

# Primerica, Inc. (PRI)

Updated November 14<sup>th</sup>, 2025, by Kody Kester

### **Key Metrics**

| <b>Current Price:</b> | \$254 | 5 Year CAGR Estimate:            |            | 16.0% | Market Cap:               | \$8.1B   |
|-----------------------|-------|----------------------------------|------------|-------|---------------------------|----------|
| Fair Value Price:     | \$314 | 5 Year Growth Estimate:          |            | 10.0% | Ex-Dividend Date:         | 11/21/25 |
| % Fair Value:         | 81%   | <b>5 Year Valuation Multiple</b> | Estimate:  | 4.3%  | Dividend Payment Date:    | 12/15/25 |
| Dividend Yield:       | 1.6%  | 5 Year Price Target              |            | \$506 | Years Of Dividend Growth: | 15       |
| Dividend Risk Score:  | Α     | Sector:                          | Financials |       | Rating:                   | Buy      |

#### **Overview & Current Events**

Primerica, Inc. provides term life insurance to middle-income households in the United States and Canada. On behalf of third parties, it also offers mutual funds, annuities, managed investments, and other financial products. As of September 30<sup>th</sup>, 2025, PRI insured more than 5.5 million lives and had approximately 3 million client investment accounts. The company's offerings are sold via a network of 152,200 licensed sales representatives, who are independent contractors. PRI is organized into the following three operating segments:

- 1. Term Life Insurance: This segment provides customers with term life insurance in the United States and Canada. That's done via its Primerica Life, NBLIC, and Primerica Life Canada insurance subsidiaries.
- 2. Investment and Savings Products: The Investment and Savings Products segment offers savings and investment vehicles to meet the needs of clients in all stages of life. Products include mutual funds, managed investments, and fixed and fixed-indexed annuities. The segment's subsidiaries include PFS, PFS Investments, Primerica Life Canada, and PFSL Investments Canada.
- 3. Corporate and Other Distributed Products: This segment distributes mortgage loans through mortgage-licensed loan originators, auto and homeowners' insurance referrals, and prepaid legal services.

On November 5<sup>th</sup>, PRI shared its earnings report for the third quarter ended September 30<sup>th</sup>, 2025. The company's total adjusted operating revenue rose by 8.9% over the year-ago period to \$838.9 million in the quarter. Once again, outsized growth in the Investment and Savings Products segment was the driving force behind this topline growth during the quarter (+19.8% to \$318.8 million). The Term Life Insurance and Corporate and Other Distributed Products segments logged \$463.3 million and \$58.8 million in respective revenue for the quarter (+2.9% and +5.7%, respectively). PRI's adjusted diluted EPS surged 8.5% higher year-over-year to \$6.33 in the quarter. That topped the analyst consensus during the quarter by \$0.79.

#### Growth on a Per-Share Basis

| Year                | 2015   | 2016   | 2017   | 2018   | 2019   | 2020   | 2021   | 2022    | 2023    | 2024    | 2025    | 2030    |
|---------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| EPS                 | \$3.70 | \$4.59 | \$7.61 | \$7.33 | \$8.62 | \$9.57 | \$9.38 | \$12.33 | \$15.94 | \$13.65 | \$22.42 | \$36.11 |
| DPS                 | \$0.64 | \$0.70 | \$0.78 | \$1.00 | \$1.36 | \$1.60 | \$1.88 | \$2.20  | \$2.60  | \$3.30  | \$4.16  | \$6.70  |
| Shares <sup>1</sup> | 48.3   | 45.7   | 44.3   | 42.7   | 41.2   | 39.3   | 39.4   | 36.8    | 35.0    | 33.4    | 31.9    | 26.5    |

Over the past decade, PRI's diluted EPS have compounded by 15.6% annually. We think that its diluted EPS can grow by 10% annually over the medium term, off 2025's estimated \$22.42 base. This is because there's an estimated \$14 trillion protection gap in the term life insurance market. As the company's licensed sales representatives educate consumers, there are opportunities for additional growth in this market. PRI's Investment and Savings Products segment also benefits from economic growth and the fact that client asset values tend to grow over time as a result.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Share count is in millions.



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### **Valuation Analysis**

| Year      | 2015 | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | Now  | 2030 |
|-----------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| Avg. P/E  | 12.8 | 15.1 | 13.3 | 13.3 | 15.2 | 14.0 | 16.3 | 11.5 | 12.9 | 20.2 | 11.3 | 14.0 |
| Avg. Yld. | 1.4% | 1.0% | 0.8% | 1.0% | 1.0% | 1.2% | 1.2% | 1.6% | 1.3% | 1.2% | 1.6% | 1.3% |

Since 2015, PRI's shares have ranged from a valuation multiple as low as the low double digits to as high as the low 20s. Over that time, the average P/E ratio was just above 14. In the years ahead, we continue to think that a reasonable fair value P/E ratio for PRI is 14. That's because the company's growth potential appears to be holding up. Compared to the current P/E ratio of 11.3, this implies PRI's shares remain undervalued by a double-digit percentage.

### Safety, Quality, Competitive Advantage, & Recession Resiliency

| Year   | 2015 | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | 2025 | 2030 |
|--------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| Payout | 17%  | 15%  | 10%  | 14%  | 16%  | 17%  | 20%  | 18%  | 16%  | 24%  | 19%  | 19%  |

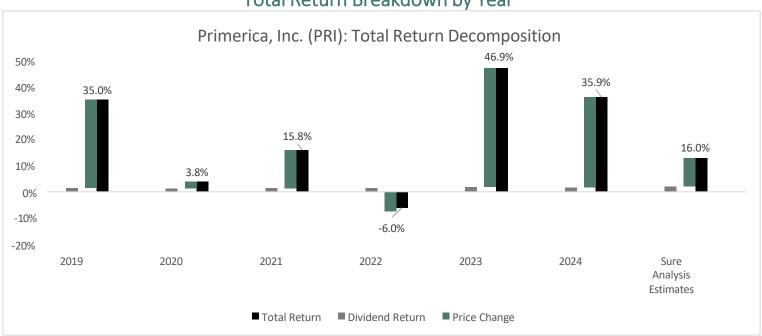
As the second largest provider of term life insurance in the U.S. and Canada, Primerica is well-positioned in this market. The company's array of offerings and unique distribution model provide it with competitive advantages that have allowed its diluted EPS to compound vigorously over time.

Turning to the balance sheet, the company is also financially sound. As of September 30<sup>th</sup>, 2025, PRI had a cash and cash equivalents balance of \$644.9 million. This liquidity earns it an A- credit rating from S&P on a stable outlook. The company's dividend is also sustainable, with the payout ratio poised to be in the high-teens to low-20% range for 2025. That gives it plenty of room to build on its 15-year dividend growth streak.

#### Final Thoughts & Recommendation

PRI's 1.6% yield, 10.0% annual diluted EPS growth potential, and 4.3% annual valuation multiple expansion prospects could lead to 16.0% annual total returns over the next five years. This is why we're reiterating our Buy rating.

### Total Return Breakdown by Year



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#### **Income Statement Metrics**

| Year           | 2015  | 2016  | 2017  | 2018  | 2019  | 2020  | 2021  | 2022  | 2023  | 2024  |
|----------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Revenue        | 1,404 | 1,519 | 1,689 | 1,900 | 2,053 | 2,218 | 2,710 | 2,720 | 2,816 | 3,089 |
| D&A Exp.       | 11    | 15    | 14    | 12    | 18    | 18    | 30    | 34    | 32    | 23    |
| Net Profit     | 190   | 219   | 350   | 324   | 366   | 386   | 373   | 373   | 577   | 471   |
| Net Margin     | 13.5% | 14.4% | 20.7% | 17.1% | 17.9% | 17.4% | 13.8% | 13.7% | 20.5% | 15.2% |
| Free Cash Flow | 257   | 281   | 385   | 465   | 460   | 616   | 632   | 732   | 659   | 833   |
| Income Tax     | 101   | 118   | 29    | 92    | 111   | 121   | 139   | 126   | 175   | 219   |

#### **Balance Sheet Metrics**

| Year                | 2015   | 2016   | 2017   | 2018   | 2019   | 2020   | 2021   | 2022   | 2023   | 2024   |
|---------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| <b>Total Assets</b> | 10,611 | 11,439 | 12,461 | 12,595 | 13,689 | 14,905 | 16,123 | 15,350 | 15,030 | 14,582 |
| Cash & Equivalents  | 152    | 212    | 280    | 262    | 257    | 548    | 393    | 489    | 613    | 688    |
| Acc. Receivable     | 4,301  | 4,404  | 4,435  | 4,357  | 4,397  | 4,533  | 4,526  | 4,270  | 3,289  | 3,160  |
| Inventories         | 58     | 55     | 52     | 48     | 45     | 45     | 375    |        |        |        |
| Goodwill & Int.     | 9,465  | 10,218 | 11,042 | 11,134 | 12,036 | 13,069 | 14,033 | 313    | 303    | 327    |
| Total Liabilities   | 238    | 268    | 307    | 314    | 340    | 520    | 585    | 13,630 | 12,960 | 12,323 |
| Accounts Payable    | 737    | 875    | 1,110  | 1,343  | 1,558  | 1,720  | 1,986  | 538    | 514    | 488    |
| Long-Term Debt      | 1,146  | 1,221  | 1,419  | 1,462  | 1,652  | 1,836  | 2,083  | 2,037  | 1,980  | 1,898  |
| <b>Total Equity</b> | 0.64   | 0.72   | 0.78   | 0.92   | 0.94   | 0.94   | 0.95   | 1,184  | 2,066  | 2,259  |
| LTD/E Ratio         | 58     | 55     | 52     | 48     | 45     | 45     | 375    | 1.18   | 0.96   | 0.84   |

## Profitability & Per Share Metrics

| Year             | 2015  | 2016  | 2017  | 2018  | 2019  | 2020  | 2021  | 2022  | 2023  | 2024  |
|------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Return on Assets | 1.8%  | 2.0%  | 2.9%  | 2.6%  | 2.8%  | 2.7%  | 2.4%  | 2.4%  | 3.9%  | 3.2%  |
| Return on Equity | 15.9% | 18.5% | 26.5% | 22.5% | 23.5% | 22.1% | 19.1% | 19.6% | 28.2% | 21.8% |
| ROIC             | 10.2% | 11.0% | 15.1% | 12.2% | 12.2% | 11.4% | 9.8%  | 9.5%  | 14.2% |       |
| Shares Out.      | 48    | 46    | 44    | 43    | 41    | 39    | 39    | 38.1  | 36.1  | 34.2  |
| Revenue/Share    | 27.58 | 32.01 | 36.97 | 43.19 | 48.51 | 55.18 | 68.34 | 71.38 | 78.00 | 90.32 |
| FCF/Share        | 5.04  | 5.92  | 8.42  | 10.56 | 10.87 | 15.32 | 15.95 | 19.21 | 18.25 | 24.36 |

Note: All figures in millions of U.S. Dollars unless per share or indicated otherwise.

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