

# Help businesses prepare for financial security using *Lincoln AssetEdge*<sup>®</sup> VUL

Business Exec Enhanced Surrender Value Rider

#### Leverage idle business assets

Businesses should feel confident knowing they have solid financial protection in place for the risks they face in recruitment, employee retention and business continuity. *Lincoln AssetEdge®* VUL is a solution that offers death benefit protection and growth potential through investment options. It also offers businesses the opportunity to enhance liquidity through the Business Exec Enhanced Surrender Value Rider.

### An accumulation VUL can help businesses with the following strategies:



**Buy-sell planning:** Helps ensure continuity so owners can receive fair market value for their investment



**Key person protection:** Shelters the business from the financial impact of losing essential employees



**Recruitment and retention:** Maintains a competitive edge with a variety of nongualified plan options

#### **Business Exec Enhanced Surrender Value Rider**

This optional rider helps add financial security when implementing business life insurance strategies.

#### The benefits include:

S Enhanced surrender values for business reporting



Reduce the overall financial impact

Combining the Business Exec Enhanced Surrender Value Rider with *Lincoln AssetEdge*<sup>®</sup> VUL can offset the cost of the business plan by waiving all surrender charges and providing an option to replace a portion of the administrative charges. A separate enhanced surrender value is calculated during the initial surrender charge period.

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#### There are two options with this rider:

- Low option waives the surrender charge during the initial surrender charge period.
- **High option** waives the surrender charge during the initial surrender charge period and replaces a portion of the administrative charges that have been taken out of the policy in the first five years.

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Ask your Lincoln representative how you can help business clients leverage their idle assets and meet their unique goals with *Lincoln AssetEdge*® VUL.

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#### Applications

This rider is designed for policies that are business-paid or business-owned and are generally part of strategies that stress the balance sheet or for companies that have financial reporting concerns. The benefit is maximized with overfunded premium designs.

#### Meet the business need to maintain large cash reserves

- Bonding (think construction companies)
- Collateral requirements (think car dealerships)

#### Fund these solutions

- Entity buy-sell
- Key person
- Split dollar
- Deferred compensation

### Questions to get the conversation started

- Is the business protected if you or your business partner(s) pass away?
- Can the business continue without you or your key employee(s)?
- Are you counting on the value of your business for retirement?
- Do you have a plan to retain, reward and recruit key executives essential to your business?
- Do you have assets on the books that are reserved for liquidity purposes only?

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