### IN THIS POLICY, INVESTMENT RISK IN THE INVESTMENT PORTFOLIO IS BORNE BY THE POLICYHOLDER Canara HSBC Oriental Bank of Commerce Life Insurance Smart Lifelong Plan An Individual Linked Life Insurance cum Savings Plan UIN – 136L032V05

# PART A

WELCOME LETTER

Date: {{DATE\_OF\_ENTRY}}

{{OWNER\_NAME}} {{GUARDIAN}} {{PO\_M\_ADD\_1}} {{PO\_M\_ADD\_2}} {{PO\_M\_ADD\_3}} {{PO\_M\_ADD\_CITY}} {{PO\_M\_ADD\_CITY}} {{PO\_M\_ADD\_TATE}} - {{PO\_M\_ADD\_PINCODE}} {{PO\_M\_ADD\_COUNTRY}} Contact No.: {{OWNER\_CONTACT}}

Your Policy Details:		Representativ	ve Details:
Client ID.	{{OWNER_CLIENT_ID}}	Name	{{AGENT_NAME}}
Policy No.	{{POLICY_NUMBER}}	Code	{{AGENT_CODE}}
Proposal No.	{{PROPOSAL_NUMBER}}	Contact No.	{{AGENT_CONTACT}}

Dear {{OWNER\_NAME}},

Welcome to the Canara HSBC Oriental Bank of Commerce Life family. We would like to congratulate you on purchasing Canara HSBC Oriental Bank of Commerce Life Insurance Smart Lifelong Plan. Please note that this is an Individual Linked Life insurance cum savings Plan.

This document is your policy contract and contains important information related to your policy. We would recommend that you read this document carefully to ascertain if the details mentioned are accurate.

If you wish to rectify any of the details provided by you in the policy, then please get in touch with our **Resolution center: 1800-103–0003 / 1800-180-0003 (BSNL/MTNL users)** or your representative. You can also **SMS us at 9779030003** or write to us at <u>customerservice@canarahsbclife.in</u> and our representative will contact you at your convenience.

We are confident that our product will meet your requirements, however in case the policy terms and conditions are not agreeable to you then you can opt for a cancellation of your policy. If you decide to opt for cancellation, we would request you to send back this policy contract along with the reason for non-acceptance within 15 days from receipt of this document or 30 days in case the policy is sourced through Distance Marketing mode. In case you opt for cancellation within the said period you will receive the Fund Value and any unallocated premium along with the charges deducted by cancellation of units. This amount will be paid subject to deduction of the proportionate risk related charges, stamp duty and medical expenses, if any. Please note that this facility is available only at the first instance, on receipt of the original policy pack, and will not apply to duplicate policy packs issued by the Company on your request.

As an added convenience for you, we offer an easy-to-navigate online system to manage your policy. Log on to our website <u>www.canarahsbelife.com</u> and register to start using this service.

In case of any claim related matters you or the Claimant may contact us at Canara HSBC Oriental Bank of Commerce Life Insurance Company Limited 139 P, Sector 44, Gurugram – 122003, Haryana, India.

You can also get in touch with us on 1800-103-0003 /1800-180-0003 (BSNL/MTNL) or SMS us at 9779030003 or write to us at <u>customerservice@canarahsbclife.in</u> We request you to pay your premiums on time (within grace period) to enjoy uninterrupted policy benefits. Thank you for giving us the opportunity to service your Insurance needs and we will ensure we are here to fulfill all your policy servicing needs.

Yours Sincerely,

**Chief Operating Officer** 

Canara HSBC Oriental Bank of Commerce Life Insurance Company Limited

### (ii) Policy Preamble:

This policy document evidences a legal contract between the Policyholder and Canara HSBC Oriental Bank of Commerce Life Insurance Company Limited which has been concluded on the basis of Your statements and declarations in the proposal form and other documents evidencing insurability of the Life Assured. This is an Individual, Linked, Life Insurance cum Savings, Regular / Limited Premium Paying Whole of Life Policy which enables You/Claimant to receive benefits as per this policy and participate in the investment performance of the fund to the extent of units allocated against premiums paid. This policy does not confer a right on You to participate/share the profits or surplus of the business of the Company.

These terms and conditions are divided into numbered clauses for ease of reference and reading. These divisions and the corresponding Clause headings do not limit the Policy or its interpretation in any way. References to any Act, regulation, guidelines etc shall include subsequent changes to the same. All references to 'age' shall refer to age as per the last birthday. The terms 'you', 'your' used in this document refer to the Policyholder. 'We', 'us' 'Company' or 'our' refers to Canara HSBC Oriental Bank of Commerce Life Insurance Company Limited. The word "Authority" would refer to the Insurance Regulatory and Development Authority of India (IRDAI).

### POLICY SCHEDULE

Canara HSBC Oriental Bank of Commerce Life Insurance Company Limited (the Company) has received a Proposal and first premium from the Policyholder. The Proposal and declaration along with statements, reports or other documents leading to the issuance of this policy has been accepted by the Company and the Policyholder as the basis of this contract. This contract will be valid in consideration of and subject to receipt of subsequent premiums mentioned below, the terms and conditions of this Policy or any riders attached and any endorsements made. The Company shall pay relevant benefits and other amounts that become payable upon occurrence of one or more events mentioned in this Policy on receipt of proof that is satisfactory to the Company. The date of commencement of risk under this policy is as mentioned below.

	Policy Holder Datails	Life Assured Details	
Name	Policy Holder Details {{OWNER_NAME}}	{{ASSURED_NAME}}	
Date of Birth	{{OWNER_NAME}} {{ASSURED_NAME}} {{OWNER BIRTH DATE}} {{ASSURED BIRTH DATE}}		
Age	{{OWNER_GIRIT_DATE}} {{ASSURED_GIRIT_DATE}} {{OWNER_AGE}} {{ASSURED_AGE}}		
Gender	{{OWNER_AGE}} {{ASSURED_AGE}} {{OWNER_GENDER}} {{ASSURED_GENDER}}		
Address	{{OWNER_GENDER}} {{ASSURED_GENDER}} {{OWNER_ADDRESS}} {{ASSURED_ADDRESS}}		
		olicy Schedule Details	
Policy Number		{{POLICY_NUMBER}}	
Plan Name		{{PLAN_NAME}}	
Plan Type		{{PLAN_TYPE}}	
Policy Term (Years)		{{ 99 years less age of Life Assured at Entry}}	
Premium Paying Term (Years)		{{PREMIUM_PAYING_TERM}}	
Installment Premium <sup>1</sup> (`)	{{INSTALLMENT_PREMIUM}}		
Age Admitted	{{AGE_ADMITTED}}		
<b>Risk Commencement Date</b>	{{RISK_COMMENCEMENT_DATE}}		
Policy Commencement Date	{{POLICY_COMMENCEMENT_DATE}}		
Premium Payment Frequency	{{POLICY_PAYMENT_FREQUENCY}}		
Next Premium Due Date	{{NEXT_PREMIUM_DUE_DATE}}		
Last Premium Due Date	{{LAST_PREMIUM_DUE_DATE}}		
Benefit Coverage Details			
Sum Assured (`)		{{SUM_ASSURED}}	
Maturity Date		{{ NA}}	
Auto Funds Rebalancing		{{AUTO_REBALANCING}}	
Nominee Details*			
ame	Gender	Age	Relationship with Life Assured
NOMINEE_NAME_1}}	{{NOMINEE_GENDER_1}}	{{AGE IN YEARS}}	{{ <b>R</b> 'SHIP}}
NOMINEE_NAME_2}}	{{NOMINEE_GENDER_2}}	{{AGE IN YEARS}}	{{ <b>R'SHIP</b> }}
NOMINEE_NAME_3}}	$\{\{\text{NOMINEE}_GENDER_3\}\}  \{\{\text{AGE IN YEARS}\}\}  \{\{\text{R'SHIP}\}\}$		{{R'SHIP}}
NOMINEE_NAME_4}}	$\{\{\text{NOMINEE}_GENDER_4\}\} \qquad \{\{\text{AGE IN YEARS}\}\} \qquad \{\{\text{R'SHIP}\}\}$		
Nominee details under section 39 of Insurance Act, 1938 as amended from time to time.			
Appointee Name (in case nominee	e is minor)	{{APPOINTEE_NAME}}	

<sup>1</sup> Goods and Services Tax or any other levy by whatever name called under Goods and Services Tax Scheme as applicable from time to time, is included in the Premium/charges paid

by the Policyholder. "On Examination of the Policy, if the Policyholder notices any mistake, the Policy Bond is to be returned for correction to the Insurer"

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### STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

Policyholder 's Name	{{OWNER_NAME_FPRCT}}
Policy Number	{{POLICY_NUMBER}}
Transaction Date	{{TRANSACTION_DATE}}

Charges Deducted		
Installment Premium (`)	{{INSTALLMENT_PREMIUM}}	
Premium Allocation Charge (`)	{{PREMIUM_ALLOCATION_CHARGE}}	
Net Premium Invested (`)	{{NET_PREMIUM_INVESTED}}	
Administration Charge (`)	{{ADMINISTRATION_CHARGE}}	
Mortality /Risk Charge (`)	{{MOTALITY_CHARGE}}	
Central Goods and Services Tax on Above Charges (`)	{{CENTRAL GOODS AND SERVICES TAX}}	
State Goods and Services Tax/ Union Territory Goods and Services Tax on Above Charges ( $$ )	{{ STATE GOODS AND SERVICES TAX/ Union Territory Goods and Services Tax }}	
Integrated Goods and Services Tax on Above Charges (`)	{{ INTEGRATED GOODS AND SERVICES TAX }}	
Cess (es) /Other Levy on Above Charges(`)	{Cess/Other Levy}}	
Risk Charges include mortality and morbidity charges if any.		

#### Fund Details\*

Name of Fund	Initial Fund allocation	No. of Units	NAV (`)	Amount (`)
Emerging Leaders Equity Fund	<pre>{{ Emerging Leaders Equity Fund }}%</pre>	{{Emerging Leaders Equity Fund UNIT}}	{{Emerging Leaders Equity Fund NAV}}	{{Emerging Leaders Equity Fund AMT}}
India Multi-Cap Equity Fund	{{INDIA MULTI-CAP EQUITY_FUND}}%	{{INDIA MULTI-CAP EQUITY_FUND_UNIT}}	{{INDIA MULTI-CAP EQUITY_FUND_NAV}}	{{INDIA MULTI-CAP EQUITY_FUND_AMT}}
Equity II Fund	{{EQUITY_FUND}}%	{{EQUITY_FUND_UNIT}}	{{EQUITY_FUND_NAV}}	{{EQUITY_FUND_AMT}}
Growth Plus Fund	{{GROWTH_FUND}}%	{{GROWTH_FUND_UNIT}}	{{GROWTH_FUND_NAV}}	{{GROWTH_FUND_AMT}}
Balanced Plus Fund	{{BALANCE_FUND}}%	{{BALANCE_FUND_UNIT}}	{{BALANCE_FUND_NAV}}	{{BALANCE_FUND_AMT}}
Debt Plus Fund	{{DEBT_FUND}}%	{{DEBT_FUND_UNIT}}	{{DEBT_FUND_NAV}}	{{DEBT_FUND_AMT}}
Liquid Fund	{{LIQUID_FUND}}%	{{LIQUID_FUND_UNIT}}	{{LIQUID_FUND_NAV}}	{{LIQUID_FUND_AMT}}
Total Fund Value(`)	{{TOTAL_ALLOCATION}}%	As on date: {{TRANSACTION_DATE}}		{{TOTAL_FUND_VALUE}}

\*SFIN (Segregated Fund Index Number) - Emerging Leaders Equity Fund: ULIF02020/12/17EMLEDEQFND136, India Multi-Cap Equity Fund: ULIF01816/08/16IMCAPEQFND136, Equity II Fund: ULIF00607/01/10EQUTYIIFND136, Growth Plus Fund: ULIF00913/09/10GROWTPLFND136, Balanced Plus Fund: ULIF01013/09/10BLNCDPLFND136, Debt Plus Fund: ULIF01115/09/10DEBTPLFUND136, Liquid Fund: ULIF00514/07/08LIQUIDFUND136, & Discontinued Policy Fund : ULIF01319/09/11POLDISCFND136.

You can also access value of your policy wise units and fund wise NAV in the prescribed format (Form D02) on our Company's website. To access the above mentioned details, you need to login/register on the Company's website i.e. www.canarahsbclife.com through "Login & Register" link. For first time registration, your email ID must be registered with us. If your email ID is not registered, please call us on toll free number to register

This is a computer generated statement and does not require signature.

### FIRST PREMIUM RECEIPT

Date of Issue : {{FPR\_DATE}}

Recei	nt Number	<b>.</b> .	<b><i>(RECEIPT</i></b>	NUMBER}}
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Name of the Company	{{NAME OF THE COMPANY}}
Hub Address	{{HUB ADDRESS}}
Goods and Services Tax Identification Number	{{GOODS AND SERVICES TAX IDENTIFICATION NUMBER OF HUB}}
HSN Code	{{ACCOUNTING SERVICE CODE}}
Policy Number	{{POLICY_NUMBER}}
Plan Name	{{PLAN_NAME}}
Policy Holder	{{OWNER_NAME_FPRCT}}
Policyholder Current Residential Address	{{POLICY HOLDER CURRENT RESIDENTIAL ADDRESS}}
Policyholder State/ Union Territory & Code	{{POLICY HOLDER STATE & CODE}}
Goods and Services Tax Identification Number	{{GOODS AND SERVICES TAX IDENTIFICATION NUMBER}}
Life Assured	{{ASSURED_NAME}}
Premium Payment Frequency	{{POL_BILL_MODE_CD_FPRCT}}
Sum Assured (`)	{{CVG_FACE_AMT_FPRCT}}

Payment Related Information		
Installment Premium (`)*	{{CVG_MPREM_AMT_FPRCT}}	
Premium Allocation Charge (`)	{{PREMIUM_ALLOCATION_CHARGE}}	
Goods and Services Tax on Premium Allocation Charge <sup>1</sup> (`)	{{GOODS AND SERVICES TAX ON PREMIUM ALLOCATION CHARGE}}	
Total Premium Received (`)	{{TOTAL_PREMIUM_RECEIVED}}	
Balance Premium (`)	{{BALANCE_PREMIUM}}	
Next Premium Due Date	{{DV_POL_NXT_PRM_DT_FPRCT}}	

<sup>1</sup>Break-up of Goods and Services Tax on Premium Allocation Charge (%) Rate Central Goods and Services Tax

(`) Amount

State Goods and Services Tax/ Union Territory Goods and Services Tax

Integrated Goods and Services Tax

### Cess (es)/Other levy

<sup>\*</sup> You may be entitled for tax benefits under Section 80C as per the Income tax Act, 1961. Tax Benefits under the policy will be as per the prevailing Income Tax laws and are subject to amendments from time to time. For tax related queries, contact your independent tax advisor. The amount indicated as balance premium, if any, will not earn any interest and will be adjusted towards future premiums on the due date. Advance premiums paid, if any will be appropriated towards premium on the respective due dates.

The Regular Premium received by the Company, after deducting applicable Premium Allocation Charges and applicable Goods and Services Tax or any other levy by whatever name called under Goods and Services Tax Scheme has been allocated to the funds in the percentage indicated above. Goods and Services Tax or any other levy by whatever name called under Goods and Services Tax Scheme is applicable as per the prevailing tax laws, which is subject to change. For tax related queries, please contact your tax consultant.

Permanent Account Number AADCC1881F.

"Goods and Services Tax as above is not payable on reverse charge basis"

"Address of Delivery is same as that of place of supply"

The commencement of risk in the policy is subject to realization of funds by the Company.

<<Digital Signature>>

**Chief Operating Officer** 

## ENDORSEMENTS

Total Stamp Value (`) / {{STAMP\_DUTY}}

"The appropriate stamp duty towards this policy is paid vide CRN {{CRN\_NUMBER}}"

#### PART B

### GLOSSARY OF IMPORTANT TECHNICAL AND LEGAL TERMS IN AN INSURANCE POLICY

This document aims to explain certain technical and legal terms of the insurance policy in a simple and easy language.

**1.Age (Last Birthday) :** The Life Assured/ Policyholder's age at his/her last birthday, as on date of commencement of policy.

**2.Annualized Premium:** The amount payable by the Policyholder in a policy year that is selected by the Policyholder at the inception of the Policy.

**3.Assignment & Assignee:** Assignment is a method by which the Policyholder can transfer his/her interest in the Policy to another person. An assignment can be made by an endorsement on the policy document or as a separate deed. Assignment can either be absolute, partial or conditional. Assignee is the person to whom the rights and benefit are transferred by virtue of assignment in accordance with Section 38 of the Insurance Act. 1938. as amended from time to time.

**4.Business Day:** Days other than holidays where stock exchanges with nationwide terminals are open for trade (other than day on which exchanges are open for testing) or any day declared by the Authority as Business Day.

**5.Claimant:** Claimant means the Policyholder, however for the purposes of payment of death benefit Claimant means the following person(s):-

- Where the Policyholder and Life Assured are different, Claimant shall be the Policyholder
- Where Policyholder and Life Assured are same, Claimant shall be the Nominee (s)

Where Policyholder and Life Assured are same and there is no Nominee(s), then Claimant shall be the Policyholder's legal heir or legal representative or the holder of a succession certificate.

**6.Discontinuance:** Discontinuance means the state of a policy arising out of surrender of the Policy or non-payment of the due Premium before the expiry of Grace Period, whichever is earlier.

7. Discontinued Policy Fund (DPF): DPF means a segregated fund maintained by the Company into which Fund Values of policies which are surrendered or where premium payment has been discontinued during the Lock-in Period are credited subject to deduction of Discontinuance Charges, as applicable, to be paid out to You in accordance with IRDAI (Unit Linked Insurance Products) Regulations, 2019. We will levy only Fund Management Charge as mentioned in Part E. The amounts credited to the Discontinued Policy Fund will earn at least the Minimum Guaranteed Interest Rate. The excess income earned in the Discontinued Policy Fund over and above the Minimum Guaranteed Interest Rate will also be apportioned to the Discontinued Policy Fund in arriving at the proceeds of the discontinued policies and will not be apportioned to the shareholders of the Company.

8. Exclusions: Specific conditions or circumstances for which the policy shall not provide any benefits.

9.Financial Year: 12 months period commencing from April 1st every year.

**10. Fund Value:** At any point in time, the total number of Units under the policy multiplied by the applicable Unit Price.

11. Grace Period: Policyholders are expected to pay regular premium on due dates. A period, as given in Part F of the terms & conditions of the policy, from the premium due date is allowed as grace to make payment of due premium. This duration is known as Grace Period.

12. Lock-in Period: The period of five consecutive completed years from the Policy Commencement Date during which period the proceeds of discontinued policy cannot be paid by Us to the Policyholder or to the Life Assured, as the case may be, except in case of death of the Life Assured or upon the happening of any other contingency covered under the Policy.

**13. Minimum Guaranteed Interest Rate:** The rate applicable to discontinued policy fund as declared by the Authority from time to time. The current applicable interest rate is 4% per annum.

14. Misrepresentation: Act of making any kind of statement that does not in fact reflect its true nature.

15. Net Asset Value ("NAV"): The market value of investments held under the Unit Linked Fund plus the value of any current assets and any accrued income net of Fund Management Charges (including any applicable Goods and Services Tax or any other levy by whatever name called under Goods and Services Tax Scheme thereon) less the value of any current liabilities and provisions, if any.

**16. Nomination:** An act by which the Life Assured authorizes another person to receive the policy proceeds in the event of his/her death. The person so authorized is called the "Nominee".

**17.** Nominee: The person(s) named in the policy who is/are entitled to receive the insurance proceeds upon the death of the Life Insured.

**18. Paid Up Sum Assured:** The amount calculated as Sum Assured multiplied by total number of premiums paid divided by the number of Premiums payable during the Policy Term.

19. Policyholder: Policyholder is the owner of the Policy at any given point in time.20. Policy Month: It is one month period commencing from the Policy Commencement Date and each subsequent month thereafter during the Policy Term. The Policy Month may be different from the calendar month.

**21. Policy Term:** Policy term is the period for which insurance coverage is given. **22. Policy Year:** The 12 consecutive month's period commencing from the Policy Commencement Date and ending on the day immediately preceding the first policy anniversary and each subsequent period of 12 consecutive months thereafter during the Policy Term.

**23. Premium:** The amount payable by the Policyholder to the Insurance Company in exchange for the insurer's obligation to pay benefits upon the occurrence of the

contractually-specified contingency (e.g., death).

**24. Proposal Form:** It is an application form which is to be completed and signed by the proposer/Life Assured for securing an insurance policy and forms the basis for issuance of the Policy.

25. Proceeds of the Discontinued Policy Fund: The Fund Value (less applicable Discontinuance Charges) of the respective Policyholder on the Date of Discontinuance after addition of interest computed at the interest rate earned on the Discontinued Policy Fund subject to the minimum guaranteed interest rate. The excess income earned in the Discontinued Policy Fund over and above the minimum guaranteed interest rate shall also be apportioned to the Discontinued Policy Fund in arriving at the proceeds of the discontinued policies and shall not be apportioned by the Company.

**26. Reduced Paid-up State**: The state of the policy attained due to non-payment of due premium after the completion of Lock-in Period, wherein the policy continues in this state till the end of revival period unless revived, with the risk cover and charges continuing as per the terms and conditions of the policy.

**27.Revival Period**: A period of 3 consecutive completed years from the date of first unpaid Premium during which period the Policyholder is entitled to revive the Policy which was discontinued due to non-payment of Premiums.

28. Risk The obligation assumed by the insurer when it issues a policy.

**29. Sum Assured:** Sum Assured is the minimum amount that an insurer agrees to pay on the occurrence of a stated contingency (e.g. Death of the Life Assured) subject to terms and conditions of the policy.

**30. Surrender value:** The value payable to the policy holder in the event of his/her deciding to terminate the policy before the expiry of the policy, subject to terms and conditions of the policy

**31. Underwriting:** The process of evaluating risks for insurance and determining in what amounts and on what terms the insurance company will accept the risk.

**32. Unit:** A portion or part of the underlying segregated Unit Linked Fund

**33. Unit Price:** The price of each Unit under a fund arrived at by dividing the NAV by the total number of outstanding units in the respective Unit Linked Fund.

The Terms 'Risk Commencement Date', 'Policy Commencement Date', 'Policy Term', 'Sum Assured' 'Life Assured', "Premium Payment Term", "Policyholder', 'Nominee' and 'Appointee' shall mean the respective dates, amount or names mentioned against each of them in the Policy Schedule and the term insurer shall mean Canara HSBC Oriental Bank of Commerce Life Insurance Company Limited.

### PART C

1. Benefits under the Canara HSBC Oriental Bank of Commerce Life Insurance Smart Lifelong Plan

1.1 Death Benefit:

- (a) If the death of the Life Assured occurs on or after the Risk Commencement Date during the Policy Term while the policy is in force and not been surrendered and the claim is admitted, we will pay to the Claimant higher of the following as Death Benefit:
  - (i) Sum Assured less partial withdrawals if any made during the two years period immediately preceding death of the Life Assured; or
  - (ii) Fund value as on the date of intimation of death claim by us; or
  - (iii) Hundred and Five percent (105%) of all premiums paid up to date of death of the Life Assured;
- (b) In case of death of the Life Assured while the Fund Value of your policy is held in Discontinued Policy Fund due to non-payment of Premiums, the Proceeds of the Discontinued Policy Fund as on the date of intimation of death claim shall be payable to the Claimant.
- (c) If the death of the Life Assured occurs while the policy is in Reduced Paidup state, the higher of the following will be payable as Death Benefit:
  - Paid Up Sum Assured less partial withdrawals, if any, made during the two years immediately preceding death of the Life Assured.; or
    - (ii) Fund Value as on the date of intimation of death claim by us; or
  - (ii) Hundred and Five percent (105%) of all the Premiums paid up to date of death of the Life Assured.
- (d) If the Life Assured, whether sane or insane commits suicide, death benefit shall be governed by the terms and conditions stated under suicide clause in Part F. <u>Note</u>: This policy shall terminate on payment of the above benefits, or on our

communicating the decision not to pay benefits under this policy in accordance with the provisions of this Policy and in line with applicable law.

#### 1.2 Treatment of minor life

You acknowledge that if the Life Assured is a minor at the date of commencement of the policy, the policy shall automatically vest in the Life Assured on his/her completion of 18 years of age, subject to the policy not being assigned.

### 1.3 <u>Requirements for Death Benefit Claims</u>

Refer Claims Procedures mentioned under "Part F".

#### 1.4 Loyalty Additions

Loyalty Additions shall be allocated (in form of units) among the funds, held at the time of allocation of Loyalty Additions in the same proportion as the value of total units held at that time.-

In case all due premiums under the policy are paid, we will credit additional units into Policyholder's Unit Account maintained under this policy in the form of Loyalty Additions twice in the Policy tenure as follows:.

Policy Year	Loyalty Addition
1 <sup>st</sup> Loyalty addition:	1.25 % of average fund value of last 36 monthly
At the end of 10 <sup>th</sup>	anniversaries of Policy immediately preceding the

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Dated: 1st December 2019

Policy Year	end of 10th Policy Year
2 <sup>nd</sup> Loyalty	1.25 % of average fund value of last 36 monthly
addition: At the end	anniversaries of Policy immediately preceding the
of 15 <sup>th</sup> Policy Year	end of 15 <sup>th</sup> Policy Year

Note: The Loyalty additions once added to the Fund Value are guaranteed.

#### 1.5. Policy Expirv

Policy will expire and come to an end by paying Fund Value on the Policy anniversary following 99th birthday of the Life Assured, provided the Life Assured is alive on the said date.

2. Regular Premium and effect of discontinuance of payment of Regular Premium You shall pay regular Premium amounts at the frequency and for such term as indicated in the Policy Schedule at the respective due dates or before the end of Grace Period. If any premium is received before the due date, we may keep such amount in an advance premium account and adjust such sum towards premium on the applicable due date or refund such amounts to you. The premium can be paid in advance subject to the same Financial Year however, where a premium due in a Financial Year is been collected in a previous financial year, the premium may be collected for a maximum period of 3 months in advance of the due date of the premium. Such advance premium if any paid by the Policyholder shall not carry any interest. The amounts in the advance premium account shall be allocated into Units only on the due dates. All premiums shall be allocated in the respective Unit Linked Funds as chosen by you after deduction of charges as mentioned in Part E.

Where the Policyholder and Life Assured is different, and the Policyholder dies prior to the Life Assured, the responsibility of premium payment would lie with the Life Assured or the guardian of the Life Assured in case the Life Assured is a minor. If a premium due has not been paid due to the death of the Policyholder, the policy will be discontinued at the expiry of the Grace Period. In such event, the risk cover of the Life Assured is subject to change after the expiry of Grace Period in accordance with Clause 2.1, hereunder.

### 2.1 Discontinuance of Regular Premiums:

2.1.1 On Discontinuance of premium during the Lock-in Period: If the due Premium is not received by the expiry of the Grace Period, the Fund Value less applicable discontinuance charges will be transferred to the DPF and the risk cover under the policy will cease. On such Discontinuance, the Company shall communicate the status of the policy within 3 months of the first unpaid premium, to the Policyholder and provide the option to revive the Policy within the Revival Period:

- (i) In case the Policyholder opts to revive but does not revive the Policy during the Revival Period, the Proceeds of the DPF shall be paid to the Policyholder at the end of the Revival Period or Lock-in Period whichever is later and the Policy will terminate upon such payment. In respect of Revival Period ending after Lock-in Period, the Policy will remain in DPF till the end of Revival Period. The FMC of the DPF will be applicable during this period and no other charges will be applied.
- (ii) In case the Policyholder does not exercise the option as set out above, the policy shall continue without any risk cover and the policy fund shall remain invested in the DPF. At the end of the Lock-in Period, the Proceeds of the DPF shall be paid to the Policyholder and the policy shall terminate.

However, the Policyholder has an option to surrender the policy anytime and Proceeds of the DPF shall be payable at the end of Lock-in Period or date of surrender whichever is later.

In case you do not exercise any of the options within the Grace Period, the treatment of such policy will be in accordance with the aforesaid Clause 2.1.1 Untill the expiry of Grace Period, the Policy is deemed to be in-force with benefits and applicable charges continuing as per terms and conditions of the Policy.

2.1.2 On Discontinuance of premium after the Lock-in Period: If the due Premium is not received by the expiry of the Grace Period, the Policy shall be converted into a Reduced Paid-up Policy with the Paid-up Sum Assured. The Policy shall continue to be in Reduced Paid-up status. All applicable charges as per terms and conditions of the Policy shall be deducted during the Revival Period. Upon such Discontinuance, the Company shall communicate the status of the policy within 3 months of the first unpaid premium, to the Policyholder and provide the following options:

- Revive the policy within the Revival Period; 1. 2.
  - Complete withdrawal of the Policy
    - In case the Policyholder opts for 2.1.2 (1) above but does not revive the Policy during the Revival Period, the Fund Value shall be paid to the Policyholder at the end of the Revival Period or at the end of the Policy Term, whichever is earlier and the Policy will terminate upon such payment.
    - ii. In case the Policyholder does not exercise any of the options as set out above, the Policy shall continue to be in Reduced Paid-up status. The Fund Value shall be paid to the Policyholder at the end of the Revival Period or at the end of the Policy Term, whichever is earlier and the Policy will terminate upon such payment.
  - iii. However, the Policyholder has an option to surrender the policy anytime and Fund Value shall be payable.

In case the Policyholder opts for 2.1.2 (2), the policy shall be iv treated as surrendered and dealt with in accordance with clause 4.1.

Until the expiry of Grace Period, the Policy is deemed to be in-force with benefits and applicable charges continuing as per terms and conditions of the Policy.

### 2.2 Premium mode change

You may change your Premium payment mode anytime during the Policy Term, by submitting a request to Us, subject to Your giving us a 60 days' notice for such change, provided your annualized Premium is equal to or more than minimum annualized Premium applicable for proposed mode of Premium payment.

### PART D

### 3. Special Features of the Plan

3.1 Increase / Decrease of the Sum Assured

After completion of five policy years and payment of all premiums due until then, you may at any time during the policy term request us to increase/decrease the Sum Assured without making any change to the premium payable or the term of the policy. Such increase/decrease in the Sum Assured can be exercised once in a Policy Year, subject to a total of three times during the entire Policy Term. For this purpose, you shall make an application in writing to us at least two months prior to the next Policy Anniversary. The following conditions shall apply for such requests:

- In case of minor or aged above 50 years only decrease in Sum Assured а shall be available at the time of request:
- The increase and decrease in sum assured is subject to the minimum b. and maximum Sum Assured limits in this policy;
- Such increase /decrease shall be in accordance with the c. applicable Regulations, subject to underwriting acceptance and may result in increase or decrease in mortality charges depending on the nature of the request:
- Medical expenses (if any incurred) as specified in Part E. d.

### 3.2 Partial Withdrawals

You have the right to make partial withdrawals from sixth Policy Year onwards or the Life Assured attaining 18 years of Age, whichever is later. The Partial withdrawal is allowed to be made in multiple of Rs1,000 subject to a minimum of Rs. 10,000/- in any one transaction. Partial withdrawal at any time shall not result in the Fund Value after the partial withdrawal falling below one hundred twenty percent of the annualized premium payable under this policy. The cap on maximum partial withdrawal amount has been kept in view to avoid immediate foreclosure of the policy after the partial withdrawal i.e. the partial withdrawal shall not result in the immediate policy termination. Any partial withdrawal made shall be net of partial withdrawal Charges, as provided in Part E. In case this Policy is absolutely assigned the "Assignee" shall be entitled to Partial Withdrawal in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Policy. In case the Policyholder opts for Partial Withdrawals while Auto Fund Rebalancing is operational, then the Auto Funds Rebalancing shall be done on the remaining Funds.

### 3.3 <u>Redirection</u>

You have the option to redirect the allocation of future premiums into one or more Unit Linked Funds available for investment in a different investment pattern from the option exercised previously. Redirection can be exercised from the second Policy Year only once during each Policy Year, and will be made on the date of receipt of a request by Us. Auto Funds Rebalancing option if chosen shall become ineffective once the request for Redirection is made

#### 3.4 Switching

You may change the investment pattern of the available units in your account by switching from one Unit Linked Fund to another (in whole or in part). The minimum amount to be switched or value of Units to be switched shall be `10,000/-. Requests for switching may indicate the percentage of Units in the respective funds to be switched or the amount representing the value of Units to be switched. Switching attracts charges mentioned in Part E. In case Auto Fund Rebalancing is operational in your policy, then any option for Switching shall automatically stop the Auto Fund Rebalancing which is in operation.

### 3.5 Auto Fund Rebalancing (AFR)

- a. From the date of commencement of the Policy, you have the right to activate and stop auto fund rebalancing at any time during the policy term, as many times as you may choose.
- b. If Auto Fund Rebalancing is opted then, at the end of every 3 months starting from the Commencement of Auto Funds Rebalancing the

allocation of the investments in various Funds as per the allocation proportions chosen by you will be automatically rebalanced.

- c. Auto Fund Rebalancing will cease to exist in case a Switch/Redirection option is exercised by the Policyholder. In case the Policyholder wants to continue with Auto Fund Rebalancing, he will be required to submit a new request.
- d. In case the Policyholder opts for Partial Withdrawals, Auto Fund Rebalancing will be done on the remaining Funds.

Any exercise of opting in or opting out of Auto Fund Rebalancing option shall be considered as a switch and charges for switching as mentioned in Part E shall be applicable.

### 3.6 <u>Revive the Policy</u>

In case of Discontinuance of the policy due to non-payment of due premiums, you can apply for revival of the policy by submitting a application along with all due premiums, during the Revival Period as per terms and conditions of the Policy. Acceptance of the application for revival shall be subject to underwriting by Us. We reserve the right to revive the policy either on its original terms and conditions or on such other or modified terms and conditions as per our underwriting decision. The revival shall be effective from the date when we communicate the same in writing to You. Units against premium received for revival shall be allocated on the basis of the NAV applicable on the later of the following two dates (i) date of acceptance of the revival application by us; or (ii) date of realization of all the due premiums for revival. The policy shall be revived subject to the conditions mentioned below:

- a. A policy can be revived any time before the end of the Policy term and within the revival period;
- Revival shall be subject to the underwriting as per the Company's Board approved underwriting guidelines;
- c. The revival of the policy will be effective after the Company's approval is communicated in writing.

### 3.6.1 Revival of a policy discontinued during the Lock-in Period:

Where the Policyholder exercises the option to Revive the discontinued policy, the policy can be revived by restoring the risk cover along with the investments made in the segregated funds as chosen by the Policyholder, out of the discontinued policy fund, less the applicable charges in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Policy. At the time of revival the Company shall:

- Collect all due and unpaid premiums without charging any interest or fee;
- Levy policy administration charge and premium allocation charge as applicable during the discontinuance period. No other charges shall be levied;
- Add back to the Fund Value, the discontinuance charges deducted at the time of discontinuance of the policy;

## 3.6.2 Revival of a policy discontinued after the Lock-in Period (Revival of a Reduced Paid-up policy):

Where the Policyholder exercises the option to revive the Reduced Paid-up policy, the policy can be revived restoring the original risk cover in accordance with the terms and conditions of this policy. At the time of revival, the company shall:

- a. Collect all due and unpaid premiums without charging any interest or fee;
- Levy premium allocation charge as applicable during the discontinuance period. No other charges shall be levied;

### 4 Surrender, Termination and Loan

4.1 You can surrender this policy at any time. On surrender, the life cover under the policy shall expire. The policy shall terminate on payment of surrender value and cannot be revived thereafter. If the policy is surrendered before completion of the Lock-in Period, the Fund Value under the policy will be transferred to the Discontinued Policy Fund subject to deduction of applicable Surrender Charges as provided in Part E and Proceeds of the Discontinued Policy Fund at the end of the Lock-in-Period shall be payable to You. In case of a surrender request received by us after the Lock-in Period, the Fund Value shall be paid out to you immediately and this policy shall be terminated.

### 4.2 Auto termination of policy

Notwithstanding any other clause in this Policy and after completion of Lock in Period (provided due premiums for the first five Policy Years have been paid), if at any time during the policy term the Fund Value is insufficient to deduct monthly charges due to cancellation of units, or becomes equal to zero, then this policy shall terminate automatically. The remaining Fund Value (if any) in your unit account as on the date of such termination shall be payable to you in such circumstance.

### 4.3 Loan

There are no loans available in this Policy.

### 5. <u>Unit Account</u>

For the purpose of this policy, we will maintain an account called the Unit Account, to which the premiums received under this policy, shall be credited, net of applicable Charges in the respective Unit Linked Funds in the proportion as chosen by you. The amount credited shall be utilized for

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purchase of Units at the applicable NAV in the Unit Linked Fund offered by us in respect of this policy.

### PART E

6. Charges We shall levy the Charges as detailed below (Clause 6.1 and 6.2) during the term of this policy. We reserve the right to revise the Charges, with the prior approval of the Authority, up to the maximum limits mentioned against each charge. All Charges are subject to applicable taxes and levies (present or future), including Goods and Services Tax or any other levy by whatever name called under Goods and Services Tax Scheme, which shall be borne by You.

### 6.1 <u>Charges</u>

(i) Mortality Charges shall be levied on a monthly basis by way of cancellation of Units at the beginning of each month. The Mortality Charge shall apply on the sum at risk which shall be computed as follows for an in-force policy:

- a) Sum Assured less partial withdrawals in the preceding two year less fund value; or
- b) 105% of the total premiums paid less Fund Value; or
- c) Zero

However, for reduced Paid-up Policy, the SAR will be computed as follows: The higher of:

a) Paid-up Sum Assured less partial withdrawals in the preceding two years less Fund Value: or

b) 105% of all Premiums paid less Fund Value; or

c) Zero.

(ii) Premium Allocation Charge is a percentage of the premium received and is

charged at the time of receipt of the premium. Premium Allocation Charge is as follows, which shall remain unchanged during the entire premium payment term:

Policy Year	Premium Allocation Charge as a percentage of the annualized premium	Premium Allocation Charge as a percentage of the monthly premium
1st Policy Year	8.4%	7.25%
2nd to 3rd Policy Year	6.4%	5.0%
4nd to 10th Policy Year	5.4%	5.0%
11th Policy Year till end of premium paying term	NIL	NIL

For Policies issued to Staff through corporate agents only (applicable to both plan options), premium allocation charge shall be 4.2% of the annualized premium and 3.625% of the monthly premium. Premium allocation charges from second year onwards for policies issued to Staff remains same as per the table above.

In the event the Company decides to sell the Plan directly through its website, the first year premium allocation charges shall be reduced by 0.5% of the above table for Policyholders buying through online mode.

**Note:** For the purpose of this Policy Document "Staff" includes employees, their spouse, minor children and dependent parents of the Company and its three Shareholder Banks (Canara Bank, HSBC Bank and Oriental Bank of Commerce) and their group/associate companies.

(iii) Fund Management Charge (FMC) is expressed as a percentage of Fund Value and is levied at the time of computation of the NAV by adjusting the Unit Price. Mentioned below is the current rates of Fund Management Charge for each of the Unit Linked Fund(s). The FMC for the Liquid Fund may be increased by the Company with prior approval of Authority, subject to a maximum of 1.35% per annum for each Unit Linked Fund available to Policyholder. FMC for funds other than Liquid Fund shall have no change:

Unit Linked Fund	Fund Management Charge
Emerging Leaders Equity Fund	1.35% per annum
India Multi-Cap Equity Fund	1.35% per annum
Equity II Fund	1.35% per annum
Growth Plus Fund	1.35% per annum
Balanced Plus Fund	1.35% per annum
Debt Plus Fund	1.35% per annum
Liquid Fund	0.80% per annum

The FMC for Discontinued Policy Fund shall be declared by the IRDAI from time to time. Currently, the FMC is 0.50% per annum.

premiums and shall be charged on a monthly basis during the Policy Term by cancellation of Units. The current Policy Administration Charge is 0.05% of the annualized premium chargeable on monthly basis. Policy Administration Charge shall be increased at the rate of twenty percent on the Policy anniversary after every five years starting from the 6th Policy Year. Policy Administration Charge mentioned above shall be subject to a maximum of Rs. 500/- per month.

(v) Partial Withdrawal Charge shall be deducted from the Fund Value by cancellation of Units at the time of partial withdrawals.

Any partial withdrawal made shall be net of Partial Withdrawal Charge mentioned as here under:

	Charge per Partial Withdrawal		
1 to 4 in a Policy Year	Nil		
Above 4 in a Policy Year	`250/- per partial withdrawal		

The Company may revise the aforementioned charges with prior approval of IRDAI, subject to a maximum of Rs. 500/- per partial withdrawal. Any unutilized Partial Withdrawal cannot be carried forward.

(vi) Switching Charge is levied on switching of Units from one Unit Linked Fund to another. The current rate of Switching Charge levied by the Company is as follows:

Number of Switches	Charge per Switch
1 to 6 in a Policy Year	Nil
Above 6 in a Policy Year	250/- per switch

The Company may revise the aforementioned charges with prior approval of IRDAI, subject to a maximum of Rs. 500/- per switch. Any unutilized Switching cannot be carried forward.

(vii) Surrender/Discontinuance Charge is expressed as a percentage of the Fund Value/annualized premium. Surrender Charge applicable to this policy is as follows (for this Policy Surrender Charge and Discontinuance Charge are the same):

		Surrender / discontinuance
0	0	charges with annualized
policy year	premium up to 25,000/-	premium above `25,000/
01	Lower of 20% of (AP or FV)	Lower of 6% of (AP or FV)
	subject to a	subject to
	maximum of `3000/-	maximum of `6,000/-
		Lower of 4% of (AP or FV)
02	Lower of 15% of (AP or FV)	subject to
	subject to a maximum of	maximum of `5,000/-
	`2000/-	
03	Lower of 10% of (AP	Lower of 3% of (AP or FV)
	or FV) subject to	subject to maximum of `4,000/-
	maximum of `1500/-	-
04	Lower of 5% of (AP or FV)	Lower of 2% of (AP or FV)
	subject to maximum	subject to
	of `1,000/-	maximum of `2,000/-
05 and onwards	NIL	NIL

Note: - AP - Annualized Premium, FV- Fund Value

Taxes on the above Charges, as applicable from time to time, shall be borne by the Policyholder.

(viii) Miscellaneous Charge: The actual medical expenses, if any incurred in case of increase in Sum Assured will be recovered by us by cancellation of units from the Policy, up to a maximum of Rs. 500/-.

### 6.2 Mortality Table

The rates of Mortality Charge applicable are shown herewith. These rates would remain unchanged during the entire policy Term:

Ag		Femal			Femal	Ag		
e	Male	e	Age	Male	e	e	Male	Female
	0.81							
7	8	0.818	38	1.704	1.410	69	26.120	20.308
	0.64							
8	9	0.818	39	1.834	1.494	70	28.440	22.067
	0.54							
9	1	0.818	40	1.983	1.591	71	30.975	24.000
	0.48							
10	4	0.818	41	2.155	1.704	72	33.740	26.120
	0.47							
11	1	0.649	42	2.354	1.834	73	36.753	28.440
	0.49							
12	2	0.541	43	2.584	1.983	74	40.033	30.975
	0.54							
13	0	0.484	44	2.852	2.155	75	43.601	33.740
	0.60							
14	3	0.471	45	3.161	2.354	76	47.478	36.753

Ag		Femal			Femal	Ag		
e	Male	е	Age	Male	е	e	Male	Female
	0.67							
15	5	0.492	46	3.517	2.584	77	51.690	40.033
	0.74							
16	8	0.540	47	3.923	2.852	78	56.263	43.601
	0.81							
17	7	0.603	48	4.381	3.161	79	61.228	47.478
	0.87							
18	9	0.675	49	4.888	3.517	80	66.614	51.690
	0.93							
19	3	0.748	50	5.440	3.923	81	72.456	56.263
	0.97							
20	6	0.817	51	6.031	4.381	82	78.793	61.228
	1.01							
21	0	0.879	52	6.656	4.888	83	85.663	66.614
	1.03							
22	7	0.933	53	7.307	5.440	84	93.110	72.456
	1.05						101.18	
23	7	0.976	54	7.981	6.031	85	0	78.793
	1.07						109.92	
24	1	1.010	55	8.677	6.656	86	3	85.663
	1.08						119.39	
25	2	1.037	56	9.397	7.307	87	4	93.110
	1.09			10.14			129.65	101.18
26	3	1.057	57	8	7.981	88	2	0
	1.10			10.93			140.75	109.92
27	4	1.071	58	8	8.677	89	9	3
	1.11			11.78			152.78	119.39
28	8	1.082	59	0	9.397	90	4	4
	1.13			12.68			165.80	129.65
29	7	1.093	60	7	10.148	91	0	2
	1.16			13.67			179.88	140.75
30	1	1.104	61	4	10.938	92	5	9
	1.19			14.75			195.12	152.78
31	2	1.118	62	5	11.780	93	5	4
	1.23			15.94			211.61	165.80
32	1	1.137	63	6	12.687	94	1	0
	1.28			17.26			229.44	179.88
33	0	1.161	64	0	13.674	95	3	5
	1.33		-	18.70			248.72	195.12
34	9	1.192	65	9	14.755	96	5	5
	1.41			20.30			269.57	211.61
35	0	1.231	66	8	15.946	97	3	1
	1.49		~~	22.06			292.11	229.44
36	4	1.280	67	7	17.260	98	0	3
2.5	1.59			24.00			316.46	248.72
37	1	1.339	68	0	18.709	99	8	5
51	-	1.557	00	5	10.707	11	5	-

#### Unit Linked Funds 7

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7.1 The Unit Linked Fund(s) offered by us as at the Policy Commencement Date and the indicative portfolio allocations and risk profiles of such Unit Linked Fund(s) are as follows:

Emerging Leaders Equity Fund (SFIN: ULIF02020/12/17EMLEDEQFND136)

Assets	Minimum	Maximum	Risk	Objective	
			profile		
Equity	60%	100%		To generate long term capital	
Money Market	NIL	40%	High	appreciation through investments predominantly in mid cap stocks.	
2.	India Multi-	Cap Equity Fu	nd (SFIN: U	JLIF01816/08/16IMCAPEQFND136)	
Assets	Minimum	Maximum	Risk profile	Objective	
Equity	60%	100%		To generate capital appreciation	
Money Market	NIL	40%	High	in the long term through equity investments by investing in diversified portfolio of small cap mid cap and large cap companies	
3. Equity II Fund (SFIN: ULIF00607/01/10EQUTYIIFND136)					
Assets	Minimum	Maximum	Risk profile	Objective	
Equity	60%	100%	High	Generate long-term capita appreciation from active	
	NIL	40%	ringii	management of a portfolio	

Assets Minimum Maximum		Risk	Objective			
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Equity	50%	90%	Medium	Achieve capital appreciation by investing predominantly		
Debt Securities	10%	50%	to	in equities, with limited		
Money market	NIL	40%	High	investment in Fixed Income Securities.		
	Balanced Plus Fu	and (SFIN: UL	IF01013/09/	10BLNCDPLFND136)		
Assets	Minimum	Maximum	Risk profile	Objective		
Equity	30%	70%		Generate capital appreciation		
Debt Securities	30%	70%	Medium	and current income, through a judicious mix of investments in		
Money market	NIL	40%		equities and fixed income securities.		
6. Debt Plus Fund (SFIN: ULIF01115/09/10DEBTPLFUND136)						
Assets	Minimum	Maximum	Risk profile	Objective		
Debt Securities	60%	100%	Low to	Earn regular income by investing in high quality Debt		
Money market	NIL	40%	Medium	securities.		
7.	Liquid Fund (SF	IN: ULIF00514	4/07/08LIQU	JIDFUND136)		
Assets	Minimum	Maximum	Risk profile	Objective		
Debt Securities*	NIL	60%	Low	Generate reasonable returns commensurate with low risk and a high degree of		
Money market	40%	100%		liquidity.		
8. Discontinued Policy Fund** (SFIN: ULIF01319/09/11POLDISCFND136)						
Assets	Minimum	Maximum	Risk profile	Objective		
Governmen Securities	t 60%	100%	Low	To generate reasonable returns on funds from		
Money	0%	40%	٦	discontinued policies		

\* Debt Securities under Liquid Fund shall only comprise of short term securities \*\* These are subject to revision as guided by Authority from time to time. The said fund cannot be opted by the Policyholder but shall be applicable in accordance with Discontinuance/Surrender of Policy.

determined in accordance

- 7.2 We shall have the discretion to select the investments and/or make the investments under each Unit Linked Fund, having regard to the investment objectives of the respective Unit Linked Fund subject to our investment norms and policies.
- 7.3 On the happening of events including but not limited to extreme volatility of markets/Force Majeure conditions, we may close or discontinue one or more of the Unit Linked Funds as per Company's Board approved investment policy and with prior approval from IRDAI. In all such, we shall give you prior notice of at least three months stating our intention to discontinue or close a Unit Linked Fund except in cases where such closure or discontinuance is on account of unforeseen emergency or force majeure conditions where issuance of such prior notice is not possible. We shall provide you with options of switching free of cost to other Unit Linked fund(s) offered by us. In such a case, you shall exercise the option within the time limits provided in the notice, failing which we may switch the Funds to liquid fund which will be the default fund.

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- (a) We will value the Funds on each day that the financial markets are open. However, we may value the Funds less frequently in extreme circumstances external to the Company, where the value of the assets is too uncertain. In such circumstances, we may defer the valuation of assets for upto 30 days until we feel that certainty as to the value of assets has been resumed. The deferment of the valuation of assets will be with prior consultation with the Authority.
- (b) We will make investments as per clause 6.1 referred above. However, we reserve the right to change the exposure of all/any Fund to money market instruments to 100% only in extreme situations external to the company, keeping in view market conditions, political situations, economic situations, war/war-like situations, terror situations. The same will be put back as per the base mandate once the situation has corrected.
- (c) Some examples of such circumstances [in sub-section (a) & sub-section (b) above] are:
   (i) When one or more stock exchanges which provide a basis for valuation for a substantial portion of the assets of the Fund are closed otherwise than for ordinary holidays.

(ii) When, as a result of political, economic, monetary or any circumstances out of control of the Company, the disposal of the assets of the Fund are not reasonable or would not reasonably be practicable without being detrimental to the interests of the remaining Policyholders.

(iii) During periods of extreme market volatility during which Surrenders and

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Switches would be detrimental to the interests of the remaining Policyholders.

- (iv) In the case of natural calamities, strikes, war, civil unrest or riots etc.
- (v) In the event of any force majeure or disaster that effects the normal functioning of the Company.
- (vi) If so directed by the Authority
- (d) The Policyholder shall be notified of such a situation if it arises
- **7.4** The Company may at a later date subject to prior approval of IRDAI introduce a new Unit Linked Fund, apart from those mentioned in Clause 7.1. The Policyholder shall be entitled to switch to the said newly introduced Unit Linked Fund as any other Fund mentioned in Clause 7.1 subject to such terms and conditions that may be approved by the Authority.

### 8 Units

8.1 The Units shall have a nominal value of `10/- each at the inception of the Unit Linked Fund. The Units shall be purchased and cancelled at the Unit Price applicable on the date of transaction in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Policy. The Unit Price shall be computed to three decimal points. Units will be allocated up to four decimal points. The Unit Price will be declared as soon as may be possible after close of every Business Day.

#### 8.2 Allocation of Units

- Units against the first premium received by us shall be allocated on the Policy Commencement Date after deduction of applicable Charges.
- (ii) Allocation of Units against subsequent premiums shall be made on the basis of the closing NAV of the following dates or premium due date whichever is later:
  - a. Closing NAV of the same day in case of payments by local cheques or demand drafts received at the Office of the Company at or before 3.00 PM on any Business Day.
  - Closing NAV of the subsequent Business Day in case of payments received by local cheques or demand drafts at the Office of the Company after 3.00 PM on any Business Day.
  - c. Closing NAV of the date of realization by the Company in case of payments made by outstation cheques or through ECS, Standing Instructions and Auto Debits. However, in case the payments made through Credit/ Debit Cards or net banking, the Closing NAV of the date on which the payment is made or the premium due date, whichever is later, will be considered for allocating the Units. However, in case the transaction is made after 3:00 PM then the closing NAV of the next working date or the premium due date, whichever is later, will be considered for allocation of Units.

In case of intimation of death claim or a request for partial withdrawal, switch or surrender received at the Company's Office prior to 3.00 PM on any Business Day, the same would be processed based on the closing NAV of that day. The closing NAV of the next Business Day would be applied in case of all requests received at the Company's Offices after 3.00 PM on any Business Day.

- (iii) The above cut-off timings are as per regulations prevailing on the Policy Commencement Date, which can change from time to time with change in regulations.
- (iv) All requests for Automatic Fund Rebalancing shall be processed at the prevailing NAV of the date on which such rebalancing is affected.

#### 8.3 <u>Computation of Net Asset Value ("NAV")</u>

Net Asset Value shall be calculated on all Business Days in accordance with the IRDAI's guidelines in force from time to time.

#### 9 Valuation of Unit Linked Funds

The calculation made by us in regard to the valuation of its Unit Linked Funds is final and binding for all purposes except in case of manifest error. The valuation of assets of the Unit Linked Funds shall be made as per the applicable Regulations and valuation norms of the Company in effect from time to time.

### PART F

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All options, rights and obligations under this policy vest with the Policyholder, and shall be discharged by the Policyholder/Claimant as the case may be.

#### Assignment:

**General Conditions:** 

Assignment should be in accordance with provisions of Section 38 of the Insurance Act 1938 as amended from time to time. The entire Section 38 is reproduced and enclosed in **Annexure 4**.

#### Nomination:

Nomination should be in accordance with provisions of Section 39 of the Insurance Act 1938 as amended from time to time. The entire Section 39 is reproduced and enclosed in **Annexure 5**.

#### Discretion:

We reserve the right to review, revise, delete and / or alter any of the terms and conditions of this policy, including without limitation the Benefits, the Charges other than those charges which are specifically stated to remain unchanged in this policy, the method, manner and timing of levy or recovery of the Charges or valuation of the investments and / or assets of the Unit Linked Fund and / or determination of the Unit Price, with the prior approval of Authority. The terms of this policy shall also stand modified from time to time, to the extent of changes to the Regulations affecting the terms and conditions of this policy.

#### **Policy Currency:**

All Premiums and Benefits payable shall be paid in Indian Rupees only. Misstatement of Age:

The Age of the Policyholder/Life Assured has been admitted on the basis of the declaration made in the Proposal and/or in any statement, supporting document/proof provided in this regard. If the date of birth of the Life Assured has been misstated and as a result if the Policyholder has paid less Premium/charges than what would have been payable for the correct age, the Company would be entitled to charge and the Policyholder would be obliged to pay for such Premium/charges difference since commencement of the policy without interest.

If the date of birth of the Life Assured has been misstated and the Policyholder has paid higher Premium/charges than what would have been payable for the correct age, the Company shall refund the excess Premiums/charges without any interest. In case of termination of the policy any unpaid balance will be adjusted from the benefit payout.

If at the correct age, the Life Assured was not insurable under this policy according to our requirements, we reserve the right to pay the Premiums paid till date post deduction of any relevant cost, expenses or charges as applicable and terminate the policy in accordance with Section 45 of the Insurance Act, 1938 as amended from time to time.

### Reference to Grievance Mechanism:

The contact details and procedure to be followed in case of any grievance in respect of this policy is provided in the document titled as "Grievance Redressal" as provided in Part G.

#### Compliance with statutes & Taxation:

It shall be solely your responsibility to ensure compliance with all applicable provisions of the Regulations, including taxation laws, and payment of all applicable taxes in respect of the premium and Benefits or other payouts made or received under this policy. We are entitled to make such deductions and/or levy such charges, present and future which in Our opinion are necessary and appropriate, from and/or on the Premium(s) payable or Benefit amounts receivable under the Policy on account of any income, withholding, Goods and Services Tax or other tax, cess, duty or other levy which is or may be imposed in relation to the Policy by any legislation, order, regulation or otherwise upon Us, You or the Claimant. It is agreed and understood that We shall not be liable for any taxes on any personal income of You or the Claimant. You acknowledge that you are solely responsible for understanding and complying with your tax obligations (including but not limited to, tax payment or filing of returns or other required documentation relating to the payment of all relevant taxes in all jurisdictions in which your tax obligations arise and relating to the Services provided by Us. We do not provide any tax advice. You are advised to seek independent legal and/or tax advice. We have no responsibility in respect of your tax obligations in any jurisdiction including but not limited to those that relate specifically to the Services provided by Us.

#### **Communication and Dispatch:**

We will send you the policy document in accordance with the applicable laws. We will send the communication or notices to you either in physical or electronic mode (including sms) at your registered address/email id or registered mobile number provided by you in proposal form or otherwise notified to us. Any change in the registered address/email or registered mobile number of Policyholder or Claimant must be notified to Us immediately.

#### Free-look period:

In case the policy terms and conditions are not agreeable to you then you can opt for a cancellation of your policy. If you decide to opt for cancellation, we would request you to send back this policy contract along with the reason for non-acceptance within 15 days from receipt of this document or 30 days in case the policy is sourced through Distance Marketing mode. In case You opt for cancellation within the said period, you will receive the Fund Value and any unallocated premium along with the charges deducted by cancellation of units. This amount will be paid subject only to deduction of the proportionate risk related charges, expenses incurred by us if any, on medical examination of the Life Assured, and stamp duty charges, as per applicable regulatory guidelines. **Replacement of Policy document:** 

We will replace a lost Policy document if We are satisfied that it is lost, but We reserve the right to make investigations and to call for evidence of the loss of the Policy document. If We issue a Policy document to replace the lost Policy document, then:

- i. The original Policy document shall cease to be applicable and You agree to indemnify Us from any and all losses, claims, demands or damages arising from or in connection with the original Policy document;
- ii. You shall not be entitled to any free look period on the duplicate Policy document issued. However the Company may permit free look cancellation in such cases where after investigation, it is evident that the Customer has not received the original policy bond.
- iii. No charge/fee will be levied for replacement of Policy document.

#### Grace Period:

Policyholder is required to pay premium on or before the premium payment due dates. However the Policyholder is also provided with a Grace Period, which is 30 days from premium due date in case of annual premium mode and 15 days from premium due date in case of monthly premium mode . During the Grace

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Period the Policyholder will be entitled to all benefits including death benefits under the Policy.

### Suicide Clause

- (i) In case of death due to suicide within 12 months from the date of commencement of the policy, or from the date of revival of the policy, the Claimant of the Policyholder shall be entitled to fund value, as available on the date of intimation of death.
- (ii) Any charges other than the Fund Management Charges recovered subsequent to the date of death shall be added back to the Fund Value as available on the date of intimation of death. The policy will terminate upon payment of such benefit amount.

#### Claim Procedures:

In case of payment of policy benefits when the Life Assured is alive, the Claimant shall be the Policyholder. The Policyholder will have to contact the Company and submit the original Policy documents and any other documents as may be required by the Company.

In the event of death of the Life Assured, to register the claim under this policy, the Claimant shall endeavor to tell us in writing immediately within a period of 90 days of such death through the Claim Form along with the following documents:

- · Original policy document
- Death certificate
- Attested copy of photo identity and address proof of the Claimant
- Company Specific Claim formats duly completed and signed Claim Form, Physician's Statement, Treating Hospital Certificate, Employer Certificate
- Hospital records/other medical records
- Post-mortem/ chemical viscera report, wherever conducted

Police Records - First Information Report, Panchnama, Police Investigation Report, Final Police Report only in case of unnatural or accidental deaths

If We do not receive notification of the death within 90 days, We may condone the delay if we are satisfied that the delay was for reasons beyond the Claimant's control. The claim shall be paid to the Claimant specified under the Policy. The Company reserves the right to call for such documents or information, including documents/ information concerning the title of the Claimant, to the satisfaction of the Company for processing the claim.

For the Purposes of payment of death benefit, Claimant shall mean the following person(s)

- (i) Where the Policyholder and Life Assured are different, Claimant shall be the Policyholder
- Where Policyholder and Life Assured are same, Claimant shall be (ii) the Nominee (s)
- Where Policyholder and Life Assured are same and there is no (iii) Nominee(s), then Claimant shall be the Policyholder's legal heir or legal representative or the holder of a succession certificate.

Any claim intimation to the Company must be made in writing and delivered to the address, which is currently:

### **Claims Unit**

Canara HSBC Oriental Bank of Commerce Life Insurance Company Limited. 139 P, Sector 44,

Gurugram - 122003, Haryana, India Resolution Centre: 1800-103-0003 / 1800-180-0003 (BSNL/MTNL)

Email id: claims.unit@canarahsbclife.in

Any change in the address or details above will be communicated by the Company to the Policyholder.

For further details on the process, please visit our claims section on our website www.canarahsbclife.com

#### Electronic transactions:

In conducting electronic transactions, in respect of this Policy, you shall comply with all such terms and conditions as prescribed by us. Such electronic transactions are legally valid and shall be binding on You.

### Governing Law & Jurisdiction:

This Policy and all disputes arising under or in relation to the Policy shall be governed by and interpreted in accordance with Indian law and by the Indian courts

#### Mis-Statement or Suppression of material facts and Fraud:

Fraud, Misrepresentation and forfeiture would be dealt with in accordance with provisions of Section 45 of the Insurance Act 1938 as amended from time to time. The entire Section 45 is reproduced and enclosed in Annexure 6.

### PART G

Annexure 1

### GRIEVANCE REDRESSAL PROCEDURE

We, strive to ensure that our customers get only the very best of service from us. We understand the customer's grievance and try to resolve the same by ascertaining all the facts and documents available to provide a fair resolution on the complaint.

1. In case You wish to register a complaint with us, You may visit our website, approach our Resolution Centre, Grievance Officers at Hub locations, or You may write to us at the following address:

## **Complaint Redressal Unit**

Canara HSBC Oriental Bank of Commerce Life Insurance Company, Limited, 139 P Sector 44

Gurugram - 122003, Haryana, India Toll Free: 1800-103-0003 / 1800-180-0003

Dated: 1st December 2019

### (BSNL/MTNL)

#### Email: cru@canarahsbclife.in

We shall respond to You within two weeks from the date of our receiving your complaint. Kindly note that in case we do not receive revert from You within eight weeks from the date of your receipt of our response we will treat your complaint as closed.

In case You do not receive a satisfactory response from us within the above timelines, You may write to our Grievance Redressal Officer at:

### The Grievance Redressal Officer

Canara HSBC Oriental Bank of Commerce Life Insurance Company. Limited.

139 P, Sector 44,

Gurugram - 122003,

Haryana, India Toll Free: 1800-103-0003 / 1800-180-0003 (BSNL/MTNL) Email: gro@canarahsbclife.in

3 .If You are not satisfied with the response or do not receive a response from us within 15 days, You may approach the Grievance Cell of the Insurance Regulatory and Development Authority of India (IRDAI) on the following contact details: IRDAI Grievance Call Centre (IGCC) TOLL FREE NO:155255

Email ID: complaints@irda.gov.in

You can also register your complaint online at http://www.igms.irda.gov.in/ Address for communication for complaints by fax/paper:

Consumer Affairs Department Insurance Regulatory and Development Authority of India 9th floor, United India Towers, Basheerbagh

Hyderabad - 500 029, Telangana

Fax No: 91- 40 - 6678 9768

4. In case You are not satisfied with the resolution or there is no response within a period of 1 month, You/complainant may approach the Insurance Ombudsman for Your State at the address mentioned in Annexure 1 or on Authority's website www.irda.gov.in. if the grievance pertains to the matters as mentioned below or an appropriate judicial/quasi-judicial authority having jurisdiction over the matter for redressal of Your grievance. You may also refer to the GBIC website at http://www.gbic.co.in/ombudsman.html for updated list of Ombudsman.

The Ombudsman may receive complaints:

- a) under Rule 13 of Insurance Ombudsman Rules, 2017 ("Rules");
- b) for any partial or total repudiation of claim by Us;
- c) for any dispute in regard to Premium paid or payable;
- d) for any dispute on the legal construction of the Policy in so far as such dispute relate to claim;
- e) for delay in settlement of claim;
- f) for non-issue of any insurance document after receipt of Premium.
- g) misrepresentation of policy terms and conditions;
- policy servicing related grievances against Company and their agents and intermediaries;
- i) issuance of policy which is not in conformity with the proposal form submitted by proposer; and any other matter resulting from the violation of provisions of Insurance Act, 1938 or regulations, circulars, guidelines or instructions issued by Authority from time to time or terms and conditions of the policy in so far as they relate to issues mentioned above

#### Annexure 2

### LIST OF INSURANCE OMBUDSMAN\*

- Ahmedabad: Office of the Insurance Ombudsman, Jeevan Prakash Building, 6th floor, Tilak Marg, Relief Road, Ahmedabad – 380 001. Tel.: 079 -25501201/02/05/06 Email: bimalokpal.ahmedabad@ecoi.co.in Jurisdiction: Gujarat, Dadra & Nagar Haveli, Daman and Diu
- Bengaluru: Office of the Insurance Ombudsman, Jeevan Soudha Building, Ground Floor, 19/19, 24th Main Road, JP Nagar, Ist Phase, Bengaluru – 560 025. Tel.: 080 -26652049 / 26652048 Email: bimalokpal.bengaluru@ecoi.co.in Jurisdiction: Karnataka.
- 3. Bhopal: Office of the Insurance Ombudsman, Janak Vihar Complex,2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, 6, Malviya Nagar, Opp. Airtel Office, Near New Market, Bhopal (M.P.)-462 003. Tel.: 0755-2769201 / 2769202 Fax : 0755-2769203 Email: bimalokpal.bhopal@ecoi.co.in Jurisdiction: Madhya Pradesh & Chhattisgarh.
- 4. Bhubaneshwar: Office of the Insurance Ombudsman, 62, Forest Park, Bhubaneshwar-751 009. Tel.: 0674-2596461/2596455 Fax: 0674 2596429 Email: bimalokpal.bhubaneswar@ecoi.co.in Jurisdiction: Odisha
- Chandigarh: Office of the Insurance Ombudsman, S.C.O. No.101, 102,103, 2nd Floor, Batra Building, Sector 17-D, Chandigarh-160 017. Tel.: 0172-2706196/2706468 Fax: 0172-2708274 Email: bimalokpal.chandigarh@ecoi.co.in Jurisdiction: Punjab, Haryana, Himachal Pradesh, Jammu & Kashmir, Chandigarh.
- 6. Chennai: Office of the Insurance Ombudsman, Fathima Akhtar Court, 4th Floor, 453, Anna Salai, Teynampet, Chennai-600 018. Tel.: 044-24333668/24335284 Fax : 044-24333664 Email: bimalokpal.chennai@ecoi.co.in Jurisdiction: Tamil Nadu, Pondicherry Town and Karaikal (which are part of Pondicherry)
- New Delhi: Office of the Insurance Ombudsman, 2/2 A, Universal Insurance Building, Asaf Ali Road, New Delhi-110002. Tel.: 011-23239633 / 23237532Fax : 011-23230858 Email: bimalokpal.delhi@ecoi.co.in Jurisdiction: Delhi
- Guwahati: Office of the Insurance Ombudsman, "Jeevan Nivesh", 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, Near Panbazar Overbridge, S.S. Road, Guwahati-781 001(Assam). Tel.: 0361-2132204/2132205 Fax: 0361-2732937 Email: bimalokpal.guwahati@ecoi.co.in Jurisdiction: Assam, Meghalaya, Manipur, Mizoram, Arunachal Pradesh, Nagaland and Tripura
- 9. Hyderabad: Office of the Insurance Ombudsman, 6-2-46, 1st floor, "Moin Court", Lane Opp. Saleem Function Palace, A. C. Guards, Lakdi-Ka-Pool, Hyderabad - 500 004. Tel.: 040 - 65504123 / 23312122 Fax: 040 - 23376599 Email: Modified Policy Document

bimalokpal.hyderabad@ecoi.co.in Jurisdiction: Andhra Pradesh, Telangana, Yanam and part of Territory of Pondicherry

- 10.Jaipur: Office of the Insurance Ombudsman, Jeevan Nidhi II Bldg., Gr. Floor, Bhawani Singh Marg, Jaipur - 302 005. Tel.: 0141 - 2740363 Email: bimalokpal.jaipur@ecoi.co.in. Jurisdiction: Rajasthan
- 11.Ernakulam: Office of the Insurance Ombudsman, 2nd Floor, , CC 27/2603, Pulinat Bldg., M.G. Road, Ernakulam-682 015. Tel: 0484-2358759/2359338 Fax: 0484-2359336 Email: bimalokpal.ernakulam@ecoi.co.in Jurisdiction: Kerala, Lakshadweep, Mahe – a part of Pondicherry
- 12.Kolkata: Office of the Insurance Ombudsman, 4th Floor, Hindusthan Bldg. Annexe, 4, C.R. Avenue, Kolkata – 700 072. Tel: 033 22124339/22124340 Fax: 033 22124341 Email: bimalokpal.kolkata@ecoi.co.in Jurisdiction: West Bengal, Sikkim, Andaman & Nicobar Islands
- 13. Lucknow: Office of the Insurance Ombudsman, Jeevan Bhawan, Phase-2, 6<sup>th</sup> Floor, Nawal Kishore Road, Hazaratganj, Lucknow-226 001. Tel: 0522 -2231330/2231331 Fax: 0522-2231310 Email: bimalokpal.lucknow@ecoi.co.in Jurisdiction: Districts of Uttar Pradesh: Laitpur, Jhansi, Mahoba, Hamirpur, Banda, Chitrakoot, Allahabad, Mirzapur, Sonbhabdra, Fatehpur, Pratapgarh, Jaunpur,Varanasi, Gazipur, Jalaun, Kanpur, Lucknow, Unnao, Sitapur, Lakhimpur, Bahraich, Barabanki, Raebareli, Sravasti, Gonda, Faizabad, Amethi, Kaushambi, Balrampur, Basti, Ambedkarnagar, Sultanpur, Maharajgang, Santkabirmagar, Azamgarh, Kushinagar, Gorkhpur, Deoria, Mau, Ghazipur, Chandauli, Ballia, Sidharathnagar.
- 14. Mumbai: Office of the Insurance Ombudsman, 3rd Floor, Jeevan Seva Annexe, S.V. Road, Santacruz(W), Mumbai-400 054. Tel: 022-26106552/26106960 Fax: 022-26106052 Email: bimalokpal.mumbai@ecoi.co.in Jurisdiction: Goa, Mumbai Metropolitan Region excluding Navi Mumbai & Thane
- 15. Pune: Office of the Insurance Ombudsman, Jeevan Darshan Bldg., 3rd Floor, C.T.S. No.s. 195 to 198, N.C. Kelkar Road, Narayan Peth, Pune 411 030. Tel.:020 41312555; Email: bimalokpal.pune@ecoi.co.in Jurisdiction: Maharashtra, Area of Navi Mumbai and Thane excluding Mumbai Metropolitan Region.
- 16. Noida: Insurance Ombudsman, Bhagwan Sahai Palace, 4th Floor, Main Road, Naya Bans, Sector 15, G.B. Nagar, Noida. 201 301 Tel.: 0120-2514250/52/53 Email: bimalokpal.noida@ecoi.co.in Jurisdiction: State of Uttaranchal and the following Districts of Uttar Pradesh: Agra, Aligarh, Bagpat, Bareilly, Bijnor, Budaun, Bulandshehar, Etah, Kanooj, Mainpuri, Mathura, Meerut, Moradabad, Muzaffarnagar, Oraiyya, Pilibhit, Etawah, Farrukhabad, Firozbad, Gautambodhanagar, Ghaziabad, Hardoi, Shahjahanpur, Hapur, Shamli, Rampur, Kashganj, Sambhal, Amroha, Hathras, Kanshiramnagar, Saharanpur
- 17.Patna: Office of the Insurance Ombudsman, 1st Floor,Kalpana Arcade Building, Bazar Samiti Road, Bahadurpur, Patna 800 006. Tel.: 0612-2680952 Email: bimalokpal.patna@ecoi.co.in Jurisdiction: Bihar, Jharkhand

\*For updated list of Ombudsman please refer to the GBIC website at http://www.gbic.co.in/ombudsman.html

#### Annexure 3

Canara HSBC Oriental Bank of Commerce Life Insurance Company Limited Office Address: 139 P, Sector 44, Gurugram – 122003, Haryana, India

For the latest Hub-List please refer to our website at www.canarahsbclife.com.
Annexure 4

Section 38 "Assignment and Transfer of Insurance Policies" is reproduced below

38. (1) A transfer or assignment of a policy of insurance, wholly or in part, whether with or without consideration, may be made only by an endorsement upon the policy itself or by a separate instrument, signed in either case by the transferor or by the assignor or his duly authorised agent and attested by at least one witness, specifically setting forth the fact of transfer or assignment and the reasons thereof, the antecedents of the assignee and the terms on which the assignment is made.

(2) An insurer may, accept the transfer or assignment, or decline to act upon any endorsement made under sub-section (1), where it has sufficient reason to believe that such transfer or assignment is not bona fide or is not in the interest of the policy-holder or in public interest or is for the purpose of trading of insurance policy.

(3) The insurer shall, before refusing to act upon the endorsement, record in writing the reasons for such refusal and communicate the same to the policy-holder not later than thirty days from the date of the policy-holder giving notice of such transfer or assignment.

(4) Any person aggrieved by the decision of an insurer to decline to act upon such transfer or assignment may within a period of thirty days from the date of receipt of the communication from the insurer containing reasons for such refusal, prefer a claim to the Authority.

(5) Subject to the provisions in sub-section (2), the transfer or assignment shall be complete and effectual upon the execution of such endorsement or instrument duly attested but except, where the transfer or assignment is in favour of the insurer, shall not be operative as against an insurer, and shall not confer upon the transferee or assignee, or his legal representative, any right to sue for the amount of such policy or the moneys secured thereby until a notice in writing of the transfer or assignment and either the said endorsement or instrument itself or a copy thereof certified to be correct by both transferor and transferee or their duly authorised agents have been delivered to the insurer:

Provided that where the insurer maintains one or more places of business in India, such notice shall be delivered only at the place where the policy is being serviced.

(6) The date on which the notice referred to in sub-section (5) is delivered to the insurer shall regulate the priority of all claims under a transfer or assignment as between persons interested in the policy; and where there is more than one instrument of transfer or assignment the priority of the claims under such instruments shall be governed by the order in which the notices referred to in sub-section (5) are delivered: Provided that if any dispute as to priority of payment arises as between assignees, the dispute shall be referred to the Authority.

(7) Upon the receipt of the notice referred to in sub-section (5), the insurer shall record the fact of such transfer or assignment together with the date thereof and the name of the transferee or the assignee and shall, on the request of the person by whom the notice was given, or of the transferee or assignee, on payment of such fee as may be specified by regulations, grant a written acknowledgement of the receipt of such notice; and any such acknowledgement shall be conclusive evidence against the insurer that he has duly received the notice to which such acknowledgement relates.

(8) Subject to the terms and conditions of the transfer or assignment, the insurer shall, from the date of the receipt of the notice referred to in sub-section (5), recognize the transferee or assignee named in the notice as the absolute transferee or assignee entitled to benefit under the policy, and such person shall be subject to all liabilities and equities to which the transferor or assignor was subject at the date of the transfer or assignment and may institute any proceedings in relation to the policy, obtain a loan under the policy surrender the policy without obtaining the consent of the transferor or assignor or making him a party to such proceedings.

Explanation.— Except where the endorsement referred to in sub-section (1) expressly indicates that the assignment or transfer is conditional in terms of sub- section (10) hereunder, every assignment or transfer shall be deemed to be an absolute assignment or transferee, as the case may be, shall be deemed to be the absolute assignee or transferee respectively.

(9) Any rights and remedies of an assignee or transferee of a policy of life insurance under an assignment or transfer effected prior to the commencement of the Insurance Laws (Amendment) Ordinance, 2014 shall not be affected by the provisions of this section.

(10) Notwithstanding any law or custom having the force of law to the contrary, an assignment in favour of a person made upon the condition that —

(a) the proceeds under the policy shall become payable to the policy-holder or the nominee or nominees in the event of either the assignee/or transferee predeceasing the insured; or

(b) the insured surviving the term of the policy, shall be valid:

Provided that a conditional assignee shall not be entitled to obtain a loan on the policy or surrender a policy.

(11) In the case of the partial assignment or transfer of a policy of insurance under sub-section (1), the liability of the insurer shall be limited to the amount secured by partial assignment or transfer and such policy-holder shall not be entitled to further assign or transfer the residual amount payable under the same policy.

Annexure 5

#### Section 39 "Nomination by Policyholder" is reproduced below

39. (1) The holder of a policy of life insurance on his own life may, when effecting the policy or at any time before the policy matures for payment, nominate the person or persons to whom the money secured by the policy shall be paid in the event of his death:

Provided that, where any nominee is a minor, it shall be lawful for the policy-holder to appoint any person in the manner laid down by the insurer, to receive the money secured by the policy in the event of his death during the minority of the nominee.

(2) Any such nomination in order to be effectual shall, unless it is incorporated in the text of the policy itself, be made by an endorsement on the policy communicated to the insurer and registered by him in the records relating to the policy and any such nomination may at any time before the policy matures for payment be cancelled or changed by an endorsement or a further endorsement or a will, as the case may be, but unless notice in writing of any such cancellation or change has been delivered to the insurer, the insurer shall not be liable for any payment under the policy made bona fide by him to a nominee mentioned in the text of the policy or registered in records of the insurer.

(3) The insurer shall furnish to the policyholder a written acknowledgment of having registered a nomination or a cancellation or change thereof, and may charge such fee as may be specified by regulations for registering such cancellation or change.

(4) A transfer or assignment of a policy made in accordance with section 38 shall automatically cancel a nomination:

Provided that the assignment of a policy to the insurer who bears the risk on the policy at the time of the assignment, in consideration of a loan granted by that insurer on the security of the policy within its surrender value, or its re-assignment on repayment of the loan shall not cancel a nomination, but shall affect the rights of the nominee only to the extent of the insurer's interest in the policy:

Provided further that the transfer or assignment of a policy, whether wholly or in part, in consideration of a loan advanced by the transferee or assignee to the policy-holder, shall not cancel the nomination but shall affect the rights of the nominee only to the extent of the interest of the transferee or assignee, as the case may be, in the policy:

Provided also that the nomination, which has been automatically cancelled consequent upon the transfer or assignment, the same nomination shall stand automatically revived when the policy is reassigned by the assignee or retransferred by the transferee in favour of the policy-holder on repayment of loan other than on a security of policy to the insurer.

(5) Where the policy matures for payment during the lifetime of the person whose life is insured or where the nominee or, if there are more nominees than one, all the nominees die before the policy matures for payment, the amount secured by the policy shall be payable to the policy-holder or his heirs or legal representatives or the holder of a succession certificate, as the case may be.

(6) Where the nominee or if there are more nominees than one, a nominee or nominees survive the person whose life is insured, the amount secured by the policy shall be payable to such survivor or survivors.

(7) Subject to the other provisions of this section, where the holder of a policy of insurance on his own life nominates his parents, or his spouse, or his children, or his

spouse and children, or any of them, the nominee or nominees shall be beneficially entitled to the amount payable by the insurer to him or them under sub-section (6) unless it is proved that the holder of the policy, having regard to the nature of his title to the policy, could not have conferred any such beneficial title on the nominee.

(8) Subject as aforesaid, where the nominee, or if there are more nominees than one, a nominee or nominees, to whom sub-section (7) applies, die after the person whose life is insured but before the amount secured by the policy is paid, the amount secured by the policy, or so much of the amount secured by the policy as represents the share of the nominee or nominees so dying (as the case may be), shall be payable to the hers or legal representatives of the nominee or nominees or the holder of a succession certificate, as the case may be, and they shall be beneficially entitled to such amount. (9) Nothing in sub-sections (7) and (8) shall operate to destroy or impede the right of

any creditor to be paid out of the proceeds of any policy of life insurance.

(10) The provisions of sub-sections (7) and (8) shall apply to all policies of life insurance maturing for payment after the commencement of the Insurance Laws (Amendment) Ordinance, 2014.

(11) Where a policy-holder dies after the maturity of the policy but the proceeds and benefit of his policy has not been made to him because of his death, in such a case, his nominee shall be entitled to the proceeds and benefit of his policy.

(12) The provisions of this section shall not apply to any policy of life insurance to which section 6 of the Married Women's Property Act, 1874, applies or has at any time applied:

Provided that where a nomination made whether before or after the commencement of the Insurance Laws (Amendment) Ordinance, 2014, in favour of the wife of the person who has insured his life or of his wife and children or any of them is expressed, whether or not on the face of the policy, as being made under this section, the said section 6 shall be deemed not to apply or not to have applied to the policy.

## Section 45 "Policy not to be called in question on ground of misstatement after three years" is reproduced below-

Annexure 6

(1) No policy of life insurance shall be called in question on any ground whatsoever after the expiry of three years from the date of the policy, i.e., from the date of issuance of the policy or the date of commencement of risk or the date of revival of the policy or the date of the rider to the policy, whichever is later.

(2) A policy of life insurance may be called in question at any time within three years from the date of issuance of the policy or the date of commencement of risk or the date of revival of the policy or the date of the rider to the policy, whichever is later, on the ground of fraud: Provided that the insurer shall have to communicate in writing to the insured or the legal representatives or nominees or assignees of the insured the grounds and materials on which such decision is based.

Explanation I- For the purposes of this sub-section, the expression "fraud" means any of the following acts committed by the insured or by his agent, with the intent to deceive the insurer or to induce the insurer to issue a life insurance policy:

- the suggestion, as a fact of that which is not true and which the insured does not believe to be true;
- b. the active concealment of a fact by the insured having knowledge or belief of the fact;
- c. any other act fitted to deceive; and

d. any such act or omission as the law specifically declares to be fraudulent.

Explanation II- Mere silence as to facts likely to affect the assessment of the risk by the insurer is not fraud, unless the circumstances of the case are such that regard being had to them, it is the duty of the insured or his agent, keeping silence to speak, or unless his silence is , in itself, equivalent to speak.

(3) Notwithstanding anything contained in sub-section (2), no insurer shall repudiate a life insurance policy on the ground of fraud if the insured can prove that the mis-statement of a or suppression of a material fact was true to the best of his knowledge and belief or that there was no deliberate intention to suppress the fact or that such mis-statement of or suppression of a material fact are within the knowledge of the insurer:

Provided that in case of fraud, the onus of disproving lies upon the beneficiaries, in case the policyholder is not alive.

Explanation –A person who solicits and negotiates a contract of insurance shall be deemed for the purpose of the formation of the contract, to be the agent of the insurer.

(4) A policy of life insurance may be called in question at any time within three years from the date of issuance of the policy or the date of commencement of risk or the date of revival of the policy or the date of the rider to the policy, whichever is later, on the ground that any statement of or suppression of a fact material to the expectancy of the life of the insured was incorrectly made in the proposal or other document on the basis of which the policy was issued or revived or rider issued:

Provided that the insurer shall have to communicate in writing to the insured or the legal representatives or nominees or assignees of the insured the grounds and materials on which such decision to repudiate the policy of life insurance is based:

Provided further that in case of repudiation of the policy on the ground of misstatement or suppression of a material fact, and not on ground of fraud, the premiums collected on the policy till the date of repudiation shall be paid to the insured or the legal representatives or nominees or assignees of the insured within a period of ninety days from the date of such repudiation.

Explanation- For the purposes of this sub-section, the mis-statement of or suppression of fact shall not be considered material unless it has a direct bearing on the risk undertaken by the insurer, the onus is on the insurer to show that had the insurer been aware of the said fact no life insurance policy would have been issued to the insured.

(5) Nothing in this sections shall prevent the insurer from calling for proof of age at

any time if he is entitled to do so, and no policy shall be deemed to be called in question merely because the terms of the policy are adjusted on subsequent proof that the age of the life insured was incorrectly stated in the proposal.