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## Form 1295 Filing Exemption

The amended law adds to the list of types of contract exempt from the Form 1295 filing requirement. A completed Form 1295 is not required for a contract with a publicly traded business entity, including a wholly owned subsidiary of the business entity. Therefore, it is not required for Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, which is a wholly owned subsidiary of MetLife, Inc., a publicly traded business entity.

The common stock trades on the New York Stock Exchange under the symbol "MET".

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