

ENDORSEMENT FOR ACCIDENT BENEFIT RIDER UIN - 128B001V03

1. If at any time when the rider is in full force, but before the end of rider policy term, the Life Assured is involved in an accident resulting in either total and permanent disability as defined hereunder or death and subject to the conditions for disability being met, the Company shall pay an amount equal to the rider Sum Assured shown under Accident Benefit Rider in the Schedule, in consideration of payment of premiums under Accident Benefit Rider. Further in the event that the life assured becoming totally and permanently disabled due to an accident, the installment premiums payable under the basic policy including all other riders attached, will be waived up to the end of the policy term or earlier death.
2. The maximum aggregate sum assured under all policies taken under the same life to which the rider benefit shall not exceed Rs. 50,00,000.
3. Death due to an accident is defined as that which is caused due to an accident which is sudden, unforeseen and involuntary event caused by external, visible and violent means. Accidental injuries, solely, directly and independently of all other causes resulting in death of the life assured within 180 days from the date of accident, shall be considered as death due to accident.
4. Accidental injuries, solely, directly and independently of all other causes and within 180 days from the date of accident resulting in total and permanent disability of the life assured, shall be considered as total and permanent disability due to accident.
5. 'Total and Permanent Disability' or TPD means disablement of the Person Insured which meets one of the three definitions mentioned below up to age 60 years. For claims assessment beyond age 60 years, Definition 2 or 3 must be satisfied:

Definition 1: Unable to work

The Person Insured suffers an injury due to accident and

- The injury causes the Person Insured to unable to ever engage in any occupation or employment or business for remuneration or profit.

Definition 2: Loss of use of limbs or sight

The Person Insured suffers from total and irrecoverable loss of the entire eye sight of both eyes or the amputation of both hands above the wrists, or in the amputation of both feet at or above the ankles or in the amputation of one hand at or above the wrist and one leg at or above the ankle

Definition3: Loss of independent existence:

The life assured is unable to perform three or more of the following as a result of illness or accident or disability which has occurred after the policy start date;

- Washing: the ability to wash in the bath or shower (including getting into and out of the bath or shower) or wash satisfactorily by other means;
- Dressing: the ability to put on, take off, secure and unfasten all garments and, as appropriate, any braces, artificial limbs or other surgical appliances;
- Transferring: the ability to move from a bed to an upright chair or wheelchair and vice versa;
- Mobility: the ability to move indoors from room to room on level surfaces;
- Toileting: the ability to use the lavatory or otherwise manage bowel and bladder functions so as to maintain a satisfactory level of personal hygiene;
- Feeding: the ability to feed oneself once food has been prepared and made available.

The disability has to be certified by a medical practitioner.

A medical practitioner is a person who holds a valid registration from the medical council of any state or Medical Council of India or Council of Indian Medicine or for Homeopathy set up by the Government of India or a state Government and is thereby entitled to practice medicine within its jurisdiction; and is acting within the scope and jurisdiction of license.

6. Immediately after the happening of the disability, full particulars must be furnished to the office of this Company where this policy is serviced and within 180 days after happening of the disability, proof of disability in such manner as required by the Company, should be given.
 7. The life assured will not be entitled to any accidental benefits directly or indirectly due to or caused, occasioned, accelerated or aggravated by any of the following:
 1. Suicide or attempted suicide or self inflicted injury, whether the life assured is medically sane or insane.
 2. Any condition that is Pre-existing. Pre-existing Disease means any condition, ailment, injury or disease:
 - a) That is/are diagnosed by a physician within 48 months prior to the effective date of the policy issued by the insurer **or**
 - b) For which medical advice or treatment was recommended by, or received from, a physician within 48 months prior to the effective date of the policy or its reinstatement.A condition for which any symptoms and or signs if presented and have resulted within three months of the issuance of the policy in a diagnostic illness or medical condition.
 3. War, terrorism, invasion, act of foreign enemy, hostilities, civil war, martial law, rebellion, revolution, insurrection, military or usurper power, riot or civil commotion. War means any war whether declared or not.
 4. Committing an assault, a criminal offence, an illegal activity or any breach of law with criminal intent.
 5. Engaging in or taking part in professional sport(s) or any hazardous pursuits, including but not limited to, diving or riding or any kind of race; underwater activities involving the use of breathing apparatus or not; martial arts; hunting; mountaineering; parachuting; bungee jumping
 6. Alcohol or Solvent abuse or taking of Drugs, narcotics or psychotropic substances unless taken in accordance with the lawful directions and prescription of a registered medical practitioner
8. The granting of disability benefit automatically cancels the accident benefit option under the policy and the rider will be terminated.
 9. The premium for this rider is built into the installment premium shown in the schedule of the policy and is payable during the rider premium paying term.
 10. The benefit under this rider is restricted to 70 years of completed years of age of the life assured.
 11. If at any time after the total and permanent disability claim is admitted that it is discovered that the said claim is wrongly paid, all the amounts paid under this benefit shall be recovered with such interest prevailing at that time, from the proceeds of the policy and also, all the premiums waived are treated as a debt under the policy and shall be deducted with interest at such rate as may be prevailing at that time from the proceeds of the policy.
 12. In case of Accident /Total and permanent Disability due to accident, the claimant should submit the following for consideration of the claims
 - Accidental Death: FIR, panchanama and death certificate
 - Total and Permanent Disability: FIR, Medical certificate by a medical practitioner authorized by the Company
 - Policy Document
 - Claim Forms issued by the Company