

Group Accidental Death and Dismemberment Certificate of Insurance

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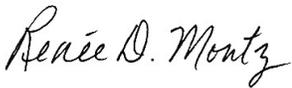
Effective January 1, 2024

Read Your Certificate Carefully

You are insured under the group policy shown on the certificate specifications page. This certificate summarizes the principal provisions of the group policy that affect you. The provisions summarized in this certificate are subject in every respect to the group policy. You may examine the group policy at the principal office of the policyholder during regular working hours.

Legal Actions

No legal action may be brought to recover on this certificate within the first sixty days after written proof of loss has been given as required by this certificate. No such action may be brought after three years from the time written proof of loss is required to be given.



Secretary



President

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ACCIDENTAL DEATH AND DISMEMBERMENT CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE

EMPLOYEE CERTIFICATE SPECIFICATIONS PAGE

GENERAL INFORMATION

POLICYHOLDER: Purdue University **POLICY NUMBER:** 33728-G

ASSOCIATED COMPANIES: All subsidiaries and affiliates reported to Minnesota Life by the policyholder for inclusion in the policy.

POLICY EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2009. This specifications page represents the plan in effect on January 1, 2024.

This certificate and/or certificate specifications page replaces any and all certificates and/or certificate specifications pages previously issued to you under the group policy. Please replace any certificate and/or certificate specifications page previously issued to you with this new certificate and/or specifications page.

GROUP: The group is composed of all active employees of the policyholder and its associated companies working in the United States in the following classes:

- Class 1: Active Purdue University employees who are employed for 50% or greater
- Class 2a: Grandfathered employees approved for LTD with the onset date of disability prior to July 1, 2009
- Class 3: Active Purdue Global employees who are eligible for benefits through the provisions of the Affordable Care Act (ACA)

ENROLLMENT PERIOD: 31 days from the first day of eligibility for contributory insurance.

WAITING PERIOD: N/A

MINIMUM HOURS PER WEEK REQUIREMENT:
Class 1: Employed for 50% or more
Class 2a: None
Class 3: 30 hours or more per week

PLAN OF INSURANCE

EMPLOYEE BENEFIT SCHEDULE

EMPLOYEE ACCIDENTAL DEATH AND DISMEMBERMENT (AD&D) INSURANCE:

Additional AD&D Insurance

Eligible Class

Classes 1 and 3

Class 2a

Amount of Additional AD&D Insurance

An employee may elect an amount of ADD insurance increments of \$10,000, subject to a minimum of \$10,000 and a maximum of \$1,000,000.

Amounts of insurance continued by the policyholder and as reported to Minnesota Life.

GENERAL PROVISIONS FOR EMPLOYEE INSURANCE

RETIREMENT/DISABILITY:

Classes 1 and 3

When an insured employee retires or becomes approved for LTD, his or her amount of Additional AD&D insurance shall terminate. The employee may port his or her Additional AD&D insurance.

**CONTRIBUTORY/
NONCONTRIBUTORY:**

Additional ADD insurance is contributory.

INCREASES AND DECREASES:

Requests for increases and decreases may be made once a year or at a Family Status Change* and shall be effective on the date of the election.

*Family status change means: birth, adoption of a child, marriage, divorce, separation or annulment, becoming SSDP certified or death of a spouse.

DEPENDENTS BENEFIT SCHEDULE

DEPENDENTS AD&D INSURANCE (Applies to classes 1 and 3 only)

The employee does not need to be covered for Additional AD&D in order to elect dependent AD&D

Eligible Class

Amount of Dependents AD&D Insurance

Spouse

An employee may elect an amount of spouse ADD insurance in increments of \$10,000, subject to a minimum of \$10,000 and a maximum of \$300,000.

Children

An employee may elect an amount of child ADD insurance in increments of \$10,000, subject to a maximum of \$50,000.

GENERAL PROVISIONS FOR DEPENDENTS INSURANCE

**CONTRIBUTORY/
NONCONTRIBUTORY:**

All dependents insurance is contributory.

**EFFECT OF EMPLOYEE'S
RETIREMENT/DISABILITY:**

Classes 1 and 3

A dependent's Additional AD&D insurance will terminate when the employee retires or becomes approved for LTD. The employee may port the dependents Additional AD&D insurance.

INCREASES AND DECREASES:

Classes 1 and 3

Requests for increases and decreases may be made once a year or at a Family Status Change and shall be effective on the date of the election.

Definitions

age

Attained age as of most recent birthday.

associated company

Any company which is a subsidiary or affiliate of the policyholder which is designated by the policyholder and agreed to by us to participate under the group policy.

certificate effective date

The date your coverage under this certificate becomes effective.

contributory insurance

Insurance for which the employee is required to make premium contributions.

earnings

Your Budgeted Annual Salary and Summer Amounts as determined by the employer.

employee

An individual who is employed by the policyholder or by an associated company. A sole proprietor will be considered the employee of the proprietorship. A partner in a partnership will be considered an employee so long as the partner's principal work is the conduct of the partnership's business. The term employee does not include temporary employees, seasonal employees nor corporate directors who are not otherwise employees.

employer

The policyholder or any designated associated company.

insured

A person who is eligible for and becomes insured under the terms of this certificate.

licensed physician

An individual who is licensed to practice medicine or treat illness in the state in which treatment is received. The physician cannot be you or your spouse, children, parents, grandparents, grandchildren, brothers or sisters, or the spouse of any such individuals.

non-work day

A day on which the employee is not regularly scheduled to work, including scheduled time off for vacations, personal holidays, weekends and holidays, and approved leaves of absence for non-medical reasons.

Non-work day does not include time off for medical leave of absence, temporary layoff, employer suspension of operations in total or in part, strike, and any time off due to

sickness or injury including sick days, short-term disability, or long-term disability.

noncontributory insurance

Insurance for which the employee is not required to make premium contributions.

policyholder

The owner of the group policy as shown on the specifications page attached to this certificate.

specifications page

The outline which summarizes your coverage under the policyholder's plan of insurance.

waiting period

The period, if any, of continuous employment with the employer that the employee must satisfy prior to becoming eligible for coverage under this certificate. Any such waiting period is shown on the specifications page attached to this certificate.

we, our, us

Minnesota Life Insurance Company.

you, your, certificate holder

The individual who applies for and becomes insured under the group policy.

General Information

What is your agreement with us?

This certificate summarizes the principal provisions of your accidental death and dismemberment insurance provided by the group policy. The provisions summarized in this certificate are subject in every respect to the group policy. Your signed application is deemed a part of this certificate.

Any statements made in your application will, in the absence of fraud, be considered representations and not warranties. Also, any statement made will not be used to void your insurance nor defend against a claim unless the statement is contained in your signed application, and a copy containing the statement is furnished to you, the beneficiary, or your or the beneficiary's personal representative.

This certificate is issued in consideration of your application and the payment of the required premium.

Can this certificate be amended?

Yes. Your consent is not required to amend this certificate. Any amendment will be without prejudice to any claim for benefits incurred prior to the effective date of the amendment.

Who is eligible for insurance?

An employee is eligible if he or she:

- (1) is a member of the eligible group and of an eligible class identified in the group policy; and
- (2) works for the employer for at least the number of hours per week shown as the minimum hours per week requirement on the specifications page attached to this certificate; and
- (3) has satisfied the waiting period, if any; and
- (4) meets the actively at work requirement described in the "What is the actively at work requirement?" provision of this section.

Are retired employees eligible for insurance?

If the policyholder's plan of insurance, as shown on the specifications page attached to the group policy, does not specifically provide insurance for retired employees, a retired employee shall not be eligible to become insured, nor to have his or her insurance continued. If the policyholder's plan of insurance specifically provides insurance for retired employees, the minimum hours per week and actively at work requirements will not apply to such persons.

What is the actively at work requirement?

To be eligible to become insured or to receive an increase in the amount of insurance, an employee must be actively at work performing his or her customary duties at the employer's normal place of business, or at other places the employer's business requires him or her to travel.

Employees not working due to illness or injury do not meet the actively at work requirement nor do employees receiving sick pay, short-term disability benefits or long-term disability benefits.

If the employee is not actively at work on the date coverage would otherwise begin, or on the date an increase in his or her amount of insurance would otherwise be effective, he or she will not be eligible for the coverage or increase until he or she returns to active work. However, if the absence is on a non-work day, coverage will not be delayed provided the employee was actively at work on the work day immediately preceding the non-work day.

Except as otherwise provided for in this certificate, an employee is eligible to continue to be insured only while he or she remains actively at work.

When does your insurance become effective?

Your insurance becomes effective on the date that all of the following conditions have been met:

- (1) you meet all eligibility requirements; and
- (2) if required, you apply for the insurance on forms which are approved by us; and
- (3) we receive the required premium.

Can an insured's coverage be continued during the employee's sickness, injury, leave of absence or temporary layoff?

Yes. The employer may continue your noncontributory insurance or allow you to continue your contributory insurance when you are absent from work due to sickness, injury, leave of absence, or temporary layoff. Continuation of your insurance is subject to certain time limits and conditions as stated in the group policy. If you stop active work for any reason, you should discuss with the employer what arrangements may be made to continue your insurance.

Premiums

When and how often are premiums due?

Unless the policyholder and we have agreed to some other premium payment procedure, any premium contributions you are required to make for contributory insurance are to be paid by you to the policyholder on a monthly basis. We apply premiums consecutively to keep the insurance in force.

How is the premium determined?

The premium will be the premium rate multiplied by the number of \$1,000 units of insurance in force on the date premiums are due. The premium may also be computed by any other method on which the policyholder and we agree.

We may change the premium rate:

- (1) on any premium due date following the expiration of any rate guarantee; or
- (2) anytime, if the policy terms are amended.

Accidental Death and Dismemberment Benefit

What does accidental death or dismemberment by accidental injury mean?

Accidental death or dismemberment by accidental injury means that an insured's death or dismemberment results, directly and independently of all other causes, from an accidental injury which is unintended, unexpected, and unforeseen.

The injury must occur while the insured's coverage is in force. The insured's death or dismemberment must occur within 365 days after the date of the injury and while his or her coverage is in force.

What is the amount of the accidental death and dismemberment benefit?

The amount of the benefit shall be a percentage of the amount of insurance shown on the specifications page attached to this certificate. The percentage is determined by the type of loss as shown in the following table:

TYPE OF LOSS	PERCENT OF AMOUNT OF INSURANCE
Life.....	100%
Both Hands or Both Feet.....	100%
Sight of Both Eyes.....	100%
Speech and Hearing	100%
One Hand and One Foot.....	100%
One Foot and Sight of One Eye.....	100%
One Hand and Sight of One Eye.....	100%
Quadriplegia.....	200%
Paraplegia	100%
Hemiplegia	100%
Sight of One Eye	50%
Speech or Hearing	50%
One Hand or One Foot.....	50%
Thumb and Index Finger of One Hand	25%

Loss of hands or feet means complete severance at or above the wrist or ankle joints. Loss of sight, speech, or hearing means the entire and irrecoverable loss of sight, speech, or hearing which cannot be corrected by medical or surgical treatment or by artificial means. Loss of thumb and index finger means complete severance of both the thumb and the index finger at or above the metacarpophalangeal joints. Quadriplegia means total paralysis of both upper and lower limbs. Paraplegia means total paralysis of both lower limbs. Hemiplegia means total paralysis of upper and lower limbs on one side of the body.

A benefit is not payable for both loss of thumb and index finger of one hand and the loss of one hand for injury to the same hand as a result of any one accident.

Benefits may be paid for more than one accidental injury, but the total amount of insurance payable for your losses under this certificate for any one accident, not including any amount paid according to the terms of the Additional Benefits section of this certificate, will never exceed your full amount of insurance shown on the specifications page attached to this certificate unless otherwise specified in the Additional Benefits section of this certificate. Under no circumstance will more than one payment be made for the same loss or paralysis of the same limb.

Can you request a change in the amount of your contributory insurance?

Yes. You can request an increase or a decrease in the amount of your contributory insurance as shown on the specifications page attached to this certificate. Requests may be made in writing, by telephone or any other method made available by us.

When will changes in coverage amounts be effective?

Increases and decreases in amounts of contributory insurance will be effective as shown on the specifications page attached to this certificate. All increases in the amount of insurance are subject to the actively at work requirement.

What are the notice of claim and proof of loss requirements?

Written notice of injury on which a claim may be based must be given to us within 30 days after the accident. Proof of loss must be furnished to us within 90 days after the date of loss. However, failure to give such notice and proof within the time provided will not invalidate the claim if it is shown that notice and proof were given as soon as reasonably possible.

When we receive written notice of claim, we will send the claimant our claim forms if he or she needs them. If the claimant does not receive the forms within 15 days, we will accept his or her written description as proof of loss.

When will the accidental death or dismemberment benefit be payable?

We will pay the accidental death or dismemberment benefit upon receipt at our home office of written proof satisfactory to us that you died or suffered a covered dismemberment as a result of a covered accidental injury. All payments by us are payable from our home office.

The benefit will be paid in a single sum. We will pay interest on the benefit from the date of your death or dismemberment until the date of payment. Interest will be at an annual rate determined by us, but never less than 3% per year or the minimum required by state law, whichever is greater.

To whom will we pay the accidental death or dismemberment benefit?

In the case of your accidental death, we will pay the accidental death benefit to the beneficiary or beneficiaries. All other benefits will be payable to you, if living, otherwise to your estate.

A beneficiary is named by you to receive the accidental death benefit to be paid at your accidental death. You may name one or more beneficiaries. You cannot name the policyholder or an associated company as a beneficiary.

You may also choose to name a beneficiary that you cannot change without the beneficiary's consent. This is called an irrevocable beneficiary.

If there is more than one beneficiary, each will receive an equal share, unless you have requested another method in writing. To receive the accidental death benefit, a beneficiary must be living at the time of your accidental death. In the event a beneficiary is not living at the time of your accidental death, that beneficiary's portion of the accidental death benefit shall be equally distributed to the remaining surviving beneficiaries. In the event of the simultaneous deaths of you and a beneficiary, the accidental death benefit will be paid as if you survived the beneficiary.

If there is no eligible beneficiary, or if you do not name one, we will pay the accidental death benefit to:

- (1) your lawful spouse, if living, otherwise;
- (2) your natural or legally adopted child (children) in equal shares, if living, otherwise;
- (3) your parents in equal shares, if living, otherwise;
- (4) your brothers and sisters in equal shares, if living, otherwise;
- (5) the personal representative of your estate.

Can you add or change beneficiaries?

Yes. You can add or change beneficiaries if all of the following are true:

- (1) your coverage is in force; and
- (2) we have written consent of all irrevocable beneficiaries; and
- (3) you have not assigned the ownership of your insurance.

A request to add or change a beneficiary must be made in writing. All requests are subject to our approval. A change will take effect as of the date it is signed, but will not affect any payment we make or action we take before receiving your request.

Exclusions

What are the exclusions under this certificate?

In no event will we pay the accidental death or dismemberment benefit where the insured's death or dismemberment results from or is caused directly or indirectly by any of the following:

- (1) suicide or attempted suicide, whether sane or insane; or
- (2) intentionally self-inflicted injuries, or any attempt to inflict such injuries; or
- (3) sickness, whether the loss results directly or indirectly from the sickness; or
- (4) medical or surgical treatment of the sickness, whether the loss results directly or indirectly from the treatment; or
- (5) any infection. But this does not include: a) a pyogenic infection resulting from an accidental cut or wound; or b) a bacterial infection resulting from accidental ingestion of a contaminated substance; or
- (6) war or any act of war "War" means declared or undeclared war and includes resistance to armed aggression; or
- (7) an accident that occurs while the employee is serving on full-time active duty for more than 30 days in any armed forces. But this does not include Reserve or National Guard active duty for training; or

- (8) travel or other movement by means of, or descent from or with, any kind of moving aircraft (aircraft includes rocket craft or any other vehicle, conveyance, device designed for travel or other movement in or beyond the earth's atmosphere) when: aboard such aircraft the insured has any duties relating in any way to such aircraft or its operation, equipment, passengers, or crew or is giving or receiving training for any such duties, unless the loss is sustained in the course of the approved travel for the employer's business and while carrying out assigned duties for the employer; or
- (9) commission of or attempt to commit a felony; or
- (10) being legally intoxicated or under the influence of any narcotic unless administered or consumed on the advice of a physician; or
- (11) participation in these hazardous sports: scuba diving; bungee jumping; skydiving; parachuting; hang gliding; or ballooning.

Additional Benefits

Unless stated otherwise, additional benefits are payable to the same person or persons who receive the accidental death and dismemberment benefits. Additional benefits are paid in addition to any accidental death and dismemberment benefits described in the Accidental Death and Dismemberment section, unless otherwise stated. All provisions of this certificate, including but not limited to the exclusions listed under the Exclusions section, shall apply to these additional benefits.

Air Bag Benefit

What is the air bag benefit?

If an insured dies as a result of a covered accident which occurs while he or she is driving or riding in a private passenger car, we will pay an additional accidental death benefit equal to the lesser of \$25,000 or 10% of the amount payable due to the accidental death, provided:

- (1) the seat in which the insured was seated was equipped with a properly installed airbag at the time of the accident; and
- (2) the private passenger car is equipped with seatbelts; and
- (3) a seatbelt was in proper use by the insured at the time of the accident as certified in the official accident report or by the investigating officer; and
- (4) at the time of the accident, the driver of the private passenger car was a licensed driver and was not intoxicated, impaired, or under the influence of alcohol or drugs.

Airbag means a passive restraint device in a vehicle which inflates upon collision to protect an individual from injury or death.

Seatbelt means a properly installed seatbelt (or child restraint if the insured is a child), lap and shoulder restraint, or other restraint approved by the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration or any successor governmental agency. A private passenger car means a validly registered four-wheeled private passenger car or policyholder-owned car, jeep, pickup truck or van, including a sport utility vehicle (SUV), that is not licensed commercially or being used for racing, or acrobatic or stunt driving.

Brain Damage Benefit

What is the brain damage benefit?

If an insured sustains and is diagnosed by a licensed physician as having Traumatic Brain Injury (TBI) as a result of and within 60 days of a covered accidental injury, and such TBI damage has lasted for a minimum of 12 consecutive months, we will pay a benefit equal to the lesser of:

- (1) 1% of the insured's amount of insurance; or
- (2) 1% of the difference between the insured's amount of insurance and the amount of any benefits paid under the loss schedule for the same accident.

The insured must be hospitalized due to TBI for at least seven days within the first 60 days following the accident. This benefit will be paid monthly until the earlier of the following:

- (1) the date of the insured's death. If an accidental death payment is due under this policy, the amount of such payment will be reduced by the amount of insurance paid under this brain damage benefit; or
- (2) 100 months following the date monthly benefits commenced.

Child Care Benefit

What is the child care benefit?

If you or your spouse die as a result of a covered accident and are survived by a dependent spouse and one or more dependent children, we will pay additional benefits to reimburse the surviving spouse for child care expenses they incur for the dependent children who are under age 13. The dependent children must also be dependent on the surviving spouse for a benefit to be considered and be enrolled in child care within 90 days of your or your spouse's death.

The benefit for each child per year will be the lesser of:

- (1) 10% of your amount of AD&D insurance; or
- (2) \$10,000; or
- (3) incurred child care expenses.

Child care expenses are those expenses which are for a service or supply furnished by a licensed child care provider or facility for a dependent child's care. No payment will be made for expenses incurred more than

four years after the date of you or your spouse's death or for expenses incurred for dependent children over age 13. Proof of incurred child care expenses by the surviving spouse shall be required before any benefit payment is made. The child care benefit will be paid to the surviving spouse. If there is no dependent child eligible for this benefit, a benefit of \$1,000 will be paid.

Coma Benefit

What is the coma benefit?

If an insured lapses into a coma as a result of and within 365 days of a covered accidental injury, and such coma has lasted for a minimum of 31 days, we will pay a benefit equal to the lesser of:

- (1) 1% of the insured's amount of insurance; or
- (2) 1% of the difference between the insured's amount of insurance and the amount of any benefits paid under the loss schedule for the same accident.

This benefit will be paid monthly until the earliest of the following:

- (1) the date the insured recovers such that he or she is no longer in a coma as defined herein; or
- (2) the date of the insured's death. If an accidental death payment is due under this policy, the amount of such payment will be reduced by the amount of insurance paid under this coma provision; or
- (3) 100 months following the date monthly benefits commenced.

Coma means a state of profound unconsciousness with no evidence of appropriate responses to stimulation. The insured must be confined in a medical facility and diagnosed as comatose by a licensed physician.

Dependent Child Education Benefit

What is the dependent child education benefit?

This additional benefit for tuition reimbursement applies only once. It applies if either a) you die as a result of a covered accident; or b) your spouse dies as a result of a covered accident. The date of death as used below refers to you or your spouse's date of death depending on whose loss of life this additional benefit is payable.

We will pay an education benefit on behalf of your dependent children if you are survived by one or more dependent children, provided that:

- (1) at the date of death, the dependent child is enrolled as a full-time student at an accredited post-secondary educational institution (however, no benefit will be payable for the current school year); or
- (2) the dependent child enrolls on a full-time basis in an accredited post-secondary educational institution within one year of the date of death.

The benefit payable will be the lesser of:

- (1) the actual tuition charged, exclusive of room and board; or
- (2) 10% of your amount of insurance; or
- (3) \$25,000.

The benefit will be payable at the beginning of each school year for a maximum of four consecutive years, but not beyond the date the child attains age 26. The benefit will be paid to the dependent child if he or she is of legal age. If the dependent child is not of legal age the benefit will be paid to the person who provides proof they have paid or will pay the tuition bill for that school year. Proof of enrollment and tuition costs are required for each school year. If there is no dependent child eligible for this benefit, a benefit of \$1,000 will be paid.

Disappearance Benefit

What is the disappearance benefit?

If an insured's body has not been found after one year from the date the conveyance in which he or she was traveling disappeared, exploded, sank, became stranded, made a forced landing or was wrecked, it shall be presumed, subject to all other terms of the policy, that the insured has died as a result of an accidental injury which was unintended, unexpected and unforeseen. Such death shall be considered a covered loss under this policy.

Exposure Benefit

What is the exposure benefit?

If an insured is unavoidably exposed to the elements by reason of a covered accident and suffers a loss that is included in the list of covered losses as a result of such exposure, such loss will be covered under the terms of this policy.

Felonious Assault Benefit

What is the felonious assault benefit?

If an insured employee dies or suffers a covered dismemberment as a result of a covered accident caused by a felonious assault, we will pay an additional benefit equal to 5% of the amount payable due to the death or dismemberment.

A felonious assault is a physical assault by another person resulting in bodily harm to the insured employee. The assault must take place while the insured employee is performing his or her customary duties at the employer's normal place of business or at other places the employer's business requires the insured employee to travel. The assault must involve the use of force or violence with intent to cause harm and must be either a felony or a misdemeanor.

No benefit is payable if the assault is a result of a moving violation or is committed by an immediate family member or a coworker. Immediate family members are the insured employee's spouse, children, parents, grandparents,

grandchildren, brothers and sisters, and the spouses of such individuals.

Motorcycle Helmet Benefit

What is the motorcycle helmet benefit?

If an insured dies as a direct result of injuries sustained in a covered accident that occurs while he or she is driving or riding on a motorcycle, we will pay an additional death benefit equal to the lesser of \$10,000 or 10% of the insured's amount of insurance. In order to be eligible for this benefit, the following must apply:

- (1) the insured was wearing a motorcycle helmet at the time of the accident, as certified in the official accident report or by the investigating officer; and
- (2) at the time of the accident, the driver of the motorcycle was a licensed motorcycle driver and was not intoxicated, impaired, or under the influence of alcohol or drugs.

Motorcycle helmet means a helmet that complies with Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard No. 218.

Public Transportation Benefit

What is the public transportation benefit?

If an insured dies as a result of a covered accident which occurs while the insured is a fare-paying passenger on a public transportation vehicle, we will pay an additional benefit equal to the lesser of:

- (1) 25% of the insured's amount of insurance; or
- (2) \$25,000.

Rehabilitative Physical Therapy Benefit

What is the rehabilitative physical therapy benefit?

If an insured suffers an injury which results in a covered dismemberment, we will pay an additional benefit for rehabilitative physical therapy which is prescribed by the attending physician or surgeon. The monthly benefit will be equal to the lesser of:

- (1) 10% of the insured's amount of insurance; or
- (2) \$500.

The benefit will be paid monthly for a maximum of 12 months.

Repatriation Benefit

What is the repatriation benefit?

If, as a result of a covered accident, an insured dies at least 150 miles from his or her principal residence, an additional accidental death benefit shall be paid for the preparation and transportation of the body to a mortuary. The additional benefit shall be the lesser of the actual cost of such preparation and transportation or \$5,000. The benefit will be paid to the person who has or who will incur

such cost, as evidenced to the satisfaction of Minnesota Life. This may or may not be the beneficiary for the rest of the accidental death proceeds. Minnesota Life may at its sole discretion pay benefits directly to the facility handling the preparation and/or transportation. All determinations and payments by Minnesota Life will be final and fully release and discharge Minnesota Life from any further liability under this repatriation benefit.

Seatbelt Benefit

What is the seatbelt benefit?

If an insured dies as a result of a covered accident which occurs while he or she is driving or riding in a private passenger car, we will pay an additional accidental death benefit equal to the lesser of:

- (1) \$25,000; or
- (2) 10% of the amount payable due to the death.

In order to be eligible for this benefit, the following must apply:

- (1) the private passenger car was equipped with seatbelts; and
- (2) a seatbelt was in proper use by the insured at the time of the accident as certified in the official accident report or by the investigating officer; and
- (3) at the time of the accident, the driver of the private passenger car was a licensed driver and was not intoxicated, impaired, or under the influence of alcohol or drugs.

Seatbelt means a properly installed seatbelt (or child restraint if the insured is a child), lap and shoulder restraint, or other restraint approved by the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration or any successor governmental agency. A private passenger car means a validly registered four-wheeled private passenger car or policyholder-owned car, jeep, pickup truck or van, including a sport utility vehicle (SUV), that is not licensed commercially or being used for racing, or acrobatic or stunt driving.

Spouse Education Benefit

What is the spouse education benefit?

We will pay an education benefit on behalf of your spouse if you die as a result of a covered accident and are survived by your spouse, provided that the spouse enrolls in any professional or trades program within 30 months of the date of your death for the purposes of obtaining an independent source of support or enriching the spouse's ability to earn a living.

The benefit payable will be the least of:

- (1) the actual tuition charged for all such education; or
- (2) 10% of your amount of AD&D insurance; or
- (3) \$25,000.

Proof of such costs will be required before benefits are paid.

Portability Benefit

What is the portability benefit?

The portability benefit provides for continuation of your group accidental death and dismemberment insurance if you no longer meet the eligibility requirements of this certificate, except as provided for herein.

To continue coverage under the provisions of this benefit, you must make a written request and make the first premium contribution within 31 days after insurance provided by the group policy would otherwise terminate. Coverage provided by this benefit will then be deemed effective retroactive to the beginning of the 31-day period. This date is considered to be your portability date and you are then considered to have portability status.

Who is eligible to continue insurance under this benefit?

You are eligible to continue insurance under this benefit if you, except as provided by this benefit, no longer meet the eligibility requirements of this certificate due to any of the following:

- (1) the employee terminates employment, including retirement; or
- (2) the employee is no longer in a class eligible for insurance or is on a leave or layoff; or
- (3) a class or group of employees insured under the policy is no longer considered eligible and there is no successor plan for that class or group. Successor plan means an insurance policy or policies provided by us or another insurer that replaces insurance provided under this policy.

An insured spouse is eligible to continue insurance under this certificate if he or she, except as provided by this certificate, no longer meets the eligibility requirements of the group policy due to divorce, the employee's death, or the employee's retirement.

An insured will not be eligible to request coverage under this benefit if he/she:

- (1) has attained the age of 70; or
- (2) lose eligibility due to termination of the group policy.

What insurance can be continued under this benefit?

Only contributory insurance may be continued under this benefit. If you elect to continue your own coverage according to the provisions of this benefit, you may also elect to continue contributory insurance for any other individual insured under your certificate. You may also continue coverage under all additional benefits to such certificate which apply to contributory insurance and by which you were insured immediately preceding your portability date.

If a former spouse continues his or her own coverage according to the provisions of this policy, he or she may also elect to continue contributory insurance on any insured children, provided the employee is not otherwise insuring the children.

Death benefits will be paid in accordance with the provisions of the certificate with the following exception: Death benefits for a former spouse porting his or her own coverage (not being continued under the employee's coverage) shall be payable according to the spouse beneficiary designation. Therefore a former spouse may choose to name a beneficiary or beneficiaries to receive his or her death benefit proceeds, subject to all provisions of the Death Benefit section of the certificate, including the provisions related to payment when there are no eligible named beneficiaries.

The amount of insurance continued under this benefit for any individual will be subject to any applicable state law or regulation relating to allowable amounts of insurance.

What is the minimum amount of insurance that can be continued under this benefit?

The minimum amount of insurance that can be continued under this benefit is \$10,000. The minimum does not apply to any other insureds covered under this benefit.

What is the maximum amount of insurance that can be continued under this benefit?

The maximum amount of insurance that can be continued under this benefit is the amount of insurance that was in force on your portability date, but not more than \$1,000,000 if you are an employee or \$150,000 if you are a spouse. For an insured who is age 65 or older on his or her portability date, the amount will not be more than 65% of the amount of insurance in force on the insured's portability date subject to a maximum of \$650,000.

Will the amount of insurance continued under this benefit change?

Yes. When an insured attains age 65, the amount of insurance continued under this benefit will reduce to 65% of the amount of insurance in force on the day prior to the insured's attainment of age 65. Insurance terminates at age 70.

Can an insured request a change in his/her amount of insurance continued under this benefit?

Yes. An insured may elect to reduce the amount of insurance provided under his/her certificate. The remaining amount of insurance must be at least \$10,000.

The amount of insurance continued under this benefit will never increase.

How will premium contributions be paid?

Premium contributions will be paid directly to us on a monthly, quarterly, semi-annual, or annual basis and will be subject to an administrative charge per billing period.

We may adjust the amount of the charge, but not more often than once per year.

Can the premium rate change?

Yes. The premium rate may increase on the portability date. The premium rate may also increase in the future but will not change more often than once per year.

What happens if an insured again becomes eligible under this certificate?

If an insured is continuing coverage under the provisions of this benefit and again meets the eligibility requirements of this certificate, not including the terms of this benefit, he/she shall no longer be considered to have portability status. His/her insurance may be provided only under the terms of this certificate, not including this benefit, unless and until he/she no longer meets the eligibility requirements of this certificate and again returns to portability status as provided for herein. An insured cannot be covered under this certificate with both portability status and non-portability status.

What happens to insurance provided under this benefit when the group policy terminates?

Notwithstanding anything in this certificate to the contrary, termination of the group policy will not terminate insurance then in force for any person with portability status. The group policy will be deemed to remain in force solely for the purpose of continuing such insurance, but without further obligation of the policyholder.

Any insurance continued under the terms of this benefit will remain in force until terminated by the provision entitled "When will insurance continued under this benefit terminate?"

No individual may elect coverage under this benefit on or after the date of termination of the group policy.

When will insurance continued under this benefit terminate?

Insurance continued under this benefit will terminate on the earliest of the following:

- (1) your 70th birthday; or
- (2) the date you again meet the eligibility requirements of this certificate, not including the terms of this benefit; or
- (3) in the case of a dependent child or a spouse who is insured under your coverage, the date your coverage is no longer being continued under this benefit or the date your spouse or child ceases to be eligible as defined under the terms of this certificate, unless the spouse ports coverage on their own as provided for under the terms of this certificate; or
- (4) in the case of a dependent child who is insured under the certificate by a former spouse's coverage, the date the child ceases to be an eligible dependent as defined under the terms of the group policy; or

- (5) 31 days after the due date of any premium contribution which is not made.

Termination

When does your insurance end?

Your insurance ends on the earliest of the following:

- (1) the date the group policy ends; or
- (2) the date you no longer meet the eligibility requirements, unless the insurance can be continued under the portability provisions, if any; or
- (3) the date the group policy is amended so you are no longer eligible, unless the insurance can be continued under the portability provisions, if any; or
- (4) 31 days (the grace period) after the due date of any unpaid premium if the premium remains unpaid at that time; or
- (5) the last day for which premium contributions have been paid following your written request to cease participation under this certificate.

If your insurance under this certificate terminates due to non-payment of premiums, your coverage may be reinstated if all premiums due are paid and received by us within 31 days of the date of termination and during your lifetime.

Can your coverage be reinstated after termination?

Yes. When your coverage terminates because you are no longer eligible, and you become eligible again within three months after the date your coverage terminated, such coverage under this certificate, including all benefits previously terminated, may be reinstated.

Your coverage under this certificate shall be reinstated automatically, without satisfaction of any waiting period. The amount of insurance will be that which applies to the classification to which you then belong, on the date you again become eligible. If the policyholder's plan of insurance provides for contributory insurance under this certificate, your amount of contributory insurance will be limited to that for which you were insured immediately prior to the loss of coverage.

When does the group policy terminate?

The policyholder may terminate the group policy by giving us 31 days prior written notice. We reserve the right to terminate the group policy on the earliest of the following to occur:

- (1) 31 days (the grace period) after the due date of any premiums which are not paid; or
- (2) on any subsequent policy anniversary after the date the number of employees insured is less than any minimum established by us or as required by applicable state law; or
- (3) 31 days after we provide the policyholder with notice of our intent to terminate the group policy.

Family Coverage

If you have dependents, you may elect coverage for your eligible dependents as described below:

Dependents Benefit

What is the dependents benefit?

The dependents benefit provides accidental death and dismemberment insurance on the lives of your eligible dependents.

What members of your family are eligible for this benefit?

The following members of your family are eligible for this benefit:

- (1) your lawful spouse who is not legally separated from you, who is not on active duty in the armed forces of any country; and
- (2) your or your spouse's natural children, stepchildren, and legally adopted children (from the time of placement), children under your legal guardianship. Children are eligible from live birth (stillborn and unborn children are not eligible) to the end of the month in which the child attains age 26. Children who are age 26 and older are eligible if they are physically or mentally incapable of self-support, were incapable of self-support prior to age 26 and are financially dependent on you for one half of their support and maintenance.

If any child qualifies as an eligible employee under the group policy, he or she is not eligible to be insured as a dependent child.

When does insurance on a dependent become effective?

Insurance on a dependent becomes effective on the date when all of the following conditions have been met:

- (1) the dependent meets all eligibility requirements; and
- (2) if required, you apply for dependents coverage on forms which are approved by us; and
- (3) we receive the required premium.

Any dependent child who, subsequent to the effective date of your certificate supplement for dependents accidental death and dismemberment insurance, meets the requirements of this provision will become insured on the date he or she so qualifies unless additional premium is required. If additional premium is required, the insurance of such later-acquired dependent shall be effective under the same conditions which apply if you were then first becoming eligible for dependents insurance under this certificate.

If a dependent is hospitalized or confined because of illness or disease on the date his or her insurance would otherwise become effective, his or her effective date shall be delayed until he or she is released from such hospitalization or confinement. (This does not apply to a newborn dependent child.) However, in no event will insurance on a dependent be effective before your insurance under this certificate is effective.

When will the accidental death or dismemberment benefit be payable?

We will pay the accidental death or dismemberment benefit upon receipt at our home office of written proof satisfactory to us that an insured dependent died or suffered dismemberment as a result of an accidental injury. All payments by us are payable from our home office.

The benefit will be paid in a single sum. We will pay interest on the benefit from the date of the insured dependent's death or dismemberment until the date of payment. Interest will be at an annual rate determined by us, but never less than 3% per year or the minimum required by state law, whichever is greater.

To whom will we pay a dependents accidental death or dismemberment benefit?

A dependents accidental death or dismemberment benefit will be paid to you, if living, otherwise to your estate.

Family Coverage Additional Benefits

The following benefits apply to those insureds who are insured for dependents insurance. Unless stated otherwise, additional benefits are payable to the same person or persons who receive the accidental death and dismemberment benefits. Additional benefits are paid in addition to any accidental death and dismemberment benefits described in the Accidental Death and Dismemberment section, unless otherwise stated.

Child Dismemberment Double Benefit

What is the child dismemberment double benefit?

If an insured dependent child suffers a covered loss, other than loss of life, the amount payable shall be twice the amount listed in the table found in the "What is the amount of the accidental death and dismemberment benefit for each insured dependent?" section of this certificate.

Common Accident Benefit

What is the common accident benefit?

If both you and your insured dependent spouse die from covered accidental injuries sustained in a common accident, the spouse's accidental death benefit will be increased to an amount equal to 100% of your amount of insurance.

Common accident means the same accident or separate accidents that occur within the same 24-hour period.

Spouse Critical Period Benefit

What is the spouse critical period benefit?

If you die as a result of a covered accident and you are survived by your insured dependent spouse, we will pay an additional benefit equal to 0.5% of your amount of insurance to the surviving spouse monthly for a period not to exceed 12 consecutive months. Payments will commence upon approval of your accidental death claim.

If the surviving spouse dies within the 12 month period, benefits will end.

Dependents Benefit Termination

When does an insured dependent's coverage terminate?

An insured dependent's coverage terminates on the earliest of the following:

- (1) the date the dependent no longer meets the eligibility requirements; or
- (2) 31 days (the grace period) after the due date of any unpaid premium if the premium remains unpaid at that time; or
- (3) the last day for which premium contributions have been made following an insured employee's written request that insurance on his or her dependents be terminated; or
- (4) the date the employee is no longer covered under the group policy.

The insured employee must notify us or the employer when a dependent is no longer eligible for coverage under this benefit so that premiums may be discontinued. All premiums paid for dependents who are no longer eligible for coverage under this benefit will be refunded without any payment of claim.

Additional Information

Do we have the right to obtain independent medical verification?

Yes. We retain the right to have an insured medically examined at our expense whenever a claim is pending and, where not forbidden by law, we reserve the right to have an autopsy performed in the case of death.

What if an insured's age has been misstated?

If an insured's age has been misstated, the accidental death or dismemberment benefit payable will be that amount to which the insured is entitled based on his or her correct age.

A premium adjustment will be made to the premium you pay for the insured's noncontributory insurance and to the premium an insured pays for contributory insurance, if any, so that the actual premium required at the insured's correct age is paid.

When does an insured's insurance become incontestable?

Except for fraud or the non-payment of premiums, after the insured's insurance has been in force during his or her lifetime for two years from the effective date of his or her coverage, we cannot contest the insured's coverage. However, if there has been an increase in the amount of insurance for which the insured was required to apply, then, to the extent of the increase, any loss which occurs within two years of the effective date of the increase will be contestable.

Any statements the insured makes in his or her application will, in the absence of fraud, be considered representations and not warranties. Also, any statement an insured makes will not be used to void his or her insurance, or defend against a claim, unless the statement is contained in the application attached to the insured's certificate.

Can your insurance be assigned?

Yes. However, we will not be bound by an assignment of the certificate or of any interest in it unless it is made as a written instrument, you file the original instrument or a certified copy with us at our home office, and we send you an acknowledged copy.

We are not responsible for the validity of any assignment. You are responsible for ensuring that the assignment is legal in your state and that it accomplishes your intended goals. If a claim is based on an assignment, we may require proof of interest of the claimant. A valid assignment will take precedence over any claim of a beneficiary.

Will the provisions of this certificate conform with state law?

Yes. If any provision in this certificate or in the group policy is in conflict with the laws of the state governing the group policy or the certificates, the provision will be deemed to be amended to conform to such laws.

Important Notice

Minnesota Life Insurance Company - a Securian Financial company
400 Robert Street North, St. Paul, MN 55101-2098

NOTICE OF PROTECTION PROVIDED BY THE INDIANA LIFE AND HEALTH INSURANCE GUARANTY ASSOCIATION

This notice provides a brief summary of the Indiana Life and Health Insurance Guaranty Association ("ILHIGA") and the protection it provides for policyholders. This safety net was created under Indiana law, which determines who and what is covered and the amounts of coverage. ILHIGA was established to provide protection to policyholders in the unlikely event that your life, annuity or health insurance company becomes financially unable to meet its obligations and is taken over by its insurance department. If this should happen, ILHIGA will typically arrange to continue coverage and pay claims, in accordance with Indiana law, with funding from assessments paid by other insurance companies. (For the purposes of this Notice, the terms "insurance company" and "insurer" mean and include health maintenance organizations ("HMOs")).

Basic Protections Currently Provided by ILHIGA

Generally, an individual is covered by ILHIGA if the insurer was a member of ILHIGA and the individual lives in Indiana at the time the insurer is ordered into liquidation with a finding of insolvency. The coverage limits below apply only to companies placed in rehabilitation or liquidation on or after July 1, 2018.

- Life Insurance
 - \$300,000 in death benefits
 - \$100,000 in net cash surrender or net cash withdrawal values
- Health Insurance
 - \$500,000 in health benefit plans (see definition below)
 - \$300,000 in disability income and long term care insurance benefits
 - \$100,000 in other types of health insurance benefits
- Annuities
 - \$250,000 in present value of annuity benefits (including net cash surrender and net cash withdrawal values)

The maximum amount of protection for each individual, regardless of the number of policies or contracts, is \$300,000. Special rules may apply with regard to health benefit plans and covered unallocated annuities.

"Health benefit plan" is defined in IC 27-8-8-2(o), and generally includes hospital or medical expense policies, certificates, HMO subscriber contracts or certificates or other similar health contracts that provide comprehensive forms of coverage for hospitalization or medical services, but excludes policies that provide coverages for limited benefits (such as accident-only, credit, dental-only or vision-only insurance), Medicare Supplement insurance, disability income insurance and long-term care insurance.

The protections listed above apply only to the extent that benefits are payable under covered policy(s). In no event will the ILHIGA provide benefits greater than the contractual obligations in the life, annuity, or health insurance policy or contract. The statutory limits on ILHIGA coverage have changed over the years and coverage in prior years may not be the same as that set forth in this notice.

Note: Certain policies and contracts may not be covered or fully covered. For example, coverage does not extend to any portion(s) of a policy or contract that the insurer does not guarantee, such as certain investment additions to the account value of a variable life insurance policy or a variable annuity contract.

Benefits provided by a long-term care (LTC) rider to a life insurance policy or annuity contract shall be considered the same type of benefits as the base life insurance policy or annuity to which it relates.

To learn more about the protections provided by ILHIGA, please visit the ILHIGA website at www.inlifega.org or contact:

**Indiana Life and Health Insurance
Guaranty Association**
3502 Woodview Trace, Suite 100
Indianapolis, IN 46268
317-636-8204

Indiana Department of Insurance
311 West Washington Street, Suite 103
Indianapolis, IN 46204
317-232-2385

The policy or contract that this notice accompanies might not be fully covered by ILHIGA and even if coverage is currently provided, coverage is (a) subject to substantial limitations and exclusions (some of which are described above), (b) generally conditioned on continued residence in Indiana, and (c) subject to possible change as a result of future amendments to Indiana law and court decisions.

Complaints to allege a violation of any provision of the Indiana Life and Health Insurance Guaranty Association Act must be filed with the Indiana Department of Insurance, 311 West Washington Street, Suite 103, Indianapolis, IN 46204; (telephone) 317-232-2385.

Insurance companies and agents are not allowed by Indiana law to use the existence of ILHIGA or its coverage to encourage you to purchase any form of insurance. (IC 27-8-8-18(a)). When selecting an insurance company, you should not rely on ILHIGA coverage. If there is any inconsistency between this notice and Indiana law, Indiana law will control.

Questions regarding the financial condition of a company or your life, health insurance policy or annuity should be directed to your insurance company or agent.

Contact Notice

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Telephone: 651-665-3500

If you (a) need the assistance of a governmental agency that regulates insurance; or (b) have a complaint you have been unable to resolve with your insurer you may contact the Department of Insurance by mail, telephone or email:

State of Indiana Department of Insurance
Consumer Services Division
311 West Washington Street, Suite 300
Indianapolis, IN 46204-2787

Consumer Hot Line: 800-622-4461
In the Indianapolis Area: 317-232-2395

Complaints can be filed electronically at www.in.gov/idoi.

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