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LINCOLN NATIONAL CORP Form FWP June 21, 2011 Pricing Term Sheet Filed pursuant to Rule 433 To preliminary prospectus supplement Registration number 333-157822 dated June 21, 2011 June 21, 2011 (To prospectus dated March 10, 2009) Lincoln National Corporation \$300,000,000 4.85% SENIOR NOTES DUE 2021 Final Term Sheet, dated June 21, 2011 Issuer: Lincoln National Corporation Title of Securities: 4.85% Senior Notes due 2021 (the Notes) Security Type: Senior Unsecured Fixed Rate Notes Format: SEC Registered Trade Date: June 21, 2011 June 24, 2011 Settlement Date (T+3):

June 24, 2021

\$300,000,000 of Notes

99.867% of the principal amount of the Notes

Maturity Date:

Aggregate Principal Amount Offered:

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Price to the Public (Issue Price):	
Net Proceeds (Before Expenses):	\$297,651,000
Benchmark Treasury:	3.125% due May 15, 2021
Benchmark Treasury Yield:	2.967%
Spread to Benchmark:	Treasury Rate plus 190 basis points
Re-offer Yield:	4.867%
Coupon:	
	4.85% per annum
Interest Payment Dates:	Semi-annually on each June 24 and December 24 commencing or December 24, 2011
Optional Redemption:	Make-whole call at any time at the greater of 100% and the discounted value at Treasury Rate plus 30 basis points
CUSIP/ISIN:	534187BB4 / US534187BB41
Ratings* (expected):	Baa2 (Moody s) /A- (S&P) /BBB+ (Fitch)
Minimum Denomination:	\$2,000 and integral multiples of \$1,000 in excess thereof

Lincoln National Corporation

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Joint Book-Running Managers: Goldman, Sachs & Co.

UBS Securities LLC

Co-Managers: Sandler O Neill & Partners, L.P.

Raymond James & Associates, Inc.

The Williams Capital Group, L.P.

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