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PNB MetLife Critical Illness Rider
Health Insurance Rider

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In these days of increasing stress, good health is a major concern for all of us. With the fast-paced life, the chance of anyone contracting a serious illness like heart attack or cancer has increased. Thankfully with medical advancement the chances of surviving from it are also high but so are the costs of such treatments. These major illnesses affect the family emotionally as well as financially. While we may not be able to predict or prevent these diseases from occurring but we can certainly protect against it by taking PNB MetLife Critical Illness Rider.

The chosen Critical Illness (CI) Sum Assured shall be payable upon the first diagnosis of one of the covered Critical Illnesses (listed below), provided the following:

- The Person Insured survives for at least 30 days from the date of first diagnosis.
- The critical illness is diagnosed after the completion of the Waiting Period of 90 days from date of commencement or reinstatement, as applicable.

Following a Critical Illness claim, the base policy will continue with Base Sum Assured for the rest of the Policy Term.

The following Critical Illnesses are covered under this Rider:

1. MYOCARDIAL INFARCTION (First heart attack – of specified severity)
The first occurrence of heart attack or myocardial infarction which means the death of a portion of the heart muscle as a result of inadequate blood supply to the relevant area. The diagnosis for Myocardial Infarction should be evidenced by all of the following criteria:
   a) a history of typical clinical symptoms consistent with the diagnosis of Acute Myocardial Infarction (for e.g. typical chest pain)
   b) new characteristic electrocardiogram changes
   c) elevation of infarction specific enzymes, Troponins or other specific biochemical markers

2. Cancer of specified severity
A malignant tumour characterised by the uncontrolled growth & spread of malignant cells with invasion & destruction of normal tissues. This diagnosis must be supported by histological evidence of malignancy. The term cancer includes leukaemia, lymphoma and sarcoma.
EXCLUSIONS OF YOUR RIDER

Apart from the disease specific exclusions given along with definitions of diseases below, no benefit will be payable if the critical illness is caused or aggravated directly or indirectly by any of the following:

1. Existence of any sexually Transmitted Disease (STD) and its related complications.
2. Any condition that is pre-existing at the time of inception of the rider policy.
   Pre-existing Disease means any condition, ailment, injury or disease:
   a) That is/are diagnosed by a physician within 48 months prior to the effective date of the policy issued by the insurer or its reinstatement or
   b) For which medical advice or treatment was recommended by, or received from, a physician within 48 months prior to the effective date of the policy issued by the insurer or its reinstatement.
3. Any disease which first manifests itself within 90 days of the risk commencement date or reinstatement date whichever is later.
4. Any congenital condition.
5. Intentional self-inflicted injury, attempted suicide.
6. Alcohol or Solvent abuse or taking of Drugs, narcotics or psychotropic substances unless taken in accordance with the lawful directions and prescription of a registered medical practitioner.
7. War, invasion, act of foreign enemy, hostilities (whether war be declared or not), armed or unarmed truce, civil war, mutiny, rebellion, revolution, insurrection, military or usurped power, riot or civil commotion, strikes.
8. Taking part in any naval, military or air force operation during peace time.
9. Participation by the insured person in any flying activity, except as a bona fide, fare-paying passenger or pilot and cabin crew of a recognized airline on regular routes and on a scheduled timetable.
10. Participation by the insured person in a criminal or unlawful act with criminal intent.
11. Engaging in or taking part in professional sport(s) or any hazardous pursuits, including but not limited to, diving or riding or any kind of race; underwater activities involving the use of breathing apparatus or not; martial arts; hunting; mountaineering; parachuting; bungee-jumping.
12. Nuclear Contamination; the radioactive, explosive or hazardous nature of nuclear fuel materials or property contaminated by nuclear fuel materials or accident arising from such nature.

Exclusions Cancer of specified severity:
- All Tumours which are histologically described as carcinoma in situ, benign, premalignant borderline malignant, low malignant potential, neoplasm of unknown behavior, or non-invasive, including but not limited to: Carcinoma in situ of breasts, Cervical dysplasia CIN-1, CIN - 2 & CIN-3.
- Any non-melanoma skin carcinoma unless there is evidence of metastases to lymph nodes or beyond.
- All tumours of the prostate unless histologically classified as having a Gleason score greater than 6 or having progressed to at least clinical TNM classification T2N0M0.
- Non-invasive papillary cancer of the bladder histologically described as TaT0M0 or of a lesser classification.
- Chronic lymphocytic leukaemia less than RAI stage 3.
- All Gastro-Intestinal Stromal Tumors histologically classified as T1N0M0 (TNM Classification) or below and with mitotic count of less than or equal to 5/50 HPFs.
- Malignant melanoma that has not caused invasion beyond the epidermis.
- All Thyroid cancers histologically classified as T1N0M0 (TNM Classification) or below.

OTHER PROVISIONS

Tax Benefits
Tax benefits under this plan are available as per the provisions and conditions of the Income Tax Act and are subject to any changes made in the tax laws in future. Please consult your tax advisor for advice on the availability of tax benefits for the premiums paid and proceeds received under the policy.

Free look period
You have a period of 30 days from the date of receipt of the Policy document to review the terms and conditions of this Policy. If you have any objections to any of the terms and conditions, you have the option to return the Rider stating the reasons for the objections and you shall be entitled to a refund of the premium paid subject only to a deduction of a proportionate premium for the time on risk that we have borne and stamp duty charges.

Grace Period
The due Premiums are payable on the due date for payment of premium, without any penalty or late fee, during which time the policy is considered to be in-force with the risk cover without any interruption, as per the terms and conditions of the policy. The grace period for payment of the premium is 15 days, for Monthly / Payroll Savings Plan frequency and 30 days for Quarterly / Half yearly / Yearly frequencies. If the due Premium is not paid within the grace period, the rider cover shall lapse. The lapsed rider along with the policy can be revived within the revival period of 5 years.

Lapse and Reinstatement
In case you fail to pay rider premium installments due under this Rider Policy beyond the Grace Period in case of regular premium option and for the first 2 consecutive Policy Years in case of limited pay option, then the Rider Policy shall lapse and no benefits would be payable under this Rider Policy.
Any type of angina pectoris

Other acute Coronary Syndromes

A rise in cardiac biomarkers or Troponin T or I in absence of overt ischemic heart

Exclusions for MYOCARDIAL INFARCTION (First heart attack – of specified severity)

Participation by the insured person in a criminal or unlawful act with criminal intent.

War, invasion, act of foreign enemy, hostilities (whether war be declared or not), armed or unarmed truce, civil war, mutiny, rebellion, revolution, insurrection, military or usurped power, riot or civil commotion, strikes.

Alcohol or Solvent abuse or taking of Drugs, narcotics or psychotropic substances.

Any congenital condition.

b) For which medical advice or treatment was recommended by, or received from, a physician within 48 months prior to the effective date of the policy issued by any of the following:

1. Existence of any sexually Transmitted Disease (STD) and its related complications

2. Any non-melanoma skin carcinoma unless there is evidence of metastases to lymph nodes.

3. All tumours of the prostate unless histologically classified as having a Gleason score of less than 6 or having progressed to at least clinical TNM classification T2N0M0.

4. Non-invasive papillary cancer of the bladder histologically described as TaN0M0 or of higher classifcation.

5. Chronic lymphocytic leukaemia less than RAI stage 3

6. All Thyroid cancers histologically classified as T1N0M0 (TNM Classification) or below;

7. Malignant melanoma that has not caused invasion beyond the epidermis;

8. Cancers of the breast, ovary, cervix, and endometrium other than invasive ductal and invasive lobular carcinomas of breast, invasive endometrioid adenocarcinoma of the endometrium, invasive serous adenocarcinoma of the endometrium.

9. Lung cancer that is not invasive, including pre-malignant borderline malignant, low malignant potential, neoplasm of unknown primary, or has not caused invasion.

Apart from the disease specific exclusions given along with definitions of diseases below, exclusion of cancer of specified severity:

Cancer of specified severity:

1. Any type of angina pectoris

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No rider policy benefits will be payable if the rider policy is not reinstated by paying all due premium together with interest and revival fee as defined below. Also, no surrender value will be payable if the rider policy does not qualify for surrender benefit.

For reinstatements, the proof of continued insurability, as required by the Company, is to be provided by the Policyholder / Person Insured at his/ her own cost.

The Company reserves the right to reinstate the lapsed policy by imposing such extra premium as it deems fit as per the Board approved underwriting policy.

Surrender Value

Surrender Value on this Rider will be payable for policies other than Regular Pay, i.e., for single premium and limited premium paying policies. For limited premium paying term policies, surrender value will be payable only if all instalment premiums for at least two full years’ premiums have been paid, from the date of commencement of the Policy. The Surrender Value will be higher of Guaranteed Surrender Value (GSV) and Special Surrender Value (SSV). Please refer the Policy Document for the applicable Surrender Value factors.

About PNB MetLife

PNB MetLife India Insurance Company Limited (PNB MetLife) is one of the leading life insurance companies in India. PNB MetLife has as its shareholders MetLife International Holdings LLC (MIHL), Punjab National Bank Limited (PNB), Jammu & Kashmir Bank Limited (JKB), M. Pallonji and Company Private Limited and other private investors, MIHL and PNB being the majority shareholders. PNB MetLife has been present in India since 2001.

PNB MetLife brings together the financial strength of a leading global life insurance provider, MetLife, Inc., and the credibility and reliability of PNB, one of India’s oldest and leading nationalised banks. The vast distribution reach of PNB together with the global insurance expertise and product range of MetLife makes PNB MetLife a strong and trusted insurance provider.

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DISCLAIMER

Extract of Section 41 of the Insurance Act, 1938, as amended from time to time states

1. In accordance with Section 41 of the Insurance Act, 1938, as amended from time to time. No person shall allow or offer to allow, either directly or indirectly, as an inducement to any person to take out or renew or continue an insurance in respect of any kind of risk relating to lives or property in India, any rebate of the whole or part of the commission payable or any rebate of the premium shown on the policy, nor shall any person taking out or renewing or continuing a policy accept any rebate, except such rebate as may be allowed in accordance with the published prospectuses or tables of the insurer.

2. Any Person making default in complying with the provisions of this section shall be punishable with fine which may extend to ten lakh rupees.

Fraud and misrepresentation

Treatment will be as per Section 45 of the Insurance Act, 1938 as amended from time to time.

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