Sony Life's Supplementary Data for the Six Months Ended September 30, 2008 at Press Conference

(1) Sales Results

		Six months ended September 30, 2008	% Change from fiscal year ended March 31, 2008	% change from six months ended September 30, 2007	Year ended March 31, 2008	Six months ended September 30, 2007
Annualized premiums of new policies	(million yen)	30,940		-0.9%	63,475	31,225
Of which third-sector products	(million yen)	6,513	_	-1.2%	13,358	6,593
Annualized premiums of total policies	(million yen)	540,948	2.1%	4.5%	530,011	517,490
Of which third-sector products	(million yen)	124,595	1.4%	3.4%	122,854	120,530
Income from insurance premiums	(million yen)	327,085		2.7%	648,406	318,541
Individual life insurance and annuities	(million yen)	323,315		2.8%	639,794	314,575
Group insurance and annuities	(million yen)	3,510	_	-0.8%	7,126	3,538
New policy amount	(million yen)	1,894,777	_	0.8%	3,802,588	1,879,368
Policy amount in force	(million yen)	32,065,432	1.8%	3.8%	31,497,346	30,878,727
Surrender and lapse Amount	(million yen)	979,318	_	7.5%	1,849,909	910,689
Surrender and lapse rate	(%)	3.11	_	up 0.10 point	6.12	3.01

Notes:

- 1. The above figures excluding income from insurance premiums represent total amounts of individual life insurance and individual annuities.
- 2. Lapse and surrender amount as well as lapse and surrender rate do not include reinstatement.
- 3. Annualized premiums are for individual life insurance and individual annuities. Annualized premiums refer to an amount that is calculated by multiplying individual premium amounts by a coefficient that differs depending on the premium payment methods, thereby converting the figure to a per-year premium. (For single-payment policies, premiums are divided by the coverage period.)

(2) Assets

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Total assets	(million yen)	3,785,372	3.4%	4.9%	3,659,786	3,607,135
Adjusted net asset	(100 million ven)	5,446	-11.0%	-19.3%	6,120	6,750
Adjusted net asset / General account asset	(%)	15.7	down 2.6 points	down 5.0 points	18.3	20.7
Solvency margin ratio	(%)	1,665.4	down 82.5 points	down 204.6 points	1,747.9	1,870.0

Note: Adjusted net asset is calculated base on the regulatory standard.

(3) Core Profit / Negative Spread

		Six months ended		Year ended March	Six months ended
		September 30, 2008	% change from six months ended September 30, 2007	31, 2008	September 30, 2007
Core profit	(million yen)	16,538	18.5%	23,571	13,962

		Fiscal year ending March 31, 2009 (Forecast)	Fiscal year ended March 31, 2008
Negative spread	(100 million yen)	Decrease	267

(4) Policy and Other Reserves

		As of September			As of March 31,	As of September
		30, 2008	% change from March 31, 2008	% change from September 30, 2007	,	30, 2007
Policy reserve (excluding contingency reserve)	(million yen)	3,451,573	138,289	258,439	3,313,283	3,193,133
General account (excluding contingency reserve)	(million yen)	3,157,361	141,671	287,253	3,015,689	2,870,107
Separate account (excluding contingency reserve)	(million yen)	294,212	-3,381	-28,814	297,593	323,026
Reserve for price fluctuations	(million yen)	24,668	568	2,250	24,099	22,418
Contingency reserve	(million yen)	63,291	1,483	2,876	61,807	60,414
Contingency reserve 1	(million yen)	16,908	334	694	16,573	16,213
Contingency reserve 2	(million yen)	33,959	125	236	33,833	33,722
Contingency reserve 3	(million yen)	7,610	881	1,684	6,729	5,925
Contingency reserve 4	(million yen)	4,812	141	260	4,671	4,551
Contingency reserve fund	(million yen)	-	-	-	-	-
Price fluctuations reserve fund	(million yen)	-	-	-	-	-

(5) Unrealized Gains/Losses

		As of September 30, 2008	% change from March 31, 2008	% change from September 30, 2007	As of March 31, 2008	As of September 30, 2007
Securities	(million yen)	35,935	-91,922	-170,538	127,858	206,474
Domestic stocks	(million yen)	24,198	-26,676	-103,559	50,874	127,757
Domestic bonds	(million yen)	21,937	-61,558	-46,269	83,495	68,206
Foreign securities	(million yen)	-12,175	-2,637	-16,306	-9,538	4,131
Real estate	(million yen)	28,473	1,280	5,510	27,193	22,963

Note: Real estate is for domestic real estate, including land lease right, and the amount is the level after revaluation.

(6) Investment results and plans

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		Net increase (decrease) for the six months ended September 30, 2007	Plans for the second half of the fiscal year ending march 31, 2008
Domestic stocks	(million yen)	179,063	Decrease
Domestic bonds	(million yen)	2,555,662	Increase
Foreign stocks	(million yen)	25,098	Flat
Foreign bonds	(million yen)	171,190	Decrease
Real estate	(million yen)	79,906	Flat

(7) Level of Indices where Unrealized Gains/Losses on Assets are Break-even

		As of September 30, 2008
Domestic stocks (NIKKEI Average)	(Yen)	9,688.00
Domestic stocks (TOPIX)	(points)	935.69
Domestic bonds	(%)	1.5
Foreign securities	(Yen)	101.82

(8) Forecast for the Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 2009

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	Forecast				
Income from insurance premiums	(million yen)	Increase			
Core profit	(million yen)	Increase			
Policy amount in force	(million yen)	Increase			
Annualized premiums for policies in force	(million yen)	Increase			

(9) Cross Holdings with Domestic Banks

i) Contributions from Domestic Banks

	As of September 30, 2008	
Funds	(million yen)	None
Subordinated Loans and Debentures	(million yen)	None

ii) Contributions to Domestic Banks

	As of September 30, 2008	
Bank Stocks	(million yen)	None
Subordinated Loans and Debentures	(million yen)	None

(10) Number of Employees

		As of September 30, 2008	% change from March 31, 2008 % change fr September 2007		As of March 31, As 2008	As of September 30, 2007
Sales employees	persons	4,300	1.2%	2.4%	4,248	4,200
Adminisitrative personnel	persons	1,175	4.5%	8.1%	1,124	1,087

(11) Over-the-Counter Sales through Banks (Sony Life's sales of OTC through banks are only for individual annuities products)

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			For six months ended September 30, 2008	% Change from six months ended September 30, 2007	Year ended March 31, 2008	Six months ended September 30, 2007	Sales since start of OTC sales through banks From October 2002 to September 2008				
Variable annuities	Number of new policies	Number	5	-78.3%	34	23	85				
	Insurance premiums	Million Yen	1	-94.2%	44	23	138				
Fixed annuities	Number of new policies	Number	20	11.1%	50	18	161				
	Insurance premiums	Million Yen	31	12.3%	52	28	171				

Appendix

Measures against reoccurrence of Non-payment issues

Of measures enacted to prevent recurrence, major measures introduced during the current fiscal year include the following.

- 1. From October 2008, in the event that a decision is made not to pay requested insurance claim or benefit payments, Sony Life has started to pay customers part of the costs that they incur to acquire medical certificates.
- 2. In July 2008, Sony Life introduced a Claim and Benefit Request Interview Sheet and began operating a system (approximately ¥0.1 billion) using this sheet.
- 3. Sony Life plans to change the timing of sending customers a Notice Concerning Protection. From April 2009, the company plans to begin sending this notice several months prior to the policyholder's birthday, providing an opportunity to enhance its after-sale service process.
- 4. Sony Life has developed an extensive system to improve drastically the flow of operations when assessing payments.
- In April 2008, the company completed extensive system developments, such as major revisions to its process flow and substantial upgrades to the precision of inputting information involving requested documents (approximately ¥1.0 billion).
- Sony Life is currently undertaking large-scale system developments to enhance the information provided at the time of payment and to raise operational efficiency.

Holdings of Securitized Papers and Other Sub-prime Related Investments

				As of September 30, 2008					
		Fair Value		Unrealized gains/losses	Gains/Losses recorded in				
	(100 million		As of March 31, 2008	<i>g</i>	income				
Total securitized papers		629	634	-129	12				
Of which, sub-prime linked	(100 million ven)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)				
SPEs	(100 million ven)	_		_	_				
CDO	(100 million ven)	_	_	_	_				
Other Subprime or Alt-A exposure	(100 million yen)	_		_	_				
CMBSs	(100 million ven)	_		_	_				
Leveraged Finance	(100 million ven)	_		_	_				
RMBS	(100 million ven)	_	_	_	_				
Credit Link Note/Loan	(100 million yen)	_		_	_				
Others	(100 million ven)	629	634	-129	12				

<Reference>

Sony Life holds convertible bond repackage notes (September 30, 2008 market value of 20.2 billion yen, unrealized losses of 0.6 billion yen) and principal protected 30 year bonds with Nikkei 225 index linked coupon (September 30, 2008 market value of 42.7 billion yen, unrealized losses of 12.2 billion yen.)

These amounts are included in "Net unrealized gains on other securities, (before taxes)" of Sony Life as of September 30, 2008.