Instruction 1(b).

FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* STRABLE-SOETHOUT DEANNA D (Last) (First) (Middle) 711 HIGH STREET (Street) DES MOINES IA 50392						Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol PRINCIPAL FINANCIAL GROUP INC [PFG] 3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 08/16/2021 4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specify below) EVP & Chief Financial Officer 6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) X Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person				
(City) (State) (Zip) Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned																			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)			2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		2A. Exec if an	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)		3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)		4. Securities Acquired Disposed Of (D) (Instr.		uired (A) or	5. Amo Securit Benefic	ount of 6. ties Fo		n: Direct or Indirect nstr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership	
									Code	v	Amount	(A) (D)	or F	Price	Transa	eu ction(s) 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)
Common St	Common Stock			03/25/2022					A		148	P	\	\$0 ⁽¹⁾	7:	2,385		D	
Common St	tock			08/16/	2021				A		750	A		\$0 ⁽¹⁾	55,610				By Spouse
Common St	tock			03/25/	2022				A		110	A	1	\$0 ⁽¹⁾	55	55,720			By Spouse
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																		
Security or (Instr. 3) Pr	onversion r Exercise rice of erivative ecurity	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Dee Execution if any (Month/		4. Transa Code (8)		str. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)			on Dai		Amount o Securities Underlyin Derivative Security (3 and 4)		str.	8. Price of Derivative Gecurity Instr. 5)	9. Number derivative Securities Beneficiall Owned Following Reported Transactio (Instr. 4)	у	10. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

Explanation of Responses:

1. Grant of restricted stock units.

Alex P. Montz

03/29/2022

** 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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