Date:	12/27/2007			
Stated Maturity Date:	12/15/2017			
Interest Payment Dates:	The 15th day of	every sixth month commencing or	n 06/15/2008	
Initial Interest Payment Date:	6/15/2008			
Type of Interest Rate:	[X] Fixed Rate	[] Floating Rate		
Interest Rate:	5.85%			
Discount Funding Agreement:	[]Yes	[X] No		
Terms of Survivor's Option:		[¥] ¢] 000 000 or 20/. or		

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Trust Put Limitation:

Annual Put Limitation:

Individual Put Limitation:

Redemption: Initial Redemption Date:	[X]Yes 12/15/2009	[] No.	If Yes,	
Redemption:	[X] In whole on			
Additional Other Terms:	[] May be in wh Any redemption Date	1	n Interest Payment Date falling on or after the Initial Red	emption
Repayment:	[]Yes	[X] No		
Ratings:				

Ratings:

The Funding Agreement issued under the Program is rated AA by S&P. Principal Life expects the Funding Agreement to be rated Aa2 by Moody's.

Additional/Other Terms:	None
3. <u>The Guarantee</u>	
Guarantee Issuer:	Principal Financial Group, Inc.
Effective Date:	12/27/2007
Additional/Other Terms:	None