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## **BLANKET ACCIDENT INSURANCE COVERAGE PROVIDED UNDER POLICY FORM SAM-14-1000TX-A THE POLICY PROVIDES LIMITED BENEFITS. BENEFITS PROVIDED ARE SUPPLEMENTAL AND ARE NOT INTENDED TO COVER ALL MEDICAL EXPENSES.**

### **OUTLINE OF COVERAGE**

Read This Outline of Coverage Carefully - This outline of coverage provides a brief description of the important features of the coverage. This is not the insurance contract and only the actual Policy provisions will control. The Policy itself sets forth in greater detail the rights and obligations of both You and Us. However it is important that you READ THIS OUTLINE OF COVERAGE CAREFULLY!

Accident only coverage is designed to provide, to Covered Persons, coverage for certain losses resulting from a covered accident ONLY, subject to any conditions, limitations and exclusions. Benefits are not payable for losses due to sickness. Coverage is not provided for basic hospital, basic medical-surgical, or major medical expenses.

COVERAGE PROVIDED UNDER THE POLICY IS NOT MEDICARE SUPPLEMENT INSURANCE.

If you are eligible for Medicare, review the Guide to Health Insurance for People with Medicare available from the Company.

### **SCHEDULE OF BENEFITS**

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*This outline of coverage is intended to be read in its entirety. In order to understand all the conditions, exclusions and limitations applicable to the benefits provided under the Policy, please read all the provisions included in this outline carefully.*

The *Schedule of Benefits* provides a brief outline of the coverage and benefits provided by the Policy. Please read the *Conditions of Coverage* section and each *Benefit Description* section for full details.

### **CONDITIONS OF COVERAGE**

The benefits provided by the Policy will be paid, subject to applicable conditions, limitations and exclusions, under the following coverages to protect against hazards that may occur during specific activities, situations or events.

Exposure and Disappearance Coverage

24-Hour Coverage

### **ACCIDENTAL DEATH AND DISMEMBERMENT BENEFITS**

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Principal Sum	\$5,000
Loss must occur within	365 days of the Covered Accident

### **SCHEDULE OF COVERED LOSSES**

<b>Covered Loss</b>	<b>Benefit</b>
Loss of Life	100% of the Principal Sum
Loss of Both Hands or Both Feet	100% of the Principal Sum
Loss of Sight of Both Eyes	100% of the Principal Sum
Loss of Speech and Hearing (in both ears)	100% of the Principal Sum
Loss of One Hand or Foot	50% of the Principal Sum
Loss of Speech	50% of the Principal Sum
Loss of Hearing in both ears	50% of the Principal Sum
Loss of Sight in One Eye	50% of the Principal Sum
Loss of Thumb and Index Finger of the Same Hand	25% of the Principal Sum

## **ACCIDENT MEDICAL BENEFITS**

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**Any benefit limits and benefit percentages for *Accident Medical Benefits* apply, unless otherwise specified, on a per Covered Person – per Covered Accident basis. Any applicable Deductibles must be satisfied within the time periods specified before benefits are payable.**

### **SCOPE OF COVERAGE APPLICABLE TO ACCIDENT MEDICAL BENEFITS**

Full Excess Medical Expense

### **ACCIDENT MEDICAL EXPENSE BENEFIT**

Total Maximum for all Accident Medical Expense Benefits	\$25,000 per year
First Covered Expenses must be Incurred within	90 days after the Covered Accident
Benefit Period	365 days from the date of the Covered Accident
Deductible	\$100
applies to	each Covered Accident
Deductible must be Satisfied within	each calendar year

## **CONDITIONS OF COVERAGE**

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**This Section describes the Conditions of Coverage under which benefits provided by the Policy become payable. Any benefits are payable only once, even though more than one Condition of Coverage may apply. Please read these and the *General Exclusions* sections in order to understand all of the terms, conditions and limitations of coverage.**

### **EXPOSURE AND DISAPPEARANCE COVERAGE**

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We will pay benefits provided by the Policy, subject to all applicable conditions and exclusions, if the Covered Person suffers a Covered Injury which results directly and independently of all other causes from a Covered Accident that results in the Covered Person's unavoidable exposure to the elements following the forced landing, sinking, stranding or wrecking of a vehicle.

If the Covered Person disappears and is not found within one year from the date of wrecking, sinking or disappearance of the conveyance in which the Covered Person was riding in the course of a trip which would otherwise be covered under the Policy, it will be presumed that the Covered Person's death resulted directly and independently of all other causes from a Covered Accident.

### **24-HOUR COVERAGE**

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We will pay benefits provided by the Policy, subject to all applicable conditions and exclusions, if the Covered Person suffers a Covered Injury resulting directly and independently of all other causes from a Covered Accident that occurs any time while insured by the Policy.

**Exclusions** This coverage will not be in effect while the Covered Person is participating in any activity, including tryouts, practice or any competitions or games for school and professional sports.

## **DESCRIPTION OF INDEMNITY BENEFITS**

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This Section describes the Accident Indemnity Benefits provided by the Policy. Benefit amounts, Benefit Periods and any applicable aggregate and benefit-specific maximums are shown in the *Schedule of Benefits*. Please read these and the *General Exclusions* sections in order to understand all of the terms, conditions and limitations applicable to these Benefits.

### **ACCIDENTAL DEATH AND DISMEMBERMENT BENEFITS**

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#### **Covered Losses**

We will pay the benefit for any one of the Covered Losses listed in the *Schedule of Benefits*, subject to all applicable conditions and exclusions, if the Covered Person suffers a Covered Loss that results, directly and independently of all other causes, from a Covered Accident within the applicable time period specified in the *Schedule of Benefits*.

If the Covered Person sustains more than one Covered Loss as a result of the same Covered Accident, We will pay the Benefit for the Covered Loss for which the largest benefit is payable

#### **Definitions**

**Loss of a Hand or Foot** means complete Severance through or above the wrist or ankle joint.

**Loss of Sight** means the total, permanent Loss of Sight of one or both eyes. The Loss of Sight must be irrecoverable by natural, surgical or artificial means.

**Loss of Speech** means total and permanent loss of audible communication which is irrecoverable by natural, surgical or artificial means.

**Loss of Hearing** means total and permanent loss of ability to hear any sound in both ears which is irrecoverable by natural, surgical or artificial means.

**Loss of a Thumb and Index Finger of the Same Hand** means complete Severance through or above the metacarpophalangeal joints of the same hand (the joints between the fingers and the hand).

**Severance** means complete separation and dismemberment of the part from the body.

## **DESCRIPTION OF EXPENSE-INCURRED MEDICAL BENEFITS**

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This Section describes the Scope of Coverage for which Medical Benefits are payable and the *Expense-Incurred Medical Benefits* provided by the Policy. Any applicable benefit percentages, benefit deductibles, benefit periods, benefit limits and maximums are shown in the *Schedule of Benefits*. Please read these and the *General Exclusions* Sections in order to understand all of the terms, conditions and limitations applicable to these benefits.

### **ACCIDENT MEDICAL EXPENSE BENEFITS**

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We will pay the benefits shown in the *Schedule of Benefits* for Covered Expenses Incurred by the Covered Person, subject to all applicable conditions and exclusions, for Appropriate Treatment of a Covered Injury that resulted directly and independently of all other causes from a Covered Accident.

Benefits will be paid:

1. when Covered Expenses Incurred exceed any applicable individual Deductible within the number of days from the date of the Covered Accident specified in the *Schedule of Benefits*; and
2. as long as the first Covered Expense has been Incurred within the number of days specified in the *Schedule of Benefits*; and
3. until any applicable Benefit Period shown in the *Schedule of Benefits* has expired; and
4. until Benefits paid for all Covered Persons insured under the Policy equal the Total Maximum for Accident Medical Expense Benefits shown in the *Schedule of Benefits*.

## **SCOPE OF COVERAGE APPLICABLE TO EXPENSE-INCURRED MEDICAL BENEFITS**

Covered Expenses and any applicable Deductibles are shown in the *Schedule of Benefits*.

### **Other Health Care Plan Benefits**

When another Health Care Plan provides benefits in the form of services rather than cash payments, We will consider the reasonable cash value of such service in determining whether any Deductible has been satisfied, or any amount by which any benefit provided by the Policy will be reduced.

### **Full Excess Medical Expense**

We will pay Covered Expenses:

1. after the Covered Person satisfies any Deductible; and
2. only when they are in excess of amounts payable by any other Health Care Plan whether or not claim has been made for benefits it provides.

We will pay benefits without regard to any Coordination of Benefits provision in such Health Care Plan.

Any Covered Expenses payable under this provision will be reduced by the amount the Health Care Plan would have paid had its services or facilities been utilized if:

1. the Covered Person has coverage under another Health Care Plan; and
2. the other Health Care Plan is an HMO, PPO or similar arrangement; and
3. the Covered Person does not use the facilities or services of the HMO, PPO or similar arrangement.

Covered Expenses payable will not be reduced for emergency treatment within 24 hours after a Covered Accident which occurred outside the geographic service area of the HMO, PPO or similar arrangement.

### **Definitions**

For purposes of the Accident Medical Benefits provided by the Policy:

**HMO** Health Maintenance Organization means any organized system of health care that provides health maintenance and treatment services for a fixed sum of money agreed and paid in advance to the provider of service.

**PPO** Preferred Provider Organization means an organization offering health care services through designated health care providers who agree to perform these services at rates lower than Non-Preferred Providers.

## GENERAL DEFINITIONS

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Please note that certain words used in this outline of coverage have specific meanings. The words defined below and capitalized within the text of this outline have the meanings set forth below.

**Aircraft** means a vehicle which:

1. has a valid Certificate of Airworthiness; and
2. is being flown by a properly qualified pilot with a valid license to operate the Aircraft.

**Appropriate Treatment** means care, services or supplies provided to a Covered Person, solely by or at the direction of a treating Physician exercising prudent medical judgment and acting independently of the Company, for the purpose of evaluating, diagnosing or treating a Covered Injury sustained as the direct result of a Covered Accident, that are:

1. in accordance with generally accepted standards of medical practice;
2. clinically appropriate, in terms of type, frequency, extent, site and duration;
3. considered effective for the Covered Injury;
4. not primarily for the convenience of the Covered Person, the Covered Person's Physician or any other Physician; and
5. not more costly than an alternative service or sequence of services at least as likely to produce equivalent therapeutic or diagnostic results for the diagnosis or treatment of a Covered Injury.

For the purposes of this definition, Generally Accepted Standards of Medical Practice means:

- a. standards that are based on credible scientific evidence published in peer-reviewed, medical literature generally recognized by the relevant medical community;
- b. Physician and health care provider specialty society documents;
- c. The views of Physicians and health care providers practicing in the relevant clinical areas; and
- d. any other relevant factors.

**Benefit Percentage** means the percentage of Covered Expenses We pay that are Incurred by the Covered Person after he satisfies any applicable Deductible. Benefit Percentages are shown in the *Schedule of Benefits*.

**Benefit Period** means a period, shown in the *Schedule of Benefits* and commencing with the date of the first Covered Expense Incurred for treatment of a Covered Injury sustained as the direct result of a Covered Accident, during which Benefits are payable.

**Certificate of Airworthiness** means the standard airworthiness certificate issued by the Federal Aviation Administration of the United States or its foreign equivalent.

**Company or We, Us, Our** means SiriusPoint America Insurance Company, domiciled in New York, New York.

**Conveyance** means a motorized craft, vehicle or mode of transportation licensed or registered by a governmental authority.

**Covered Accident** means a sudden, unforeseeable event that results, directly and independently of all other causes, in a Covered Injury or Covered Loss and meets all of the following conditions:

1. occurs while the Covered Person is insured under the Policy;
2. occurs under one of the Conditions of Coverage specified in the *Schedule of Benefits*;
3. is not contributed to by disease, Sickness, or mental or bodily infirmity;
4. is not otherwise excluded under the terms of the Policy.

**Covered Expenses** means the Usual and Customary charges for services or supplies listed in the *Schedule of Benefits*, and described in the *Accident Medical Benefits* section, that the Covered Person Incurs during the Benefit Period for Appropriate Treatment of a Covered Injury. A Physician must recommend and approve these services or supplies.

**Covered Injury** means any bodily harm that results, directly and independently of all other causes, from a Covered Accident. A Covered Injury does not include aggravation of an injury sustained before the Covered Accident.

**Covered Person** means an Eligible Person, as defined in the *Schedule of Benefits*, for whom an enrollment form has been accepted by Us and required premium has been paid when due, and for whom coverage under the Policy remains in force.

**Covered Loss** means a loss:

1. which is the result of a Covered Injury to a Covered Person;
2. for which benefits are payable under the Policy; and
3. which is not otherwise excluded under the terms of the Policy.

**Deductible** means the amount of Covered Expenses that each Covered Person must incur, as applicable, before benefits are paid under the Policy. The Deductible may apply to each Covered Accident or each Policy Term, as shown in the *Schedule of Benefits*.

**Dependent** means:

1. the Covered Person's lawful spouse of the same or opposite sex who is age 18 years and under Age 70.

The term spouse, where referenced in the Policy, shall also mean and include the Covered Person's civil union partner as defined by state law.

2. the Covered Person's unmarried child who meets the following requirements:
  - a. a child from birth to 25 years old;
  - b. a child who is 25 or more years old but less than 30 years old, enrolled in a school as a full-time student and primarily supported by the Covered Person. Coverage will continue during any period between school terms or school years as long as We are provided satisfactory proof that he has enrolled for the next following school term or year;
  - c. a child who is 25 or more years old, primarily supported by the Covered Person, and incapable of self-sustaining employment by reason of mental or physical handicap. Proof of the child's condition and dependence must be submitted to Us within 31 days after the date the child ceases to qualify as a Dependent for the reasons listed above. During the next two years, We may, from time to time, require proof of the continuation of such condition and dependence. After that, We may require proof no more than once a year.

A dependent child, for purposes of this definition, includes the Covered Person's:

- i. natural child;
- ii. adopted or foster child, from moment of birth if placement of adopted or foster child occurs within 30 days of the child's birth, from the date of placement if placement of adopted or foster child occurs 30 days or more after the child's birth;
- iii. stepchild who resides with the Covered Person;
- iv. child for whom the Covered Person is legal guardian.

If the Covered Person who is the legal guardian of a child is not a step-parent, grandparent, aunt or uncle, then the child must have resided with him for at least six consecutive months and intend to reside with him for an indefinite period of time.

**He, His, Him** refers to any individual, male or female.

**Health Care Plan** means any arrangement, whether individually purchased or incident to employment or membership in an association or other group, which provides benefits or services for health care, dental care or disability benefits. A Health Care Plan includes group, blanket, franchise, family or individual:

1. insurance policies;
2. subscriber contracts;
3. uninsured or self-funded agreements or arrangements;
4. coverage provided through Health Maintenance Organizations, Preferred Provider Organizations and other prepayment, group practice an individual practice plans;
5. medical benefits provided under automobile "fault" and "no-fault"-type contracts;
6. medical benefits provided by any governmental plan or coverage or other benefit law, except:
  - a. a state-sponsored Medicaid plan; or
  - b. a plan or law providing benefits only in excess of any private or non-governmental plan;
7. other valid and collectible medical or health care benefits or services.

**Home** means the structure or land on which the Covered Person permanently resides.

**Hospital** means an institution that meets all of the following:

1. it is licensed as a Hospital pursuant to applicable law;
2. it is primarily and continuously engaged in providing medical care and treatment to sick and injured persons;
3. it is managed under the supervision of a staff of medical doctors;
4. it provides 24-hour nursing services by or under the supervision of a graduate registered nurse (R.N.);
5. it has medical, diagnostic and treatment facilities, with major surgical facilities on its premises, or available on a prearranged basis;
6. it charges for its services.

The term Hospital does not include a clinic, facility, or unit of a Hospital for:

1. rehabilitation, convalescent, custodial, educational or nursing care;
2. the aged, drug addicts or alcoholics;

3. a Veteran's Administration Hospital or Federal Government Hospitals unless the Covered Person incurs an expense and there is a legal obligation to pay.

**Hospital Stay** means a confinement in a Hospital, ordered by a Physician, over one or more nights when room and board and general nursing care are provided at a per diem charge made by the Hospital. The Hospital Stay must result directly and independently of all other causes from a Covered Accident. Separate Hospital Stays due to the same Covered Accident will be treated as one Hospital Stay unless separated by at least 90 days.

**Immediate Family Member** means a person who is related to the Covered Person in any of the following ways: spouse, brother-in-law, sister-in-law, son-in-law, daughter-in-law, mother-in-law, father-in-law, parent, including stepparent, brother or sister, including stepbrother or stepsister, or child, including legally adopted child or stepchild.

**Incurred or Incurs** means an obligation to pay for a Covered Expense for treatment, service or purchase of supplies, deemed to be the date it is provided to the Covered Person.

**In-Patient** means a Covered Person who is confined for at least one full day's Hospital room and board. The requirement that a person be charged for room and board does not apply to confinement in a Veteran's Administration Hospital or Federal Government Hospital and in such case, the term "Inpatient" shall mean a Covered Person who is required to be confined for a period of at least a full day as determined by the Hospital.

**Out-Patient** means a Covered Person who receives Appropriate Treatment, services and supplies while not an Inpatient in a Hospital.

**Physician** means a licensed health care provider practicing within the scope of his license and rendering care and treatment to the Covered Person that is appropriate for the condition and locality, and who is not:

1. the Covered Person;
2. an Immediate Family Member of either the Covered Person or the Covered Person's spouse;
3. a person living in the Covered Person's household;
4. a person employed or retained by the Policyholder; or
5. a person providing homeopathic, aroma-therapeutic, or herbal therapeutic services.

**Private Passenger Automobile** means a validly registered, four-wheel private passenger car, including Policyholder-owned cars, campers, motor homes, station wagons, sport utility vehicles, pick-up trucks and van-type cars that are not licensed commercially or being used for commercial purposes. Any vehicle being used as a taxicab, bus, or other Public Conveyance will not be considered a Private Passenger Automobile.

**Sickness** means a physical or mental illness, including pregnancy.

**Usual and Customary Charge** means the normal charge, in the absence of insurance, made by the provider of any Appropriate Treatment, but not more than the prevailing charge in the area:

1. for a like service by a provider with similar training or experience; or
2. for a supply that is identical or substantially equivalent.



## GENERAL EXCLUSIONS

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In addition to any benefit-specific exclusion, benefits will not be paid for any Covered Injury or Covered Loss which directly or indirectly, in whole or in part, is caused by or results from any of the following unless coverage is specifically provided for by name in the Policy:

1. Intentionally self-inflicted injury, suicide or any attempt thereof while sane or insane;
2. commission or attempt to commit a felony or an assault;
3. commission of or active participation in a riot or insurrection;
4. bungee-cord jumping, parachuting, skydiving, parasailing, hang-gliding;
5. declared or undeclared War or act of War;
6. flight in, boarding or alighting from an Aircraft, except as:
  - a. a fare-paying passenger on a regularly scheduled commercial or charter airline;
  - b. a passenger in a non-scheduled, private Aircraft used for pleasure purposes with no commercial intent during the flight;
  - c. a passenger in a military Aircraft flown by the Air Mobility Command or its foreign equivalent;
7. travel in or on any on-road and off-road motorized vehicle that does not require licensing as a motor vehicle;
8. participation in any motorized race or contest of speed;
9. an Accident if the Covered Person is the operator of a motor vehicle and does not possess a valid motor vehicle operator's license, unless: (a) the Covered Person holds a valid learners permit and (b) the Covered Person is receiving instruction from a Driver's Education Instructor;
10. Sickness, disease, bodily or mental infirmity, bacterial or viral infection or medical or surgical treatment thereof, except for any bacterial infection resulting from an accidental external cut or wound or accidental ingestion of contaminated food;
11. medical or surgical treatment, diagnostic procedure, or administration of anesthesia unless it occurs during treatment of injuries sustained in a Covered Accident;
12. the Covered Person being legally intoxicated as determined according to the laws of the jurisdiction in which the Covered Accident occurred;
13. voluntary ingestion of any narcotic, drug, poison, gas or fumes, unless prescribed or taken under the direction of a Physician and taken in accordance with the prescribed dosage;
14. injuries compensable under Workers' Compensation law or any similar law;
15. occupational injuries for which benefits are not paid under the Workers' Compensation Law or any similar law;
16. a Covered Accident that occurs while on active duty service in the military, naval or air force of any country or international organization. Upon Our receipt of proof of service, We will refund any premium paid for this time. Reserve or National Guard active duty training is not excluded unless it extends beyond 31 days;
17. operating any type of vehicle while under the influence of alcohol or any drug, narcotic or other intoxicant including any prescribed drug for which the Covered Person has been provided a written warning against operating a vehicle while taking it. Under the influence of alcohol, for purposes of this exclusion, means intoxicated, as defined by the law of the state in which the Covered Accident occurred.

In addition, benefits will not be paid for services or treatment rendered by any person who is:

1. retained by the Policyholder;
2. living in the Covered Person's household;
3. an Immediate Family Member of either the Covered Person or the Covered Person's spouse;
4. the Covered Person or Covered Person's Spouse;
5. a person providing homeopathic, aroma therapeutic, or herbal therapeutic services.

### General Limitations and Exclusions Applicable to Accident Medical Expense Benefits

#### **Non-Duplication of Benefits When The Policy and Other Plans Are Excess**

This provision applies if benefits under any other Health Care Plan are covered under the Policy, and coverage under the Policy and the other Plan are excess.

We pay a pro rata share of the total amount of Covered Expenses. In no case will the total benefits payable exceed 100% of the Covered Expenses.

Our pro rata share equals the total of benefits payable under the Policy multiplied by a fraction, of which the numerator is the benefits We pay and the denominator is the total of benefits payable by all Health Care Plans for the same Covered Accident.

### **Excluded Expenses**

The following will not be considered Covered Expenses unless coverage is specifically provided.

1. Any service, treatment or supply that is not considered Appropriate Treatment as defined in the Policy.
2. Expenses Incurred after the end of the Benefit Period, even if Incurred for continuing services or treatment of a Covered Injury.
3. Whole blood, concentrated red blood cells or blood storage except expenses by a Hospital for processing or administration of blood.
4. cosmetic surgery or care, or treatment solely for cosmetic purposes, or complications therefrom. This exclusion does not apply to:
  - a. cosmetic surgery resulting from a Covered Accident, if initial treatment of the Covered Person is begun within 12 months of the date of the Covered Accident;
  - b. reconstruction incidental to or following surgery resulting from a Covered Accident;
  - c. any unplanned and unintended adverse consequences that may result during the treatment of a Covered Accident.
5. Any elective or routine treatment, surgery, health treatment, or examination, including any service, treatment or supplies that: (a) are deemed to be experimental or investigational; and (b) are not recognized and generally accepted medical practice in the United States.
6. Examination or prescriptions for, or purchase, repair or replacement of, eyeglasses, contact lenses, hearing aids, wheelchairs, braces, appliances, orthopedic braces, or orthotic devices.
7. Treatment in any Veteran's Administration, Federal, or state facility, unless there is a legal obligation to pay.
8. Services or treatment provided by persons who do not normally charge for their services, unless there is a legal obligation to pay.
9. Rest cures or custodial care.
10. Repair or replacement of existing dentures, partial dentures, braces or bridgework.
11. Personal services such as television and telephone or transportation.
12. Expenses payable by any automobile insurance policy without regard to fault.
13. Treatment or service provided by a private duty nurse.
14. Repair or replacement of existing artificial limbs, eyes and larynx.
15. Treatment of hernia of any kind.

Other Exclusions that apply to this benefit are in the *General Exclusions* Section.

## **CLAIM PROVISIONS**

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### **Notice of Claim**

Written or authorized electronic/telephonic notice must be given to Us or Our agent within 31 days after a Covered Accident occurs or the loss begins or as soon as reasonably possible, but in no case any longer than 15 months after the date of loss. If written or authorized electronic/telephonic notice is not given in that time, the claim will not be invalidated or reduced if it is shown that notice was given as soon as was reasonably possible. Notice can be given at Our Home Office in New York, New York, such other place as We may designate for the purpose, or to Our authorized agent. Notice should include the Policyholder's name and policy number and the Covered Person's name and address.

### **Claim Forms**

We send forms for filing proof of loss when We receive the notice of claim. If claim forms are not sent within 15 days after We receive notice, the proof requirements will be met by submitting, within the time fixed in the Policy for filing proof of loss, written or authorized electronic proof of the nature and extent of the loss for which claim is made.

### **Claimant Cooperation Provision**

Failure of a claimant to cooperate with Us in the administration of the claim may result in termination of the claim. Such cooperation includes, but is not limited to, providing any information or documents needed to determine whether benefits are payable or the actual benefit amount due.

### **Proof of Loss**

Written or authorized electronic proof of loss satisfactory to Us must be given to Us at Our office, within 90 days of the loss for which claim is made. If written or authorized electronic notice is not given within that time, no claim will be invalidated or reduced if it is shown that such notice was given as soon as reasonably possible. In any case, written or authorized electronic proof must be given not more than one year after the time it is otherwise required, except if proof is not given solely due to the lack of legal capacity.

### **Time of Payment of Claims**

We will pay benefits due under the Policy for any loss, other than a loss for which the Policy provides any periodic payment, immediately upon receipt of due written or authorized electronic proof of such loss. Subject to due written or authorized electronic proof of loss, all accrued benefits for loss for which the Policy provides periodic payment will be paid monthly unless otherwise specified in the benefit descriptions. Any balance remaining unpaid at the termination of liability will be paid immediately upon receipt of proof satisfactory to Us, unless otherwise stated in the Policy.

### **Payment of Claims**

All benefits will be paid in United States currency. Benefits for loss of life will be payable in accordance with the Beneficiary provision and these Claim Provisions. All other proceeds payable under the Policy, unless otherwise stated, will be payable to the Covered Person or to his estate. If any payee of benefits is a minor or otherwise legally incompetent, we will pay benefits to the person designated as his legal guardian or conservator.

If the amount of any benefit payable is determined based on benefits payable under another Health Care Plan, We have the right to require the Covered Person to provide information about that Plan and benefits paid or payable for the same claim before We pay benefits. We may, at Our option, pay any accident medical benefits directly to a health care provider that renders services to the Covered Person, unless the Covered Person requests in writing when submitting the claim that such payment not be made to the provider.

If We are to pay benefits to the estate or to a person who is incapable of giving a valid release, We may pay \$1,000 to a relative by blood or marriage whom We believe is equitably entitled. Any payment made by Us in good faith pursuant to this provision will fully discharge Us to the extent of such payment and release Us from all liability for that payment.

### **Beneficiary**

The beneficiary is the person or persons the Covered Person names or changes on a form executed by him and satisfactory to Us. This form may be in writing or by any electronic means agreed upon between Us and the Policyholder. Consent of the beneficiary is not required to affect any changes, unless the beneficiary has been designated as an irrevocable beneficiary, or to make any assignment of rights or benefits permitted by the Policy.

A beneficiary designation or change will become effective on the date the Covered Person executes it. However, We will not be liable for any action taken or payment made before We record notice of the change at our Home Office.

If more than one person is named as beneficiary, the interests of each will be equal unless the Covered Person has specified otherwise. The share of any beneficiary who does not survive the Covered Person will pass equally to any surviving beneficiaries unless otherwise specified.

If there is no named beneficiary or surviving beneficiary, or if the Covered Person dies while benefits are payable to him, We may make direct payment to the first surviving class of the following classes of persons:

1. Spouse;
2. Child or Children;
3. parents;
4. siblings;
5. estate of the Covered Person.

### **Conditional Claim Payment**

If the Covered Person incurs expenses for Covered Injuries received in a Covered Accident and it is likely a third party may be liable, We will pay benefits if:

1. the Covered Person first agrees in writing to refund the lesser of:
  - a. the amount We actually paid for such expenses; and
  - b. the amount actually received from the third party regardless of whether the amount is for such expenses; and
2. the third party's liability is determined and satisfied whether by settlement, judgment, arbitration or otherwise. However, if the third party's liability is satisfied in an amount less than the benefits paid under the Policy, We will pay the difference.

### **Physical Examination and Autopsy**

We, at Our own expense, have the right and opportunity to examine the Covered Person when and as often as We may reasonably require while a claim is pending and to make an autopsy in case of death where it is not forbidden by law.

### **Legal Actions**

No action at law or in equity will be brought to recover benefits under the Policy less than 60 days after satisfactory proof of loss has been furnished as required by the Policy. No such action will be brought more than three years after the time such written proof of loss must be furnished.

### **Recovery of Overpayment**

If benefits are overpaid, We have the right to recover the amount overpaid by either of the following methods.

1. A request for lump sum payment of the overpaid amount.
2. A reduction of any amounts payable under the Policy.

If there is an overpayment due when the Covered Person dies, We may recover the overpayment from the Covered Person's estate.

### **Subrogation**

We have the right to recover all payments including future payments, which We have made, or will be obligated to pay in the future, to the Covered Person from anyone liable for the Covered Loss. If the Covered Person recovers from anyone liable for the Covered Loss, We will be reimbursed first from such recovery to the extent of Our payments to the Covered Person. The Covered Person agrees to assist Us in preserving Our rights against those responsible for such loss, including but not limited to, signing subrogation forms supplied by Us.

## **ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS**

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### **Grace Period**

A Policy Grace Period of 31 days will be granted for payment of required premiums due after the first premium, unless:

1. We do not intend to renew the Policy beyond the period for which premium has been accepted; and
2. written notice of Our intention not to renew is delivered to the Policyholder at least 45 days before the premium is due.

The Policy will be in force during the Policy Grace Period. If the required premiums are not paid during the Policy Grace Period, insurance will end on the last day of the Grace Period. The Policyholder is liable to Us for any unpaid premium for the time the Policy was in force.

### **Premiums**

Premium rates are expressed in, and premiums are payable in, United States currency. The premiums for the Policy will be based on the rates set forth in the *Premium Rate Table*, the plan and amounts of insurance in effect for Covered Persons and the premium mode selected, as shown in the *Schedule of Benefits*.

# HIPAA NOTICE OF PRIVACY RIGHTS

**THIS NOTICE DESCRIBES HOW MEDICAL INFORMATION ABOUT YOU MAY BE USED AND DISCLOSED AND HOW YOU CAN GET ACCESS TO THIS INFORMATION.**

**PLEASE REVIEW IT CAREFULLY.**

## I. OUR DUTIES

We are required, by Federal law, to maintain the privacy of Protected Health Information. Furthermore, we are required to provide you with notice of our legal duties and privacy practices with respect to Protected Health Information. "Protected Health Information" includes any identifiable information that we obtain from you or others relating to your physical or mental health, the health care you have received, or payment for your health care.

We are required to abide by the terms of this Notice of Privacy Rights currently in effect. We reserve the right to change the terms of this Notice of Privacy Rights and to make the new notice provisions effective for all Protected Health Information we maintain. In the event we change this Notice of Privacy Rights we will notify you and post the new notice to the Sirius America website.

## II. YOUR INDIVIDUAL RIGHTS

With respect to Protected Health Information, you have the following rights:

1. The right to request restrictions on certain uses and disclosures of Protected Health Information, including the uses and disclosures listed in this Notice of Privacy Rights and permitted disclosures. However, we are not required to agree to a requested restriction.
2. The right to reasonably request to receive confidential communication of Protected Health Information by alternative means or at alternative locations.
3. The right to inspect and copy your Protected Health Information in our records, except for:
  - Psychotherapy notes;
  - Information compiled in reasonable anticipation of, or for use in, a civil, criminal, or administrative action or proceeding;
  - Protected Health Information that is subject to a law prohibiting access to that information; or
  - If the Protected Health Information was obtained from someone other than us under a promise of confidentiality and the access requested would be reasonably likely to reveal the source of the information.

4. We may also deny your request to inspect and copy your Protected Health Information if:
- A licensed health care professional has determined that the access requested is reasonably likely to endanger your life or physical safety, or the life or physical safety of another person;
  - The Protected Health Information makes reference to another person and a health care professional has determined that the access requested is reasonably likely to cause substantial harm to such other person; or
  - A licensed health care professional has determined that the access requested by your personal representative is reasonably likely to cause substantial harm to you or another person.

In the event we deny access on one of the above four grounds, you have the right to have the denial reviewed in accordance with applicable law.

5. The right to amend your Protected Health Information contained in our records. However, we are not required to amend the information if the information: (i) was not created by us; (ii) is not part of your medical or billing records; (iii) is not available for inspection; or (iv) the information is accurate and complete.
6. The right to receive an accounting of disclosures of Protected Health Information made by us in the six (6) years prior to the date on which the accounting is requested, except for disclosures:
- To carry out payment and health care operations as provided below;
  - For notification purposes, as provided by law;
  - For national security or intelligence purposes, as provided by law;
  - To correctional institutions or law enforcement officials, as provided by law; or
  - That occurred prior to September 1<sup>st</sup>, 2014 (Effective Date of Notice)
7. The right to obtain a paper copy of this notice upon request if you are viewing this notice electronically.

### III. USES AND DISCLOSURES OF PROTECTED HEALTH INFORMATION

Under Federal law, we are permitted to use and disclose Protected Health Information, without your authorization, for the purposes of treatment, payment, and health operations.

- Treatment: We do not provide treatment.
- Payment: Payment refers to activities involving collection of premium and payment of claims. Examples of uses and disclosures for the purposes of payment include: (i) sharing Protected Health Information with other insurers to determine coordination of benefits, the administration of claims, determining coverage, and providing benefits; and (ii) sharing Protected Health Information with third party administrators for the processing of claims.
- Operations: Operations refers to the business functions necessary for us to operate, such as quality assurance activities, audits, and complaint responses. Examples of uses and disclosures for operations purposes include: (i) using Protected Health Information for the purpose of underwriting and calculating premium rates; (ii) using Protected Health Information to perform legal, actuarial, and auditing services; (iii) disclosing Protected Health Information when responding to complaints; and (iv) use of Protected Health Information for general data analyses and long-term management and planning.

We may also use and disclose your Protected Health Information for other purposes permitted or required by law, including the following:

- To you, as the covered individual.
- To a personal representative designated by you to receive Protected Health Information or a personal representative designated by law such as the parent or legal guardian of a child, or the surviving family members or representative of the estate of a deceased individual.
- To the Secretary of Health and Human Services, or any employee thereof, as part of an investigation to determine our compliance with HIPAA and the HIPAA Privacy Rules.
- To a business associate as part of a contracted agreement to assist us with our business activities. We require these business associates to appropriately safeguard the privacy of your information.
- For any purpose required by law, provided the use or disclosure complies with and is limited to the relevant requirements of such law.
- To an appropriate government authority as required by law if we suspect child abuse or neglect, or if we believe you to be the victim of abuse, neglect, or domestic violence.
- To a health oversight agency for oversight activities authorized by law.
- In connection with judicial and administrative proceedings, including disclosures in response to a court order, subpoena or discovery request.



- As required for law enforcement purposes.
- To a coroner or medical examiner consistent with law.
- To cadaveric organ, eye or tissue donation programs.
- For specialized government functions (*e.g.*, military and veterans activities, national security and intelligence).
- As required to comply with Workers' Compensation or other similar programs established by law.

The examples of permitted uses and disclosures listed above are not provided as an all inclusive list of the ways in which Protected Health Information may be used. They are provided to describe in general the types of uses and disclosures that may be made.

Other uses and disclosures of your Protected Health Information may be made only with your written authorization unless otherwise permitted or required by law. You may revoke such authorization at any time by providing written notice to us that you wish to revoke an authorization. We will honor a request to revoke as of the day it is received and to the extent that we have not already used and disclosed your Protected Health Information in good faith with the authorization.

#### **IV. COMPLAINTS REGARDING YOUR PRIVACY RIGHTS**

If you believe that your privacy rights have been violated, you may file a complaint with us or with the Secretary of Health and Human Services (the "Secretary"). The Secretary can be contacted at the following address: Hubert H. Humphrey Building, 200 Independence Avenue SW, Washington, DC 20201. If you would like to file a complaint with us, address your complaint to the Privacy Officer at the location listed in the section below entitled "Contact Us." You will not be retaliated against for filing a complaint.

#### **V. CONTACT US**

You may exercise the rights described in this Notice of Privacy Rights by contacting the office identified below. The contact is:

Privacy Officer  
SiriusPoint America Insurance Company  
One World Trade Center, 285 Fulton St, 47th Floor  
New York, NY 10007

#### **VI. EFFECTIVE DATE**

The effective date of this Notice of Privacy Rights is September 1<sup>st</sup>, 2014.

**SUMMARY OF THE  
WEST VIRGINIA LIFE AND HEALTH INSURANCE GUARANTY ASSOCIATION ACT  
(Effective July 1, 2019)**

Residents of West Virginia who purchase life insurance, annuities or health insurance should know that the insurance companies and health maintenance organizations licensed in this state to write these types of insurance are members of the West Virginia Life and Health Insurance Guaranty Association. The purpose of this Association is to assure that policy and contract owners, certificate holders and enrollees of covered policies and contracts will be protected, within limits, in the unlikely event that a member insurer becomes financially unable to meet its obligations. If this should happen, the Guaranty Association will assess its other member insurers for the money to pay the claims of covered persons who live in this state and, in some cases, to keep coverage in force. The valuable extra protection provided by these member insurers through the Guaranty Association is not unlimited, however, and, as noted in the box below, this protection is not a substitute for consumers' care in selecting companies that are well-managed and financially stable.

The West Virginia Life and Health Insurance Guaranty Association may not provide coverage for this policy or contract. If coverage is provided, it may be subject to substantial limitations or exclusions, and require continued residency in West Virginia. You should not rely on coverage by the West Virginia Life and Health Insurance Guaranty Association in selecting an insurance company or health maintenance organization or in selecting an insurance policy or contract. For a complete description of coverage, consult Article 26A, Chapter 33 of the West Virginia Code.

**Coverage is NOT provided for any portion OF YOUR CONTRACT that is not guaranteed by the insurer or for which you have assumed the risk.**

Insurance companies and health maintenance organizations or their agents are required by law to give or send you this notice. *However, insurance companies, health maintenance organizations and their agents are prohibited by law from using the existence of the guaranty association to induce you to purchase any kind of insurance policy or health maintenance organization coverage.*

The Guaranty Association or the West Virginia Insurance Commission will respond to questions you may have that are not answered by this document. Policyholders with additional questions may contact:

West Virginia Life and Health Insurance Guaranty Association  
P.O. Box 816  
Huntington, West Virginia 25712

West Virginia Insurance Commissioner  
Consumer Services Division  
900 Pennsylvania Avenue  
P.O. Box 50540  
Charleston, West Virginia 25305-0540 (304) 558-3386  
Toll Free 1-888-879-9842  
TDD 1-800-435-7381

The state law that provides for this safety-net coverage is called the West Virginia Life and Health Insurance Guaranty Association Act. On the back of this page is a brief summary of this law's coverages, exclusions and limits. This summary does not cover all provisions of the law, nor does it in any way change anyone's rights or obligations under the act or the rights or obligations of the Guaranty Association.

## **COVERAGE**

Generally, individuals will be protected by the West Virginia Life and Health Insurance Guaranty Association if they live in West Virginia and hold a life, health or annuity policy, plan or contract, or if they are insured under a group life, health or annuity policy, plan or contract, issued by a member insurer. Member insurer also includes non-profit service corporations (W. Va. Code §33-24), health care corporations (W. Va. Code §33-25) and health maintenance organizations (W. Va. Code §33-25A). The beneficiaries, payees or assignees of insured persons are protected as well, even if they live in another state.

## **EXCLUSIONS FROM COVERAGE**

However, persons holding such policies, plans or contracts are not protected by this Guaranty Association if:

- They are eligible for protection under the laws of another state (this may occur when the insolvent member insurer was incorporated in another state whose guaranty association protects insureds who live outside that state);
- The member insurer was not authorized to do business in this state;
- The policy, plan or contract was issued at a time when the member insurer was not licensed or authorized to do business in the state;
- The policy, plan or contract was issued by a fraternal benefit society, mandatory state pooling plan, a mutual protective association or similar plan in which the policy, plan or contract holder is subject to future assessments, an insurance exchange, an organization that has a certificate or license limited to the issuance of charitable gift annuities or any entity similar to the above.

The Guaranty Association also does not provide coverage for:

- Any policy, plan or contract, or portion of a policy, plan or contract that is not guaranteed by the member insurer or for which the individual or contract holder has assumed the risk;
- Any policy of reinsurance (unless an assumption certificate was issued);
- Interest rate yields that exceed an average rate;
- Dividends;
- Credits given in connection with the administration of a policy, plan or contract by a group contract holder;
- Employer or association plans to the extent they are self-funded (that is, not insured by an insurance company, even if an insurance company administers them) or uninsured, including:
  - i. multiple employer welfare arrangement;
  - ii. minimum premium group insurance plan;
  - iii. stop loss group insurance plan; or
  - iv. administrative services only contract;
- Any unallocated annuity contract issued to or in connection with a benefit plan protected under the federal pension guaranty corporation;
- Any portion of any unallocated contract that is not issued to or in connection with a specific employee, union or association's benefit plan or a governmental lottery;
- Any policy, plan or contract providing any hospital, medical, prescription drug or other health care benefits pursuant to Medicare Part C and D or Medicaid;
- An obligation that does not arise under the written terms of the policy, plan or contract, including claims based on marketing materials, claims based on side letters or riders not approved by the Commissioner, misrepresentations regarding policy benefits, extracontractual claims or claims for penalties or consequential or incidental damages;

- A contractual agreement that establishes the member insurer's obligation to provide a book value accounting guaranty for defined contribution benefit plan participants by reference to a portfolio of assets that is owned by the benefit plan or trustee, which is not an affiliate of the insurer;
- Structured settlement annuity benefits, the rights to which have been transferred by the payee or beneficiary in a structured settlement factoring transaction.

## **LIMITS ON AMOUNT OF COVERAGE**

The Act also limits the amount the Guaranty Association is obligated to pay out. The Guaranty Association cannot pay more than what the member insurer would owe under a policy, plan or contract. Also, for any one insured life, regardless of the number of policies, plans or contracts, the Guaranty Association will only pay:

- \$300,000 in life insurance benefits, but no more than \$100,000 in net cash surrender and net cash withdrawal values;
- \$300,000 for disability income insurance;
- \$300,000 for long term care insurance;
- \$250,000 in the present value of annuity benefits, including net cash surrender and net cash withdrawal values;
- \$500,000 for health benefit plans (W. Va. Code §33-26A-5(10)); and
- \$100,000 for all other types of accident and sickness insurance coverages not defined as disability income insurance, long term care insurance, or health benefit plans.

Also, for any one insured life, the Guaranty Association will only pay a maximum of \$300,000—no matter how many policies and contracts there were with the same company—for all policies or contracts other than health benefit plans, in which case the aggregate limit shall not exceed \$500,000 with respect to any one individual.

Note to benefit plan trustees or other holders of unallocated annuities (GICs, DACs, etc.) covered by the Act: for unallocated annuities that fund governmental retirement plans under §§ 401(k), 403(b) or 457 of the Internal Revenue Code, the limit is \$250,000 in the present value of annuity benefits, including net cash surrender and net cash withdrawal values, per participating individual. In no event shall the Guaranty Association be liable to spend more than \$300,000 in the aggregate per individual. For covered unallocated annuities that fund other plans, a special limit of \$5,000,000 applies to each contract holder, regardless of the number of contracts held with the same company or number of persons covered. In all cases, of course, the contract limits also apply.

# SIRIUSPOINT AMERICA INSURANCE COMPANY

ONE WORLD TRADE CENTER, 285 FULTON ST, 47<sup>th</sup> Floor  
NEW YORK, NY 10007

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## IMPORTANT NOTICE REGARDING THE OFFICE OF FOREIGN ASSETS CONTROL

Your rights as a policyholder and payments to you, any insured or claimant, for loss under the policy may be affected by the administration and enforcement of U.S. economic embargoes and trade sanctions by the OFFICE OF FOREIGN ASSETS CONTROL (“OFAC”).

### WHAT IS OFAC?

OFAC is an office of the Department of the Treasury and acts under the presidential national emergency powers, as well as authority granted by specific legislation, to impose controls on transactions and freeze foreign assets under U.S. jurisdiction. OFAC administers and enforces economic embargoes and trade sanctions primarily against:

- Targeted foreign countries and their agents
- Terrorism sponsoring agencies and organizations
- International narcotics traffickers

### PROHIBITED ACTIVITY

- OFAC enforces certain embargoes and sanctions against certain designated countries. No U.S. business or persons may enter into certain transactions in or connected to such designated “sanctioned” countries.
- OFAC maintains a directory known as the “Specially Designated Nationals and Blocked Persons” (“SDNBP”) list. No U.S. business or person may transact business with any person or entity named on the SDNBP list.

Additional and more in-depth information on OFAC is available at the following website:

<https://www.treasury.gov/about/organizational-structure/offices/Pages/Office-of-Foreign-Assets-Control.aspx>.

### OBLIGATIONS PLACED ON US BY OFAC

If we determine that you, any insured or claimant are on the SDNBP list or are connected to a sanctioned country as described in the regulations enforced by OFAC, we must block or “freeze” property and payment of any funds transfers or transactions and report all blocks to OFAC within ten (10) business days.

### POTENTIAL ACTIONS BY US

1. We may immediately cancel your coverage effective on the day that we determine that we have transacted business with an individual or entity associated with your policy on the SDNBP list or connected to a sanctioned country as described in the regulations enforced by OFAC.
2. If we cancel your coverage, you will not receive a return premium unless approved by OFAC. All funds will be placed in an interest bearing blocked account established on the books of a U.S. financial institution.
3. We will not pay a claim, accept premium or exchange monies or assets of any kind to or with individuals, entities or companies (including a bank) on the SDNBP list or connected to a sanctioned country as described in the regulations enforced by OFAC. And, we will not defend or provide any other benefits under your policy to individuals, entities or companies on the SDNBP list or connected to a sanctioned country as described in the regulations enforced by OFAC.

### YOUR RIGHTS AS A POLICYHOLDER

If funds are blocked or frozen by us in conjunction with the OFFICE OF FOREIGN ASSETS CONTROL, you may complete an “APPLICATION FOR THE RELEASE OF BLOCKED FUNDS” and apply for a specific license to request their release. Forms are available for download at the OFAC website. See <https://www.treasury.gov/resource-center/sanctions/Documents/license.pdf>.





