

VALIC Company I
Small Cap Core Fund (formerly, Small Cap Special Values Fund)
(the “Fund”)

2919 Allen Parkway
Houston, Texas 77019

July 29, 2026

Dear Participant:

At a meeting held on January 21-22, 2026 (the “Meeting”), the Board of Directors (the “Board”) of VALIC Company I (“VC I”) approved an Investment Sub-Advisory Agreement between The Variable Annuity Life Insurance Company (“VALIC”), the Fund’s investment adviser, and Invesco Advisers, Inc. (“Invesco”) with respect to the Fund, a series of VC I (the “New Sub-Advisory Agreement”). Invesco replaced Allspring Global Investments, LLC (“Allspring”) as subadviser to the Fund. The New Sub-Advisory Agreement became effective on April 30, 2026 (the “Effective Date”).

In connection with the appointment of Invesco, the Board approved a change in the Fund’s name from “Small Cap Special Values Fund” to “Small Cap Core Fund,” and changes to the Fund’s investment objective, investment strategies and techniques, and principal investment risks. In addition, the Board approved the Third Amended and Restated Master Advisory Fee Waiver Agreement between VALIC and VC I, on behalf of the Fund, pursuant to which VALIC has contractually agreed to waive a portion of its advisory fee with respect to the Fund through September 30, 2027. These changes also became effective on the Effective Date. The appointment of Invesco did not result in any other change to the advisory fees and expenses payable by the Fund.

As a matter of regulatory compliance, we are sending you this Information Statement, which includes information about the New Sub-Advisory Agreement and Invesco. For more information about the Fund’s current investment objective, investment strategies and techniques, and principal investment risks, please refer to the Fund’s prospectus dated April 30, 2026.

This document is for your information only and you are not required to take any action. Should you have any questions regarding the enclosed Information Statement, please feel free to call VALIC Client Services at 1-800-448-2542. We thank you for your continued support and investments.

Sincerely,

Kevin J. Adamson
President
VALIC Company I

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INFORMATION STATEMENT

**REGARDING A NEW INVESTMENT SUB-ADVISORY AGREEMENT FOR THE SMALL CAP CORE
FUND**

You have received this Information Statement because, on April 30, 2026, you owned interests in the Fund within a variable annuity or variable life insurance contract (“Contract”) or through a qualified employer-sponsored retirement plan or individual retirement account (“Plan”).

Purpose of the Information Statement

You are receiving this Information Statement in lieu of a proxy statement. This Information Statement describes the decision by the Board of Directors (the “Board”) of VALIC Company I (“VC I”) to approve an Investment Sub-Advisory Agreement (the “New Sub-Advisory Agreement”) between The Variable Annuity Life Insurance Company, the Fund’s investment adviser, and Invesco Advisers, Inc. (“Invesco” or the “Subadviser”) with respect to the Fund, at a meeting held on January 21-22, 2026 (the “Meeting”). Invesco replaced Allspring Global Investments, LLC (“Allspring”) as subadviser to the Fund on April 30, 2026 (the “Effective Date”).

WE ARE NOT ASKING YOU FOR A PROXY AND YOU ARE REQUESTED NOT TO SEND US A PROXY. THIS DOCUMENT IS FOR INFORMATIONAL PURPOSES ONLY AND YOU ARE NOT REQUIRED TO TAKE ANY ACTION.

VC I relies upon an exemptive order from the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (“SEC”) which allows VALIC, subject to certain conditions, to enter into and materially amend sub-advisory agreements with unaffiliated sub-advisers without obtaining shareholder approval. The Board, including a majority of the directors who are not “interested persons” of VC I, as defined in Section 2(a)(19) of the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended (the “1940 Act”) (the “Independent Directors”), must first approve each new or amended sub-advisory agreement. This allows VALIC to act more quickly to change or add sub-advisers when it is determined that a change would be in the best interest of the Fund and its shareholders. As required by this exemptive order, the Fund must provide information to shareholders about a new sub-adviser and the sub-advisory agreement within 90 days of the hiring of a new sub-adviser. This Information Statement is being provided to you to satisfy this requirement.

This Information Statement is being posted on or about July 29, 2026, to all participants in a Contract or Plan who were invested in the Fund as of the close of business on April 30, 2026 (the “Record Date”) at <https://www.corebridgefinancial.com/rs/prospectus-and-reports/information-statements>.

The Adviser and the Fund

VALIC is an investment adviser registered with the SEC and is located at 2919 Allen Parkway, 8th floor, Houston, Texas 77019. Pursuant to an Investment Advisory Agreement between VALIC and VC I, dated January 13, 2025 (the “Advisory Agreement”), VALIC serves as investment adviser to the Fund. The Advisory Agreement was last approved by the Board at a meeting held on August 5-6, 2025. VALIC is an indirect, wholly owned subsidiary of Corebridge Financial, Inc. (“Corebridge”).

Pursuant to the terms of the Advisory Agreement, VALIC acts as an adviser for VC I, and each series thereof, and manages the daily business affairs of VC I. VALIC employs sub-advisers, such as Invesco, that make investment decisions for VC I. The Advisory Agreement further provides that VALIC furnishes office space, facilities, equipment, and personnel adequate to provide the services and pays the compensation of the members of the Board who are “interested persons” of VC I or VALIC. In addition, VALIC monitors and reviews the activities of VC I’s sub-advisers and other third-party service providers and makes changes and/or replacements when deemed appropriate. In addition, VALIC provides comprehensive investment and compliance monitoring, including, among other things, monitoring of each sub-adviser’s performance, and conducts reviews of each sub-adviser’s brokerage arrangements and best execution. VALIC also provides the Board with quarterly reports at each regular meeting regarding VC I and each series thereof.

The New Sub-Advisory Agreement

Under the terms of the New Sub-Advisory Agreement between VALIC and Invesco, subject to the control, direction, and supervision of VALIC, Invesco shall (1) manage the investment and reinvestment of the assets of the Fund including, for example, the evaluation of pertinent economic, statistical, financial, and other data, the determination of the industries and companies to be represented in the Fund’s portfolio, and the formulation and implementation of investment programs; (2) maintain a trading desk and place orders for the purchase and sale of portfolio investments (including futures contracts and options thereon) for the Fund’s account with brokers or dealers (including futures commission merchants) selected by the subadviser, or arrange for any other entity to provide a trading desk and to place orders with brokers and dealers (including futures commission merchants) selected by the subadviser, subject to the subadviser’s control, direction, and supervision, which brokers or dealers (including futures commission merchants) may include brokers or dealers (including futures commission merchants) affiliated with the subadviser, subject to applicable law; and (3) assist the Fund and its agents in determining whether prices obtained for valuation purposes accurately reflect the prices on the subadviser’s portfolio records relating to the assets of the Fund. In performing the services described above, Invesco shall use its best efforts to obtain for the Fund the best execution of portfolio transactions.

The New Sub-Advisory Agreement between VALIC and Invesco and the Subadvisory Agreement between VALIC and Allspring are similar, except that the New Sub-Advisory Agreement materially differs, among other things, in: (i) the name of the subadviser; (ii) the effective date and termination date of the agreement; (iii) the fee rate; (iv) different terms related to the frequency with which the subadviser must furnish the investment adviser with its Fund-related portfolio records; (v) the absence of language pursuant to which the subadviser would be bound to any investment policy determination made by the investment adviser upon receiving notice; (vi) different terms related to the aggregation of sales and purchase orders of securities; (vii) the inclusion of language explicitly authorizing VALIC to direct Invesco to use a particular broker or dealer for one or more trades if, in the sole opinion of VALIC, it is in the best interest of the Fund to do so; (viii) the addition of an acknowledgment that VC I is ultimately responsible for all brokerage commissions, taxes and other transaction-related fees incurred on behalf of the Fund; (ix) different payments terms with respect to the subadvisory fee; (x) different terms related to the timing by which the subadviser must furnish the investment adviser with a copy of its Form ADV; (xi) the absence of language requiring the investment adviser to reimburse the subadviser for making duplicate copies of certain books and records; (xii) the addition of a requirement that VALIC provide subadviser with names, addresses, and specimen signatures of those authorized to instruct the subadviser, including a limitation on the subadviser’s liability in certain situations where such a person lacks authority; (xiii) different terms related to VALIC’s use of the Fund’s offering materials in which the subadviser is named; (xiv) the absence of language requiring the adviser to cease using the subadviser’s name and logo in the event the agreement terminates; (xv) the absence of language requiring VALIC to provide subadviser with a list of all custodial accounts containing assets managed under the Subadvisory Agreement; (xvi) the absence of language requiring VALIC to provide subadviser with further documents or information as reasonably requested, or a copy of VALIC’s Form ADV following any material update; (xvii) the absence of language restricting the subadviser’s use of the name of VALIC or VC I; and (xviii) differing terms related to the indemnification of the parties.

The New Sub-Advisory Agreement shall continue in effect for two years from its effective date. Thereafter, the New Sub-Advisory Agreement shall continue in effect subject to the termination provisions and all other terms and conditions thereof, only so long as such continuance is approved at least annually by the vote of a majority of Independent Directors, cast in person at a meeting called for the purpose of voting on such approval, and by a vote of a majority of VC I's Board or a majority of that Fund's outstanding voting securities (as defined in the 1940 Act).

The New Sub-Advisory Agreement may be terminated at any time, without the payment of any penalty, by vote of VC I's Board or by vote of a majority of the Fund's outstanding voting securities on not more than 60 days' nor less than 30 days' written notice to Invesco, or upon such shorter notice as may be mutually agreed upon by the parties. The New Sub-Advisory Agreement may also be terminated by VALIC: (i) on not more than 60 days' nor less than 30 days' written notice to Invesco, or upon such shorter notice as may be mutually agreed upon by the parties, without the payment of any penalty; or (ii) if Invesco becomes unable to discharge its duties and obligations under the New Sub-Advisory Agreement. Invesco may terminate the New Sub-Advisory Agreement at any time, or preclude its renewal without the payment of any penalty, on not more than 60 days' nor less than 30 days' written notice to VALIC, or upon such shorter notice as may be mutually agreed upon by the parties. The New Sub-Advisory Agreement will also immediately terminate in the event of its assignment.

The New Sub-Advisory Agreement is attached as Exhibit A, and the description of the New Sub-Advisory Agreement set forth herein is qualified in its entirety by reference to Exhibit A.

For its services under the New Sub-Advisory Agreement, Invesco receives a fee, payable monthly by VALIC, in an amount that is calculated as an annual percentage of the portion of the Fund's average daily net assets managed by Invesco that is equal to: 0.375% on the first \$50 million, 0.350% on the next \$50 million and 0.325% on assets over \$100 million. Since VALIC, and not the Fund, is responsible for the payment of subadvisory fees, the fees and expenses paid by the Fund's shareholders will not increase as a result of the approval of the New Sub-Advisory Agreement. The proposed subadvisory fee was negotiated at arms-length, based on a variety of factors, including the value of the services to be provided, the competitive environment in which the Fund is marketed, the investment characteristics of the Fund relative to other similar funds, and the fees charged to comparable products within the industry. Based on these considerations, and as hereinafter discussed in detail, management believes that the proposed sub-advisory fees, and the management fees to be retained by VALIC, are fair and reasonable.

In connection with the appointment of Invesco, and as set forth in the Fund's prospectus dated April 30, 2026, the Board also approved at the Meeting a change in the Fund's name from "Small Cap Special Values Fund" to "Small Cap Core Fund," and changes to the Fund's investment objective, investment strategies and techniques, and principal investment risks. These changes went into effect on the Effective Date.

The Third Amended and Restated Master Advisory Fee Waiver Agreement

In connection with the approval of the New Sub-Advisory Agreement, the Board also approved the Third Amended and Restated Master Advisory Fee Waiver Agreement (the "New Advisory Fee Waiver Agreement") between VALIC and VC I, which included changes with respect to the Fund. Under the terms of the New Advisory Fee Waiver Agreement, VALIC agrees to waive additional management fees so that the fee payable to VALIC by VC I with respect to the Fund as an annual percentage of the Fund's average daily net assets is equal to 0.64% on the first \$500 million of the Fund's average daily net assets and 0.59% on average daily net assets over \$500 million. The New Advisory Fee Waiver Agreement will continue in effect with respect to the Fund until September 30, 2027, and from year to year thereafter provided such continuance is agreed to by VALIC. Upon termination of the Advisory Agreement with respect to the Fund, the New Advisory Fee Waiver Agreement shall automatically terminate with respect to the Fund.

Contractual Advisory Fee	Advisory Fee Payable under Old Waiver (based on average daily net assets)	Advisory Fee Payable under New Advisory Fee Waiver Agreement (based on average daily net assets)
0.75% on the first \$500 million 0.70% on assets over \$500 million	0.72% on the first \$500 million 0.67% on assets over \$500 million	0.64% on the first \$500 million 0.59% on assets over \$500 million

Impact of the New Arrangements on VALIC's Advisory Fees and Advisory Fees Retained

Had the changes described above (the "New Arrangements") been implemented at the beginning of the fiscal year ended May 31, 2026, the sub-advisory fees paid by VALIC would have decreased and the gross advisory fees retained by VALIC with respect to the Fund would have increased. The sub-advisory fees paid and the advisory fees that would be retained by VALIC under the New Arrangements shown in the charts below are hypothetical and are designed to help you understand the potential effects of the New Sub-Advisory Agreement and the New Arrangements. The amounts waived and net advisory fees retained are also shown. The actual fees paid to VALIC, and the actual advisory fees retained by VALIC under the New Arrangements may be different due to fluctuating asset levels and a variety of other factors.

	Actual		New Arrangements		Difference		
	Dollar Amount	% of Net Assets	Dollar Amount	% of Net Assets	Dollar Amount	% of Net Assets	% Increase (Decrease)
Gross Advisory Fees	\$1,296,186	0.75%	\$1,296,186	0.75%	\$0	0.00%	0%
Subadvisory Fees Paid	\$964,124	0.56%	\$599,181	0.35%	\$(364,943)	(0.21%)	(37.9)%
Advisory Fees Retained (Gross)	\$332,062	0.19%	\$697,005	0.40%	\$364,943	0.21%	109.9%
Advisory Fees Waived/Expenses Reimbursed	\$51,847	0.03%	\$190,107	0.11%	\$138,260	0.08%	266.7%
Advisory Fees Retained (Net)	\$280,215	0.16%	\$506,898	0.29%	\$226,683	0.13%	80.9%

Factors Considered by the Board

In connection with the approval of the New Sub-Advisory Agreement, the Board, including the Independent Directors, received materials relating to certain factors the Board considered in determining whether to approve the New Sub-Advisory Agreement. Those factors included: (1) the nature, extent and quality of the services to be provided to the Fund by Invesco; (2) the key personnel of Invesco who will provide services to the Fund; (3) Invesco's compliance policies and procedures; (4) Invesco's brokerage and soft dollar practices; and (5) information relating to any economies of scale and other benefits to be realized by Invesco as a result of the New Sub-Advisory Agreement.

In considering whether to approve the New Sub-Advisory Agreement, the Board also took into account a presentation made at the Meeting by members of management as well as by representatives from Invesco. The Board noted that in accordance with Section 15(c) of the 1940 Act, Invesco furnished the Board with extensive information in connection with the consideration of the New Sub-Advisory Agreement. The Independent Directors were separately represented by counsel that is independent of VALIC in connection with their consideration of approval of the New Sub-Advisory Agreement. The matters discussed below were also considered separately by the Independent Directors in executive sessions with their independent legal counsel, at which no representatives of management were present.

Nature, Extent and Quality of Services. The Board considered the nature, extent and quality of services to be provided to the Fund by Invesco. The Board reviewed information provided by Invesco relating to its operations and personnel. The Board also noted that Invesco's management of the Fund will be subject to the oversight of VALIC and the Board, and must be done in accordance with the investment objectives, policies and restrictions set forth in the Fund's prospectus and statement of additional information.

The Board considered information provided to them regarding the services to be provided by Invesco, including a presentation from Invesco, which discussed, among other things. The Board noted that Invesco will determine the securities to be purchased or sold on behalf of the Fund and will be responsible for providing VALIC with records concerning its activities, which VALIC or the Fund is required to maintain; and for rendering regular reports to VALIC and to officers and Directors of the Fund concerning its discharge of the foregoing responsibilities. The Board reviewed information regarding the qualifications, background and responsibilities of Invesco's investment and compliance personnel who would provide services to the Fund. The Board also took into account the financial condition of Invesco. The Board also reviewed Invesco's brokerage practices. The Board also considered Invesco's risk management processes and regulatory history, including information regarding whether it was currently involved in any regulatory actions or investigations as well as material litigation that may affect its ability to service the Fund.

The Board concluded that the scope and quality of the services to be provided by Invesco were expected to be satisfactory and that there was a reasonable basis to conclude that Invesco would provide a high quality of investment services to the Fund.

Fees and Expenses; Investment Performance. The Board received and reviewed information regarding the fees proposed to be charged by Invesco for sub-advisory services compared against the sub-advisory fees of the funds in the Fund's Subadvisory Expense Group/Universe. The Board noted that VALIC negotiated the sub-advisory fee with Invesco at arm's length. The Board also noted that the sub-advisory fee rate to be payable to Invesco pursuant to the New Sub-Advisory Agreement is lower than the sub-advisory fee rate payable to Allspring pursuant to the Subadvisory Agreement between VALIC and Allspring. The Board considered that the sub-advisory fees will be paid by VALIC out of the advisory fees it receives from the Fund, that the sub-advisory fees are not paid by the Fund, and that sub-advisory fees may vary widely for various reasons, including market pricing demands, existing relationships, experience and success, and individual client needs. Therefore, the Board considered that the engagement of Invesco will not result in any change to the management fee paid by the Fund to VALIC. The Board also took into account the changes to the Fee Waiver Agreement. The Board also considered the fees that Invesco charges to certain similarly managed accounts.

Cost of Services and Indirect Benefits/Profitability. The Board considered the cost of services and profits expected to be realized in connection with the New Sub-Advisory Agreement. The Board noted that the sub-advisory fee rate proposed to be paid by the Fund at its current asset levels pursuant to the New Sub-Advisory Agreement would be lower than the current sub-advisory fee and considered the impact of the sub-adviser change on VALIC's profitability. The Board considered that the sub-advisory fee rates were negotiated with Invesco at arm's length. In considering the anticipated profitability to Invesco in connection with its relationship to the Fund, the Directors noted that the fees under the New Sub-Advisory Agreement will be paid by VALIC out of the advisory fees that VALIC will receive from the Fund. The Board determined that the profitability to Invesco in connection with its relationship with the Fund is therefore not a material factor in its consideration of the New Sub-Advisory Agreement.

In view of all the factors considered, the Directors determined that the anticipated profitability to VALIC was reasonable. The Board also concluded that the anticipated profitability of Invesco from its relationship with the Fund was not material to their deliberations with respect to consideration of approval of the New Sub-Advisory Agreement.

Economies of Scale. For similar reasons as stated above with respect to Invesco's anticipated profitability and its costs of providing services, the Board concluded that the potential for economies of scale in Invesco's management of the Fund is not a material factor to the approval of the New Sub-Advisory Agreement.

Terms of the Sub-Advisory Agreement. The Board reviewed the terms of the New Sub-Advisory Agreement, including the duties and responsibilities to be undertaken. The Board concluded that the terms of the New Sub-Advisory Agreement were reasonable.

Conclusions. In reaching its decisions to approve the New Sub-Advisory Agreement, the Board did not identify any single factor as being controlling but based its recommendation on each of the factors it considered. Each Director may have contributed different weight to the various factors. Based upon the materials reviewed, the representations made, and the considerations described above, and as part of their deliberations, the Board, including the Independent Directors, concluded that Invesco possesses the capability and resources to perform the duties required under the New Sub-Advisory Agreement.

Information about Invesco

Invesco is located at 1331 Spring Street, N.W., Suite 2500, Atlanta, Georgia 30309. Invesco, as successor in interest to multiple investment advisers, has been an investment adviser since 1976. Today, Invesco advises or manages other investment portfolios that encompass a broad range of investment objectives. Invesco is an indirect wholly-owned subsidiary of Invesco Ltd., a publicly traded company that, through its subsidiaries, engages in the business of investment management on an international basis. As of March 31, 2026, Invesco Ltd. managed approximately \$2,159.5 billion in assets, which includes Invesco.

The following chart lists Invesco’s principal executive officers and directors and their principal occupations. The business address for these individuals is the same as set forth in the previous paragraph.

<u>Name</u>	<u>Principal Occupation</u>
Tony Wong	Chairman, Director, President, and Chief Executive Officer
Laura A. Dukes	Director
Jeffery H. Kupor	Director
Todd Kuehl	Chief Compliance Officer
Terry G. Vacheron	Chief Financial Officer
Mark W. Gregson	Chief Accounting Officer and Controller
Greg Ketron	Treasurer

No Director of VC I has owned any securities or has had any material interest in, or a material interest in a material transaction with, Invesco or its affiliates since the beginning of the Fund’s most recent fiscal year. No officers or Directors of VC I are officers, employees, directors, general partners, or shareholders of Invesco.

Invesco is the investment adviser for other mutual funds and/or institutional accounts that have investment strategies and/or objectives similar to that of the Fund. While the investment strategies and/or objectives of these mutual funds and/or institutional accounts may be similar to that of the Fund, the nature of services provided by Invesco may be different. As a subadviser, Invesco may perform a more limited set of services and assume fewer responsibilities for the Fund than it does for these funds and/or institutional accounts. Each such fund, information concerning the fund’s/account’s assets, and the advisory or sub-advisory fee rates paid (as a percentage of average net assets) to Invesco for its management services are set forth below.

Comparable Funds/Account	Net Assets (as of June 30, 2026)	Fee Rate (% of average daily net assets)
Invesco Main Street Small Cap Fund	\$2,662,314,261	First \$200 million 0.750% Next \$200 million 0.720% Next \$200 million 0.690% Next \$200 million 0.660% Next \$4.2 billion 0.600% Over \$5 billion 0.580%

Comparable Funds/Account	Net Assets (as of June 30, 2026)	Fee Rate (% of average daily net assets)
Invesco VI Main Street Small Cap Fund	\$1,447,057,377	First \$200 million 0.750% Next \$200 million 0.720% Next \$200 million 0.690% Next \$200 million 0.660% Next \$200 million 0.600% Next \$4 billion 0.580% Over \$5 billion 0.560%
Subadvised Fund 1	\$615,246,98	0.400% on the first \$1 billion 0.300% on assets after \$1 billion
Subadvised Fund 2	\$147,825,853	0.250% on all assets
*	*	0.700% on the first \$25 million 0.650% on the next \$25 million 0.600% on assets thereafter

* Invesco confirms that it manages U.S. institutional accounts with similar investment strategies to that of the Fund. Due to confidentiality restrictions and because the unique nature of each institutional relationship could result in inept comparisons, no additional details are provided herein. However, we are providing the institutional published fee schedules above for the strategy in which Invesco manages institutional accounts with a similar investment strategy to that of the Fund. Please note that differences in fee schedules vary as a function of numerous factors, including current fund assets, size of the overall relationship, and expected asset growth. In addition, fee schedules are also influenced by timing of the agreement, specifically by then-current market conditions and mandate capacity. There is no fixed formula that relates these and other variables into a fee schedule; rather, the weight of each will vary depending upon the special conditions of the client and market. Accordingly, there will expectedly be some dispersion between actual fee schedules. Please note that Invesco has not provided information regarding any similarly managed funds registered outside the U.S. or non U.S. institutional accounts due to the fact that such products are generally priced according to such foreign markets in which they are sold and often entail disparate pricing structures.

Ownership of Shares

As of June 30, 2026, there were approximately 15,545,250.41 shares outstanding of the Fund. All shares of the Fund are owned by VALIC. To VALIC's knowledge, no person owns a Contract or Plan, or interests therein, representing more than 5% of the outstanding shares of the Fund. The Directors and officers of VC I and members of their families as a group, beneficially owned less than 1% of the Fund's shares as of the Record Date.

Brokerage Commissions

The Fund did not pay any commissions to affiliated broker-dealers for the fiscal year ended May 31, 2026.

Other Service Agreements

VC I has entered into an Administrative Services Agreement with VALIC pursuant to which VALIC provides certain accounting and administrative services to the Fund. In addition, SunAmerica Asset Management, LLC ("SunAmerica") has entered into a Sub-Administration Agreement with VALIC to perform certain accounting and administrative services for the Fund on behalf of VALIC. SunAmerica is a limited liability company organized under the laws of Delaware. SunAmerica is a wholly owned subsidiary of Venerable Holdings, Inc. and is located at One World Trade Center, 285 Fulton Street, Suite 49M, New York, New York 10007. Prior to January 1, 2026, SunAmerica served as the administrator to VC I, on behalf of its series, pursuant to an amended

and restated administrative services agreement with VC I (the “Prior Administrative Services Agreement”) that was materially identical to the current Administrative Services Agreement.

VC I has also entered into a Master Transfer Agency and Service Agreement (the “MTA”) with VALIC Retirement Services Company (“VRSCO”) to provide transfer agency services to the Fund, which include shareholder servicing and dividend disbursement services. VRSCO is a majority-owned subsidiary of VALIC and is located at 2919 Allen Parkway, 8th Floor, Houston, Texas 77019.

Corebridge Capital Services, Inc. (“CCS”) distributes the Fund’s shares and incurs the expenses of distributing the Fund’s shares under a Distribution Agreement with respect to the Fund, none of which are reimbursed by or paid for by the Fund. CCS is an affiliate of VALIC and is located at 30 Hudson Street, 16th Floor, Jersey City, New Jersey 07302.

The approval of the New Sub-Advisory Agreement did not affect the services provided to the Funds by VALIC, VRSCO, or CCS.

Set forth below are the amounts paid by each Fund pursuant to the Administrative Services Agreement, Prior Administrative Services Agreement and MTA for the fiscal year ended May 31, 2026.

Amount of Fees Paid to VALIC Under Administrative Services Agreement	Amount of Fees Paid to SunAmerica Under the Prior Administrative Services Agreement	Amount of Transfer Agency Services Fees Paid to VRSCO
\$46,496	\$67,948	\$5,778

Shareholder Reports

Copies of the Fund’s most recent annual and semi-annual reports to shareholders are available without charge and may be obtained by writing to P.O. Box 15648, Amarillo, Texas 79105-5648 or by calling 1-800-448-2542. VC I’s prospectus, SAI, and shareholder reports are available online at <http://valic.onlineprospectus.net/VALIC/FundDocuments/index.html>.

Shareholder Proposals

The Company is not required to hold an annual shareholder meeting. If a shareholder wishes to submit proposals for consideration at a future shareholder meeting, the Company must receive the proposal a reasonable time before the solicitation is to be made. Written proposals should be sent to Christopher J. Tafone, Esq., Vice President, Chief Legal Officer, and Secretary of VALIC Company I, 30 Hudson Street, 16th Floor, Jersey City, New Jersey 07302.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

Kevin J. Adamson
President
 VALIC Company I

Dated: July 29, 2026

INVESTMENT SUB-ADVISORY AGREEMENT

This AGREEMENT made effective the 13th day of January, 2025, by and between THE VARIABLE ANNUITY LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, hereinafter referred to as “VALIC,” and INVESCO ADVISERS, INC., hereinafter referred to as the “SUB-ADVISER.”

VALIC and the SUB-ADVISER recognize the following:

- (a) VALIC is a life insurance company organized under Chapter 3 of the Texas Insurance Code and an investment adviser registered under the Investment Advisers Act of 1940, as amended (“Advisers Act”).
- (b) VALIC is engaged as the investment adviser of VALIC Company I (“VC I”), pursuant to an Investment Advisory Agreement between VALIC and VC I, an investment company organized under the general corporate laws of Maryland as a series type of investment company issuing separate classes (or series) of shares of common stock. VC I is registered as an open-end, management investment company under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended (“1940 Act”). The 1940 Act prohibits any person from acting as an investment adviser of a registered investment company except pursuant to a written contract.
- (c) VC I currently consists of thirty-six portfolios (“Funds”):

Aggressive Growth Lifestyle Fund	International Socially Responsible Fund
Asset Allocation Fund	International Value Fund
Capital Appreciation Fund	Large Capital Growth Fund
Conservative Growth Lifestyle Fund	Mid Cap Index Fund
Core Bond Fund	Mid Cap Strategic Growth Fund
Dividend Value Fund	Mid Cap Value Fund
Dynamic Allocation Fund	Moderate Growth Lifestyle Fund
Emerging Economies Fund	Nasdaq-100® Index Fund
Global Real Estate Fund	Science & Technology Fund
Global Strategy Fund	Small Cap Growth Fund
Government Securities Fund	Small Cap Index Fund
Growth Fund	Small Cap Special Values Fund
High Yield Bond Fund	Small Cap Value Fund
Inflation Protected Fund	Stock Index Fund
International Equities Index Fund	Systematic Core Fund
International Government Bond Fund	Systematic Growth Fund
International Growth Fund	Systematic Value Fund
International Opportunities Fund	U.S. Socially Responsible Fund

In accordance with VC I’s Articles of Incorporation (the “Articles”), new Funds may be added to VC I upon approval of VC I’s Board of Directors without the approval of Fund shareholders. This Agreement will apply only to the Funds set forth on the attached Schedule A, and any other Funds as may be added or deleted by amendment to the attached Schedule A (“Covered Fund(s”).

- (d) The SUB-ADVISER is engaged principally in the business of rendering investment advisory services and is registered as an investment adviser under the Advisers Act.

- (e) VALIC desires to enter into an Investment Sub-Advisory Agreement with the SUB-ADVISER for all or a portion of the assets of the Covered Fund(s) which VALIC determines from time to time to assign to the SUB-ADVISER.

VALIC and the SUB-ADVISER agree as follows:

1. **Services Rendered and Expenses Paid by the SUB-ADVISER**

The SUB-ADVISER, subject to the control, direction, and supervision of VALIC and VC I's Board of Directors and in material conformity with the 1940 Act, all applicable laws and regulations thereunder, all other applicable federal and state securities and tax laws and regulations, including Section 817(h) and Subchapter M of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "Code"), VC I's Articles, Bylaws, registration statements, prospectus and stated investment objectives, policies and restrictions and any applicable procedures adopted by VC I's Board of Directors and provided to the SUB-ADVISER in writing, shall:

- (a) manage the investment and reinvestment of the assets of the Covered Fund(s) including, for example, the evaluation of pertinent economic, statistical, financial, and other data, the determination of the industries and companies to be represented in each Covered Fund's portfolio, and the formulation and implementation of investment programs.
- (b) maintain a trading desk and place orders for the purchase and sale of portfolio investments (including futures contracts and options thereon) for each Covered Fund's account with brokers or dealers (including futures commission merchants) selected by the SUB-ADVISER, or arrange for any other entity to provide a trading desk and to place orders with brokers and dealers (including futures commission merchants) selected by the SUB-ADVISER, subject to the SUB-ADVISER's control, direction, and supervision, which brokers or dealers may include brokers or dealers (including futures commission merchants) affiliated with the SUB-ADVISER, subject to applicable law.

The SUB-ADVISER will assist the Covered Fund(s) and its agents in determining whether prices obtained for valuation purposes accurately reflect the prices on the SUB-ADVISER's portfolio records relating to the assets of the Covered Fund(s) for which the SUB-ADVISER has responsibility on a monthly basis (unless otherwise agreed upon by the parties hereto) and at such other times as VALIC shall reasonably request; provided, however, that the parties acknowledge that the SUB-ADVISER is not the fund accounting agent for the Covered Fund(s) and is not responsible for pricing determinations or calculations and any information provided pursuant to this position by SUB-ADVISER will be provided for information purposes only.

In performing the services described in paragraph (b) above, the SUB-ADVISER shall use its best efforts to obtain for the Covered Fund(s) the best execution of portfolio transactions. Subject to approval by VC I's Board of Directors of appropriate policies and procedures, the SUB-ADVISER may cause the Covered Fund(s) to pay to a broker a commission, for effecting a portfolio transaction, in excess of the commission another broker would have charged for effecting the same transaction, if the first broker provided brokerage and/or research services to the SUB-ADVISER. The SUB-ADVISER shall not be deemed to have acted unlawfully, or to have breached any duty created by this Agreement, or otherwise, solely by reason of acting in accordance with such authorization.

VALIC may direct the SUB-ADVISER to use a particular broker or dealer for one or more trades if, in the sole opinion of VALIC, it is in the best interest of the Covered Fund to do so. Any such direction shall be in writing and in a form satisfactory to SUB-ADVISER.

With respect to any investments, including but not limited to repurchase and reverse repurchase agreements, derivatives contracts, futures contracts, International Swaps and Derivatives Association,

Inc. ("ISDA") Master Agreements and similar types of master agreements, and options on futures contracts, which are permitted to be made by the SUB-ADVISER in accordance with this Agreement and the investment objectives and strategies of the Covered Fund(s), as outlined in the Registration Statement for the Covered Fund(s), VALIC hereby authorizes and directs the SUB-ADVISER to do and perform every act and thing whatsoever necessary or incidental in performing its duties and obligations under this Agreement, including, but not limited to, executing as agent, on behalf of the Covered Fund(s), master and related agreements and other documents to establish, operate and conduct all brokerage, collateral or other trading accounts, and executing as agent, on behalf of the Covered Fund(s), such agreements and other documentation as may be required for the purchase or sale, assignment, transfer and ownership of any permitted investment, including repurchase and derivative master agreements, including any schedules and annexes to such agreements, releases, consents, elections and confirmations. The SUB-ADVISER also is hereby authorized to instruct a Covered Fund's custodian with respect to any collateral management activities in connection with any derivatives transactions and to enter into standard industry protocol arrangements (including those published by ISDA). The SUB-ADVISER is also authorized to provide evidence of its authority to enter into such master and related agreements, including by delivering a copy of this provision. VALIC acknowledges and understands that it will be bound by any such trading accounts established, and agreements and other documentation executed, by the SUB-ADVISER for such investment purposes and agrees to provide the SUB-ADVISER with tax information, governing documents, legal opinions and other information concerning the Covered Fund(s) as may be reasonably necessary to complete such agreements and other documentation. The SUB-ADVISER is required to provide VALIC with copies of the applicable agreements and documentation promptly upon request and to notify VALIC of any claims by counterparties or financial intermediaries that a Covered Fund has triggered an early termination or default provision or otherwise is out of compliance with the terms of the applicable agreement or that the counterparty is excused from performing under the agreement. The SUB-ADVISER is hereby authorized, to the extent required by regulatory agencies or market practice, to reveal VC I and the Covered Fund's identity and address to any financial intermediary through which or with which financial instruments are traded or cleared.

The authority shall include, without limitation the authority on behalf of and in the name of the Covered Fund(s) to execute: (i) documentation relating to private placements, loans and bank debt (including Loan Syndications and Trading Association and Loan Market Association documentation); (ii) waivers, consents, amendments or other modifications relating to investments; and (iii) purchase agreements, sales agreements, commitment letters, pricing letters, registration rights agreements, indemnities and contributions, escrow agreements and other investment related agreements.

The SUB-ADVISER is authorized to terminate all such master and related agreements and other documentation with respect to a Covered Fund when it determines it is in the best interest of the Covered Fund to do so, and it is authorized to exercise all default and other rights of the Covered Fund against the other party(ies) to such agreements in accordance with its fiduciary duties and the best interest of the Covered Fund. Upon termination of this Agreement, the SUB-ADVISER agrees to remove the Covered Fund(s) as parties to such master and related agreements and to consult with Adviser regarding close-out or novation of positions under such agreements and retention of accounts or transfer of such accounts, which VALIC shall determine in its sole discretion. If instructed by VALIC to do so, the SUB-ADVISER shall close out open positions and transfer financial instruments in accordance with VALIC's instructions.

The SUB-ADVISER shall maintain records adequately demonstrating compliance with its obligations under this Agreement and report periodically to VALIC and VC I's Board of Directors regarding the performance of its services under this Agreement. The SUB-ADVISER will make available to VALIC and VC I promptly upon their reasonable written request all of the Covered Fund(s)' investment records and ledgers to assist VALIC and VC I in compliance with respect to each Covered Fund's

securities transactions as required by the 1940 Act and the Advisers Act, as well as other applicable laws. The SUB-ADVISER will furnish VC I's Board of Directors such periodic and special reports as VALIC and VC I's Board of Directors may reasonably request. The SUB-ADVISER will furnish to regulatory authorities any information or reports in connection with such services which may be requested in order to ascertain whether the operations of the Covered Fund(s) are being conducted in a manner consistent with applicable laws and regulations.

The SUB-ADVISER will not hold money or investments on behalf of VC I. The money and investments will be held by the Custodian of VC I. The SUB-ADVISER will arrange for the transmission to the Custodian for VC I, on a daily basis, such confirmation, trade tickets and other documents as may be necessary to enable it to perform its administrative responsibilities with respect to the Covered Fund(s). The SUB-ADVISER further shall have the authority to instruct the Custodian of VC I (i) to pay cash for securities and other property delivered to the Custodian for VC I (ii) to deliver securities and other property against payment for VC I, and (iii) to transfer assets and funds to such brokerage accounts as the SUB-ADVISER may designate, all consistent with the powers, authorities and limitations set forth herein. The SUB-ADVISER shall not have the authority to cause the Custodian to deliver securities and other property except as expressly provided for in this Agreement.

The SUB-ADVISER may aggregate sales and purchase orders of securities held by the Covered Fund(s) with similar orders being made simultaneously for other accounts managed by the SUB-ADVISER or with accounts of the affiliates of the SUB-ADVISER, if in the SUB-ADVISER's reasonable judgment such aggregation shall result in an overall economic benefit to the Covered Fund considering the advantageous selling or purchase price, brokerage commission and other expenses. In accounting for such aggregated order price, commission and other expenses shall be averaged on a per bond or share basis daily. VALIC acknowledges that the determination of such economic benefit to the Covered Fund(s) by the SUB-ADVISER is subjective and represents the SUB-ADVISER's evaluation that the Covered Fund(s) is benefited by relatively better purchase or sales prices, lower commission expenses and beneficial timing of transactions or a combination of these and other factors.

Subject to the prior approval by the Board of Directors of VC I and upon thirty (30) days' written notice to the SUB-ADVISER (or such lesser or longer notice as is acceptable to the SUB-ADVISER), VALIC reserves the right to delegate to the SUB-ADVISER responsibility for exercising voting rights for all or a specified portion of the securities held by a Covered Fund. To the extent so delegated, the SUB-ADVISER will exercise voting rights with respect to securities held by a Covered Fund in accordance with its own written proxy voting policies and procedures, subject to such reasonable reporting and other requirements as may be mutually agreed upon by the parties. To the extent VALIC retains the responsibility for voting proxies, the SUB-ADVISER agrees to provide input on certain proxy voting matters or proposals as may be reasonably requested by VALIC.

The SUB-ADVISER shall for all purposes herein be deemed to be an independent contractor and shall, unless otherwise provided or authorized, have no authority to act or represent VALIC or VC I other than in furtherance of the SUB-ADVISER's duties and responsibilities as set forth in this Agreement.

Except as otherwise agreed, or as otherwise provided herein, the SUB-ADVISER shall bear the expense of discharging its responsibilities hereunder and VALIC shall pay, or arrange for others to pay, all VALIC's expenses, except that VALIC shall in all events pay the compensation described in Section 2 of the Agreement. VALIC and SUB-ADVISER acknowledge that VC I will be ultimately responsible for all brokerage commissions, taxes, custodian fees and other transaction-related fees incurred on behalf of the Covered Fund(s).

The SUB-ADVISER also represents and warrants that in furnishing services hereunder, the SUB-ADVISER will not consult with any other sub-adviser of the Covered Fund(s) or other series of

VC I, to the extent any other sub-advisers are engaged by VALIC, or any other sub-advisers to other investment companies that are under common control with VC I, concerning transactions of the Covered Fund(s) in securities or other assets, other than for purposes of complying with the conditions of paragraphs (a) and (b) of rule 12d3-1 under the 1940 Act.

2. **Compensation of the SUB-ADVISER**

VALIC shall pay to the SUB-ADVISER, as compensation for the services rendered and expenses paid by the SUB-ADVISER, a monthly fee or fees based on each Covered Fund's average daily net assets computed for each Covered Fund as provided for in the fee schedule attached hereto as Schedule A. Schedule A may be amended from time to time, provided that amendments are made in conformity with applicable laws and regulations and the Articles and Bylaws of VC I. Any change in Schedule A pertaining to any new or existing Fund shall not be deemed to affect the interest of any other Fund and shall not require the approval of shareholders of any other Fund.

VALIC shall pay this fee for each calendar month as soon as practicable after the end of that month, but in any event no later than ten (10) business days following the end of the month. If the SUB-ADVISER serves for less than a whole month, the foregoing compensation shall be prorated.

The payment of advisory fees related to the services of the SUB-ADVISER under this Agreement shall be the sole responsibility of VALIC and shall not be the responsibility of VC I.

3. **Scope of the SUB-ADVISER's Activities**

VALIC understands that the SUB-ADVISER and its affiliates now act, will continue to act and may act in the future as investment adviser to fiduciary and other managed accounts and as investment adviser to other investment companies, and VALIC has no objection to the SUB-ADVISER so acting, provided that whenever a Covered Fund(s) and one or more other accounts or investment companies advised by the SUB-ADVISER have available funds for investment, investments suitable and appropriate for each will be allocated in accordance with a methodology believed by the SUB-ADVISER to be equitable to each entity. The SUB-ADVISER similarly agrees to allocate opportunities to sell securities. VALIC recognizes that, in some cases, this procedure may limit the size of the position that may be acquired or sold for a Covered Fund(s). In addition, VALIC understands that the persons employed by the SUB-ADVISER to assist in the performance of the SUB-ADVISER's duties hereunder will not devote their full time to such service and nothing contained herein shall be deemed to limit or restrict the right of the SUB-ADVISER or any affiliate of the SUB-ADVISER to engage in and devote time and attention to other business or to render services of whatever kind or nature.

Except as otherwise required by the 1940 Act, any of the shareholders, directors, officers and employees of VALIC may be a shareholder, director, officer or employee of, or be otherwise interested in, the SUB-ADVISER, and in any person controlling, controlled by or under common control with the SUB-ADVISER; and the SUB-ADVISER, and any person controlling, controlled by or under common control with the SUB-ADVISER, may have an interest in VALIC.

The SUB-ADVISER shall not be liable to VALIC, VC I, or to any shareholder in the Covered Fund(s), and VALIC shall indemnify the SUB-ADVISER, for any act or omission in rendering services under this Agreement, or for any losses sustained in connection with the matters to which this Agreement relates, so long as there has been no willful misfeasance, bad faith, gross negligence, or reckless disregard of obligations or duties on the part of the SUB-ADVISER in performing its duties under this Agreement.

VALIC shall perform quarterly and annual tax compliance tests and promptly furnish reports of such tests to the SUB-ADVISER after each quarter end to ensure that the Covered Fund(s) is in compliance with Subchapter M of the Code and Section 817(h) of the Code. VALIC shall apprise the SUB-ADVISER promptly after each quarter end of any potential non-compliance with the diversification requirements in such Code provisions. If so advised, the SUB-ADVISER shall take prompt action so that the Covered Fund complies with such Code diversification provisions, as directed by VALIC.

4. **Representations of the SUB-ADVISER and VALIC**

The SUB-ADVISER represents, warrants, and agrees as follows:

- (a) The SUB-ADVISER (i) is registered as an investment adviser under the Advisers Act and will continue to be so registered for so long as this Agreement remains in effect; (ii) is not prohibited by the 1940 Act or the Advisers Act from performing the services contemplated by this Agreement; (iii) has met, and will continue to meet for so long as this Agreement remains in effect, any applicable federal or state requirements, or the applicable requirements of any regulatory or industry self-regulatory agency, necessary to be met in order to perform the services contemplated by this Agreement; (iv) has the authority to enter into and perform the services contemplated by this Agreement; and (v) will immediately notify VALIC of the occurrence of any event that would disqualify the SUB-ADVISER from serving as an investment adviser of an investment company pursuant to Section 9(a) of the 1940 Act or otherwise.
- (b) The SUB-ADVISER has adopted a written code of ethics complying with the requirements of Rule 17j-1 under the 1940 Act and if it has not already done so, will provide VALIC and VC I with a copy of such code of ethics together with evidence of its adoption.
- (c) The SUB-ADVISER has provided VALIC and VC I with a copy of its Form ADV as most recently filed with the SEC and will promptly after filing any amendment to its Form ADV with the SEC, furnish a copy of such amendment to VALIC.

VALIC represents, warrants, and agrees as follows:

VALIC: (i) is registered as an investment adviser under the Advisers Act and will continue to be so registered for so long as this Agreement remains in effect; (ii) is not prohibited by the 1940 Act or the Advisers Act from performing the services contemplated by this Agreement; (iii) has met, and will continue to meet for so long as this Agreement remains in effect, any applicable federal or state requirements, or the applicable requirements of any regulatory or industry self-regulatory agency, necessary to be met in order to perform the services contemplated by this Agreement; (iv) has the authority to enter into and perform the services contemplated by this Agreement; and (v) will immediately notify the SUB-ADVISER of the occurrence of any event that would disqualify VALIC from serving as an investment adviser of an investment company pursuant to Section 9(a) of the 1940 Act or otherwise.

5. **Term of Agreement**

This Agreement shall become effective as to the Covered Fund(s) set forth on Schedule A on the date hereof and as to any other Fund on the date of the Amendment to Schedule A adding such Fund in accordance with this Agreement. Unless sooner terminated as provided herein, this Agreement shall continue in effect for two years from its effective date. Thereafter, this Agreement shall continue in effect, but with respect to any Covered Fund, subject to the termination provisions and all other terms

and conditions hereof, only so long as such continuance is approved at least annually by the vote of a majority of VC I's directors who are not parties to this Agreement or interested persons of any such parties, cast in person at a meeting called for the purpose of voting on such approval, and by a vote of a majority of VC I's Board of Directors or a majority of that Covered Fund's outstanding voting securities.

This Agreement shall automatically terminate in the event of its assignment as that term is defined in the 1940 Act, or in the event of the termination of the Investment Advisory Agreement between VALIC and VC I as it relates to any Covered Fund(s). The Agreement may be terminated as to any Covered Fund at any time, without the payment of any penalty, by vote of VC I's Board of Directors or by vote of a majority of that Covered Fund's outstanding voting securities on not more than 60 days' nor less than 30 days' written notice to the SUB-ADVISER, or upon such shorter notice as may be mutually agreed upon by the parties. This Agreement may also be terminated by VALIC: (i) on not more than 60 days' nor less than 30 days' written notice to the SUB-ADVISER, or upon such shorter notice as may be mutually agreed upon by the parties, without the payment of any penalty; or (ii) if the SUB-ADVISER becomes unable to discharge its duties and obligations under this Agreement. The SUB-ADVISER may terminate this Agreement at any time, or preclude its renewal without the payment of any penalty, on not more than 60 days' nor less than 30 days' written notice to VALIC, or upon such shorter notice as may be mutually agreed upon by the parties.

6. **Other Matters**

The SUB-ADVISER may from time to time employ or associate with itself any person or persons believed to be particularly fit to assist in its performance of services under this Agreement, provided no such person serves or acts as an investment adviser separate from the SUB-ADVISER so as to require a new written contract pursuant to the 1940 Act. The compensation of any such persons will be paid by the SUB-ADVISER, and no obligation will be incurred by, or on behalf of, VALIC or the Covered Fund(s) with respect to them.

The SUB-ADVISER agrees that all books and records which it maintains for the Covered Fund(s) are the Covered Fund's property. The SUB-ADVISER also agrees upon request of VALIC or VC I, to promptly surrender the books and records in accordance with the 1940 Act and rules thereunder. The SUB-ADVISER further agrees to preserve for the periods prescribed by Rule 31a-2 under the 1940 Act the records required to be maintained by Rule 31a-1 under the 1940 Act.

VALIC has herewith furnished the SUB-ADVISER copies of VC I's Prospectus, Statement of Additional Information, Articles and Bylaws, investment objectives, policies and restrictions, and any applicable procedures adopted by VC I's Board of Directors, as currently in effect and agrees during the continuance of this Agreement to furnish the SUB-ADVISER copies of any amendments or supplements thereto before or at the time the amendments or supplements become effective. Until VALIC delivers any amendments or supplements to the SUB-ADVISER, the SUB-ADVISER shall be fully protected in relying on the documents previously furnished to it.

The SUB-ADVISER is authorized to honor and act on any notice, instruction or confirmation given by VALIC on behalf of the Covered Fund in writing signed or sent by any of the persons whose names, addresses and specimen signatures will be provided by VALIC from time to time. The SUB-ADVISER shall not be liable for so acting in good faith upon such instructions, confirmation or authority, notwithstanding that it shall subsequently be shown that the same was not given or signed or sent by an authorized person.

VALIC agrees to furnish the SUB-ADVISER at its principal office prior to use thereof, copies of all prospectuses, proxy statements, reports to shareholders, sales literature, or other material prepared for

distribution to shareholders of the Covered Fund or the public that refer in any way to the SUB-ADVISER, and not to use such material if the SUB-ADVISER reasonably objects in writing within ten (10) business days (or such other time as may be mutually agreed) after receipt thereof. In the event of termination of this Agreement, VALIC will continue to furnish to the SUB-ADVISER copies of any of the above-mentioned materials that refer in any way to the SUB-ADVISER. VALIC shall furnish or otherwise make available to the SUB-ADVISER such other information relating to the business affairs of VALIC and the Covered Fund as the SUB-ADVISER at any time, or from time to time, may reasonably request in order to discharge obligations hereunder.

VALIC agrees to indemnify the SUB-ADVISER for losses, costs, fees, expenses and claims which arise directly or indirectly (i) as a result of a failure by VALIC to provide the services or furnish materials required under the terms of this Agreement, or (ii) as the result of any untrue statement of a material fact or any omission to state a material fact required to be stated or necessary to make the statements, in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading in any registration statements, proxy materials, reports, advertisements, sales literature, or other materials pertaining to the Covered Fund, except insofar as any such statement or omission was specifically made in reliance on written information provided by the SUB-ADVISER to VALIC.

The SUB-ADVISER agrees to indemnify VALIC for losses and claims which arise (i) as a result of the willful misfeasance, bad faith, gross negligence or reckless disregard of obligations or duties by the SUB-ADVISER; or (ii) as the result of any untrue statement of a material fact or any omission to state a material fact required to be stated or necessary to make the statements, in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading in any registration statements, proxy materials, reports, advertisements, sales literature, or other materials pertaining to the Covered Fund to the extent that such statement or omission was specifically made in reliance on written information provided by the SUB-ADVISER to VALIC.

7. Confidentiality

Each party will receive and hold any records or other information obtained pursuant to this Agreement (“confidential information”) in confidence, and acknowledges, represents, and warrants that it will use its reasonable best efforts to protect the confidentiality of this information. Each party agrees that, without the prior written consent of the other party, it will not use, copy, or divulge to third parties (other than such party’s respective Representatives (as defined below)) or otherwise use, except in accordance with the terms of this Agreement, any confidential information obtained from or through the other party in connection with this Agreement other than as reasonably necessary in the course of a Covered Fund’s business, including, but not limited to, as may be requested by broker-dealers or third party firms conducting due diligence on the Covered Fund; provided that such recipients must agree to protect the confidentiality of such confidential information and use such information only for the purposes of providing services to the Covered Fund; provided, further, however, this covenant shall not apply to information which: (i) has been made publicly available by the other party or is otherwise in the public domain through no fault of the disclosing party; (ii) is within the legitimate possession of the disclosing party prior to its disclosure by such party and without any obligation of confidence; (iii) is lawfully received by the disclosing party from a third party when, to the best of such party’s knowledge and belief, such third party was not restricted from disclosing the information to such party; (iv) is independently developed by the disclosing party through persons who have not had access to, or knowledge of, the confidential information; or (v) is approved in writing for disclosure by the other party prior to its disclosure.

Any confidential information provided by a party shall remain the sole property of such party, and shall be promptly returned to such party (or destroyed) following any request by such party to do so. Notwithstanding the foregoing, either party (and others to whom permitted disclosure has been

made) (i) may retain a copy of the confidential information as is required for regulatory purposes or to comply with internal policy or laws relating to document retention and (ii) shall not be required to return, delete, or destroy any confidential information as resides on its electronic systems, including email and back-up tapes, it being understood that any such surviving confidential information shall remain subject to the limitations of this Section 7.

To the extent that any confidential information may include materials subject to the attorney-client privilege, work product doctrine or any other applicable privilege concerning pending or threatened legal proceedings or governmental investigations, each party agrees that they have a commonality of interest with respect to such matters and it is their mutual desire, intention and understanding that the sharing of such material is not intended to, and shall not, waive or diminish in any way the confidentiality of such material or its continued protection under the attorney-client privilege, work product doctrine or other applicable privilege. All confidential information furnished by either party to the other or such other party's Representatives hereunder that is entitled to protection under the attorney-client privilege, work product doctrine or other applicable privilege shall remain entitled to such protection under such privileges, this Agreement, and under the joint defense doctrine.

Notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement, each party and its respective Representatives shall be permitted to retain and disclose confidential information to the extent such retention and disclosure is: (i) required by any law or regulation; (ii) required or requested by, or necessary under the rules of, any court, any governmental agency or other regulatory authority (including, without limitation, any stock exchange or self-regulatory organization); or (iii) necessary in connection with any action, investigation or proceeding (including, without limitation, as part of any interrogatory, court order, subpoena, administrative proceeding, civil investigatory demand, in each case whether oral or written, or any other legal or regulatory process); provided, however, to the extent permitted by law, regulation or regulatory requirement, such party shall promptly notify the other party of the pending disclosure in writing and cooperate in all reasonable respects (and at such other party's expense) with such other party in seeking to obtain a protective order either precluding such disclosure or requiring that the confidential information so disclosed be maintained as confidential or used only for the purposes related to the action, investigation or proceeding).

For purposes of this Agreement, "Representatives" with respect to a party means such party's representatives, directors, officers, investment and advisory committee members, employees, fund participants, rating agencies, professional advisers (including lawyers, accountants and investment bankers), affiliates or agents of such party who have a need to know confidential information. A party shall be responsible for enforcing compliance with this Agreement by its Representatives, if and to the extent such party has disclosed confidential information to any of them. The terms of this Section 7 are in addition to the terms of any other agreements between the parties or their affiliates.

The parties agree that, notwithstanding the foregoing, the SUB-ADVISER may disclose the total return earned by the Covered Fund(s) and may include such total return in the calculation of composite performance information.

8. Applicability of Federal Securities Laws

This Agreement shall be interpreted in accordance with the laws of the State of Texas and applicable federal securities laws and regulations, including definitions therein and such exemptions as may be granted to VALIC or the SUB-ADVISER by the SEC or such interpretive positions as may be taken by the SEC or its staff. To the extent that the applicable law of the State of Texas, or any of the provisions herein, conflict with applicable provisions of the federal securities laws, the latter shall control.

9. **Amendment and Waiver**

Provisions of this Agreement may be amended, waived, discharged or terminated only by an instrument in writing signed by the party against which enforcement of the change, waiver, discharge or termination is sought. The Agreement may be amended by mutual written consent of the parties, subject to the requirements of the 1940 Act and the rules and regulations promulgated and orders granted thereunder.

10. **Counterparts**

This Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which shall be deemed to be an original, but all such counterparts shall together constitute one and the same Agreement. Counterparts may be delivered via facsimile, electronic mail (including pdf or any electronic signature complying with the U.S. federal ESIGN Act of 2000, e.g., www.docusign.com or www.echosign.com, or other applicable law) or other transmission method and any counterpart so delivered shall be deemed to have been duly and validly delivered and be valid and effective for all purposes.

11. **Notices**

All notices required or permitted to be given under this Agreement shall be in writing, shall specifically refer to this Agreement, and shall be addressed to the appropriate party at the address specified below, or such other address as may be specified by such party in writing in accordance with this Section, and shall be deemed to have been properly given when delivered or mailed by electronic mail, by U.S. certified or registered mail, return receipt requested, postage prepaid, or by reputable courier service.

VALIC consents to the delivery of a Covered Fund's account statements, reports and other communications related to the services provided under this Agreement (collectively, "Account Communications") via electronic mail and/or other electronic means acceptable to VALIC, in lieu of sending such Account Communications as hard copies via facsimile, mail or other means. VALIC confirms that it has provided the SUB-ADVISER with at least one valid electronic mail address where Account Communications can be sent. VALIC acknowledges that the SUB-ADVISER reserves the right to distribute certain Account Communications via facsimile, mail or other means to the extent required by applicable law or otherwise deemed advisable. VALIC may withdraw consent to electronic delivery at any time by giving the SUB-ADVISER notice pursuant this Section.

If to VALIC:

The Variable Annuity Life Insurance Company
2919 Allen Parkway
Houston, Texas 77019
Attention: General Counsel
Email address:
SAAMCoLegal@corebridgefinancial.com

With a copy to:

SunAmerica Asset Management, LLC
30 Hudson Street, 16th Floor
Jersey City, New Jersey 07302
Attention: General Counsel
Email address:
SAAMCoLegal@corebridgefinancial.com

If to SUB-ADVISER:

Invesco Advisers, Inc.
11 Greenway Plaza, Suite 1000
Houston, Texas 77046
Attention: General Counsel
Email address: tpsarequests@invesco.com

[Signature page follows]

The parties hereto have each caused this Agreement to be signed in duplicate on its behalf by its duly authorized officer on the above date.

**THE VARIABLE ANNUITY LIFE INSURANCE
COMPANY**

By: /s/ Mark Szycher
Name: Mark Szycher
Title: Vice President

INVESCO ADVISERS, INC.

By: /s/ Nicole Filingeri
Name: Nicole Filingeri
Title: Vice President

SCHEDULE A

Effective January 13, 2025

Annual Fee computed at the following annual rate, based on average daily net assets for each month on that portion of the assets managed by Sub-Adviser, and payable monthly:

<u>Covered Fund</u>	<u>Fee</u>
International Opportunities Fund	0.60% on the first \$50 million
	0.55% on the next \$50 million
	0.45% on the next \$200 million
	0.43% thereafter

**AMENDMENT NO. 1
TO THE
INVESTMENT SUB-ADVISORY AGREEMENT**

This AMENDMENT NO. 1 to the INVESTMENT SUB-ADVISORY AGREEMENT (“Amendment”) is dated as of April 30, 2026, by and between The Variable Annuity Life Insurance Company, a Texas life insurer (the “Adviser”), and Invesco Advisers, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the “Subadviser”).

RECITALS

WHEREAS, the Adviser and VALIC Company I, a Maryland corporation (the “Company”), have entered into an Investment Advisory Agreement dated January 13, 2025, as amended from time to time (the “Advisory Agreement”), pursuant to which the Adviser has agreed to provide investment advisory services to the Company; and

WHEREAS, the Company is registered under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended, as an open-end management investment company; and

WHEREAS, the Adviser and the Subadviser are parties to an Investment Sub-Advisory Agreement dated January 13, 2025 (the “Subadvisory Agreement”), pursuant to which the Subadviser furnishes investment advisory services to certain investment series (the “Covered Funds”) of the Company, as listed on Schedule A to the Subadvisory Agreement; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Directors of the Company approved a new Investment Sub-Advisory Agreement between the Adviser and the Subadviser with respect to the Small Cap Core Fund (f/k/a Small Cap Special Values Fund) (the “Fund”) at an in-person meeting held on January 21-22, 2026, and the parties wish to amend and restate Schedule A to the Subadvisory Agreement to reflect the action of the Board.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants contained herein and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, and intending to be legally bound, the parties agree as follows:

1. Schedule A Amendment. Schedule A to the Subadvisory Agreement is hereby amended and restated as attached hereto.

2. Term. The Subadvisory Agreement shall become effective as to the Fund on April 30, 2026, and shall continue in effect for two years. The Subadvisory Agreement shall continue in effect with respect to the Fund from year to year thereafter provided it is continued in the manner set forth in the Subadvisory Agreement.

3. Full Force and Effect. Except as expressly supplemented, amended or consented to hereby, all of the representations, warranties, terms, covenants, and conditions of the Subadvisory Agreement shall remain unchanged and shall continue to be in full force and effect.

4. Counterparts. This Amendment may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which shall be deemed to be an original, but all such counterparts shall together constitute one and the same agreement. Counterparts may be delivered via facsimile, electronic mail (including pdf or any electronic signature complying with the U.S. federal ESIGN Act of 2000, e.g., www.docusign.com or www.echosign.com, or other applicable law) or other transmission method and any counterpart so delivered shall be deemed to have been duly and validly delivered and be valid and effective for all purposes.

5. Miscellaneous. Capitalized terms used but not defined herein shall have the meanings assigned to them in the Subadvisory Agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have caused their respective duly authorized officers to execute this Amendment as of the date first above written.

THE VARIABLE ANNUITY LIFE INSURANCE
COMPANY

By: /s/ Kevin Adamson
Name: Kevin Adamson
Title: Senior Vice President

INVESCO ADVISERS, INC.

By: /s/ Nicole Filingeri
Name: Nicole Filingeri
Title: Vice President

SCHEDULE A

Amended and Restated Effective April 30, 2026

Annual Fee computed at the following annual rate, based on average daily net assets for each month on that portion of the assets managed by Sub-Adviser, and payable monthly:

<u>Covered Fund</u>	<u>Fee</u>
International Opportunities Fund	0.60% on the first \$50 million 0.55% on the next \$50 million 0.45% on the next \$200 million 0.43% thereafter
Small Cap Core Fund	0.375% on the first \$50 million 0.350% on the next \$50 million 0.325% on assets over \$100 million

VALIC COMPANY I
2919 Allen Parkway
Houston, Texas 77019

Small Cap Core Fund (formerly, Small Cap Special Values Fund)
(the “Fund”)

IMPORTANT NOTICE REGARDING THE INTERNET AVAILABILITY OF
INFORMATION STATEMENT
(the “Notice”)

The Information Statement referenced in this
Notice is available at

<https://www.corebridgefinancial.com/rs/prospectus-and-reports/information-statements>

This Notice is to inform you that an information statement (the “Information Statement”) regarding the approval of a new investment sub-advisory agreement is now available at the website referenced above. The Fund is a series of VALIC Company I (“VC I”). Please note that this Notice is only intended to provide an overview of the matter covered in the Information Statement. We encourage you to access our website to review a complete copy of the Information Statement, which contains important information about the new investment sub-advisory agreement.

As discussed in the Information Statement, at a meeting held on January 21-22, 2026, the Board of Directors (the “Board”) of VC I, including a majority of the directors who are not “interested persons” of VC I, as defined in the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended (the “Independent Directors”), approved a new Investment Sub-Advisory Agreement between The Variable Annuity Life Insurance Company (“VALIC”), the Fund’s investment adviser, and Invesco Advisers, Inc. (“Invesco”) with respect to the Fund (the “New Sub-Advisory Agreement”). The New Sub-Advisory Agreement became effective on April 30, 2026. Invesco has replaced Allspring Global Investments, LLC as the subadviser to the Fund.

VC I has received an exemptive order from the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission which allows VALIC, subject to certain conditions, to enter into and materially amend sub-advisory agreements without obtaining shareholder approval. The Board, including a majority of the Independent Directors, must first approve each new or amended sub-advisory agreement. This allows VALIC to act more quickly to change sub-advisers when it determines that a change would be in the best interest of the Fund and its shareholders. As required by this exemptive order, the Fund will provide information to shareholders about any new sub-adviser and the sub-advisory agreement within 90 days of the hiring of any new sub-adviser. This Information Statement is being provided to you to satisfy this requirement.

This Notice is being mailed on or about July 29, 2026, to all participants in a contract or plan who were invested in the Fund as of the close of business on April 30, 2026. A copy of the Information Statement will remain on our website until at least July 29, 2027, and shareholders can request a complete copy of the Information Statement until that time.

You can obtain a paper copy of the complete Information Statement, without charge, by writing VC I at P.O. Box 15648, Amarillo, Texas 79105-5648 or by calling 1-800-448-2542. You can request a complete copy of the Information Statement until July 29, 2027. To ensure prompt delivery, you should make your request no later than that time. Please note that you will not receive a paper copy unless you request it.

This Notice and the Information Statement are for your information only and you are not required to take any action.