## Instructions to request advisory fee deductions

# **Annuity**

Issued by Midland National® Life Insurance Company

At any point after contract issue, as the advisor, you can submit a request to have investment advisory fees deducted from your clients' Midland National® contracts.

Advisors can deduct advisory fees from contracts that have a "Client advisor authorization form" on file with Midland National, and have the appropriate authorization box checked on the form. If the client has withdrawn the authorization, subsequent advisory fees must be collected outside of the Midland National contract.

#### Step one

Complete the **Advisory fee request form**', including appropriate contract and firm information. Choosing either the one-time or systematic fee withdrawal option and appropriate disbursement type.

#### **Step two**

Submit the completed Advisory fee request form to Midland National by email at RIAService@sfgmembers.com, by fax at 877-586-0249, or by secure document upload (available within your MidlandNational.com account, under My Business).

If choosing the one-time fee option, a new Advisory fee request form must be completed for each subsequent request to deduct advisory fees from a Midland National contract.

Please allow two business days to process and deduct the fees.

| Advisory fee request   | form  | MIDLAND<br>NATIONAL  |
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| Please submit request via email to RIAService  | e@sfgmembers.com  | P.O. Box 10385, Des Moines, IA 50306-038   |
| This form is used to request that your register ("Contract") issued by Midland National® Life  |   | fee disbursement") from your client's Annuity Contract   |
| Prior to processing any request for an advisor authorization from your client to process the a   | ry fee distribution, Midland National must have a com<br>advisory fee distribution from their Contract.   | pleted Client advisor authorization form providing   |
|  |   | assessed by Midland National, and are separate from a<br>determine any impact of advisory fee distribution may |
| Submission date:   | (mm/dd/yyyy)  |  |
| General information (all fields required)  |   |  |
| Owner's name (first, middle initial, last)<br>If joint Owners, include both names  |   | Annuity Contract number  |
| RIA firm (CRD) number  | Registered Investment Advisor's (RIA) firm name   | '  |
| Advisory fee will be paid to the RIA firm using<br>paid via physical check mailed to the RIA firm  | the bank account provided on the Advisory profile for<br>'s address of record.  | rm. If no account detail was provided, fee will be   |
| One-time disbursement for advisory fees (  | complete this section for a one-time advisory fee with  | drawal)  |
| Dollar amount \$   |   |  |
| Systematic advisory fee disbursements  |   |  |
| Complete this section to setup a systematic a disbursement instructions on file.   | dvisory fee disbursement. Selections you make belo  | w replace any previous systematic advisory fee   |
| Disbursement option (select one):  |   |  |
| Annual percent%  | Dollar amount \$ * The dollar amount indicated will   | <del></del>  |
| * Annual maximum varies by product.<br>See your Contract for details.  | deducted each frequency.  | De   |
| Requested start date:  | Frequency:  |  |
|  | nm/dd/yyyy)  Monthly  Quarterly ct is issued,   | ☐ Semi-annual ☐ Annual   |
| If no date is provided, fee will begin on the f<br>date following contract issue (cannot be 29,  |   |  |
|  | the RIA represents, acknowledges, and understands   | the following:   |
| Acknowledgments By submitting this form, t   |   |  |
|  |   | ayment of advisory fees and will not undertake such revie  |
| Midland National has no responsibility to revis     Any one-time advisory fee disbursement ins   |   |  |
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### Important reminders about advisory fees

Midland National has been granted a Private Letter Tax Ruling (PLR) from the Internal Revenue Service that allows advisory fees on fixed index annuity, variable annuity and registered index-linked annuity non-qualified contracts to not be considered distributions provided they do not exceed an amount equal to an annual rate of 1.5% of the contract's cash value. Midland National limits the advisory fees allowed on annuities, and those limits could be lower than the PLR. Advisor fee withdrawals from non-qualified multi-year guaranteed annuity contracts are considered distributions and may be taxable to the contract owner. Please refer to the annuity contract for details.



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