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FORM 4

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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			or Section 30(ff) of the investment Company Act of 1940				
1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* <u>Cheong Wee Yee</u>			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PRINCIPAL FINANCIAL GROUP INC PFG ]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable)  Director 10% Owner  X Officer (give title Other (specify below)			
Last) (First) (Middle) 711 HIGH STREET		(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 02/27/2023	EVP, Principal Asia			
(Street) DES MOINES (City)	IA (State)	50392  (Zip)  4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day)		Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)     X Form filed by One Reporting Person     Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned										
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transa Code ( 8)		4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
			Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price	Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)		(iiisti. 4)
Common Stock	02/27/2023		A		14,330	A	<b>\$0</b> <sup>(1)</sup>	49,342(2)	D	
Common Stock	02/27/2023		A		4,064	A	<b>\$0</b> <sup>(3)</sup>	53,406(2)	D	
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## Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities) 3. Transaction Date 1. Title of 2. Conversion 3A. Deemed 5. Number 6. Date Exercisable and 7. Title and 8. Price of 9. Number of 11. Nature Ownership Derivative **Execution Date** Transaction Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) Amount of Derivative derivative of Indirect (Month/Day/Year) Derivative Security (Instr. 3) or Exercise Price of if any (Month/Day/Year) Code (Instr. 8) Securities Underlying Security (Instr. 5) Form: Direct (D) Beneficial Ownership Securities Beneficially Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed Owned Following Reported Derivative Derivative or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) (Instr. 4) Security (Instr. 3 and 4) Security of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 Transaction(s) (Instr. 4) and 5) Amount Expiration Date Code (A) (D) Exercisable Title Shares

## **Explanation of Responses:**

- 1. Grant of restricted stock units
- 2. Includes 737 shares acquired pursuant to the Principal Financial Group, Inc. Employee Stock Purchase Plan
- 3. Settlement of performance-based restricted stock units granted February 24, 2020.

Clint Woods

03/01/2023

\*\* 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).
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