FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name an Dunbar	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PRINCIPAL FINANCIAL GROUP INC PFG]											all app	o of Reportin dicable) ctor er (give title	ig Pers	10% C							
(Last) (First) (Middle) 711 HIGH STREET							3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 06/06/2019										belov EVP	,		below) stment Officer		
(Street) DES MO (City)	DES MOINES IA 50392					4. If <i>i</i>	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									i. Indiv ine) X	Form	ual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable 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																						
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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																						
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Explanation of Responses:

1. Includes 4,431 shares acquired pursuant to the Principal Financial Group, Inc. Employee Stock Purchase Plan.

Remarks:

<u>Patrick A. Kirchner, by Power of Attorney</u>

06/13/2019

** Signature of Reporting Person

Date

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

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